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This is a summary of the City of Santa Clara’s latest response efforts along with impacts to local events and City programs/services due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) public health emergency.

**Current Developments**

- Under the County of Santa Clara’s March 31 Shelter-In-Place order, a number of construction activities are deemed to be “essential” and allowed to continue at this time.
  - For Santa Clara, multi-family residential projects that currently qualify include:
    - Lawrence Station Area – a limited number of projects are permissible, specifically two projects by Toll Brothers, one by Abode Services and one building that’s part of the Summerhill Homes project (northeast corner of Lawrence Expressway and Kifer)
    - 575 Benton, 2780 El Camino Real (Moonlite Lanes)
    - 1890 El Camino Real - Anantara Villas
    - 1900 Warburton
    - 1375-1433 El Camino Real – Catalina
  - Single-family residential projects that may proceed with on-site inspections include:
    - NCIP Program projects;
    - Life / Safety projects; and
    - Work needed to make the unit habitable/secure.
Meetings

The City Council will hold a special meeting on Wednesday, April 8, starting at 2 p.m. View the agenda.

- With the heightened “Stay at Home” order by the State and the continued order by the County, the Mayor will be present for the meeting with Councilmembers and department heads participating online. A limited number of staff will also be present. The meeting set-up is in line with the recommendations of the COVID-19 White House Task Force, which notes no more than 10 people gatherings.
- The City Cafeteria has been set up to accommodate up to 10 people at a time and public comment will be given from that location.
- However, we encourage residents to stay at home and provide public comment:
  o Via the City’s eComment section
  o Via email to PublicComment@santaclaraca.gov
- As usual, the public can view the meetings on SantaClaraCA.gov, Santa Clara City Television (Comcast cable channel 15 or AT&T U-verse channel 99), or the livestream on the City’s YouTube channel or Facebook page.

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