



THE CITY OF POMONA

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS
FROM: JAMES W. MAKSHANOFF, CITY MANAGER *jm*
SUBJECT: WEEKLY REPORT – Thursday, March 18, 2020

ADMINISTRATION

CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS

✚ **City Council Teleconference Special Budget Study Session:**
Monday 3/22/2021

Meeting: 7:00 pm

✚ **City Council Teleconference Special Goal Setting Meeting:**
Monday 3/29/2021

Meeting: 5:00 pm

✚ **City Council Teleconference Special Study Session Community Meeting (Pomona Choice Energy):**
Wednesday 3/31/2021

Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

✚ **City Council Teleconference Special Budget Study Session:**
Thursday 4/1/2021

Meeting: 2:30 pm

All public meetings are currently taking place via Zoom Webinar and agendas are posted on our [website](#).

COVID-19 & VACCINATION UPDATES

For updates regarding vaccination and resident and business resources, please see our COVID-19 section at the end of this report.

CITY CLERK

CITY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS- UPCOMING MEETINGS

All meetings are via ZOOM Webinar:

- March 22, 2021 Cultural Arts Commission Citizens Advisory Committee
- March 22 2021 Cultural Arts Commission
- March 23, 2021 Vehicle Parking District Ad-Hoc Committee CANCELLED
- March 23, 2021 Community Life Commission
- March 24, 2021 Planning Commission
- March 25, 2021 Charter Review Commission

LIBRARY

LOBBY REMODEL & PPL TO-GO RELOCATION – BEGINNING 3/24

The Library's remodel construction will begin on Wednesday 3/24, with completion tentatively scheduled by the first week of May. During construction, PPL To-Go services will be available at the doors adjacent to the parking lot, south of the Library. Hours of operation will be increasing to Monday through Thursday from 12pm – 5pm, no appointment necessary. Contact us by phone or email with any questions: 909-620-2043, library@ci.pomona.ca.us. We look forward to welcoming our patrons back to the newly improved Library upon completion of construction and when allowed under County Health Order provisions.

The image shows two side-by-side posters for library services. The left poster is titled 'PPL TO-GO' and lists services such as applying for library cards, reserving materials, and using Chromebooks. The right poster is titled 'PPL Para-Llevar' and lists services such as applying for library cards, reserving materials, and using Chromebooks. Both posters include contact information for the library.

PPL TO-GO
Visit us
MONDAY - THURSDAY
12p.m. - 5 p.m.
Apply, Replace, or Renew Library Card
• Bring your ID & proof of address
• Digital library cards now available!
Reserve Library Materials
• Books, magazines, audiobooks, DVDs
Chromebooks
• Charger & Power Cord included, WiFi source not included
Printing
• Email documents, 10 pages free, Black & White only
Online Resources
• JobNow, VetNow, CA K-12, NY Times
cloudLibrary
• Ebooks & E-audiobooks
Please contact us with any questions!
909-620-2043
library@ci.pomona.ca.us

PPL Para-Llevar
Visitenos
LUNES - JUEVES
12 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Aplicar, Reemplazar, o Renovar la Tarjeta de la Biblioteca
• Traiga su identificación y comprobante de domicilio
• Tarjetas de biblioteca digitales ya disponible!
Reserve Materiales de la Biblioteca
• Libros, revistas, libros de audio, DVDs
Chromebooks
• Cargador/cable de electricidad incluidos, fuente de WiFi no incluida
Imprimir
• Mandenos sus documentos por correo electrónico, 10 páginas gratis, solo en blanco y negro
Recursos En Línea
• JobNow, VetNow, CA K-12, NY Times
cloudLibrary
• Libros electrónicos y libros de audio electrónicos
Por favor contáctenos con sus preguntas:
909-620-2043
library@ci.pomona.ca.us

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES

CA RENT RELIEF PROGRAM IS NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Pomona residents who have experienced a financial hardship because of the pandemic and who are most at-risk of eviction can now apply for the CA COVID-19 Rent Relief program to help pay past due rent through the State of California.

Beginning March 15, 2021, both renters and landlords can check for eligibility and apply for CA COVID-19 Rent Relief. Pomona renters making 80% or less of the Area Median Income (AMI) are eligible. For example, a family of four in Pomona is eligible for rental assistance if their household income is \$77,300 or less. Renters' income eligibility will automatically be calculated during the application process.

If landlords choose to participate, they will receive 80% of an eligible tenant's unpaid rent for the period of April 1, 2020 and March 31, 2021 if they agree to waive the remaining 20 percent of unpaid rent. Eligible renters with landlords who choose not to participate in the program can apply on their own. Those renters will be eligible to receive payments of 25% of unpaid rent accrued from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021, which can help protect them from eviction under SB 91.

For more information on program eligibility, required application information, and to start the application process, visit [HousingisKey.com](https://www.housingiskey.com) or call 833-430-2122 toll-free, seven days a week.

PUBLIC WORKS

STREET PRESERVATION - LOCAL CITYWIDE FY 20-21

On March 15, 2021, City Council awarded a construction contract in the amount of \$1,644,001.44 for “Street Preservation-Local Citywide (FY 20-21), Project No. 428-2590-xxxxx-68562”. The contract for this project was awarded to Gentry Brothers, Inc. (Contractor). This project will consist of rehabilitating existing streets per the City’s Pavement Management Program, with treatments ranging from slurry seal to thick grind and overlay. **The Street List and Location Maps are attached below.** Some curb and gutter, sidewalk, and curb ramp upgrade work are also included. Streets awarded as additive alternates will be completed, as funds allow.

Construction is scheduled to start spring 2021 and be completed by fall 2022. If weather permits, and Pomona Unified School District schedule, and other factors allow, the project will meet its proposed schedule. The Contractor will send notices to neighboring residents, businesses, and schools prior to starting work notifying them of the construction. The work hours will be 7 A.M. to 4 P.M. The adjacent neighborhoods can expect to see temporarily modified traffic flow during the project. This project supports the City Council priorities and goal of improving street and associated sidewalk conditions.

DISTRICT 2 and 3 COMMUNITY CLEANUP EVENT – SATURDAY, March 13

The Community Cleanup for Districts 2 and 3 was held on Saturday, March 13, 2021, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Pomona Valley Transfer Station. Public Works Staff, along with Councilmember Preciado and Councilmember Garcia, attended the event. The event was a success!

Residents drove in and dropped off large volumes of materials, including electronic waste (such as TV’s, computers, and other electronic devices), and used oil and oil filters.



Pomona Valley Transfer Station reported 276 vehicles participated and dropped off 37.90 tons of refuse, 5.10 tons of metal goods, 80 mattresses, and 22 box springs, all of which will be recycled. Participating in the event were CalMicro, to collect and recycle electronic waste, and Waste Management Curbside, to collect and recycle used oil and filters.



COVID-19 RESOURCES

General (Updates are highlighted)

VACCINES

The following websites provide up to date information on vaccines:

- LA County: [VaccinateLACounty.com](https://www.vaccinatelacounty.com) & [LA Co. Vaccination Appointments Site](https://www.lacounty.gov/health-services/vaccines)
- California: [California COVID-19 Vaccine Plan](https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/Vaccine-Plan)

NOTE: The COVID-19 Vaccine is free to all eligible persons. Immigration status and insurance are not required. Medical information is protected by law.

Vaccine Eligibility for Los Angeles County

- Healthcare workers
- Staff & Residents at Skilled Nursing Facilities
- Staff & Residents at Long-Term Care Facilities
- LA County Residents 65 and Older ([pdf](#))
- Education and Childcare ([website/pdf](#))
- Emergency Services ([website/pdf](#))
- Food and Agriculture ([website/pdf](#))
- People with Serious Health Conditions/Disabilities ([website](#)) (Including pregnancy & Type 2 Diabetes, & heart conditions)
- People who Live or Work in Congregate Living Spaces ([website](#))
- Janitorial, Custodial, and Maintenance Services ([website/pdf](#))
- Transportation and Logistics ([website](#))

Vaccine Appointments in LA County

- **My Turn** (myturn.ca.gov) & CA COVID-19 Hotline 1-833-422-4255.
- **LA Co. Phone Appointments:** 833-540-0473, 7 days/week, 8 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

Local Vaccination Sites

(This is *not* an exhaustive list. Full list of LA County vaccine providers is [here](#).)

- **Cal Poly Pomona (Pfizer) - Appointments - [MyTurn.ca.gov](https://myturn.ca.gov).**
674 Kellogg Drive, Pomona | Drive & Park | Walk-up | [Foothill Transit](#) & [PVTA](#) by calling 909-596-7664, press “0” | [FAQ](#)
- **Pomona Fairplex (Pfizer) – Appointments - [MyTurn.ca.gov](https://myturn.ca.gov).**
2370 E. Arrow Hwy (Gate 15), La Verne | Drive-Thru | [Map of Site](#)
- **East Valley Community Health Center (Moderna) - [Appointments](#) - PrepMod**
1555 S. Garey Ave., Pomona | Drive & Park | Walk-up
- **Western University of Health Sciences (Pfizer) – Appointment via unique link is listed [here](#) when available. See section 3 under Clinics and Hospitals Serving Community Members.**
521 E. 2nd Street, Pomona (at Health Professions Center, follow signs) | Walk-Up

Pharmacy Vaccination Sites

| Provider | Registration Details |
|--------------|--|
| CVS Pharmacy | cvs.com or call (800) 746-7287 Pomona Location: 150 W. Willow Street |

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| Rite Aid | riteaid.com/covid/california or call (800) 748-3243 Pomona Location: 2059 S. Garey Avenue |
| Walgreens | walgreens.com or call (909) 469-9534 (press “1”) Must be a Walgreens Account Holder (can be created online) |
| Albertsons, Vons, Pavilions Pharmacies | Vons: www.vons.com/pharmacy/covid-19.html Albertsons: www.albertsons.com/pharmacy/covid-19.html |
| Ralphs Pharmacy (Kroger) | www.kroger.com/rx/guest/get-vaccinated |
| | Details from LA Times on 2/20/21 . |

UPDATE - CURRENT HEALTH ORDER/GUIDANCE SUMMARY
(publichealth.lacounty.gov)

3/12/21 – **Reopening Safer at Work and in the Community**






- LA Co. entered the “Red Tier”. See updates on Youth/Adult Recreational Sports (Appendix S), Limited Services (Appendix W), and Movie Theaters (Appendix X).
- **Update on Guidance for fully vaccinated people** – Updates start on p. 3.
- **Update on School Re-Opening Guidelines for TK-6th Grades** – Grades 7-12 may NOT reopen for in-person instruction while the County in Tier 1 (Purple Widespread). Please see [Pomona Unified School District’s Reopening Announcement](#).

2/2/21 – [Restaurants and Breweries/Wineries Reopen for Outdoor Dining](#)

11/20/20 – [Statewide Mask Requirement](#)

CITY OF POMONA – IN PERSON SERVICES BY APPOINTMENT

You may contact your desired Department to make an appointment Mon-Thu, 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Our contact information is [here](#).

| City of Pomona  | County  | County Public Health  | Federal  |
|--|--|---|---|
| COVID-19 FAQ for City Services | Health Officer Orders | Vaccine Info | Centers for Disease Control and Prevention |
| Emergency Rental Assistance Program (until funds exhausted) | County Programs | Vaccine Appointments | Travel Guidance |
| Business Assistance Program (until funds exhausted) | LA County Disaster Help Center (Tenant Landlord Business Non-Profit) | Citas para Vacunas (en Español) | IRS Relief Payments |
| Department | Eviction Moratorium (Thru Feb. 28, 2021) | Testing & At-Home Test Kits | Vaccines |
| | | | State  |

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| Directory (Make an appointment) | | | covid19.ca.gov Unemployment MyTurn.ca.gov |
| COVID-19 Info Hotline (909) 620-2311 Press "0" M-Th 7:30a-6p | Call 2-1-1 & COVID-19 Case Info Line 1-833-540-0473 | Vaccine Appointments 1-833-540-0473 8:00 am – 8:30 pm 7 days a week | State of CA COVID-19 Hotline 1-833-422-4255 M-F 8 am – 8 pm Sa-Su 8 am – 5 pm |

Business Information

APPLY NOW

POMONA BUSINESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - \$5,000 Grants!

Read more and apply online to this second round of [grants for Pomona businesses here](#).

Need help with your application? (909) 620-2368, M-Th, 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

APPLY BY MARCH 21st - FOUND/LA Small Business Recovery Fund

The application window for Round 4 of the FOUND/LA Small Business Recovery Fund opened Monday, March 15th at 9:00am. Grants range between \$5,000 and \$25,000 depending on the size of the business - money you won't ever have to pay back. Eligible business owners can apply with ONE of our partners. Applicants who apply with both organizations will not be eligible for grant funding. Businesses with 1 – 5 employees should apply with [TMC Community Capital](#). Businesses with 6 – 20 employees should apply with [Pacific Community Ventures](#). Read more on their [website](#).

RESOURCE PAGES

- **LA County Business Info** (Layoff Aversion, etc.) – Click [here](#).
- **FREE 30-Day PPE Supply for Small Business** – Visit ppeunite.org & follow @PPEUnite
- **Disaster Help Center** – (833) 238-4450 or disasterhelpcenter@lacounty.gov & follow @LAHELPCENTER
- **LA County Consumer & Business Affairs (DCBA)** – (800) 593-8222 & follow @LACOUNTYDCBA
- **WDACS/LACBIZDEV** – Follow @LACBIZDEV
- **COVID-19 Safety Compliance Certificate**
- **LeaseUp Initiative** (Rent to tenants w/ subsidies) – (323) 428-4742 & leaseupla@epath.org. See [Landlord FAQ](#).

FREE BUSINESS PERMITS – ACTIVATE POMONA

FREE Activate Pomona permits are designed to aid business economic recovery. All interested entities may inquire and apply at bit.ly/activatepomona and (909) 620-2191.



Community Information

APPLY NOW – CA RENT RELIEF PROGRAM NOW OPEN!

As of March 15, 2021, both renters and landlords can check for eligibility and apply for CA COVID-19 Rent Relief. For more information on program eligibility, required application information, and to start the application process, visit HousingisKey.com or call 833-430-2122 toll-free, seven days a week. Protections are now extended through June 2021. This Information App for Tenants & Landlords helps with learning protections under the [COVID-19 Tenant Relief Act](#).

STATE EVICTION MORATORIUM & ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

On Friday, January 29th, new State legislation extending an eviction moratorium through June 30, 2021 was signed! Read more on the [Governor's website](#) and at the [Housing is Key](#).

This new Program will allocate the \$2.6 billion in federal rental funds for California and aid income-qualified tenants most at-risk with unpaid back rent. Assistance will also be extended to property owners who agree to waive 20 percent of unpaid rent. By agreeing to this waiver, property owners will become eligible for 80 percent in rent reimbursements for amounts owed between April 1, 2020 and March 31, 2021.

WATCH & SHARE! – VACCINATE WITH CONFIDENCE – Q&A w/ DR. M. HELLEN RODRIGUEZ

The Pomona COVID-19 Action Committee invites the public to watch an informative recorded session, answering many questions regarding myths and doubts that the public may have about the COVID-19 vaccine. Dr. Rodriguez from the Pomona Valley Hospital and Medical Center share fact-based information to help everyone make an informed and confident decision regarding the COVID-19 vaccine. Watch on YouTube in [English](#) and [Spanish](#) and share with your community!

EMERGENCY BROADBAND BENEFIT PROGRAM

The [FCC's Emergency Broadband Benefit](#) will provide a discount of up to \$50 per month towards broadband service for eligible households and up to \$75 per month for households on Tribal lands. Eligible households can also receive a one-time discount of up to \$100 to purchase a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet from participating providers if they contribute \$10 to \$50 toward the purchase price.

The Emergency Broadband Benefit is limited to one monthly service discount and one device discount per household.

A household is eligible if one member of the household:

- Qualifies for the Lifeline program.
- Receives benefits under the free and reduced-price school lunch program or the school breakfast program, or did so in the 2019-2020 school year.
- Received a Federal Pell Grant during the current award year.
- Experienced a substantial loss of income since February 29, 2020, and the household had a total income in 2020 below \$99,000 for single filers and \$198,000 for joint filers.
- Meets the eligibility criteria for a participating providers' existing low-income or COVID-19 program.

VOLUNTEER FOR THE VACCINATION EFFORT

The State is calling on Californians to volunteer their time to help its vaccination efforts. Both medical and general support teams are needed. Find out how to help at <https://MyTurnVolunteer.ca.gov>.

STAY TUNED – FEDERAL COVID-19 FUNERAL REIMBURSEMENTS

December 2020's Federal COVID-19 relief bill included a provision for reimbursing low-income families for coronavirus-related funeral and burial costs. That funding has now been approved and FEMA is setting up a program to reimburse costs up to \$7,000. As soon as program details are announced, we will update you here. The Congressional Research Service has prepared a [summary](#).

AT-HOME & FOOD RESOURCES SUMMARY

-*FREE At-Home Activities* (DIY & Foodie Friday Recipes) - bit.ly/cityofpomonayoutube
-*FREE Virtual Community Center Classes* – bit.ly/virtualcommunitycenterclasses
-*FREE Food Resources* - [Pomona Resources](#) | [County Resources](#) (including CalFresh) and by calling 2-1-1.
-*FREE Wi-Fi Locator* - Dial 2-1-1- or visit findwifi.lacounty.gov!

VOLUNTEER & DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

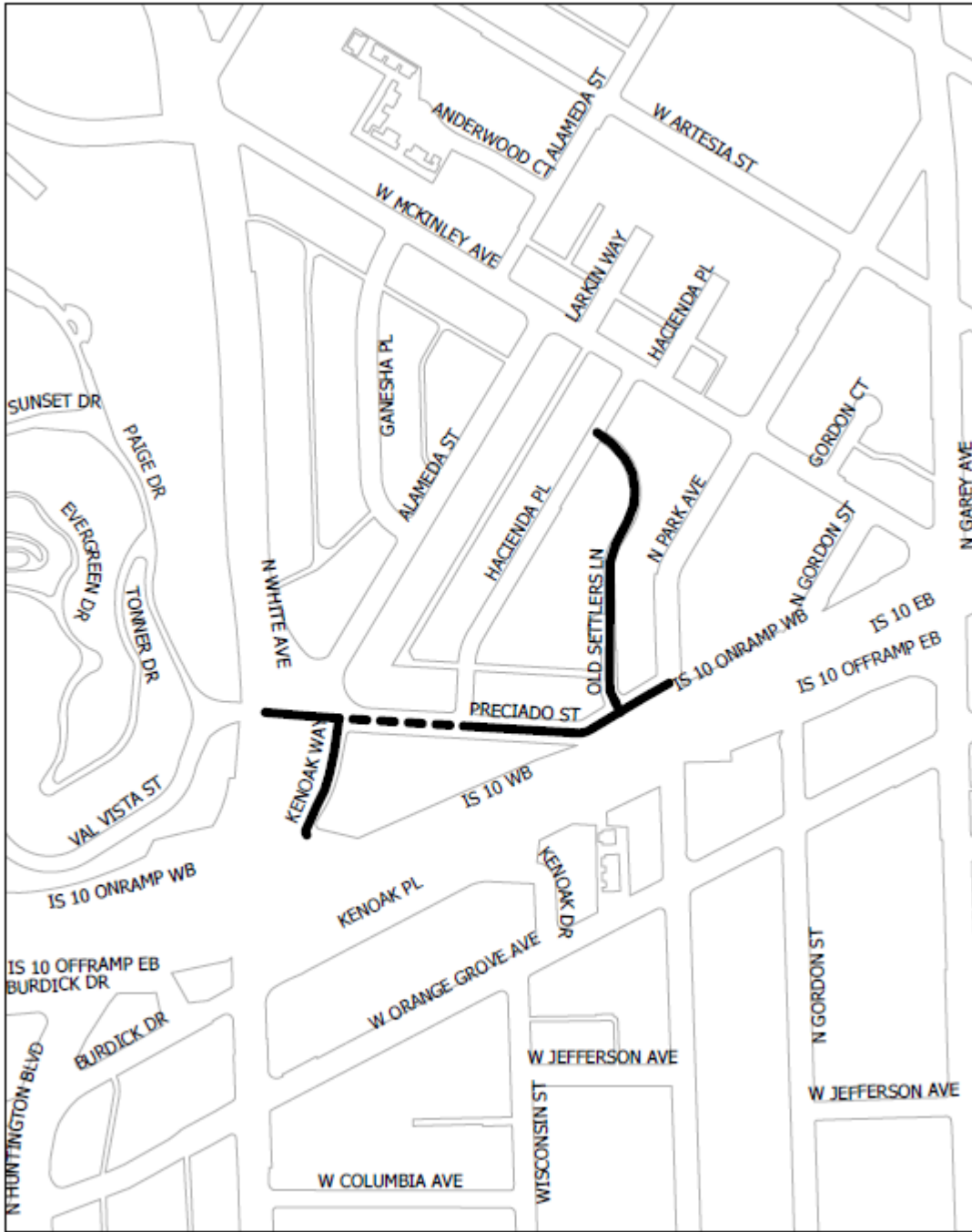
If you or a group are interested in donating your time or making donations (food/cleaning supplies/PPE) to help our Pomona community members in need, please contact our COVID-19 Information Hotline at (909) 620-2311, press “0” to learn more. You may also email the City Council Assistant at Jocelyn_rios-ewing@ci.pomona.ca.us.

ATTACHMENTS



1. [Upcoming Pomona Events](#)
2. Street Names
3. Location Map

STREET PRESERVATION-LOCAL (FY 2020-21)
PROJECT NO 428-68562
STREET LIST

| Name | From | To |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| BASE BID A | | |
| AUTHUR AVE | GILBERT ST | SAED ST |
| GILBERT ST | AUTHUR ST | ORANGE GROVE AVE |
| SAED ST | ARROYO AVE | AUTHUR AVE |
| DENSMORE ST | EDGEHILL DR | BAYWOOD AVE |
| BAYWOOD AVE | DENSMORE ST | CANTARA ST |
| CANTARA ST | EDGEHILL DR | BAYWOOD ST |
| CHELSEA DR | CANTARA ST | SAN BERNARDINO AVE |
| BALDWIN AVE | ROSS ST | SHERIDAN AVE |
| BELFORT AVE | ROSS ST | DELANY ST |
| ROSS ST | LINCOLN AVE | BELFORT AVE |
| DELANY ST | BALDWIN AVE | BELFORT ST |
| DAWN VIEW AVE | BROOKSIDE LN | GROVE ST |
| BROOKSIDE LN | DAWN VIEW AVE | FULTON RD |
| KENOAK WY | PRECIADO ST | END |
| BASE BID B | | |
| LAUREL ST | ERIE ST | CURRIER ST |
| BASE BID C | | |
| OLD SETTLERS LN | PRECIADO ST | HACIENDA PL |
| PRECIADO ST | WHITE AVE | ALAMEDA ST |
| PRECIADO ST | HACIENDA PL | PARK AVE |
| PRECIADO ST | ALAMEDA ST | HACIENDA PL |
| ADDITIVE ALTERNATE 1 | | |
| CREST WY | VAL VISTA | END |
| VIOLA PL | VAL VISTA | END |
| VALENCIA PL | VAL VISTA | END |
| MCLEOD PL | VAL VISTA | END |



**STREET PRESERVATION (FY20-21)
BASE BID**

-  OVERLAY
-  SLURRY

