

THE VILLAGE OF TIJERAS NEWSLETTER

"With pride in our past, and faith in our future."

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LETTER FROM THE MAYOR

Jake Bruton

Our small staff here at the Village works tirelessly to ensure our residents have access to the services they need. I am excited to announce some changes to our staffing here at Village Hall which should enable us to better serve our community, as well as two new job opportunities with the Village.

Kathy Healy, who started with the Village in October as our document retention assistant, has been promoted with the approval of the Village Council to the position of administrative assistant/receptionist. The next time you visit Village Hall, be sure to congratulate her!

Sonya Apodaca, who joined our team in 2017 as an MVD clerk, has been promoted pending Council approval into the newly-created position of utility administrative assistant. Sonya will be the point of contact for all water and wastewater related inquiries, and will help us more effectively manage our public utilities.

In light of these promotions, the Village will be hiring for both the positions of document retention assistant and MVD clerk. Applications will be available beginning Friday, April 16th on our website. Please send your completed application and resume to Deputy Clerk Kennedy at nkennedy@tijerasnm.gov.



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THE PARK AND VIEW IS GROWING!

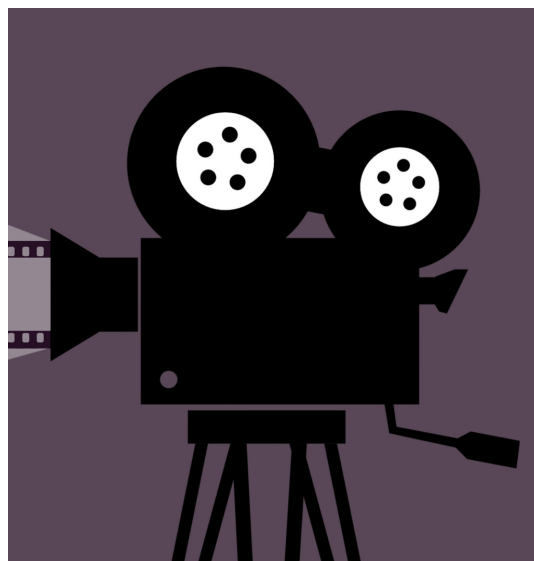
Councilor Maxine Wilson, Mayor Pro Tempore

We have had three very successful showings of the Tijeras Park and View and are looking forward to offering showings more often as we move into warmer weather. I have a couple of exciting updates for you regarding the Park and View.

First, I am pleased to inform you that we are launching an online payment system for Park and View tickets! This new system will take effect starting with the April 24th showing. Advance payment using the online system is required to reserve your ticket. We are unable to issue refunds, so please ensure you are reserving for the correct showing. As a reminder, tickets are \$10.00 per vehicle.

Second, you can now see a schedule of all the Park and View showings between now and the end of August on our website at tijerasnm.gov/park-and-view. Tickets for the entire summer of showings will be available this week!

Thank you so much for your support of the Park and View. We look forward to seeing you at upcoming showings!



Emergency Rental Assistance

The State of New Mexico will grant \$170 million in federal aid for rental and utility assistance to New Mexicans experiencing financial hardship due to COVID-19. Renters across the state are eligible, except for residents of Bernalillo and Dona Ana counties and pueblo or tribal areas. These communities have their own rental assistance programs. Applications will be accepted through August 2021. For more information, visit www.RentHelpNM.org or call 1-833-485-1334.



EARTH DAY CLEANUP EVENT

Councilor Jonathan Ortiz

I am excited to announce that the Village of Tijeras will be holding our first annual Earth Day cleanup event on Saturday, April 24th!

We are encouraging our residents to pick up at least one bag of trash in their neighborhood or another area in the Village. Participants can stop by Village Hall between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m., where our staff will be handing out trash bags and protective gloves. We encourage you to take pictures of your cleanup crew and post them on one of the Village's social media accounts. Once you are finished, you can come by Village Hall again between 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to drop off your bag(s) of trash and collect your free, commemorative t-shirt!

We want this event to be a great success, so please consider coming and helping out! Spread the word to your friends and neighbors. We would greatly appreciate the help of our residents in keeping our Village clean. Let's show our pride in our community and ensure Tijeras continues to be a beautiful place to live! We look forward to seeing you all on Saturday the 24th.

This event would not have been possible without the generous contributions of the following sponsors in our community:

Armenta Trucking
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Canyon Crossroads Animal Hospital
Charlie's Fleet Service
Dupree's Trees
Old 66 Car Wash
Roots Farm Cafe
Tractor Service on Route 66
Western Mercantile

Thank you to all our sponsors for supporting this project!



Village of Tijeras

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April 2021

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

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Good Friday

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Council
Meeting

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Showing 4/10

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