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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### City of San Dimas Office of the City Manager – Update August 31, 2020

#### *Latest Updates:*

##### *Local:*

- The City has updated a document to provide resources for business owners and funding relief options. To see the updated document, click [HERE](#)
- The San Dimas Recreation Center is currently open for Lap Swim. Click [HERE](#) to view our updated Lap Swim times and to register

##### *County:*

- The LA County Department of Mental Health has a newly expanded **Help Line** (800-854-7771) is that it is free and confidential for all of LA County. The County strives to meet the linguistic needs of its diverse communities and helps by providing services in your language of choice. Callers can be referred to:
  - Mental health & crisis services through the **ACCESS Center** (available 24/7)
  - Emotional support through the **Emotional Support Line**
  - Referrals and services for veterans and military family members through the **Veterans Line**
  - Click [HERE](#) for more information
- While optimistic about the current community transmission data we are seeing, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health is preparing for a holiday weekend and warning the public to heed the lessons learned from the spike in cases, hospitalizations and deaths that occurred after the previous holiday
  - Increases in cases and hospitalizations happened within a few weeks of the Memorial Day and July 4 holidays. In continuing our recovery journey, it's essential to utilize the tools that we have and adhere to physical distancing and infection control requirements that reduce the risk of transmission of COVID-19
  - As a reminder, being around people who aren't part of your household puts you at a greater risk for COVID-19, which is why it is so important to find ways to celebrate Labor Day without going to parties and barbecues hosted by non-household members
- The fourth round of the LA Regional COVID-19 Recovery Fund Grant Program is open and will close on September 4. Grants are available at \$54,000 or \$15,000 to micro-entrepreneurs, small businesses, and non-profits, as well as \$25,000 for medium-sized businesses. Visit <https://www.lacovidfund.org/> for more information