



8380 LAGUNA PALMS WAY • ELK GROVE, CALIFORNIA 95758
TEL: 916.683.7111 • FAX: 916.691.2001 • www.elkgrovecity.org

March 10, 2010

To: Elk Grove Mayor and Council

From: Laura S. Gill, City Manager *Laura S. Gill*

Subject: **City Manager's General Administrative Report for March 10, 2010**

This is a report by the City Manager to the Elk Grove City Council. This report provides information on issues affecting the City and the progress of City activities.

Reminder - Sphere of Influence Memorandum of Understanding Public Meetings

The City and County Planning Departments will be conducting joint public outreach meetings to gather input on the draft Sphere of Influence Memorandum of Understanding. The meetings will occur in the City Council Chamber from 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. The remaining meeting dates will be March 11, March 16, and March 31.

Additionally, Sacramento Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo) approved a consultant contract to prepare the Environmental Impact Report for the City's Sphere of Influence application. The report will take approximately nine months to complete and will include substantial public outreach.

Utility User Tax Public Meetings

The City of Elk Grove will hold three public outreach meetings to discuss Utility User Tax (UUT). The meetings will discuss the purpose of the UUT, the need to modernize the language to reflect technological advances and changes in state and federal law, possible expansion of the policy as well as a possible reduction of the rate.

The public meetings will be held as follows:

- Thursday, March 25 at 6:00 p.m., Senior Center of Elk Grove, 8830 Sharkey Avenue
- Tuesday, March 30 at 6:00 p.m., Elk Grove City Hall Council Chamber, 8400 Laguna Palms Way
- Tuesday, April 6 at 6:00 p.m., Todo Un Poco restaurant, 9080 Laguna Main Street

Elk Grove City Council
March 10, 2010

CALBO First Vice President

I'm very pleased to announce that our Building Official, Rick Renfro, was elected as California Building Officials (CALBO) First Vice President. CALBO is a non-profit corporation dedicated to promoting public health and safety in building construction through responsible legislation, education, and building code development. Rick's duties as First Vice President will be to work with legislators and State agencies on issues related to accessibility and code development. This is a tremendous honor for Rick as well as the entire City.

Planning 101 Public Forum

The Planning Commission and City Attorney's office will be hosting an educational public forum on City planning principles on March 18. This Planning 101 session will begin upon conclusion of regular business at the Planning Commission meeting. The topic will focus on the role of the Planning Commission.

Thursday, March 18
Time: 6:30 p.m.

City of Elk Grove
Council Chamber
8400 Laguna Palms Way

I remain available to answer any questions regarding this report.

