

<u>Grants</u>

Our Business Assistance Job Program may fund a local business up to \$25,000 in forgivable loans to hire an income eligible employee. Email <u>BCapital-</u> <u>Assistance@covinaca.gov</u> for more information.

Did you Know?

The General Election will occur on November 5, 2024. Mail in ballots can be submitted to any Post office or Official Ballot Drop Box. There is a drop box located on College street in front of City Hall.

On Election Day, you will still be allowed to register to vote at any Vote Center and the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. For more information on the General Election visit Lavote.gov or contact your local City Clerk's Department.

Downtown Walls Wanted!

Attention downtown building owners! If you have exterior walls and are interested in being considered for a future free mural installation, we want to hear from you! Email AMantilla@covinaca.gov to join our list and help bring vibrant art to our community. Your building could be the canvas for creativity!

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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEWSLETTER

A local Covina deli added a college scholarship to their menu. Capri Deli has been a Covina Community staple for over 70 years at 713 East San Bernardino Road. Their most popular menu items are the "Cold Cut Combo" and their signature Lasagna. Capri Deli recently began a partnership with the local Rotary Club offering a college scholarship award to local high school students in the Covina area. The scholarship opportunity is in its third year and scholarship applications are anticipated to reopen in January 2025. If you know a Covina area high school student who can benefit, you can contact Capri Deli at (626) 332-0940 for more details. Just a few minutes south, in the heart of Downtown Covina, Claro's Italian Market offers another local, family-owned Italian deli and lunch experience. In business for 76 years (and serving Covina for 17), the deli is famously known for its Great Grandpa Joe sandwich. Yet another local hot spot is the Old World Delicatessen deli and restaurant, nestled in the Shopper's Lane shopping center off South Citrus Avenue. This local restaurant boasts a 4.7 review star rating on Yelp and is known for its "delicious golden brown" Broasted Chicken. It's a great time of the year to enjoy a picnic at one of Covina's many parks, and with construction underway at Covina Recreation Village, another great picnic spot will be ready for use at the end of next year.

Where is your favorite spot to picnic in Covina? Responses are posted in the Covina downtown kiosks located on Citrus Avenue.





Groundbreaking Ceremony at Covina Recreation Village



Future Dog Park at Covina Recreation Village

Community Development Department City of Covina 125 E College Street Covina, CA 91723

Covina Recreation Village is Under Construction! The groundbreaking ceremony for this "once-in-a-lifetime project" was held in September. The project has three construction phases, with the first phase estimated to be completed in late 2025. Covina Recreation Village will create new amenities for the community such as Covina's first-ever indoor gymnasium building which will feature a rockclimbing wall, basketball, and volleyball courts. The park will also have a dog park, a children's play area, a new library, retail kiosks, shade trees, and paths with drought-tolerant plantings. The park will be located immediately east of the Covina Metrolink Station, at 640-680 N Citrus Avenue, and will provide additional recreational space and amenities for Covina residents and visitors. It will surely be a great place to enjoy a local deli sandwich!

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