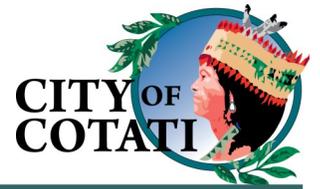


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Dog Licensing On-Line!



Remember to license your furry friends. Sometimes they get lost, and our police department is often the first to find them. If your dog is registered, we can quickly return your pooch to you. Register your dog at: http://www.cotaticity.org/City_Hall/Departments/Police/Dog_Licenses

Camp Cotati Summer Camp

Camp Cotati – Age 5-12
Dates: Beginning June 7, M-TH 8:00am-5:00pm
Fee: \$135/week
Location: Thomas Page Room of Ray Miller Community Center
216 East School Street (behind City Hall)



Welcome to Camp Cotati 2021! We will provide more information as camp approaches. This year we will be doing a few things differently, but felt it was important to continue offering an in-person camp working around the present challenges and following all health guidelines. The changes we are implementing include limiting enrollment to a maximum of 20 campers per week, limited physical-touch interaction, and limited hours and days, which allows for better activity planning with social distancing and additional cleaning.

If you have questions please feel free to reach out to us via email at awilson@cotaticity.org or 707-665-4222. We look forward to seeing you at Camp Cotati to enjoy summer camp activities in a small group setting!

Local Road Safety Plan

The City is developing a Local Roadway Safety Plan (LRSP) and we want your input! The purpose of the LRSP is to establish the framework and process for identifying, analyzing, and prioritizing roadway safety improvements on the City's streets. The LRSP identifies the top systemic collision patterns and top collision locations throughout the City. The LRSP provides a toolbox of countermeasures to reduce collisions and includes projects to reduce collisions at problem locations.

The City wants your input on the City's roadways and any problems or concerns. To provide your comments on an interactive map, you can go the City's website homepage, scroll to Headlines-Latest News and find the headline for the Road Safety Plan posted on April 21. Alternatively, you can go to the Public Works and Engineering page on the City website and click on the "Local Road Safety Plan" button.

Please continue to follow progress on this website as the City will be posting updates on important meetings and draft documents for public review as the project progresses.



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Upcoming City Meetings*

CITY COUNCIL

- Tuesday 5/11—7:00PM
- Tuesday 5/18—7:00PM
- Tuesday 5/25—7:00PM
- Tuesday 6/8—7:00PM
- Tuesday 6/22—7:00PM

PLANNING COMMISSION

- Monday 5/3—7:00PM
- Monday 5/17—7:00PM
- Monday 6/7—7:00PM
- Monday 6/21—7:00PM

*Meetings are subject to cancellation, check the City website prior to the meeting.

Street Paving

During winter, the City has been getting ready for the next round of street paving projects for 2021. We are continuing to work on completing both reconstruction and maintenance paving projects from the City's 5-year streets paving plan, so look for more information on this soon!

Safety Projects

Work is underway for a lighted pedestrian crossing at Cypress Ave and West Sierra Ave to make this safer and more visible to motorists as well as the installation of an all-way stop at West Sierra Ave and West School Street to reduce the speeds of vehicles entering the city and improve safety for motorists coming from West School Street.

Wayfinding Kiosks

The signage that went up around the streets and pathways last year was only the beginning. More signage and up to 10 information Kiosks are being designed and are expected to be installed this summer. The Kiosks will display information on the history of Cotati with maps directing people to local businesses and points of interest.

Kotate Park Playground

We recently completed public workshops on the design of the new playground at Kotate Park. This is the first of many park upgrades around town planned over the next several years, using the Park Capital Plan as a guide. Look for more improvements soon!



Drought is Here. Save Water.

Please look to the City's WaterSmart customer portal (cotati.waterinsight.com) to sign up for leak alerts and updates on water reduction targets. This is the second consecutive critically dry year and we need everyone's help to conserve this precious resource.

Rent and Utility Payment Assistance

The County of Sonoma Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) helps eligible households who have been financially impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. The program provides payment assistance for renters or landlords who need help with rent and utilities. Applications can be completed online or sent in via mail.



- Any community member can apply for assistance regardless of immigration status
- Funds can be used to pay rent as well as past-due utility bills and home service bills

To apply, visit the City's website homepage, under the COVID-19 Information banner, click on the "Housing/Renter Support" button.

Utility Billing

Sign up for paperless bill and auto pay at <https://www.municipalonlinepayments.com/cotatica>

Utility Bill Mailed	Bill Due Date	Late Notices Mailed
May 3rd	June 7th	June 8th
July 5th	August 2nd	August 3rd