

City of Fremont **Redistricting Process**

Revised Council Districts Implemented for November 2022 Flection

On April 5, 2022, the Fremont City Council approved a resolution to adopt new Council District boundaries and completed the City's Redistricting Process. The new Council District boundaries are effective for the next 10 years and will be utilized for the November 2022 election cycle, which hosts elections for Districts 2, 3, and 4. The City has updated its Council District Locator with the new Council district boundary lines. Residents may input their address to find their Council District by visiting city.fremont.gov/councildistrictlocator. The Council District Locator was also updated with district boundaries for County, State, and Federal representatives. For more information regarding the redistricting process visit www.redistrictfremont.org.

City Council Approves

Citywide Fiber Optic Master Plan

On Tuesday, July 19, the Fremont City Council adopted the Citywide Fiber Optic Master Plan, which was created to guide the implementation of a City-owned fiber-optic network that will serve as a critical investment in our community's future.

Jointly developed by Magellan Advisors and the City, the approved plan outlines how the City will facilitate increased robust broadband infrastructure in the community, enabling economic development and 'smart city' initiatives, such as high-speed connectivity, sensors, and automated devices. It also strategizes the use and deployment of broadband infrastructure for government facilities and commercial and industrial corridors, as well as examines options for expanding broadband assets to City residents. The plan incorporates findings from interviews that Magellan conducted with City departments, a market assessment, and responses from a community survey.

With this plan, our City aims to transform Fremont into a broadband-rich environment, which will attract and retain businesses, as well as promote digital equity in underserved areas of the community.

Learn more about the Fiber Optic Master Plan at fremont.gov/fiberopticplan.



New City Website





Innovation District



Grant Funding for Trees



Recycling Tips









With signature community events and outdoor activities making a welcome comeback to our city, it's finally beginning to feel like past summers in Fremont.

We celebrated Independence Day with the popular Fourth of July Parade returning to Downtown Fremont and took in live music during our Summer Concert Series in Central Park. To help you plan, we recently launched a new Events Guide to feature upcoming community events and I encourage you to subscribe at city.fremont.gov/eventsguide1.

Even in the midst of summer, the City Council remains committed to its designated priorities for 2022: increasing the vitality of commercial corridors, enhancing public safety, and addressing homelessness in Fremont—all while ensuring fiscal strength and sustainability.

We recently updated the community on the progress made toward these goals with a Mid-Year Council Priorities Progress Report, which previewed the excellent work City staff has been doing to support these priorities.

Other work includes continued progress in the Downtown District with three new development projects underway and new businesses announced; establishing a new Outdoor Commercial Patio Ordinance to allow our local restaurants to permanently offer outdoor dining; and celebrating the grand opening of the City Center Apartments to provide 60 affordable housing units to our unhoused population. These efforts all represent our dedication to creating a better future for our city.

However, none of our progress is possible without the involvement of our community. We look forward to launching a new digital community engagement tool this fall to collect resident input, drive informed decisions, and help identify and address key areas of interest within the community.

I am excited to see what we can further accomplish together in 2022. In the meantime, we wish you a safe and healthy end of summer filled with lasting memories.



Downtown Fremont Recognition

The exciting developments and energy pouring into Downtown Fremont have garnered recognition as an Affiliate Main Street America™ program. Each year, Main Street America and its partners announce the list of Affiliate programs to recognize their commitment to create meaningful improvements to their downtowns using preservation-based economic development and community revitalization through the Main Street Approach™.

In 2021, Downtown Fremont welcomed the creation of 250 new jobs, 7 new businesses, and \$169 million in private and public investment. Recent additions include the Downtown Event Center, which is a perfect urban space for outdoor gatherings and concerts, Downtown's first mixed-use development and two more under construction, and a new six-story office headquarters for Fremont Bank underway. The development activity is now creating opportunities for new small business additions such as Sliver Pizzeria. RawASF Plant-Based Cafe, and Banter Bookshop.

Downtown Fremont is a rare and unique opportunity to build a new downtown from the ground-up, not often heard of in a place like the Bay Area. Located in a central, 110-acre area with a concentrated "retail spine" linking two major shopping centers and within walking distance of a regional BART station, Downtown Fremont is the culmination of years of planning and tens of millions of dollars in public investments.



The City Council meets the first, second, and third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 3300 Capitol Ave.

Meetings are broadcast over Cable TV Channel 27 or webcast online at Fremont.gov/Webcasts.

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Follow the City and many of its departments on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube, Nextdoor, and Nixle-we will keep you posted on everything from community events. new business openings, traffic updates, friendly tips, and other City-related information that may help you and your family.

city.fremont.gov/socialmedia

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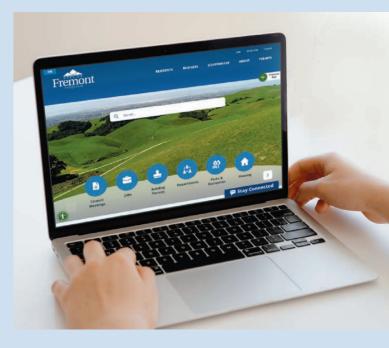
New User-Friendly, Data-Driven City Website

Updates to Fremont.gov address community survey feedback

In May, the City unveiled its new website (www.fremont.gov), which offers a modern design and user experience backed by resident feedback and web traffic metrics to better serve its visitors. Updates were made to improve both user experience from an organizational and value standpoint as well as provide additional features, including:

- A robust Agenda Center, featuring a calendar for City Council, Board, and Commission meetings as well as events:
- Streamlined global navigation and improved search results for users to quickly locate information and pages via the new "I want to..." box, including how to register for recreational activities and camps, subscribe to newsletters, and get more details on affordable housing, starting a business, and more;
- Enhanced visual elements and a streamlined Departments page;
- Accessibility across all devices with mobile responsiveness;
- And new tools such as the customizable Bablic translation solution and UserWay accessibility plugin.

On the homepage, users will find updates to the existing landing page buttons and an anchor for users to easily access the Fremont App to report issues. The homepage also includes a new video showcasing Fremont's various districts, manufacturing companies, parks, and recreational activities. Viewers can also access the Permits page through the global navigation, which includes all City permit information in one location.



Webpage hyperlinks have also been updated due to the new site, so previously bookmarked pages stored in browsers may be broken as well as those used in the City's communications. In addition, the City has purchased a new, customized Bitly domain (https://city.fremont.gov) that will serve as the beginning of shortened vanity links for important webpages in various marketing materials moving forward.

To continue improving Fremont.gov, the City welcomes public feedback; for suggestions, questions, or issues accessing a page, please send us an email at webupdate@fremont.gov.

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Business Collaborations



Comcast Lift Zones Offer Free Wi-Fi

Last year, the City teamed up with Comcast to launch two "Lift Zones" at City facilities. These free Wi-Fi-connected Lift Zones provide safe places for people to get online and access the resources of the Internet. The Lift Zones are located at the Irvington Community Center, 41885 Blacow Rd., and the Centerville Community Center, 3355 Country Dr.

The COVID-19 pandemic contributed to many low-income students and families at risk of being left behind, while accelerating the need for comprehensive digital equity and Internet adoption programs to support them. Lift Zones are part of a larger multiyear plan by Comcast to close the digital divide across the country by helping to level the playing field and make sure information and resources on the Internet are available to everyone.

Fremont and Ohlone College

Launch Back to Work Program with Tesla

Building on their longstanding relationship, Fremont's Economic Development Department and Ohlone College announced the redesigned Smart Manufacturing Technology Back to Work (SMTech B2W) program, previously known as the Earn & Learn Fremont pilot program, which assists dislocated English as a Second Language (ESL) workers and other minorities in establishing lasting careers in advanced manufacturing.

The first cohort of approximately 10 individuals received an industryrecognized credential as well as a certificate of completion, a pathway to an associate and undergraduate degree, and a portion of the cohort received eight weeks of paid work experience at Tesla. Following the program, all participants were offered full-time employment at Tesla, including benefits and stock options.

The Economic Development team and Ohlone College are designing this program with scalability and financial sustainability top of mind and plan to continue it with a cohort of Ukrainian and Afghan refugees in October 2022.

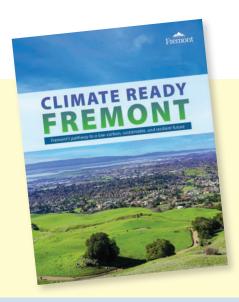
For more information visit city.fremont.gov/pressrelease7-12-22.





New Outdoor Commercial Patio Program

The City is making it easier for Fremont businesses to operate outdoors! Our new Outdoor Commercial Patio Program offers businesses a streamlined and low-cost process for obtaining a permit for their permanent outdoor space. All business owners with temporary outdoor patios approved through the City's Pop Up Patio pilot program will be required to switch to the new permanent program by the end of 2022. New businesses are also welcome to apply! For more information, visit city.fremont.gov/outdoorpatiopermit.



Plans & Reports

Climate Ready Fremont

Fremont is planning for a future that addresses climate change, improves quality of life, promotes equity, and bolsters resiliency across our community. A new Climate Action Plan (CAP) is being prepared that identifies ways Fremont can become a climate ready community. The new CAP presents short- and long-term actions that the City will implement to both reduce community-wide greenhouse gas emissions and prepare for and adapt to the impacts of climate change. A draft of the CAP, titled 'Climate Ready Fremont,' will be available for public review and comment in early fall. For more information, visit fremont.gov/climateactionplan.

Fremont Police Department

Updates

Over the past few months, Fremont Police Department has published several plans and reports that address community priorities. To learn about Police Chief Sean Washington's vision to continue prioritizing public safety in Fremont and about the Department's recent initiatives, accomplishments, and progress, check out the following:

Police Chief Transition Plan Update:

This update outlines the progress made toward the Chief's six objectives designed to further Fremont's long history of providing exceptional service: www.fremontpolice.gov/ 2022ChiefTransitionPlanUpdate.

FPD 2021 Annual Report:

This report outlines Fremont Police Department's initiatives, efforts, and summary of service from last year: www.fremontpolice.gov/AnnualReport.



Parks and Recreation

Master Plan Approved

On March 15, the Fremont City Council unanimously adopted the Parks and Recreation Master Plan, Fremont's first update since it was initially adopted 27 years ago. The Parks and Recreation Master Plan is a



comprehensive planning document that provides guidance for the next 15 to 20 years on how to meet the demands for future recreational, programming, environmental, and maintenance needs, and to establish priorities for facility improvements, future park development, and park land acquisitions. The City sincerely appreciates the thousands of residents who took the time to comment, contribute, and participate in the planning process, helping to make our community stronger. For more information or to view the Master Plan, please visit fremont.gov/parksplan.

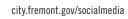
Housing Element Update

An update to the City's Housing Element, which is an eight-year plan to meet the housing needs of everyone in the community, is currently underway. Over the last several months, City staff provided opportunities for the public to learn more about the Housing Element and provide feedback to help guide the development of goals, policies, and programs. With the release of the new draft Housing Element, the City is seeking continued public input to help refine the plan. To view the plan and learn how to provide feedback, visit fremont.gov/housingelement.





















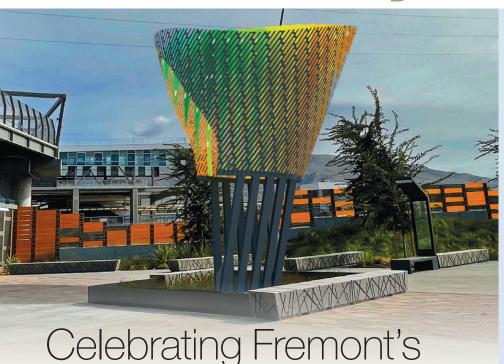








Our Community



Innovation District

On May 12, a community celebration was held to showcase the continued progress of Fremont's Innovation District. Anchored by the recent completion of the new Warm Springs Plaza and the West Access Bridge at the Warm Springs/South Fremont BART Station, over 400 people attended the funfilled evening featuring live music, food trucks, and community booths. The Innovation District is home to over 20,000 jobs, the Tesla factory, and 4,000 new housing units, among which will include over 500 affordable rental units.

Dignitaries from the City of Fremont, BART, Alameda County Transportation Commission, and Tesla Motors expressed their appreciation for the teamwork among planners, engineers, developers, and construction contractors towards building an attractive new transit-oriented community. Funding for the event was generously provided by community sponsors.

Experience the ongoing development of the Innovation District by visiting the new West Access Bridge and Warm Springs Plaza, which will also include a new public art installation located in the southern half of the Plaza near the escalator to the bridge. On April 5, 2022, the Fremont City Council awarded the public art contract to artist Vicki Scuri for her proposal, Lifting the Veil – Focusing the Lens, a truncated cone held up in the air by steel pedestals. The piece features colored polycarbonate panels that are wrapped in a laser-cut metal skin, with a rolling shape reflective of the Plaza's East Bay hills backdrop. The art installation, tentatively scheduled to be installed by the end of 2022, will contribute to the success of the Plaza as a public gathering space and strengthen the Innovation District's status as a place of creativity and ingenuity.

New Maps for Exploring Public Art in Fremont

Explore Fremont's art using the City's newest interactive story maps! The Art in Public Places map showcases more than 60 art installations located throughout the city. View the map at city.fremont.gov/publicart. The box.ART! map highlights murals created by local artists on many of Fremont's traffic signal control boxes. View this map at city.fremont.gov/boxart. All of the art featured in these maps helps beautify the city, promotes community pride, and strengthens Fremont's economic vitality and cultural vibrancy by giving the city a unique identity.

Subscribe to our

New Events Guide

Looking for a guide that highlights local events taking place in Fremont throughout the year? Subscribe to the City's new 'Events Guide,' a resource for community members to stay up to date with Fremont events at city.fremont.gov/eventsguidesubscription.

Read the inaugural newsletter issue at city.fremont.gov/eventsguide1.



Parks & Recreation Summer Events & Programs

Make this a summer to remember! The City of Fremont has you covered this summer season with events, adult activities, camps for kids, teen programs, and more. Parks and Recreation has everything you need to stay active, engaged, and having fun this summer season. To see a list of available activities, check out our Summer Recreation Guide or visit RegeRec.com.





Fremont's Aqua Adventure Waterpark

Fremont's Aqua Adventure Waterpark is open daily through August 14 and weekends until Labor Day. Visit our website for the full calendar at www.GoAquaAdventure.com.

Aqua Adventure Waterpark is located in Central Park and offers multiple four-story water slides, a large Oasis pool, a roundabout river, Bucket Bay, Lil Squirts Splash Pad, and more. Also, cooking up delicious food for the whole family is The Laguna Grill.

Aqua Adventure Waterpark offers aquatic camps, swim lessons, birthday packages, cabana rentals, Family Fridays, and more! Season passes and daily admission tickets can purchased online at www.GoAquaAdventure.com.

Book Your Next Event with Us

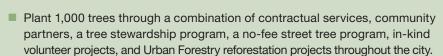
Looking for a venue to host your next event? Look no further than the City of Fremont. With a variety of locations, picnic areas, plazas, and sports rentals available, we offer spacious facilities and amenities with endless possibilities. weddings, meetings, reunions, birthdays, corporate events, and more. Schedule a tour today and book your next event with us. For Recreation facilities, contact Gloria Kim at gkim@fremont.gov or call 510-742-7510. For rentals at our Age Well Centers, either email awc@fremont.gov or call Lynn Hood at 510-790-6609 for Lake Elizabeth and Mei Yuan at 510-742-7524 for South Fremont.



City Receives Grant Totaling \$850K for

Improving its Tree Programs

In May, the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection awarded the City of Fremont an Urban & Community Forestry Proposition 68 grant in the amount of \$850,000. With these funds, the City plans to accomplish the following:



- Tree Maintenance Planning create a maintenance plan to guide recommendations for all public and street trees to increase the long-term health of the Urban Forest.
- Create a Community Tree Stewardship Program & Community Urban Forest Education Program to provide community outreach, education, conduct tree planting events, and to support engagement opportunities throughout the city.
- Provide two cycles of follow-up maintenance on the 1,000 planted trees through a combination of grant funds and City matched dollars using internal maintenance staff, the Community Tree Stewardship Program, and in-kind volunteer hours through community partners.

For updates about upcoming activities associated with the tree program, visit city.fremont.gov/trees.





























TREE CITY USA Arbor Day Foundation



Fremont PD School Resource Officer Unit

Wins Model Agency Award

The Fremont Police Department School Resource Officer (SRO) Unit was one of five agencies recognized by the National Association of School Resource Officers (NASRO) as a Model Agency Award winner during the annual NASRO School Safety Conference in July.

The FPD SRO Unit was awarded for being mentors, educators, and law enforcement officers, a testament to the efforts led by Fremont Police Department to reimagine the SRO program. These efforts were driven by the Department's responsiveness and culture of enhancing policing principles: revising the Department's uniforms and handbook as well as designing a designated vehicle badge so that officers are more approachable when interacting with students.

Our nationally recognized SROs strive to cultivate positive relationships with students, parents, and faculty by serving as a resource through informally counseling students and serving as mentors and role models while enforcing laws on and around campuses.

For more information, visit <u>fremontpolice.gov/sro</u>.

Community Block Party!

Join Us in Reimagining Mission San Jose this September

In partnership with the Better Block Foundation, the City will test an exciting, temporary transformation of Ellsworth Street in the historic Mission San Jose district this fall.

Mark your calendars for a two-day placemaking event on September 9 and 10. The Mission San Jose community will create a community-led vision that reimagines Ellsworth Street as a lively, safe, and welcoming neighborhood space and thriving commercial district for all – ultimately helping to spark creativity around the use of this public space.

Over the course of six weeks, Better Block collected over 130 responses from the local community to spark inspiration for what would make this area a



thriving commercial district that everyone can enjoy. Some ideas to activate Ellsworth Street include incorporating art, greenery and landscaping, shade, small businesses and vendors, and opportunities for community gathering, like an outdoor market.

Join us and revitalize this valuable community asset in September! Visit <u>city.fremont.gov/betterblock</u> for more details and sign up to volunteer!

City Secures Funding of \$14.5 Million in State Budget

In June, Governor Newsom signed AB 178: Budget Act of 2022, which includes \$14.5 million in direct funding for the City of Fremont. The following breakdown shows how Fremont intends to allocate the funding:

- \$8 million for the Fremont Teen Center Building
- \$6 million for the Sabercat Bridge and Trail Project
- \$500,000 for the Fremont Housing Navigation Center

City staff worked closely with elected representatives at the state level who championed Fremont's budget requests to secure funding for the City.



Fremont Unified School District

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Welcoming a New School Year

Next Steps for Fremont Graduates

In June, Fremont Unified School District celebrated nearly 2,600 graduates in the Class of 2022. Graduates' next destination varies trade schools, gap years, four-year and community colleges, careers, military service and beyond - but FUSD is proud that its staff prepared each student to adapt and succeed in an ever-changing world.

"In addition to outstanding academic, athletic and other individual achievements, the Class of 2022 as a whole took on the responsibility of rekindling their schools' cultures as we returned to in-person instruction in the fall of 2021. I am proud of all our students accomplished, and wish each graduate well in their bright future ahead," said FUSD Superintendent CJ Cammack.

New and Upgraded Schools

This fall Lila Bringhurst Elementary is set to welcome its inaugural classes of elementary students to its site near the Warm Springs/South Fremont BART station. The site served as the temporary home to Hopkins Junior High in the 2021-22 school year during major construction on the school's campus on Driscoll Road.

In the coming year Hopkins, Centerville, and Thornton junior highs will be open and serving students during the construction already underway. The sites are expanding to serve students in grade 6 in addition



to the current students in grades 7 and 8. Walters and Horner middle schools completed their conversions in 2019 and 2021, respectively.

Work is also moving forward to modify HVAC systems and roofing, upgrade lighting, and perform other improvements at Brookvale, Green, Mattos, Mission San Jose, and Vallejo Mill elementary schools. John F. Kennedy High School is also scheduled for modernization; planning and design is underway on that project.

The improvements FUSD is making to existing schools are made possible by Fremont voters who generously supported Measure E in 2014 to build and modernize neighborhood schools, reflecting Fremont's commitment to students, teachers, and school communities. Prioritization and planning for this work began in 2013, and collaborative planning with the City of Fremont and other partners has ensured facilities improvements effectively address needs.

"We appreciated working with the City of Fremont and other stakeholders to

perform site assessments and create school area safety improvement plans that we are using in our facilities improvement work," said Cammack. "We share the City's commitment to increased safety for our students, staff and community and appreciate the safety mitigation measures the City has supported, including installation of traffic signals and crosswalks at identified sites."

Enrollment Is Open

FUSD is now enrolling students for all grade levels. The eligible age range for transitional kindergarten (TK) is expanding over the coming years: children who will be 5 years old between September 2, 2022 and February 2, 2023 can register for TK now; for 2023-24 the end date extends to April 2, then June 2 for 2024-25, and thereafter all children turning 4 by September 1 will be eligible for TK enrollment. Find more enrollment information at www.fremont.k12.ca.us/enrollment.

The new FUSD school year begins on August 17.































Environmental Services

The Key to Better Recycling

The newest State laws such as SB 1383 are focused on recycling more and sending less materials to the landfill. The laws look to both residents and businesses to properly sort their trash to ensure recyclable or compostable materials don't end up in the landfill. It is important to know once something is placed in your black carts or garbage bins, it does not get sorted, rather is goes straight to the landfill. A recent analysis of Fremont's household and commercial garbage found too many recyclable and compostable items are needlessly tossed out with the trash. Let's work together to improve Fremont's overall recycling efforts.

Why Recycle and Compost

Recycling gives materials a chance to be used to their fullest extent. Paper, plastic, cardboard, and metals can be recycled, reinvented, and repurposed into new products. Recycling benefits us in the following ways:

- Saves natural resources
- Saves energy
- Reduces pollution
- Reduces greenhouse gasses
- Extends the life of the landfill



How to be a Great Recycler

- Know what goes in your bin Check the cart lid or bin label for what items are accepted. Ask a question or request a brochure by emailing environment@fremont.gov or call 510-494-4570.
- Prepare your items for recycling Rinse out food and liquids. No need to wash with soap but do the best you can. It's better to put a container into the trash when it is too difficult to remove food or residue. That way, the good items in your recycling cart or bin aren't ruined.
- Breakdown and flatten cardboard boxes
 Remove the plastic film and non-recyclable material from inside the box before putting it in the recycling bin.
- Keep your recyclables loose and do not put them in a plastic bag – Plastic bags of any kind are not recycled in Fremont's program.
- When in doubt, please throw it out! Be sure to consistently recycle your bottles, cans, jars, paper and cardboard, and avoid the odd stuff you occasionally have.

What to Recycle

- Paper: Office and notebook paper, junk mail, newspaper, magazines, catalogs, paperback books, cardboard rolls, greeting cards, flyers, construction paper, paper bags, and milk cartons.
- Cardboard: Corrugated cardboard, paper board, dry and frozen food boxes (i.e., cereal, macaroni and cheese, pasta, crackers, etc.).
- Plastic: Water/soda bottles, milk/juice/tea jugs, butter, cream cheese, sour cream, yogurt tubs, mayonnaise, mustard, ketchup, dressing bottles, detergent, dishwashing, soap and lotion bottles and jugs.
- **Metal:** Aluminum cans and bottles, food and beverage cans, clean aluminum foil and foil trays.

Always Goes in the Trash

- Always place polystyrene foam and foam plastic packaging in the trash.
- Always place soft plastic film like plastic bags, dog food and chip bags in the trash.
- Always place "tanglers" like wires, cords, rope, and hoses in the trash.

For more information visit <u>city.fremont.gov/environment</u> for recycling guides and composting tips, or call the Environmental Services Division at 510-494-4570 if you have a question.

Coastal **Cleanup Day** 2022

The 38th Annual Coastal Cleanup Day will take place on September 17, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Last year in Fremont, over 200 Coastal Cleanup Day volunteers collected 2,180 pounds of debris. For 2022, the City of Fremont will host a few specific cleanup locations, while residents, businesses and community groups can also participate by adopting their own convenient location where they can make a positive impact on reducing litter.

Land-based sources of trash, such as street litter from pedestrians, businesses, and overflowing garbage containers contribute significantly to marine pollution. And since Fremont's storm drain system was designed to handle rain and stormwater runoff, capturing litter before it enters a storm drain is vitally important. Trash and debris entering storm drains will flow directly to creeks, streams and ultimately to the San Francisco Bay. If you want to learn more about participating in the nation's largest one-day volunteer event, visit city.fremont.gov/environment to sign up to volunteer and receive more information.





Special Garbage Rates

for Eligible Seniors and Low-Income Members of the Community

Fremont's waste collector, Republic Services, offers special rates for senior and low-income customers, including a 50% discount for qualifying seniors ages 70 - 79. Seniors 80 years and older may receive 20- or 32-gallon trash service at no charge. It is important that seniors contact Republic Services at 510-657-3500 or visit their office in person at 42600 Boyce Rd. to request a discount. Discounted rates are also available to residents currently participating in PG&E's low-income Care Program.

Discounts are available upon approval of properly submitted paperwork and are available only to a customer that is the head of household and is the account holder of record. Contact Republic Services at 510-657-3500 to learn more about services for seniors and discounted garbage rates.





















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