City Manager's Weekly Report No. 158 April 26, 2024

1. One Glendale After School Youth Attend Soccer Game

On Sunday, April 21, 2024, the One Glendale After School Youth Sports Program orchestrated a thrilling soccer sports outing for 25 eager participants. The goal? To immerse these young soccer enthusiasts in the electrifying world of professional soccer firsthand. Their destination: BMO Stadium in Los Angeles, where Angel City FC clashed with the North Carolina Courage.

The stadium pulsed with energy as the participants soaked in the atmosphere, witnessing Angel City FC secure a nail-biting 2-1 victory over the North Carolina Courage. Skill, teamwork, and sheer determination were on full display from both sides, captivating the young spectators.

This excursion wasn't just about watching a game; it was a masterclass in sportsmanship and strategy. By observing the pros in action, the participants gleaned invaluable insights into the intricacies of the sport, the dynamics of live events, and the essence of teamwork.

The experience was a resounding success, leaving an indelible mark on the 25 attendees of the One Glendale After School Youth Sports Program. Beyond fostering a deeper love for soccer, it ignited a flame of inspiration, motivating them to continue pursuing their passion for the beautiful game.



2. Thank You Note for Adult Recreation Center Staff

From: Sari Sherwood

Sent: Monday, April 22, 2024 12:40 PM

To: Isayan, Aylin < Aylsayan@Glendaleca.gov >; Garabetian, Sevag < SGarabetian@Glendaleca.gov >

Subject: Thank You!!

Hi Sevag,

I could not sing the praises of the staff at the Adult Recreation Center more -- they were simply fantastic. The space was ready and perfect -- they were kind, helpful, responsible and 1000% completely on top of EVERYTHING.

Aylin [Isayan] is amazing -- she is golden. She knew exactly how to help us put this together. She was wonderful with our planner and the day was just beautiful. She handled security and all was smooth.

I had a brief time to meet and interact with Akop [Sayadyan]. He is WONDERFUL!! Everything was ready to go when we arrived and the space looked perfect. He was easy to communicate with and just a lovely man all around.

And last but not least was Lernik [Manoukian] who was there for the whole event and closed us down. I mean really, you could not have a better staff there -- she is so sweet and so easy to work with. She also allowed for some of the leftover bread for the homeless to come around -- such a kind hearted soul..

Our son had a beautiful bar mitzvah and the whole thing was perfect. THANK YOU!!!

Please feel free to forward this email to the right channels accordingly so that their appreciation is well known.

Thank you all so much!!

3. The Campbell Center's Alma House Renovated

The Campbell Center just completed much needed renovations to its Alma House Project with funding from the City of Glendale's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program in the amount of \$497,858.

Alma House provides supportive housing for six individuals with intellectual disabilities and now boasts a newly renovated kitchen, two remodeled bathrooms, a spacious laundry room and new roof. Additional work included essential earthquake retrofitting and driveway gate.



4. Future City Council and Housing Authority Agendas (subject to change)

April 30:

- Use of City Days at Alex Theater for Armenian Fairytale's 30th Anniversary Show (afternoon)
- Budget Study Session #1: FY 23-24 General Fund Projection, Proposed FY24-25 General Fund, Five-year General Fund Forecast, Budget Balancing Strategies: Revenues (afternoon)
- Ordinance Amendments for Design Review, Entitlement Processes, Parking Requirements for Certain Uses, and Miscellaneous Zoning Code Cleanups
- Hearing for Unpermitted Demolition of Historic Resource at 1239 N. Everett Street
- Contract Extension for Operation of the Recycling Center
- Deceleration of Surplus Land Exemption for City-owned property at 1015 N. Central Ave
- Award of Contract for Parking Management Services
- Selection of Charter Review Committee Members
- Armenian Genocide and Artsakh Resolution
- Hearing on the Annual Weed Abatement Program

May 7:

- Selection of Housing Authority Chair and Vice Chair (afternoon)
- Budget Study Session #2: Citywide Fee Study, Pension Refinancing & Infrastructure Bonds
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with GCEA
- Proposed Bikelane Networks, Implementation Phasing and Cost Estimate
- Update on the Approved Open Streets Event
- Update on the Proposed Districting Community Outreach, Maps and Ballot Measure
- Charter Review Items for Consideration

May 14:

- Budget Study Session #3: proposed FY 2024-25 Citywide Departmental Budgets (afternoon)
- Adoption of Amended 2023 Building & Safety Code
- Modifications to Nomination Process for Boards & Commissions
- Award of Contract for Montrose Parking Analysis

May 21:

- Budget Study Session #4: Council Follow Up Items and Wrap-up (afternoon)
- Ordinance Authorizing Issuance of the 2nd Tranche of Electric Revenue Bonds Introduction
- Award of Contract for Construction of La Crescenta Avenue Rehabilitation Project

May 28:

No meetings.

June 4:

- FY 2024-25 Budget Hearing & Adoption
- Ordinance Authorizing Issuance of the 2nd Tranche of Electric Revenue Bonds Adoption
- Adoption & Implementation of Urban Wildlife Management Plan
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with GMA for Sworn Police Managers
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