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City of San Dimas Office of the City Manager – Update August 25, 2020

Latest Updates:

- The cooling center at the San Dimas Senior Center/Community Center has been extended through Saturday, August 29. Cooling center hours remain the same from 10 am – 6 pm. Please call (909) 394-6230 for additional questions
- For most students this year, school is being taught online and at home. Here are some important tips to keep your children safe as they distance-learn:
 - Do not overload outlets or extension cords
 - Do not run extension cords under rugs or near furniture
 - Throw away damaged cords
 - Pick up tripping hazards like toys and shoes
 - Never tape extension cords to floors or attach them to surfaces with staples or nails
 - For more safety tips and information, visit <https://fire.lacounty.gov/>
- The next round of LA COVID Funding opens on August 31. Learn more about this at an information session with the Small Business Development Center Los Angeles tomorrow, August 26 at 3 pm
 - The LA Regional COVID-19 Recovery Fund offers loans and grant resources to micro-entrepreneurs, small businesses, and non-profits
 - Grants are available for \$5,000 for micro-entrepreneurs and \$15,000 for small businesses and non-profits
 - To register for this information session, visit <https://lasbdcnet.ecenterdirect.com/events/21948>
- Join LA County Consumer and Business Affairs for a free series of webinars called “Help for Homeowners. This series will provide LA County homeowners with the information and resources they need to manage through this difficult time. Webinars will be held Wednesdays at 2 pm. For more information and to register, visit <https://dcba.lacounty.gov/foreclosure-prevention/>
- Air quality changes by the minute during wildfires. Stay up-to-date with the latest information by visiting the South Coast AQMD website [HERE](#)
- LA County is beginning to see key COVID-19 metrics move in the right direction, including lower positivity and hospitalization rates in the County. To help LA County childcare providers, teachers, administrators, and parents prepare for a return to in-person learning, DPH has issued guidance which shows what symptom & exposure screenings in children will look like, once children return to early care, education centers, and K-12 schools. DPH guidance includes:
 - A symptom and exposure screening process for children before returning to educational institutions
 - Steps for handling exposure to a child with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 at an educational institution
 - Steps for handling exposure to a child or staff member with a laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 infection at educational facilities
 - For more information on guidance, reopening protocols or a list of what is open or remains closed in LA County, visit [DPH online](#)