



SUPERVISOR WAGNER INTRODUCES NEW SAFETY POLICIES



Improving public safety is one of the top priorities for Supervisor Wagner and for residents...so what has been done recently at the County level? At the March 8 Board meeting, Supervisor Wagner proposed three items that would enhance the quality of life in Orange County. [All three items](#) were passed unanimously by

the Orange County Board of Supervisors.

- Supplemental Item 38B, Supervisor Wagner directed the Sheriff's Department to create a program called "Safe Zone" and return to the Board as soon as possible for approval:

"We are seeing an increase in e-commerce sales and an increase in violence or theft when the parties meet up to complete the transaction. We want to bring more peace of mind for any potentially troubling in-person interactions," said Supervisor Wagner. "Our Sheriffs have stepped up in support, and what would be a diminutive cost, I request Sheriff substations set aside a small portion of their parking lots that are illuminated under a watchful eye and with surveillance cameras. It can provide more security than otherwise in a normal circumstance."

- Supplemental Item 38E, Supervisor Wagner requested the Cemetery District to set aside 10 acres of Public Cemetery donated by the County of Orange for police and firefighters:

"I want to express appreciation to the Board for considering the item. The men and women who have served us as sworn peace officers or as sworn firefighters put their lives on the line every day. The dignified site would be the first of its kind in the nation; it would be magnificent on the hill of Gypsum Canyon, reminiscent of the Arlington National Cemetery. Tremendous support has poured out from first responders, our community, and local Veterans as well," said Supervisor Wagner.

- Supplemental Item 38F, Supervisor Wagner and Supervisor Bartlett request the County communicate opposition to the state's process to place Sexually Violent Predators (SVPs) in Orange County; Supervisor Wagner called on the County to work with state legislators to assure County notice and participation in SVP placement decisions:

"The problem is the risk of SVPs being released into our communities without any local input. That is wrong; it is an artifact of state law, and only the state can change it," said Supervisor Wagner. "Orange County is adding our voice to tell the state to make a legislative fix. We have a duty to protect the safety and rights of our community members. I thank Supervisor Bartlett for bringing this item forward with me."

Read more:

["Safe Zone", OC Register](#) and [Epoch Times](#)

["First Responders Public Cemetery", Voice of OC](#) and [LA Times](#)

OUT AND ABOUT



Canyon Community Town Hall

SILVERADO CANYON – It was a full house at the Library of the Canyons for our Canyon Town Hall on Wednesday, March 9th. Supervisor Wagner invited several agencies to speak on the topic of emergency response and preparedness in the area. Constituents were able to get their questions answered in regards to threats of fire, floods, and mud.

The Third District office provided a County update regarding public safety measures taken:

- December 2020:** OC Public Works provided over 13,000 sandbags. Supervisor Wagner supplemented that with distributing over 500 wheat bales to canyon residents.
- January 2021:** Supervisor Wagner brought forward the 2020 Bond Fire Site Development Permit Waiver Policy, which allowed residents affected by the fire to live in a mobile home residence during reconstruction, lessening the burden of finding temporary housing.

-March 2021: Supervisor Wagner brought forward the 2020 Bond Fire Parking Requirement Waiver Policy to the Board of Supervisors, which waived certain parking requirements for those affected by the Bond Fire to rebuild their homes.

-December 2021: OC Public Works distributed over 22,500 sandbags and Supervisor Wagner supplemented that with purchasing and distributing 75 wattles and 375 wattle stakes to prepare for the upcoming storms.

-January 2022: Supervisor Wagner [initiated the County to act as a local sponsor](#) for two projects with the Natural Resources Conservation Service Emergency Watershed Protection Program, removing debris, materials, and obstructions in certain areas.

Supervisor Wagner thanks OC Public Works, OC Sheriffs Department, and OC Fire Authority for having representatives come out and answer questions. Of course, we always thank our residents for collaborating with the Third District office to help solve local issues and improve life where we live.





Pictured: Third District Representative Al Tello, Yorba Linda Chamber CEO Susan Wan-Ross, Third District Representative Pat Buttress, Yorba Linda Chamber Chairman-Elect Anthony Johnson

YORBA LINDA –Team Wagner attended the Yorba Linda Chamber of Commerce's Legislative Update Luncheon at Black Gold Golf Club, where they provided an update on all the County happenings. The Yorba Linda Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to creating a referral network of trusted professionals, promoting industry leaders, and connecting with elected officials to help foster a stronger business community. Whether you own a business or work for a great nonprofit, your local Chamber of Commerce is a great way to get plugged into the community.



Supervisor Wagner and CEO of City of Hope Annette Walker take a photo in front of the 'Wishing Tree'

NORTH IRVINE – Supervisor Wagner toured The Lennar Foundation Cancer Center at [City of Hope Orange County](#), located in the Great Park area. Residents will soon have access to world-renowned clinical cancer trials, innovative research, precision treatment, and compassionate care – without having to make the difficult trek to Los Angeles or beyond. Construction is already underway on the 190,000 square-foot Cancer Center and it's slated to open in summer 2022.

The Center is already helping cure cancer with an unprecedented number and variety of clinical trials, including breakthrough treatments available to cancer patients soon after development.

A special thank you to City of Hope CEO Annette Walker, for providing a comprehensive update on the lifesaving expertise that will be found so close to home.

City of Hope Orange County also plans to open a hospital dedicated to exclusively treating and curing cancer in 2025. We appreciate City of Hope for being a good neighbor in our community and thank them for giving people their lives back, providing hope to us all.



WHAT'S HAPPENING



Recruitment Open:
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COLLEGE TUITION FEE WAIVER ONLINE WORKSHOP

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2022
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Via Zoom

To receive the
Zoom link, you
must register in
advance at:



bit.ly/ctfwappworkshop

The College Tuition Fee Waiver is a California state benefit offered to eligible dependents of qualifying Veterans. All applications processed through the Orange County Veterans Affairs Office must be submitted via the online portal at: <https://veterans.ocgov.com/benefits/college-tuition-fee-waiver>.



For more information, please email ocvso@occr.ocgov.com with the subject line "**College Tuition Fee Waiver Online Workshop**"



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MOBILE COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC

Clínica De Vacunas COVID-19 | Chích Ngừa COVID-19 Lưu Động



Friday, March 25, 2022

Viernes, Marzo 25, 2022 / Thứ sáu, Tháng ba 25, 2022

Santiago Canyon College - GYM

8045 E. Chapman Ave., Orange, CA 92869

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Pfizer - Comirnaty / Moderna / Johnson & Johnson

WALK-INS WELCOME!

Please bring the following to streamline registration:

1. **Form of identification.** A photo ID is preferred, but other forms of identification will be accepted. Proof of citizenship or **legal status is NOT required.**
2. **Insurance card, if you have one.** No one will be denied vaccine if they do not have insurance. Vaccines are **FREE.** We are collecting insurance information as clinicians are advised to bill insurance.
3. **Proof you are the appropriate age** for the vaccine being administered.
* Minors, ages 5-17, must be accompanied by a parent or an adult legal guardian.

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Por favor, traiga lo siguiente para agilizar la inscripción:

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* Trẻ từ 5-17 tuổi phải có cha mẹ hay người bảo hộ trưởng thành cùng đi.



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Friday, April 1, 2022

Viernes, Abril 1, 2022 / Thứ sáu, Tháng tư 1, 2022

SOC - Family Resource Center

22481 Aspan St., Lake Forest, CA 92630

4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Pfizer - Comirnaty / Moderna / Johnson & Johnson

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255 Visions, Irvine, CA 92620

Call 888-434-8248 for more information about EITC cash-back credits or to schedule a free tax preparation appointment.



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As you spring clean, keep an eye out for things like e-waste, old batteries, and

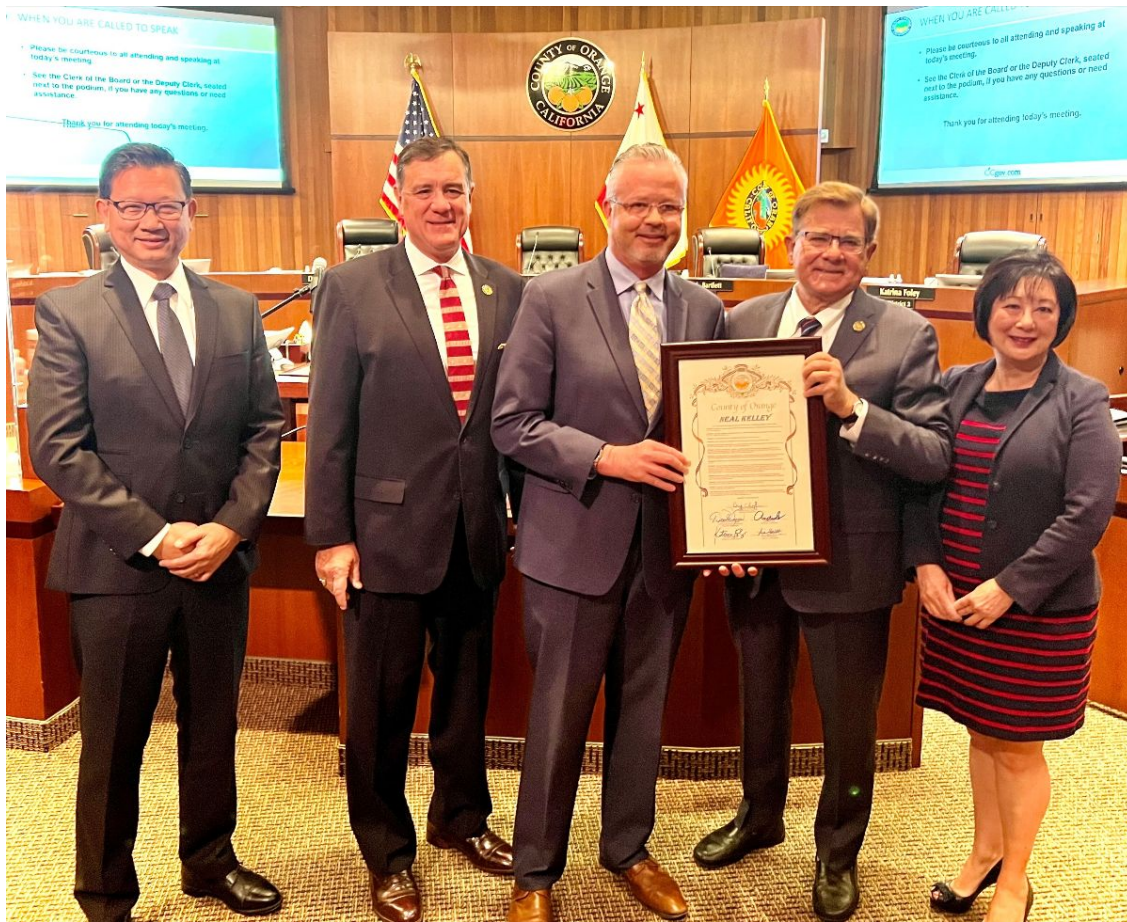
paint. These items can be dropped off at Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers. If larger items like mattresses or appliances are also on your list, they might be options for a bulky item pick up from your local hauler or can be taken to Olinda Alpha or Prima Deshecha landfills for recycling.

[Visit here](#) for information on household waste disposal, mattress/large appliance recycling, or on how to contact your local hauler.

RECOGNITIONS



IRVINE – If given the opportunity, seniors have much to teach us and can be helpful in our applying lessons of life. With their long-accumulated wisdom, seniors are a valuable part of the community, and we want to give them as much support whenever possible. Team Wagner attended the Grand Opening ceremony for [Senior Helpers South Orange County](#) office in Irvine; a festive ribbon cutting was hosted by the Irvine Chamber of Commerce. Senior Helpers provides a critical service by offering dignified, in-home care and daily companionship, which facilitates a sense of independence as it's done in the comforts of one's home. Thank you, Senior Helpers, for improving the quality of life for our valued residents.



Before the start of the March 8 meeting, several notable public servants and community leaders were presented with honorary recognition from the Board of Supervisors.

The Board recognized the career of Neal Kelley, who announced his retirement this month. Kelley has led Orange County's election system for the past 17 years and has earned a reputation as a public servant who is dedicated to fairness and transparency in the electoral process, as he's led both the statewide and national associations of county election officials. We wish Neal Kelley all the best as he moves into the next chapter of life.

The Board also recongized Chief Probation Officer Steven Sentman, who announced his retirement from the Orange County Probation Department. Chief Sentman's retirement is effective March 25, 2022. Over the course of his career, Chief Sentman has been instrumental in enhancing the Probation Department's role in the criminal justice system. He was part of the group that guided the County and department through the challenges of the 2011 Public Safety Realignment (A.B. 109), which shifted adult parole responsibilities from the state to the county level and included significant impacts to local justice system agencies. Wishing Chief Sentman a happy and healthy retirement.



The Board presented a Resolution proclaiming March 2022 as "Social Work Month", highlighting the amazing work of our Health Care Agency and social workers. Thank you to the dedicated staff that makes it all happen.



The Board presented a resolution to Shari Freidenrich to raise awareness of fraud prevention during "National Consumer Protection Week". Thank you to the OC Treasurer-Tax Collector's office for its excellent work empowering people with the resources they need to protect themselves.

A well-deserved recognition went to "Meals on Wheels Orange County" for its 50th anniversary of service to the community.



The Orange County Board of Supervisors was pleased to present a Resolution proclaiming March 2022 as "Women's History Month" in Orange County.

Thanks for reading!

Supervisor Don Wagner is proud to represent over 630,000 diverse residents in the communities of Anaheim Hills, Irvine, Lake Forest, Mission Viejo, North Tustin and Tustin, Orange, Rancho Santa Margarita, the unincorporated canyons, Villa Park, and Yorba Linda.

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