

## CITY MANAGER'S WEEKLY UPDATE

October 26, 2012

### **SACRAMENTO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN ASSISTANCE RIBBON CUTTING**

The grand opening and ribbon cutting was held this week for their new offices located across the street from Galt High School at 210 North Lincoln Way. The new facility is a significant improvement for both County staff and the public receiving services.

### **CENTRAL GALT INTERCHANGE**

Signs are being installed, wire for the street lights and traffic signals are being pulled, and the gore area which functions to separate the entrance ramp from the lanes of the highway will be stamped and colored along with other various work and clean up on and around the job site. The installation of the traffic signal controllers are being coordinated with Caltrans. The full opening of the interchange is expected shortly, weather permitting.

### **HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY UPDATE**

Planning staff commissioned a historian to evaluate several commercial buildings on Fourth Street in terms of their historical and architectural significance. Based on the results of that analysis, staff is proceeding with a recommended General Plan Amendment to remove those structures, as well as several other sites where the buildings no longer exist, from the General Plan Historical Resources Inventory. This item will be considered by the Historic Preservation Advisory Committee on November 1, the Planning Commission on November 8, and the City Council on December 4.

### **RECREATION UPDATE**

Youth basketball registrations are nearly complete with nearly 400 youth signed up to date. Late registrations will conclude on November 1.

### **RIMS**

The RIMS system (*computer aided dispatch/records management*) has been in operation for a little over a month and other than a few connectivity issues, the system is operating as expected. From random checks of officers and dispatchers using the system, it is very user-friendly and users are able to obtain more information than from the previous system.

### **MEASURE R OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

The Measure R oversight committee met on Wednesday, October 24 at 6:00 p.m., and all members were present. There was no old business to discuss and under new business, police staff presented the 2011/2012 budget review and the quarterly report for July, September and October 2012. There was one question from the audience, which was regarding the Police Department reaching the hiring thresholds outlined in measure R and who determines where additional monies will be spent. Chief Bowen explained that any expenditures are approved by Council through the budget process.