#### **CITY MANAGER'S REPORT**

FEBRUARY 20, 2024



#### CAMERON COMMUNITY CENTER



February 15 - West Covina Rec: Karate Class



February 17 – Week 6 of the BASO Adult Basketball League



West Covina Rec Adult Basketball League – Week 5 of the 10-week League

#### CORTEZ PARK COMMUNITY AND SENIOR CENTER





## SHADOW OAK COMMUNITY CENTER

February 15, 2024







PILABLE ONLINE

# DISCOVER WEST COVINA

Official City Newsletter & Community Recreation Guide

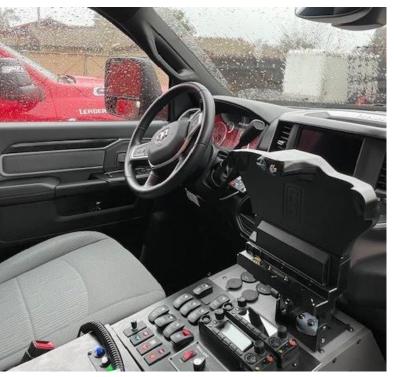
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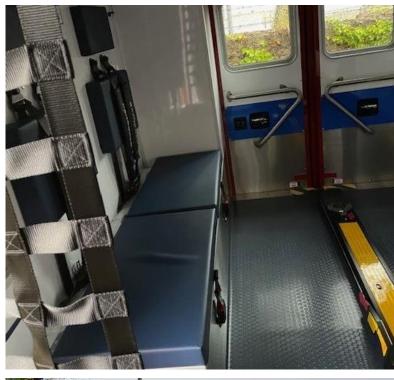
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# FIRE DEPARTMENT UPDATE – 5 NEW AMBULANCES





## **Budget Survey**

Fiscal Year 2024-2025



#### **Online Survey**

The City would like to know what you consider a priority for the 2024-2025 Budget and Capital Improvement Program.

Survey available online until Feb. 29, 2024

### **VOTING CENTERS IN WEST COVINA MARCH 5TH ELECTION**

#### **WEST COVINA CITY HALL**

Community Room | 1444 West Garvey Avenue S, West Covina, CA 91790

#### **CAMERON PARK COMMUNITY CENTER**

Multi-Purpose Room | 1305 E. Cameron Avenue, West Covina, CA 91791

#### **CORTEZ PARK COMMUNITY AND SENIOR CENTER**

North Wing | 2501 E. Cortez St, West Covina, CA 91791

#### **SHADOW OAK RECREATION CENTER**

Community Hall | 2121 Shadow Oak Dr, West Covina, CA 91792

For additional locations, visit lavote.gov.

#### **VOTING DATES AND TIMES**

March 2 - 4, 2024 | 10:00 am to 7:00 pm March 5, 2024 | 7:00 am to 8:00 pm







Service: Fire & PD Dispatch

#### **Status:**

- Dispatch is understaffed
- Imminent Resignations

#### ssue:

- Impacts to Dispatch Services (residents, public safety officers and Dispatch staff)
- Unable to increase staffing levels in the immediate future

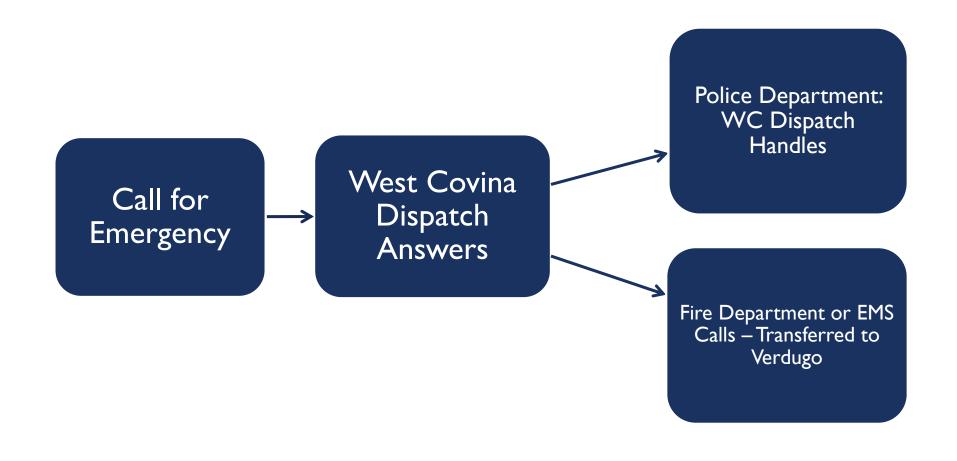
#### **Solution:**

Contract out Fire & EMS calls

## What is Verdugo Fire Communication Center (VFCC)?

 Verdugo specializes in fire/emergency medical dispatching

#### WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR WEST COVINA RESIDENTS



#### SISTER/FRIENDSHIP CITY RELATIONSHIPS

- Benefits of Sister City Relationships
  - Global community partnerships
  - Exchange/Strengthen Cultural Bonds (Student exchange program)
  - Build Business Relationships / Develop Diverse Economies
  - Tourism
- Current City Relationships
  - Ohtawara, Japan and
  - Beijing Fengtai, China
  - Tainan, Taiwan R.O.C.
- Tainan invited to the City to 400 Year Celebration
- Following the Council Travel Reimbursement Policy

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- West Covina Spring Festival | @ Historic Downtown West Covina
  - March 9 (11am 10 pm)
  - March 10 (12pm 8pm)
- Easter Eggstravaganza | March 23, 2024, 9:00am 12:00pm
  - 9:30am @ Cortez Park
  - 10:30am @ Del Norte Park