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# INDIAN WELLS

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## State of The City Patio Party Set for April 22



Indian Wells City Council will host a State of the City Patio Party on Thursday, April 22, 2010 beginning at 5:30 p.m. in the Celebrity Ballroom at the Indian Wells Golf Resort. The evening will start with a 30-minute presentation covering financial updates, current and upcoming community activities, and exciting new municipal programs. The presentation will be followed by a Q&A session, and a resident patio party on the first level of the IW Club.

Indian Wells residents are invited and encouraged to attend. Advance RSVPs are required; please call City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489.

## ARE YOU PREPARED?

The recent devastating earthquakes in Haiti and Chile are a sober reminder of how important it is to be prepared for a major earthquake. The City of Indian Wells has a comprehensive emergency preparedness plan in place; however, residents are strongly encouraged to have enough emergency supplies on hand for at least 72 hours (see three-day survival pack list on page 8).

Remember, the best procedure for protection indoors during an earthquake is **Drop, Cover and Hold On**. **Drop** to the ground, take **Cover** under heavy furniture such as a table or desk, and **Hold on** to your position until the shaking stops.

If you are outdoors, avoid standing directly outside of buildings, at exits, and next to exterior walls. Find a clear spot, drop to the ground, and stay there until the shaking stops.

If you are in a moving vehicle, move immediately to a clear area away from buildings, trees, overpasses or utility wires. Stop and stay in the vehicle until the shaking completely stops.

There are already 1.8 million Californians registered for the 2010 Great California Shakeout to take place on October 21. You, your company and/or your organization can register for this statewide emergency preparedness program – and locate valuable resource materials – at [www.shakeout.org](http://www.shakeout.org).

### Designated Emergency Shelters in Indian Wells

**People:** Southwest Community Church  
77-701 Fred Waring Drive

**Pets:** Gerald R. Ford Elementary School  
44-210 Warner Trail



# INDIAN WELLS: ARTS, CULTURE

## Spending Easter Sunday at the IW Club



Enjoy a palate-pleasing Easter Brunch from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday, April 4 in the elegant IW Club restaurant at the Indian Wells Golf Resort. Cost: \$35 adults, \$15 children (6-11 years old); resident discount does not apply. Reservations are recommended; call 1 (760) 834-3800.

To see the menu online, visit [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org), click on IW Club, click on Easter Brunch.

## April 7 Brings Newt Gingrich to Desert Town Hall—Indian Wells

Former U.S. House Speaker Newt Gingrich takes the Desert Town Hall—Indian Wells stage on Wednesday, April 7, 2010 at 6 p.m., wrapping up another stellar season of this world-class speaker series. For more information and to check ticket availability, visit [www.deserttownhall.org](http://www.deserttownhall.org) or call 1 (760) 416-3400.



## The PlayHouse at Indian Wells Presents “DESERT DIVAS AND DIVINE DANCING” Fabulous Supper Club Entertainment



Dress up and join us on  
**Saturday, April 17, 2010**  
**6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.**  
**IW Club in the Indian Wells Golf Resort**

Featuring:

- The best singers in the Valley and beyond
- Bandleader Eddie Gilreath
- Enjoy music, dancing and dining
- Special menu created by IW Club Executive Chef Chris Olson

**Tickets: \$60 per person for show and dinner**

The PlayHouse at Indian Wells Box Office: 1 (760) 360-9191

## Miramonte to Host Wine Festival THIS MONTH

The Coachella Wine Festival will take place on the beautiful grounds of the Miramonte Resort & Spa April 9–11, 2010. Wine aficionados will taste boutique wines from some of the finest California wineries, savor exceptional cuisine from the Valley’s top chefs and restaurants, and enjoy live music.



### Coachella Wine Festival Events Schedule

**Friday, April 9**  
**WINEMAKER DINNER –**  
**Fleming Jenkins Vineyards & Winery**  
With Peggy Fleming Jenkins  
and Greg Jenkins  
**6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**  
Miramonte Resort & Spa  
Citrus & Herb Gardens

**JUST DESSERTS**  
**Desert & Wine Soiree**  
**7:00 – 9:00 p.m.**  
Miramonte Resort & Spa  
Mediterranean Lawn & Terrazzo

**Saturday, April 10 & Sunday, April 11**  
**GRAND TASTING –**  
**Wine, food and music with cooking**  
**demonstrations and seminars**  
**1:00 – 5:00 p.m.**  
Miramonte Resort & Spa  
Mediterranean Lawn & Terrazzo

For more information and online ticket purchase, visit [www.coachellawinefestival.com](http://www.coachellawinefestival.com) or call 1 (760) 799-7076.



# & THE SOCIAL SCENE IN APRIL

## Purchase Tickets Today for Opera Under the Stars

Enjoy a most memorable evening of arts and culture when OperaArts and the City of Indian Wells present the first annual *Opera Under the Stars* on Saturday, April 17, 2010 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Renaissance Esmeralda Resort and Spa.

This very special event will feature a no-host cocktail hour, dinner, and a fabulous array of operatic arias, operetta, and classical Broadway favorites. World-class performers will include OperaArts Music Director and pianist Victoria Kirsch; mezzo-soprano Cynthia Jansen who recently completed a three-year engagement with Munich's Bavarian State Opera; tenor Christopher Campbell whose signature roles include Rodolfo in *La bohème*, Don Jose in *Carmen*, and Alfredo in *La Traviata*; and Roberto Perlas Gomez, an acclaimed baritone who has performed extensively throughout California.

Tickets for the event are \$125 per person and can be purchased online at [www.operaarts.org](http://www.operaarts.org) or by calling 1 (760) 323-8353.



## Cabaret Theatre West Presents "The Fabulous Fifties"

Revisit the decade that shaped the future of rock n' roll when Cabaret Theatre West presents the "The Fabulous Fifties," an entertaining musical spoof of this iconic era.

Performance dates for "The Fabulous Fifties" are April 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28 and May 4 and 5. Theatre doors open at 6:30 p.m.; all performances begin at 7 p.m. Tickets for individual performances are \$45 per person. Cabaret Theatre West is affiliated with American Cabaret Theatre, the most prestigious cabaret ensemble in the nation. Cabaret Theatre West is located at the Hyatt Grand Champions Resort, Villas and Spa in Indian Wells. The resort offers a special pre-theatre menu in its lovely Lantana restaurant from 4:30–6 p.m. on show days; dinner reservations are highly recommended. Call 1 (760) 341-1000.

For more Cabaret Theatre West information and online ticket purchase, visit [www.cabarettheatrewest.com](http://www.cabarettheatrewest.com) or call 1 (760) 568-0024. Group sales are available.



# Chamber Presents **HOT ROD SUNDAY** on April 18

Get revved and save the date – April 18 – for the hottest car show in the Valley! The Indian Wells Chamber of Commerce will host the second annual HOT ROD SUNDAY in the Indian Wells Village parking lot (NW side of Highway 111 and Cook Street) at 74-980 Highway 111.

In addition to rods, this fabulous car show will also feature custom and classic cars, trucks, and motorcycles. Spectators will enjoy rockin' to the oldies and refreshments, plus goodie bags for the first 100 participants.

Event check-in begins at 7:30 a.m., the show begins at 9 a.m. and concludes with a 3 p.m. awards ceremony. (Rain or shine; no dogs please.)

Car entry fee is only \$30. For more information, call 1 (760) 346-7095.



## *Indian Wells Historic Preservation Foundation Annual Spring Luncheon*

Tuesday, April 9, 2010: 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
Indian Wells Country Club

### *Indian Wells: A City Created by Water and Agriculture*

#### GUEST SPEAKERS:

*Bob Keeran – Coachella Valley Water District  
Jesse Siess – Coachella Valley History Museum*

Cost: \$35 per person  
Members and friends of historic preservation are welcome to attend!

For information and reservations, contact Adele Ruxton  
1 (760) 346-8420 / ARxtn@aol.com  
Reservations due by April 5

## *UCR Conducts Cutting-Edge Air Pollution Research*



The City of Indian Wells and UCR Palm Desert Graduate Center present the last of six sessions of the free speaker series, "Imagining the Future," on Wednesday, April 14 from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

UCR Assistant Professor of Chemical and Environmental Engineering Dr. David Cocker's presentation is entitled **Making SMOG in the Laboratory to Help Clear the Air Outside: A Review of UCR's Atmospheric Chamber.**

Held at the IW Club in the Indian Wells Golf Resort, this event is free and open to the public. Complimentary valet and self parking. Advance reservations are required. To register online, visit [www.palmdesert.ucr.edu](http://www.palmdesert.ucr.edu) and click on "Events & Programs." For phone reservations and information, call 1 (760) 834-0590 or e-mail [palmdesert@ucr.edu](mailto:palmdesert@ucr.edu).





## Fantastic February Patio Party!



## City Unveils New Organic Community Garden

On March 1, Indian Wells City Council, staff and several residents celebrated the grand opening of the city's beautiful new organic community garden, designed and constructed by the city's Public Works department. Some residents even started to plant their garden beds right after the official ribbon-cutting.

"This will be so much fun, plus I'll enjoy the camaraderie," said resident Scott Hunt, an experienced gardener who

plans to include pepper and tomato plants in his garden plot. "I can just picture swapping vegetables with others."

City Landscape Specialist Ryan Bowen has already planted blueberry bushes, a peach tree and apple tree, and will showcase specimens for upcoming seasons in a special display area. The community garden is located next to the city's fire station off Eldorado Drive.



One hundred sixteen Indian Wells golfers played in the city-sponsored Resident Cup golf tournament held on Monday, February 22 on the Players Course at the Indian Wells Golf Resort. This fabulous outing exclusively for city residents also included a series of fun contests on the course, plus a delicious lunch after play.



# Resident Cup a Rousing Success!



Please join us in congratulating the winning foursomes of the Competitive and Social Divisions.

### Competitive Division

Ronald Podojil  
Peggy Podojil  
Ronald Kostelecky  
Rita Kostelecky



### Social Division

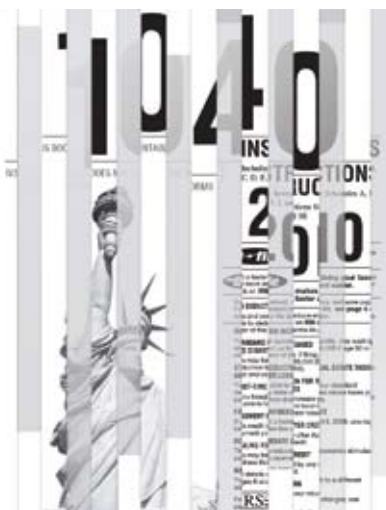
Jay Bushman  
Rudy Corral  
Marty Sabo  
Alfredo Sandoval



## INDIAN WELLS AFTER-TAX SHRED DAY

Take advantage of the opportunity to securely destroy sensitive documents when the City of Indian Wells hosts a free, no-limit Document Shredding Event on Saturday, April 24 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. (or until trucks are full) in the Indian Wells Tennis Garden parking lot off Warner Trail.

Items acceptable for shredding include bank statements, office paper, file folders and envelopes; it is not necessary



to remove staples or paperclips. All shredded material is taken to a recycling facility.

This free community event is open to all Indian Wells residents with valid identification (no commercial businesses, please). The trucks fill up quickly so plan to arrive early.

Visit [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org) for more information on this and other GO GREEN events.



# Eisenhower Medical Center Opens Eisenhower George and Julia Argyros Health Center

On Friday, January 22, 2010, Eisenhower Medical Center celebrated the grand opening of the Eisenhower George and Julia Argyros Health Center, located just south of Miles Avenue and east of Washington Street at 45280 Seeley Drive in La Quinta. Named after part-time Indian Wells residents and noted philanthropists George and Julia Argyros, the 92,000 square-foot complex will house 15 family practice and internal medicine physicians.

The state-of-the-art health care complex also includes a 7,000 square-foot Eisenhower Immediate Care clinic,



a 10,000 square-foot Eisenhower Imaging Center, The Eisenhower BIGHORN Radiation Oncology Center, new Eisenhower Schnitzer/Novack Breast Center, lab draw and blood work facilities, and other health care programs and services including the Eisenhower 365 Personalized Care Program.

To learn more about, the new Eisenhower George and Julia Argyros Health Center, visit [www.emc.org](http://www.emc.org) (click Health Services, click Outpatient Services, click Argyros Health Center).

Indian Wells residents also have access to premier non-emergency and primary care services at the Eisenhower Immediate Care facility in Indian Wells at 74785 Highway 111, Suite 100 (in the rear of the Wall Street West complex). Patients can receive consultations on a walk-in basis or schedule a same-day appointment by calling 1 (800) 382-2731. Hours are Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.



**(left to right):**  
**Michael Landes, President, Eisenhower Medical Center Foundation; Harry M. Goldstein, Chairman Emeritus, Board of Directors; Ambassador George and Julia Argyros; Harry Rinker, Board of Trustees; Al Shoemaker, Chairman, Board of Directors; and G. Aubrey Serfling, Eisenhower Medical Center President and Chief Executive Officer**

# Emergency Preparedness: 3-day Survival Pack Pull Out List

## PREPAREDNESS TIPS

California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

# Emergency Supplies Checklist

The first 72 hours after a major emergency or disaster are critical. Electricity, gas, water, and telephones may not be working. In addition, public safety services such as police and fire departments will be busy handling serious crises. You should be prepared to be self-sufficient — able to live without running water, electricity and/or gas, and telephones — for at least three days following a major emergency. To do so, keep on hand in a central location the following.

## Can You Go It Alone for Three Days?

### Essentials

- Water — One gallon per person per day (a week's supply of water is preferable)
- Water purification kit
- First aid kit, freshly stocked
- First aid book
- Food
- Can opener (non-electric)
- Blankets or sleeping bags
- Portable radio, flashlight and spare batteries
- Essential medications
- Extra pair of eyeglasses
- Extra pair of house and car keys
- Fire extinguisher — A-B-C type
- Food, water and restraint (leash or carrier) for pets
- Cash and change
- Baby supplies: formula, bottle, pacifier, soap and baby powder, clothing, blankets, baby wipes disposable diapers, canned food and juices.

### Sanitation Supplies

- Large plastic trash bags for waste; tarps and rain ponchos
- Large trash cans
- Bar soap and liquid detergent
- Shampoo
- Toothpaste and toothbrushes
- Feminine hygiene supplies
- Toilet paper
- Household bleach

### Safety and Comfort

- Sturdy shoes
- Heavy gloves for clearing debris
- Candles and matches
- Light sticks
- Change of clothing
- Knife or razor blades
- Garden hose for siphoning and firefighting
- Tent
- Communication kit: paper, pens, stamps

### Cooking

- Plastic knives, forks, spoons
- Paper plates and cups
- Paper towels
- Heavy-duty aluminum foil
- Camping stove for outdoor cooking (caution: before using fire to cook, make sure there are no gas leaks; never use charcoal indoors)

### Tools and Supplies

- Axe, shovel, broom
- Adjustable wrench for turning off gas
- Tool kit including a screwdriver, pliers and a hammer
- Coil of 1/2" rope
- Plastic tape, staple gun and sheeting for window replacement
- Bicycle
- City map

**Be Smart  
Be Prepared  
Be Responsible**







# State Appliance Rebate Program Begins This Month



Indian Wells residents are encouraged to take advantage of The California Cash 4 Appliance Program, a rebate program for Californians who recycle their old appliances and purchase eligible home appliances that contribute to energy savings.

Appliance categories eligible for rebates include qualified ENERGY STAR models of refrigerators (\$200 rebate), clothes washers (\$100 rebate), and room air conditioners (\$50 rebate). Purchases must be made between April 22 and May 23, 2010 (note: rebates are available until May 23 or until funds run out). Consumers may only apply for one rebate in each appliance category. To be eligible for a rebate, consumers must recycle their old appliance(s) and have certified documentation of recycling.

Participating partners include big box retail appliance dealers. To learn more about The California Cash 4 Appliance Program, visit [www.cash4appliances.org](http://www.cash4appliances.org).



The city's IW H.E.A.L. Conservation Incentive Program may be used in addition to the California Cash 4 Appliance Program. The IW H.E.A.L. program provides Indian Wells homeowners with financial incentives to replace outdated appliances and help fund energy efficient home improvements.

To learn more about this city-sponsored program and download an application, visit [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org), (click GO GREEN, click What Is Green?, click IW H.E.A.L. Conservation Incentive Program), e-mail [gogreen@indianwells.com](mailto:gogreen@indianwells.com) or call City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489.

## Next Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Event – April 16, 2010

The City of Indian Wells will hold its next monthly Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Disposal collection event on Friday, April 16, 2010 in the City Hall parking lot from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. City residents are encouraged to bring unwanted paint containers, household cleaners, batteries, fluorescent tubes and bulbs, medicines, and personal medical “sharps” – including needles and lancets – for safe disposal. Please deliver wastes only during hours of operation. All waste products should be properly identified, labeled and in leak-proof containers.

For more information, call 1 (760) 346-2489. Additional waste disposal and recycling details are available at [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org) (GO GREEN) and [www.burrtecdesert.com](http://www.burrtecdesert.com).



## Eliminate E-Waste

Don't let e-waste items like consumer electronic equipment become part of the trash stream.

Donate still functioning equipment to someone who can use it, or call Burrtec Waste and Recycling Services to schedule your free e-waste pick up today at 1 (760) 340-2113. [www.burrtecdesert.com](http://www.burrtecdesert.com).





# Community Opportunities

Please note: Many of the activities listed below require reservations and payment of fees. Please call contact phone numbers for full details.

## Daily through June 15, 2010

Season hours, The Living Desert, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. with last admission at 4 p.m. Admission prices – Adults: \$12.50, Seniors (62+) and Military: \$11, Children ages 3-12: \$7.50, Children under 3: free. Members enjoy free annual and early (7 a.m.) admission to the park.

## Daily Through May 31, 2010



Season hours, Indian Wells Tennis Garden, (760) 200-8200: 7 a.m. – 9 p.m. weekdays; 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. weekends.

## Now through May 2010

Season and summer hours, Palm Springs Art Museum, (760) 325-7186. Closed Mondays and major holidays. Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., Thursdays 12 p.m. – 8 p.m. Admission prices – Members and youths 17 and under: free; Adults: \$12.50; 62 and over: \$10.50; Students and active-duty military personnel (with I.D.): \$5.00. Free public admission every Thursday from 4-8 p.m. during the downtown Villagefest.

## Now through April 2010

Children's Discovery Museum of the Desert, (760) 321-0602. Open every day from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.. Admission prices – Ages 2 and up: \$8. CDMOD offers annual, individual memberships for \$25 per person. [www.cdmod.org](http://www.cdmod.org).



The Rancho Mirage Public Library offers cultural events year-round including live music, poetry workshops, lectures, seminars, and more. Call (760) 341-7323 or visit [www.ranchomiragelibrary.org](http://www.ranchomiragelibrary.org) (Events, Current Programs) for more information.

## Mondays through April

Indian Wells Rotary Club Meeting, Indian Wells Country Club, 1 (760) 406-4000: 12 p.m.

## April 1

City Council Meeting, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 1:30 p.m.



Resident Patio Party, IW Club: 5-7 p.m. Complimentary appetizers, no-host bar and entertainment. Advance reservations required; limited to two reservations per household. 1 (760) 346-2489. Must show valid Indian Wells Property Owner ID card upon entry. Please be sure to bring your worn-out athletic shoes to donate to the Nike Reuse-A-Shoe program. This unique environmental initiative transforms gym shoes into sports surfaces of all kinds for youth around the world. Learn more at [www.nikereuseashoe.com](http://www.nikereuseashoe.com).

## April 2-4

Indian Wells Arts Festival, Indian Wells Tennis Garden: 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (gates close at 4:30 p.m.). Adults \$10, children 12 and under FREE. 1 (760) 346-0042. [www.indianwellsartsfestival.com](http://www.indianwellsartsfestival.com).

## April 6

Architecture and Landscape Committee Meeting, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 10 a.m.

## April 7

Newt Gingrich, Desert Town Hall-Indian Wells, Renaissance Esmeralda Resort and Spa: 6 p.m. For details and ticket availability, visit [www.deserttownhall.org](http://www.deserttownhall.org) or call 1 (760) 416-3400.



## April 8

Community Activities Committee Meeting, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 3 p.m.

Season Finale Tea Dance, Joslyn Center, 1 (760) 340-3220: 2-4 p.m. Music by The Debonaires. Cost: \$8 per person. Sponsored by Mission Hills Senior Living.

## April 8, 10, 11

*Schubee Doobee Doo*, California Desert Chorale, Indian Wells Theater at CSUSB-Palm Desert Campus. April 8 & 10: 7 p.m., April 11: 3 p.m. Advance tickets: \$22 (\$25 at the door). [www.californiadesertchorale.org](http://www.californiadesertchorale.org), 1 (760) 346-4933. City of Indian Wells is a 2009/2010 season sponsor.



## April 13

Grants-in-Aid Committee Meeting, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 2:30 p.m.

## April 14

City of Indian Wells and UCR-Palm Desert "Imagining the Future" Series.

## April 15

City Council Meeting, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 1:30 p.m.

## April 16

City of Indian Wells Household Hazardous Waste Disposal event, City Hall parking lot, 1 (760) 346-2489: 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.



Free Family Fun Night, Children's Discovery Museum, Rancho Mirage: 5-8 p.m. [www.cdmod.org](http://www.cdmod.org), 1 (760) 321-0602. Sponsored by the City of Indian Wells.

## April 16-25

*The Little Dog Laughed* starring Greg Louganis and Teresa Ganzel, Indian Wells Theater, CSUSB-Palm Desert campus. For information and ticket prices, call 1 (760) 341-2883 ext. 78154 or visit <http://pdc.csusb.edu/IWTheater.htm>.

## April 17



Party for the Planet Earth Day Celebration, The Living Desert, 1 (760) 346-5694: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Highlights include an art show, live entertainment, children's activities, and vendors focused on education, preservation and conservation. Admission: fee for members; half-priced off general admission for non-members.



OperaArts presents *Opera Under the Stars*, Renaissance Esmeralda Resort & Spa: 6:30 p.m. No-host cocktail hour, dinner and opera. Tickets: \$125 per person. Purchase online at [www.operaarts.org](http://www.operaarts.org) or call 1 (760) 323-8353.

## April 21

Free CPR Training for residents, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 1 p.m.-4 p.m. Space is limited to ten per class; advance reservations required.

## April 22

Joslyn Variety Show at Joslyn Center, The Arthur Newman Theatre, 73-750 Catalina Way, Palm Desert. 1 (760) 340-3220. Admission is free.

## April 24

City of Indian Wells Document Shredding Event, Indian Wells Tennis Garden parking lot (Warner Trail entrance): 8 a.m. – 12 p.m. For details, call 1 (760) 346-2489.

## April 29

Planning Commission Meeting, City Hall, 1 (760) 346-2489: 1:30 p.m.





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*City event photography by  
Mark Cieslikowski*

**February 18 City Council Meeting Highlights**

Approved the First Amendment to the Implementation Agreement for the Management and Administration of the Regional Transportation Program [RTP] and Authorize Mayor to Execute Same.

Adopted Resolution Endorsing and Supporting the Designation of Wilderness, Wild and Scenic Rivers, National Monuments and the National Park and Preserve Wilderness Additions within the California Desert Conservation Area.

Adopted Resolution Supporting the Designation of March 2010 as Census Month.

Adopted Resolution Endorsing the Coachella Valley Regional Earthquake Warning System [CREWS] and Request Recognition, Support and Financial Assistance from State and Federal Legislators for this Regional Model.

Approved Margaret Mitchell Healey as the Indian Wells Recipient of the 2010 Senior Inspiration Award.

Approved Proposed Indian Wells Village Underground Utility District Assessment for Submittal to Property Owners for Consideration.

Directed staff to postpone demolition of the eight buildings at Mountain View Villas for up to a three year period and to allow the City Council to revisit this issue at any time in the future.

Adopted Resolution Amending the City Council/RDA Policy Manual Regarding Disclosure of Campaign Contributions, Designation of Council Members' Committee Assignments and Council Norms.

Approved Purchase of One Radar Speed Sign for Fairway Drive and Approve Supplemental Appropriation for Same.

Approved Requisition to Burrtec Waste & Recycling in the Amount of \$801,817.92 for Fiscal Year 2009-10 Solid Waste Pass Through.

Awarded Contract to EPC Inc. in the Amount of \$5,000, Award Contract to Heritage Architecture in the Amount of \$17,640 and Approved Supplemental Appropriation in the Amount of \$22,640 for the Preparation of Additional CEQA Documents for 77-689 Highway 111.

Approved Change Order to Overland Pacific & Cutler in the Amount of \$9,573.87 for Extra Work for the Mountain View Villas Phase I Relocation Program.

**March 4 City Council Meeting Highlights**

Adopted Ordinance Adding Section 17.20.054 Establishing Sign Criteria for Roemer and Harnik Law Building Located at 45-025 Manitou Drive.

Adopted City and RDA Resolutions Preliminarily Approving the Issuance of Redevelopment Agency Series 2010A Tax Allocation Bonds to Fund Capital Projects within the City.

Approved Requisition to Hospitality eBusiness in the Amount of \$29,040 for Search Engine Marketing Services for Fourth Quarter of Fiscal Year 2009-10.

Received/Filed Update of Council Approved Public Works Projects.

Approved Requisition for Best Best & Krieger LLP in the Amount of \$63,000 for Litigation Counsel and Approve Supplemental Appropriation for Same.

**FIREWORKS ALERT**

The Indian Wells Country Club will hold a private fireworks display on Saturday, May 1, 2010. These events are not open to the public. Please remember to bring pets indoors. Thank you.



**City of Indian Wells  
Citizen Emergency Hotline:  
1 (800) 998-0513**

The City of Indian Wells maintains an emergency telephone number to provide residents with updated details and instructions in the event of a power outage, street closures, earthquake or other disaster. Please keep this number handy so you will have access to vital information. Thank you.

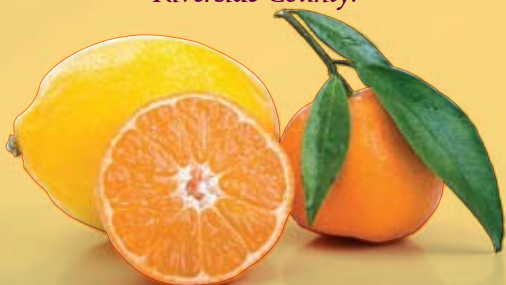


**Mayor's Public Office Hours**



Drop by and share your perspectives on Tuesdays from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at City Hall.

*The city's citrus collection program continues through May 26. Please drop off your unwanted citrus in the collection bins located next to the Emergency Operations Center behind City Hall (off Eldorado Drive). Hidden Harvest regularly collects the produce to be distributed to the hungry via food banks throughout eastern Riverside County.*



## MARK YOUR CALENDARS



# City of Indian Wells Memorial Day Ceremony

Eisenhower Walk of Honor  
at City Hall

Monday, May 31, 2010  
9 a.m.

Light refreshments will be  
served; no RSVP required

## Upcoming Events

### May 19

*Free CPR class*

*City Hall: 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.*

*Advance registration required*

*1 (760) 346-2489*

### May 31

*City of Indian Wells*

*Memorial Day Ceremony*

*City Hall: 9 a.m.*

Stay tuned for information on  
upcoming resident events at the  
IW Club. Also, be sure to visit  
[www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org)  
for the latest updates, and sign  
up to receive the latest city news  
via e-mail by clicking on the  
"mailbox" icon.



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## Apply for Membership on a City Commission or Committee

Interested in getting more involved in community projects? The City of Indian Wells is now accepting applications for a new Community Center Ad Hoc Committee, which will consist of six residents, two city council members, and the city manager. This committee will develop a mission for the proposed Community Center responsive to the needs and demographics of the city, and meet on an as needed basis. Applications must be submitted to the city clerk's office no later than 5 p.m. Wednesday, April 14, 2010.

The city is also accepting applications

from residents who wish to apply for upcoming vacancies on city commissions, boards and committees. From now through May 12, 2010, applications will be accepted for the Planning Commission (3 vacancies), Architecture & Landscape Committee (3), Community Activities Committee (2), Grants-in-Aid Committee (3), and Joslyn Senior Center (1). Two-year terms begin on July 1, 2010.

To apply, download an application on the city's website, [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org) (under Committees), and submit it by the stated deadlines to the city clerk by mail or in person at City Hall. Applications can also be picked up at City Hall or mailed on request. 1 (760) 346-2489.

