



City News

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April 2020



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Taste of Hughson Postponed until September 12th, 2020

Please keep the tickets that have already been purchased. For more information, please call Paul Gose at (209) 380-5546 or visit Tasteofhughson.org

Love Hughson

Due to COVID-19, it has been decided that for the safety of the community, Love Hughson will be cancelled this year. It will be rescheduled for 2021. Applications for curb side painting and yard clean-up can still be dropped off for next year's Love Hughson. Please contact City Hall at (209) 883 - 4054 for more information.



By order of the Public Health Officer of Stanislaus County taking effect on April 2, 2020 at 5:00 a.m.:

Use of park amenities/equipment (play structures, basketball courts, restrooms) is prohibited. You may visit the park but please continue to engage in other outdoor activities that comply with social distancing requirements as defined in the County Health Directive dated March 31, 2020.

Ross Middle School Basketball Open Gym



Open Gym will be closed until further Notice.

City Wide Yard Sale & City Wide Clean-Up Postponed

Due to COVID-19, it has been decided that the City Wide Yard Sale and the City Wide Clean-Up day will be postponed until further notice for the health and safety of residents. For more information, please call (209) 883-4054



City Council meetings will be postponed Until further notice.



The City of Hughson invites you to apply for The position of

City Manager
Deadline for filing:
April 10, 2020

To apply, please visit our website www.hughson.org

CALENDAR FOR

April 2020

- 10th - City Hall Closed
- 13th - City Council Meeting Cancelled
- 14th - Parks, Rec. & Entertainment Meeting Cancelled
- 20th - Past Utility Bills Due
- 21st - Planning Commission Meeting Cancelled
- 27th - City Council Meeting Cancelled
- 30th - Utility Bills Due

May 2020

- 11th - City Council Meeting Cancelled
- 12th - Parks, Rec. & Entertainment Meeting Cancelled
- 18th - Past Utility Bills Due
- 19th - Planning Commission Meeting Cancelled
- 25th - City Hall Closed (Memorial Day)
- 26th - City Council Meeting Cancelled
- 29th - City Hall Closed Early
- 29th - Utility Bills Due

For more reliable COVID-19 information:

Instagram: #stanemergency
Facebook: Stanemergency
www.stanemergency.com
covid19.ca.gov
loveourneighbors.org



2020 Hughson Fruit & Nut Festival

Due to COVID-19, the 2020 Fruit & Nut Festival has been cancelled. It will resume in 2021. Please contact City Hall or Chamber of Commerce at (209) 883 - 0811 for more information.



Proclamation of Local Emergency and Response to the Coronavirus Pandemic

Hughson City Manager, Raul L. Mendez, under his authority as the Director of Emergency Services, issued a proclamation of a local emergency in the City of Hughson, effective March 17, 2020 in accordance with the California Emergency Services Act and the Hughson Municipal Code in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The proclamation was ratified by the Hughson City Council on March 23, 2020.

As an additional safety measure, Hughson City Hall and several City facilities are closed to public access until further notice. During this closure, City employees will continue to work and carry out their essential functions such as public safety, water and sewer, customer service and more.

The closure applies to the following City Facilities:

- Hughson City Hall - 7018 Pine Street
 - Hughson Community Senior Center - 2307 4th Street
 - United Samaritan Foundation Center - 2413 3rd Street
 - Hughson Corporation Yard - 2301 1st Street
 - Hughson Wastewater Treatment Facility - 6700 Leedom Road
- For more information, please contact City Hall

City of Hughson Utility Bill Information



Residents can register online to view their utility bill every month. Please go to hughson.org and click on the "Our Government" tab. On the right, please click on "Utilities" towards the bottom. From here, click on the "Access Your Account" link and register.

Payment Options:

- Payment online through bill pay from resident's bank (Please allow 7 - 10 business days for the post office to deliver the check)
- Payment by card on hughson.org and clicking on the green payment laptop (With approximate 4% service charge that varies based upon amount of bill; Service charge paid to third-party)
- Dropping payment off in green dropbox in front of City Hall
- Paying in person at City Hall
- Mailing a payment to P.O. Box 9 in Hughson (Please allow 7 - 10 business days for the post office to deliver the mail)



Bills can now be paid online at hughson.org



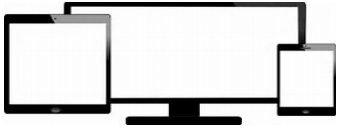
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City Council meeting videos are available online now. Check out the website at hughson.org or <https://vimeo.com/cityofhughson>

Mobile District Office POSTPONED

Due to recommendations and guidance from the Office of the Governor, the Mobile District Offices will be postponed in the month of April!



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Don't forget to pay your Utility Bill by the last business day of the month to avoid a 10% penalty.
Visit www.hughson.org & Click on the "Pay Your Bills" icon.

Service fees do apply

Stanislaus Animal Services AGENCY
April Activities POSTPONED
April activities including the SNIP Bus will be postponed until further notice.
3647 Cornucopia Way, Modesto
www.stanislausanimalservices.com
(209) 558-7387 for more information


Animal Services Partnership with DocuPet
Pet licenses are really important. When lost pets end up in our shelter, those with license tags are much more likely to be returned home. Licensing fees also help support pet safety, vaccination clinics, our spay and neuter program, and many other initiatives that protect animals in our community.
Animal Services has partnered with DocuPet so that residents from the unincorporated area of Stanislaus County, and the cities of Ceres, Modesto, Patterson, Waterford, and Hughson can take advantage of their free 24/7 Lost Pet Service and designer tag upgrades.

Gilton Solid Waste Management Services Inc.
One Pass Truck, Two 96-Gallon Cart System (\$22.59/month)
Includes Curbside Oil, Bulky Item, Electronic Waste Collection by Appointment
Please properly place containers on the inside of the curb away from the bike path.
Landscaping Waste
All landscape waste including mowed grass, shrubs, trees and tree limbs can go in the green garbage container. There can be no palm waste in green waste container. *The City of Hughson does not pick up roadside yard waste.*
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Overfilled Containers
Overfilled containers will not be emptied in order to keep our streets free of refuse and to ensure the safety of Gilton drivers.
If you have any questions, please contact Gilton at (209) 527-3781 Monday - Friday from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.
<http://hughson.org/our-government/city-departments/administrative-services/utilities/>
No Service Dates
Garbage is collected on all days except the following.
• New Year's Day
• 4th of July
• Thanksgiving
• Christmas

If the No Service Date falls on a regular scheduled collection date, it will be collected the following day—with the exception of Sunday

Stanislaus County 2-1-1
Connecting you to the help you need for free!
United Way
Basic needs: food, shelter, clothing
Help with utility bills & rent
Unemployment Assistance, Tutoring, child care & more
Dial 2-1-1 for free & confidential help 24/7 every day of the year
For information and referrals please call 2-1-1 or 1-877-211-7826
www.stan211.org

Hughson Senior Meals POSTPONED
Due to COVID-19, the program will have a few changes for the health and safety of the public.
Seniors can pick up lunches each week at a designated time & date. Please call to make a reservation for a meal pick-up to take home and enjoy during this time until the program resumed.
Reservations are required:
(209) 480-4508
Hughson Community Senior Center
2307 4th Street, Hughson


West Nile Hotline
558-8425
Report Dead Birds
877-968-2473 or www.westnile.ca.gov
To report large populations of mosquitoes
209-634-1234
Answers can be obtained to the questions you have through www.turlockmosquito.org or the following sites or call 209-643-1234
www.cdc.gov
www.schsa.org
Turlock Mosquito Abatement District-facebook
tweet@Turlock_MAD

Code Enforcement Monthly Tip
As a friendly reminder, it is required for pets to get licensed. Hughson Municipal Code 6.20.3010 License states that any person owning or having custody of any dog four months or older shall pay an annual license fee. The license fee for dogs shall be established by the board of supervisors and set forth in Chapter 6.50 HMC. The increased fees collected by the SASA for unaltered dogs, less administrative costs, shall be used to pay for vouchers to support spay/neuter programs.
If you have any questions or comments, please contact City Hall at (209) 883-4054.

Healthy Aging Association "Young At Heart" POSTPONED until further notice
Due to COVID-19, this program has been postponed until further notice for the health and safety of the public.
For more info. call 209.525.4670

FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS
* CITY HALL 209-883-4054
* EMERGENCY CELL 209-882-6200
* POLICE DEPT. NON-EMERGENCY DAYTIME 883-4052
* NON-EMERGENCY AFTER HOURS 552-2468
PRESS 0 FOR DISPATCH OPERATOR

Animal Services	209-558-7387	Cable TV (Charter)	866-731-5420	Poison Control	800-876-4766
Better Business Bureau	800-948-4880	DMV	800-777-0133	Post Office	209-883-2716
Community/Senior Center	209-883-4054	Fire Department	209-883-2863	TID	209-883-8444
Family Resource Center	209-883-2027	Library (Hughson)	209-883-2293	USF (3rd Street)	209-883-9212
Hughson Chronicle	209-883-9215	PG&E	800-743-5000	Samaritan Village	209-883-3000
Schools:		Burn Day	1- 800-SMOG-INFO	START (bus service)	800-262-1516
Hughson School District	883-4428	Ross Jr. High School	883-4425	Meals on Wheels	209-522-3209
Hughson Elementary	883-4412	Hughson High School	883-0469	Senior Meal Program	209-303-0491
Fox Road Middle School	883-2256	Hughson Christian School	883-2874	Transport for Seniors	209-529-3784
				Wildlife Refuge	209-883-9414

TABLE TENNIS
TOURNAMENTS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
For more information Contact: 209-533-0474