



CORONAVIRUS/COVID-19

KEEPING GARDENA SAFE



CITY MANAGER UPDATE

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THE LATEST NEWS IN GARDENA

There are currently 82 confirmed COVID-19 cases in Gardena. We will continue monitoring the situation and take the necessary actions to protect our residents.

Attached is the most updated information about the City's response to COVID-19 and resources available to the community. The resource lists are updated daily and made available on our website: <https://www.cityofgardena.org/available-resources/>.

If you would like to receive updates via text or email, register for Alert SouthBay by texting CV19GAR to 888-777 or visit www.alertsouthbay.com. If you have Spectrum, you can also tune in to Channel 3 and Channel 22 for important information from the City.

We want to know how COVID-19 is affecting you and your family. Help us better serve you by completing our new community survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Z9ZD2NW>.

I would like to take this time to congratulate Ms. Paulette C. Francis on being elected to City Council and Dr. Mark Henderson on his reelection. On behalf of the City, I would like to thank former Councilmember Dan Medina for his dedication and service to our community. We wish him the best of luck on his future endeavors.

I want to thank all our residents, business owners, employees and visitors for doing their part to flatten the curve. By staying home, wearing face coverings in public and suspending your services, all of you have made this difficult time manageable for our essential workers.

Sincerely,

Clint Osorio
City Manager

COVID-19 TESTING SITES & GUIDELINES

According to L.A. County Emergency Operations Officials, some of the testing sites include:

- Hotchkins Memorial Training Center (1700 Stadium Way, Los Angeles)
- Hansen Dam (near the Aquatic Center) (11798 Foothill Blvd., Lake View)
- Crenshaw Christian Center (7901 S. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles)
- West LA Veteran's Administration Lot 15 (100 Constitution Ave., Los Angeles)
- High Desert Medical Group (43839 15th St. W., Lancaster)
- Glendale Memorial Hospital (222 W. Eulalia St., Glendale)
- South Bay Galleria (1815 Hawthorne Boulevard, Hawthorne)
- Carbon Health - Echo Park (2110 Sunset Blvd., Suite M, Los Angeles)- walk-up only
- Long Beach City College (1305 E. Pacific Coast Highway)
- AltaMed Medical and Dental Group - South Gate (8627 Atlantic Ave.)

At this time, testing is limited to residents of L.A. County who are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 or who have been quarantined due to exposure to a confirmed case of COVID-19. L.A. County residents who are in the high-risk categories, first responders, critical government workers and health care professionals are eligible for same day or next day testing if they currently have symptoms.

- Please visit the Frequently Asked Questions webpage at <https://corona-virus.la/faq> for more information
- To confirm eligibility and search testing appointment availability, please visit this website <https://lacovidprod.service-now.com/rss>
- You may also visit the City of Los Angeles COVID-19 response page for additional information at <https://corona-virus.la/>
- You may also call (213) 473-3231 to ask any additional questions

If you are experiencing severe symptoms such as severe shortness of breath, contact your physician. If it is an emergency, dial 911.



Councilmember Art Kaskanian donated toilet paper and City staff decorated it for Easter

FACIAL COVERING ORDER

To continue slowing the spread of COVID-19, Los Angeles County extended the “Safer at Home” Order through May 15, 2020. Please stay home as much as possible and practice physical distancing when you are out in public. The City of Gardena thanks you all for your patience and compliance during this everchanging health crisis.

In addition, the Gardena **City Manager Clint Osorio ordered face coverings (cover the nose and mouth) to be worn in all public spaces effective 12:01 a.m. on April 11, 2020 until further notice.** Face coverings can be non-medical grade cloth coverings, including scarves and bandanas. The official regulation is available on our website. Please be advised that face coverings are to be used in addition to physical distancing and frequent hand-washing.

Refer to LA County’s Guidance for information on how to safely use and care for cloth face coverings. Check your local retailers and pharmacies to purchase cloth face coverings. CDC has also provided instructions on how to make your own cloth face covering at home on their website.

Please call the City of Gardena at (310) 217-9500 with any additional questions.



Chief Mike Saffell, Easter Bunny and Mayor Tasha Cerda wearing a facial covering in public to help slow the spread of COVID-19



*The City of Gardena is with you.
We are better together !
-Mayor Tasha Cerda*

HOMELESS SHELTER REFERRALS

During this pandemic, the City of Los Angeles is also opening thousands of emergency shelter beds to help get the homeless Angelenos indoors more quickly. As of March 31, there are 13 emergency shelters at recreation centers across the City. In addition, many winter shelter programs will remain until September 30, 2020. You can visit www.lahsa.org or call the **Winter Shelter Hotline at 1 (800) 548-6047** (available 24-hours, 7 days a week).

If you, or someone you know, are in need of outreach services, please visit <https://www.lahsa.org/portal/apps/la-hop/> or call 211. LA-HOP is designed to assist people experiencing homelessness in Los Angeles County with outreach services.

CRISIS HOTLINES

During a crisis, talk to people and agencies that you can trust. Please see the list of phone hotlines that you can call during this pandemic.

AGENCY

Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health:
Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA):
Didi Hirsch Suicide Prevention Hotline:
Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration:
Los Angeles AA Online Meetings:
National Hotline for Domestic Violence:
Los Angeles Based Domestic Violence Hotlines:

Los Angeles LGBTQ Center:
Crisis Text Line:
Child Protective Hotline:

Emergency:

HOTLINE

(800) 854-7771
(213) 683-3333
(800) 273-8255
(800) 662-4357
www.lacoaa.org
(800) 799-7233
(213) 745-6434 (Español)
(213) 222-1237 (24-Hr)
(310) 547-9343 (24-Hr)
(800) 978-3600 (24-Hr)
(323) 993-7670
Text "HOME" to 741741
(800) 540-4000

911



Easter Bunny "Hop Up" Drive-Thru at Gardena City Hall

CLOSURES OF PARKS AND OPEN SPACES

The City of Gardena is committed to protecting the health and safety of our residents. To minimize risks related to COVID-19, all City parks and open spaces including parking lots, picnic shelters, grass areas, walking trails, exercise equipment and sports courts will be closed to the public effective Friday, April 10, 2020. The official regulation is available on our website (<https://www.cityofgardena.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/CM-Update-4.9.20.pdf>).

Please continue to do your part to flatten the curve and refrain from in-person gatherings and practice physical distancing.



The Easter Bunny and Staff greeting residents during the "Hop Up" Drive-Thru at City Hall

PRICE GOUGING INFORMATION AND REPORTING

Price gouging is when sellers increase their prices for essential consumer goods and services during an emergency. According to California's Penal Code Section 396, it is illegal to raise the price of consumer goods by more than 10% after an emergency has been declared.

The Gardena Police Department has received several calls regarding price gouging. If you suspect price gouging, please report it to Code Enforcement at (310) 217-6171 or call the Police Department at (310) 323-7911.

RESTAURANT UPDATES

The following is a list of Gardena based eateries that are offering take-out, curbside pickup, delivery, and special promotions amid the statewide restrictions on sit-down businesses during the COVID-19 crisis. The list of restaurants is being updated daily. Call the restaurant with any questions. Please note that restaurants may at times change or discontinue the hours of operation listed here:

<u>RESTAURANT</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>OPTIONS</u>	<u>3RD PARTY SERVICES</u>
Aunties Cafe	310-400-7949	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash & Grubhub
California Fish Grill	310-225-2777	Pick up	N/A
Chipotle	310-436-4293	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, GH, UberEats, Postmates
El Pollo Inka	310-516-7378	Pick up / Delivery	Grubhub & Uber Eats
Fishbone Seafood Grill	310-532-7874	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, GH, UberEats, Postmates
YoWay Eatery	424-228-1101	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash
Fukagawa	310-324-4306	Pick up	N/A
Giuliano's Delicatessen	310-323-6990	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash & Postmates
Happa Resturant	310-323-8890	Pick up	N/A
Jersey Mikes	310-532-9910	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, GH, UberEats, Postmates
Kagura	310-701-7516	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash
Anas la gran Fonda	310-329-5266	Pick up / Delivery	Grubhub
Lomeli's	310-323-7993	Pick up	N/A
Marie Callender's	310-516-9595	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash & Postmates
Oh My Burger	310-756-6522	Pick up / Delivery	Postmates & Uber Eats
Pit Burger	310-327-6636	Pick up	N/A
O Young's Rock Pot	310-817-4231	Pick up / Delivery	Postmates
Pho Ever	310-217-9262	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, GH, UberEats, Postmates
Pop Belli Deli	310-817-4413	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, GH, UberEats, Postmates
Ricks Drive In & Out	310-532-8848	Pick up	N/A
Shilla BBQ Resturant	310-538-8848	Pick up / Delivery	Postmates
Soul Food Shack	323-932-8982	Pick up / Delivery	Uber Eats
The Pan	310-329-7266	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, Postmates, & Uber Eats
Wendy's	310-327-7707	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, Grubhub & Postmates
Wing Ferno	310-817-4456	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash
Dickeys Barbeque Pit	424-340-2577	Pick up / Delivery	Doordash, GH, UberEats, Postmates
D' Lunch Spot	310-953-0444	Pick up / Delivery	Grubhub
Three Spice Thai	310-516-6514	Pick up	N/A

Don't see your favorite place? Call them and ask. When possible, order directly from the restaurant instead of third-party delivery apps, to help speed the flow of funds directly to businesses and their employees when they need it the most -NOW.

Restaurant owners: To add your business to the list, please send an email that incudes hours and days of operation, street address, business phone number, and general menu information to: sdelacruz@cityofgardena.org





ENFORCING THE CLOSURE OF NON-ESSENTIAL BUSINESSES



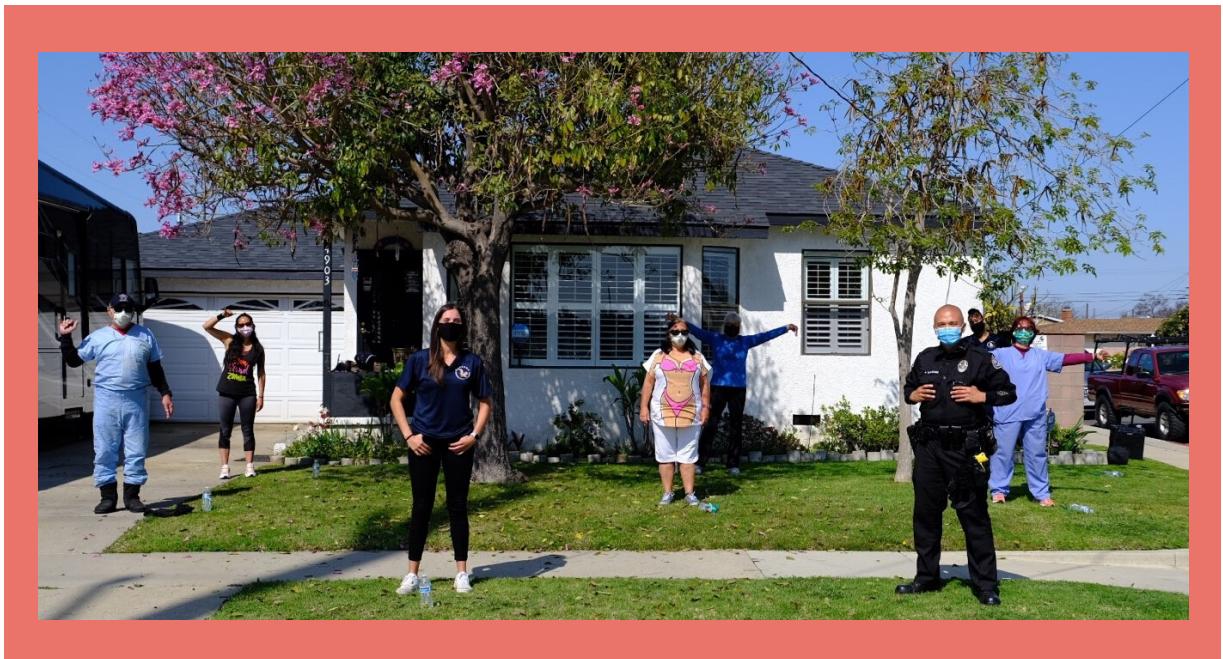
Los Angeles County's "Safer at Home" Order requires the temporary closure of non-essential businesses and prohibition of events and gatherings of 10 people or more. For specific definitions of essential businesses, please refer to the official County Order. Gardena Code Enforcement is abiding by the County Order and will continue to monitor the closure of non-essential businesses.



Non-essential businesses in question must produce a contact or correspondence with a County representative demonstrating that they are exempt from the non-essential list. Businesses that fail to prove exemption will be advised to close. Code Enforcement will be issuing citations for each day that the business is open and in violation of the County Order.



To report non-essential businesses that are still operating, please contact Code Enforcement at (310) 217-6171 or PDCodeEnforcement@cityofgardena.org. Anonymous reports may also be submitted via Gardena Direct (http://iframe.publicstuff.com/#?client_id=1000006).



Gardena PD and City Staff doing a morning stretch with residents

FOOD ASSISTANCE RESOURCES

City of Gardena Pantry

- 1670 W. 162nd Street
- 310-217-9574
- Open Tuesday-Thursday from 9:00am-4:00pm
- Must call for appointment
- Utility bill required
- Once per month

Gardena-Carson YMCA

- 100 W Artesia Boulevard, Gardena
- Tuesday & Friday 9:00am-2:00pm
- Grab & Go Meals

Peary Middle School (LAUSD)

- 1415 W Gardena Blvd, Gardena
- Open Monday-Friday 7:00am-10:00am
- 2 meals per person in vehicle (drive up on 162nd st. / Walk up on Normandie Ave.)
- Will provide meals until they run out

Gardena Genesis Community Church

- 16113 Denker Ave, Gardena
- 714-986-0402
- Open every 1st & 3rd Sat. 12:00pm-5:00pm
- Call to confirm during COVID-19

St. John Lutheran & GVBC

- 14517 Crenshaw Blvd
- 424-219-4326
- Open Mon. & Fri. 5:30pm-6:30pm - walk up

Hollypark United Methodist Church

- 13000 S Van Ness Ave
- Open 2nd Saturday 2:00pm-4:00pm

Normandie SDA

- 12420 S. Normandie Ave
- Drive-up only
- Open every 2nd & 4th Tuesday 11:15am-1:00pm

Victory Baptist Church

- 4802 McKinley Ave 90011
- 323-231-2424
- Open Fridays 7:30am-9:30am

Hope Chapel

- 2420 PCH 90254
- 310-374-4673
- Open Wednesday & Friday 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm

Salvation Army-Inglewood

- 324 E Queen St, Inglewood
- 310-677-3375
- Open Mon., Wed. & Fri. 1:00pm-4:00pm
- ID requested but not required

New Mt. Calvary MBC

- 402 E. El Segundo Blvd
- Open every 1st Saturday (postponed for April 2020) 12:00pm

Salvation Army-Compton

- 736 E. Compton Blvd 90221
- 310-639-0362
- Open Monday 4:30pm-6:00pm
- Open Wednesday 10:00am-1:00pm

LA County Workforce

- 14112 S Kingsley Dr. 90249
- 310-217-7300
- Open Thursday & Friday
- By appointment only

House of Yahweh

- 4046 Marine Ave
- 310-675-1384
- Open Everyday 2:00pm-3:00pm
- Able to receive groceries once a week
- Must pick up food between 2:00pm-3:00pm
- Call prior to arrival 9:00am-10:00am

Calvary Hawthorne Presbyterian Church

- 13560 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne
- 310-676-1144
- 1st Saturday of the month at 12:00 pm
- Must make line according to social distancing guidelines

St. Peter & Paul Church

- 736 N Lagoon Ave, Wilmington
- 310-952-0144
- Open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 10:00am
- Grab and Go Meals

St. Margaret's Center Groceries

- 10217 Inglewood Ave, Inglewood
- 310-672-2208
- Open Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30a- 5:00p
- Groceries

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

- 408 S Broadway Redondo Beach
- 310-540-1722
- Open 3rd Saturday 11:00am-1:00pm
- Grab and Go Meals

Food Net San Pedro Service Center

- 769 W. 3rd St., San Pedro
- 310-519-6091
- Must call first
- Groceries

First United Methodist Church

- 243 S. Broadway, Redondo Beach
- 310-372-8445
- Open Wednesday 4:30pm-6:30pm
- Grab and Go Meals

Harbor Gateway/Torrance Outreach Groceries

- 22400 S Halldale Ave, Torrance
- 310-328-3689
- Open 2nd and 4th Tuesday 9:30am
- Grab and Go Meals
- Sign-up at location and wait to be called

Toberman Neighborhood

- 131 N Grand Ave, San Pedro
- 310-832-1145 x106
- Open daily at 3:30pm (grab & go food)
- Call to schedule home delivery

Del- Aire Baptist Church

- 4951 W. 119th Pl. Hawthorne
- 310-676-8352
- 9:00am-1:00pm Saturdays
- 2:00-4:00pm Fridays-rotating weekly
- Wednesday, Seniors Only



GROCERY STORE SENIOR HOURS

Albertsons

- 1735 W. Artesia Blvd .
- (310) 380-4620
- Everyday from 6:00 am – 7:00 am
 - Also open during these hours for: pregnant women, those with compromised immune systems and other at-risk populations
 - ID may be required for 60+ years of age

Gardena Super Market

- 1012 W. Gardena Blvd.
- (310) 324-7434
- Every day 7:00 am – 8:00 am

Green Farm Market

- 2301 W. Rosecrans Ave.
- (310) 527-7001
- Tuesday & Thursday from 8:00 am–8:30 am

Sam's Club

- 1399 W. Artesia Blvd.
- (310) 532-0779
- Every Thursday, 7:00 am – 9:00 am
- Seniors are still required to be Sam's Club members

Target

- 2169 W. Redondo Beach Blvd.
- (310) 327-0762
- Tuesday & Wednesday from 8:00 am - 9:00 am

Tokyo Central Market

- 1740 W. Artesia Blvd.
- (310) 660-6300
- Every day 8:00 am – 9:00 am
- Seniors over 65 years of age or older during that hour

Vons

- 1260 W. Redondo Beach Blvd.
- (310) 767-7920
- Everyday from 7:00 am – 9:00 am
 - Also open during these hours for: pregnant women, those with compromised immune systems and other at-risk populations

Walgreens

- 1344 W. Redondo Beach Blvd.
- (310) 353-5726
- Monday through Friday from 8:00 am – 9:00 am

**Please note that the grocery stores may change or discontinue the hours of operation listed here.



The Easter Bunny greeting residents during the "Hop Up" Drive-Thru at City Hall

ANIMAL SERVICES

Gardena Animal Control

Non-Emergency Phone Number: (310) 323-7911

Emergency: 911

Criteria: Will handle all animal control issues during business hours

Service Hours: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Service Days: Monday - Friday

HYGIENE STATIONS

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the City and County of Los Angeles, as well as other municipalities and non-profit partners, deployed expanded hygiene services for those experiencing homelessness. These include hundreds of hand washing stations throughout the County.

To better support our unsheltered neighbors, Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) identified high need locations through its County-wide outreach teams. Further, it developed a comprehensive record of hand washing stations, showers and hygiene centers throughout the County as well as an interactive map.

Please visit <https://www.lahsa.org/news?article=675-expanded-hygiene-services-for-people-experiencing-homelessness-in-la> or call (213) 225-6581 for more information.

PHARMACEUTICAL DELIVERIES

To extend a helping hand during this pandemic, the following local pharmacies are offering delivery services for residents. Please be advised that each pharmacy may have additional requirements and you should call them for any additional questions.

PHARMACY

CVS - (Western Ave. & Redondo Beach Blvd.)
Meiji Pharmacy - (1630 W Redondo Beach Blvd. Ste 14)
Rite Aid - (Redondo Beach Blvd. & Budlong Ave.)
Walgreens - (Normandie Ave. & Redondo Beach Blvd.)

PHONE

(310) 538-3131
(310) 538-2885
(310) 323-4768
(310) 353-5726



CITY OF GARDENA SERVICES

Administrative Services Department

- Administrative Services Phone and Email
Email: Rbeeman@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9516
- Business License Renewals/Utility Users Tax/Transit Occupancy
Email: Rbeeman@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9516
- Accounts Payable
Email: AP@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9516

Community Development Department

- CDD Main Line and Email
Email: CommunityDevelopment@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9530
- Planning & Zoning Division
Email: CDDPlanningandZoning@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9524
- Building & Safety Division
Email: CDDBuildingServices@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9530
- Business Licensing Division
Email: CDDLICENSEandPermitCenter@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9518
- Code Enforcement/Animal Control Division
Email: PDCodeEnforcement@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-6171
- Pet Licensing/Animal Control Division
Email: PetLicensing@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9645
- Inspection Line
Phone: (310) 217-9510

Elected and Administrative Offices

- City Council Office
Email: CityCouncil@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9507
- City Clerk's Office
Email: CityClerk@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9565
- City Manager's Office
Email: CityManager@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9503
- City Treasurer's Office
Email: CityTreasurer@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9664

Economic Development Division

Email: economicdevelopment@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9533

Risk Management Division

Email: riskmanagement@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9505

Police Department

- Emergency: 911
- Non-Emergency
Phone: (310) 323-7911
- Main Line/Records and Website
Phone: (310) 217-9670
Website: www.gardenapd.org
- Detective Bureau
Phone: (310) 217-9607

Public Works Department

- Public Works Main Line
Phone: (310) 217-9568
- Public Works Maintenance Services
Email: pwmaintenance@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9568
- Engineering General Services
Email: pwengineering@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9568
- Engineering Services Utilities/Permit
Email: JEspinoza@cityofgardena.org or
pwengineering@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9644 or (310) 217-9568
- CDBG Home Improvement Program
Email: KNguyen@cityofgardena.org or
rgray@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9572

Recreation and Human Services Department

- Human Services Division
Email: humanservices@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9574
- Recreation Division
Email: recreation@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9537
- Senior Bureau
Email: seniors@cityofgardena.org
Phone: (310) 217-9552

Transportation Department

- Transportation Main Line and Website
Website: <http://ridegtrans.com/>
Phone: (310) 965-8888



*Please continue to take care of
yourself and stay healthy.
-Mayor Tasha Cerda*