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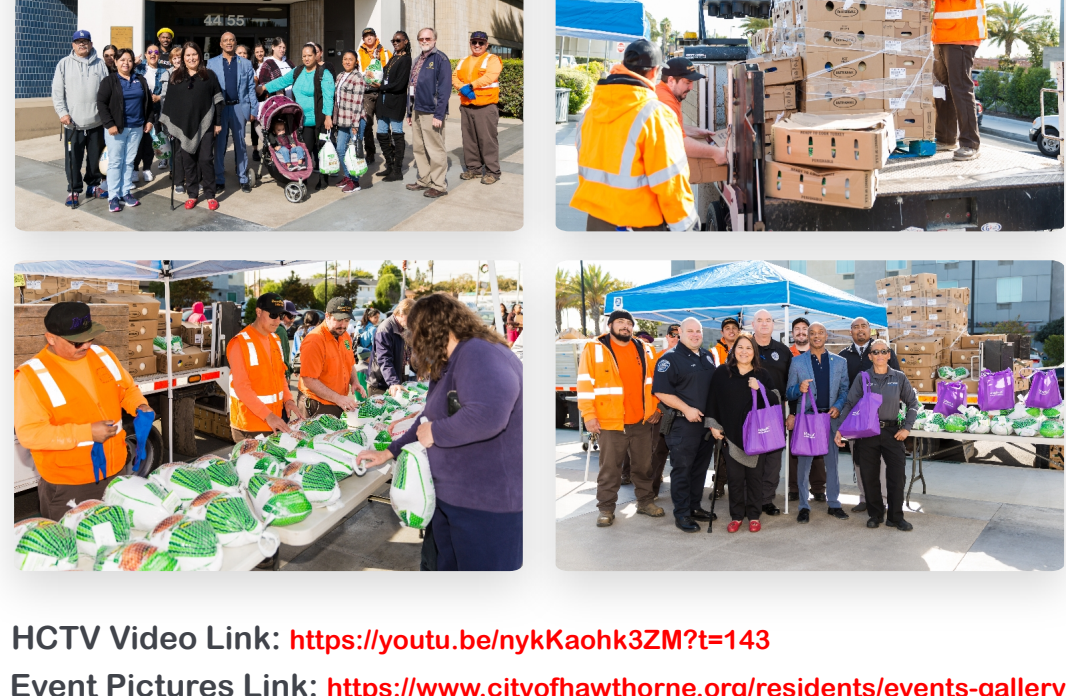
Operation Gobble was held on November 17th in front of City Hall. Thanks to the generous contributions from Golden State Water, California Water Service, Kinecta Credit Union, South Bay Ford, Republic Services and Northgate Market, over 350 turkeys were donated to Hawthorne residents. You can view the video of the event at the link below...

HCTV Video Link: https://youtu.be/nykKaohk3ZM?t=143
Event Pictures Link: https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/residents/events-gallery/operation-gobble-2022

Thanksgiving Luncheon 11/17/22

The Hawthorne/Lawndale Ministerial Association held their annual Thanksgiving Luncheon at the Hawthorne Memorial Center which is aimed at helping those in need. Over 300 meals were served during this Thanksgiving luncheon! You can watch the video of the event at the link below...

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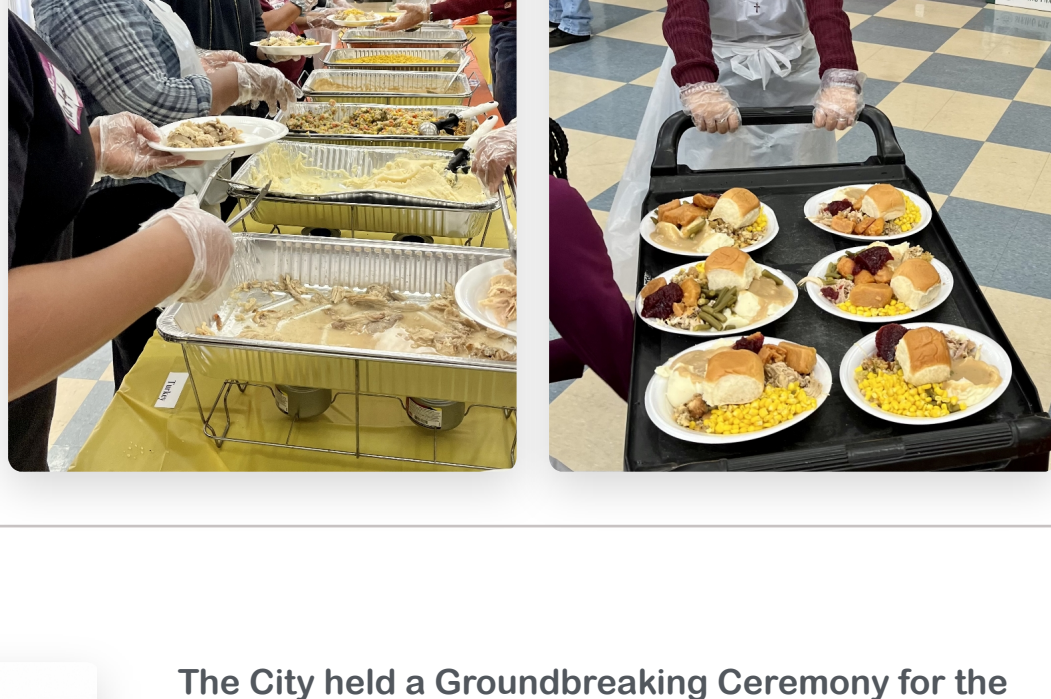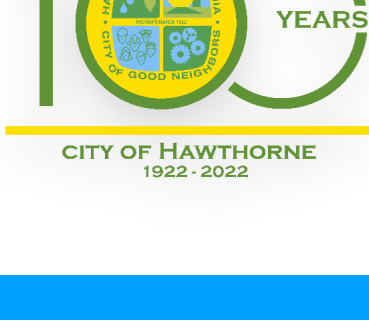
Bridge Housing Project 11/30/22

The City held a Groundbreaking Ceremony for the Bridge of Hope - Community Housing Project. The 3800 sqft City-owned lot is located at 131st St and Simms Ave, will offer (12-15) 64 sqft insulated shelter units. The ideal length of stay is between 90-180 days. A service provider who will bring onsite case management, job training, three daily meals and connection to additional services will operate the site. This is a temporary site that will initially run for 3 years or until all available funds have been exhausted. More info in the video link below...

HCTV video Link: https://youtu.be/8q4H2g41xbw?t=43
Event Pictures Link: https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/residents/events-gallery/bridge-of-hope-ground-breaking

Homeless Program Office Ribbon Cutting 12/7/22

A Ribbon Cutting Ceremony was held for a new office location for the City of Hawthorne Homeless Coordination Program! Some of the services that are offered here are case management, housing navigation, hygiene kits and snacks, needs assessment, mail services, behavioral health service referrals and more.
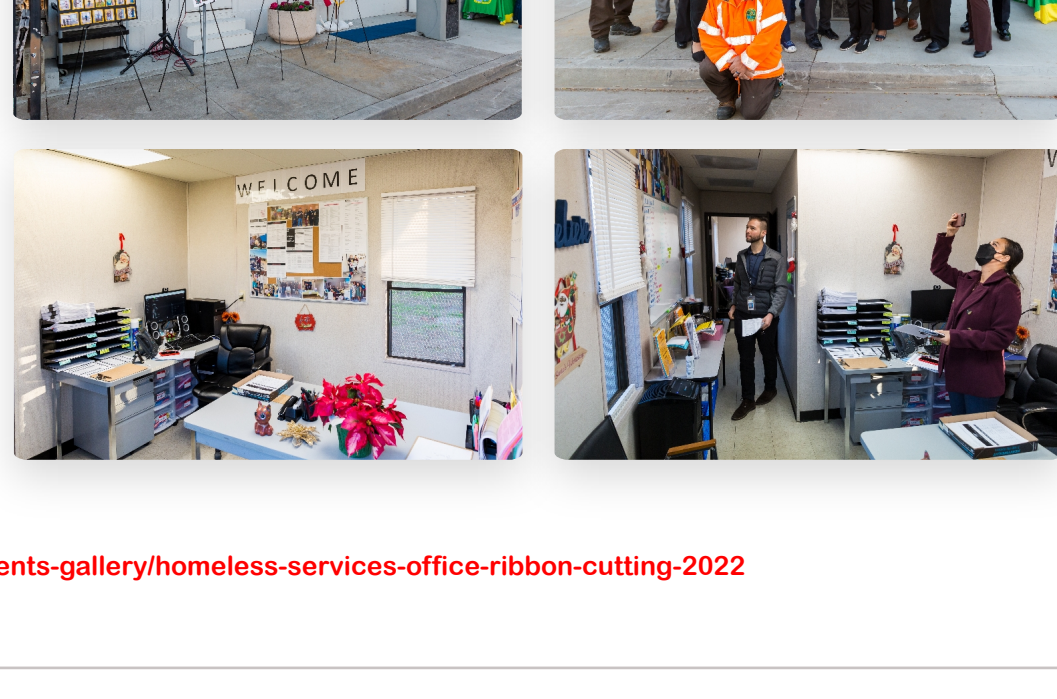
The office location is at the Memorial Center at 3901 W. El Segundo Blvd. (Across from the Senior Center) Their number is (310) 349-1663.

HCTV Video Link: https://youtu.be/8q4H2g41xbw?t=207
Event Pictures Link: https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/residents/events-gallery/homeless-services-office-ribbon-cutting-2022

Newly-Elected City Officials 12/13/22

On the City Council Meeting of December the 13th, newly elected officials were sworn into office in front of a packed council chambers. Katrina Manning received the most amount of votes with 4,146 securing her seat on the Dias. Incumbent Alex Monteiro reclaimed his council seat with 3,619 total votes. Dayna Williams-Hunter became our new City Clerk replacing Dr. Paul Jimenez after serving his full term, and Marie Poindexter-Hornback won a close race to become our new City Treasurer, who pulled out the victory over Gregory Fallon! Congrats to our new City Officials.

HCTV Video Link: https://youtu.be/t-JL4jJYYrs?t=5715
Event Pictures Link: https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/residents/council-presentations/meeting-12-13-22

Holiday Home Decorating Contest 12/14/22

The City of Hawthorne continued tradition with its' Annual Holiday Home Decorating Contest! This contest is for Hawthorne residents only. Many participated in this festive event, going all out decorating their houses in hopes of getting that 1st place recognition! This event also helps bring in the holiday cheer and get our community bright and sparkly. You can watch the decorating contest and see who won in the link below from our very own HCTV Channel 22!
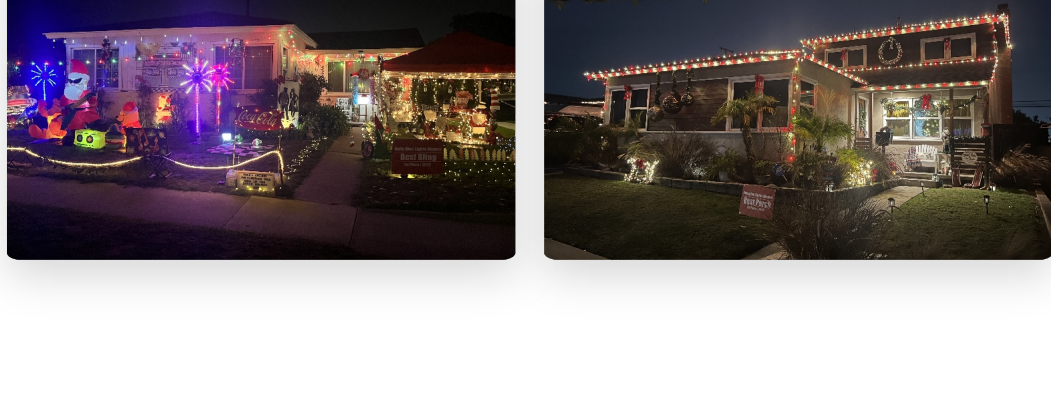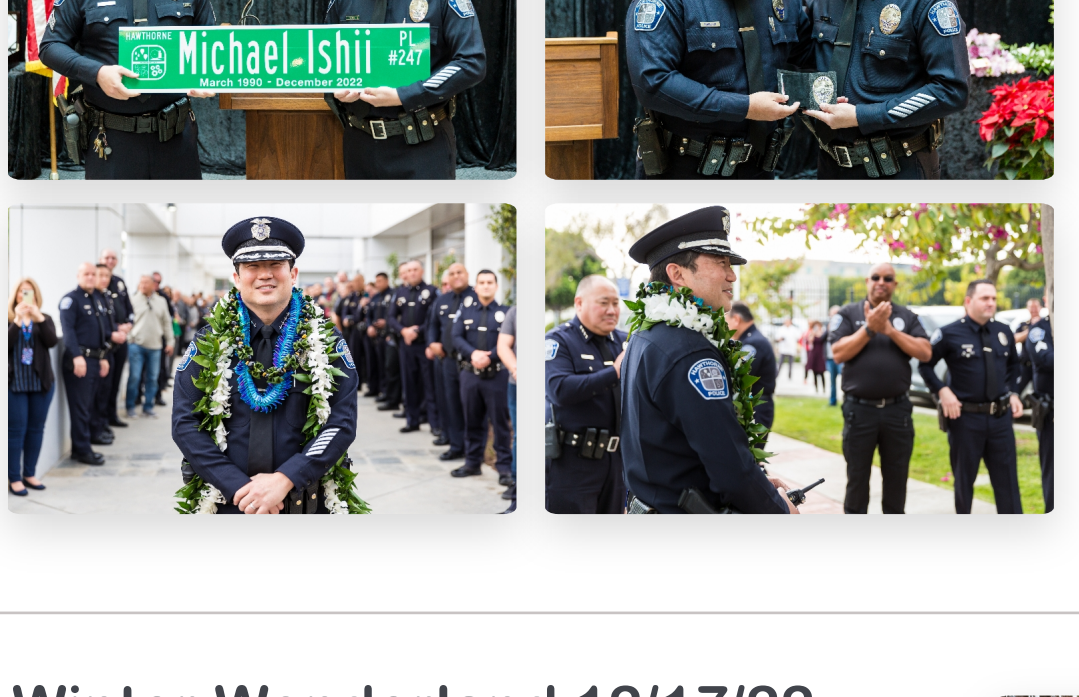
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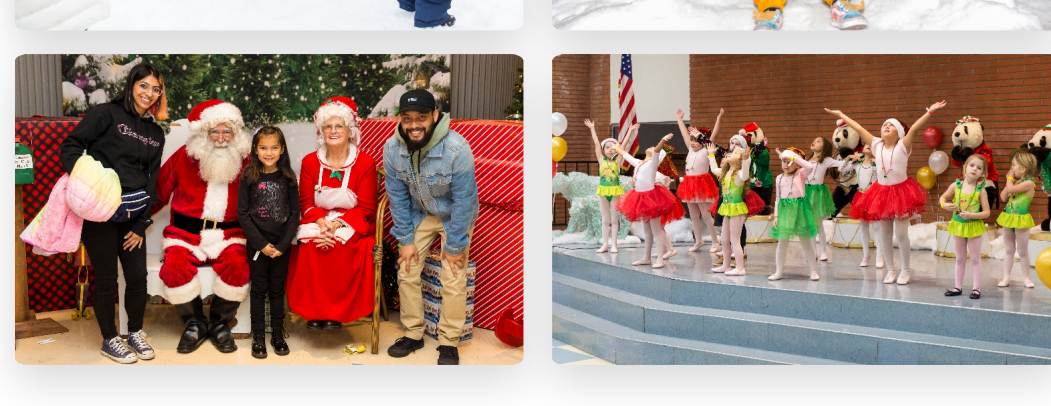
Police Chief Retires 12/15/22

On Dec. 15, 2022, Chief Michael Ishii officially retired from the Hawthorne Police Department after serving 32 years! The mark he left on the department will not be forgotten. In his place will be Interim Police Chief Gary Tomatani.

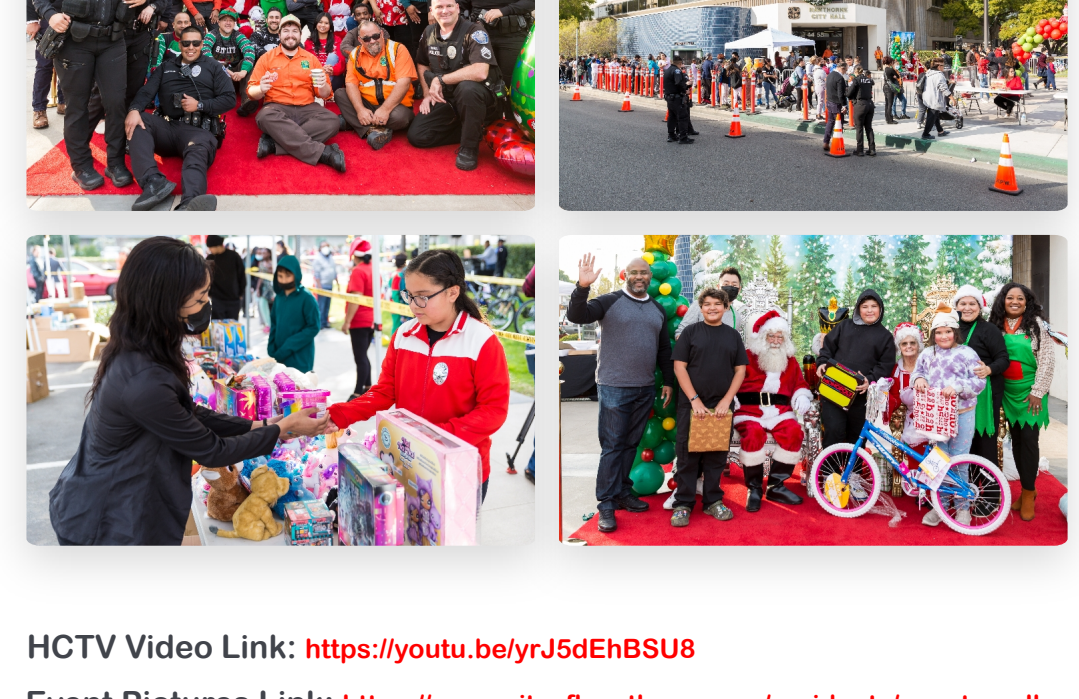Thank you Michael Ishii for all your years of service in the City and keeping the community safe!

Winter Wonderland 12/17/22

Winter Wonderland returned to Hawthorne on December 17, 2022 at the Hawthorne Memorial Center. This year was even bigger than ever with the addition of performances inside the Memorial Center, inflatables, holiday music, face painting, food trucks to go along with the sledding on snow and pictures with Santa! Thank you to all that came out and made this event a HUGE success!

HCTV Video Link: https://youtu.be/8q4H2g41xbw?t=344
Event Pictures Link: https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/residents/events-gallery/winter-wonderland-2022

## Good Neighbors Toy Giveaway 12/22/22

Good Neighbors Toy Giveaway, hosted by Angie Reyes English, took place on December 22nd at City Hall. Over 350 families received toys, and over 20 bikes were raffled off. Santa made a second pit stop in Hawthorne before Christmas to take pictures with families and see who's been naughty and who's been nice! Thanks to all that helped make this a successful event.

HCTV Video Link: https://youtu.be/yrJ5dEbBSU8
Event Pictures Link: https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/residents/events-gallery/good-neighbors-toy-giveaway-2022
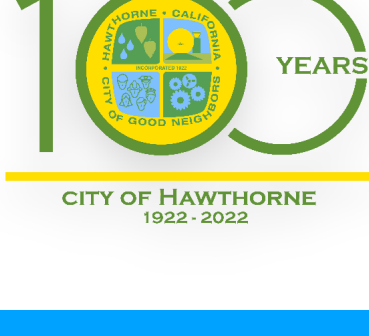
VIRTUAL CITY HALL

There's a new app for your phone!

With the "My Civic 311" app, City information and services are just a few taps away. Use this FREE app to quickly and easily request the City's most popular services, such as graffiti removal, pothole repair, unkept property, illegal dumping, illegal construction, etc. – the app sends the issue directly to City staff.

Additional features will be coming in the near future, please stay tuned.

Download the "My Civic 311" app onto your phone from any android or apple device.

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coming soon

- Winter Classes for Memorial Center & Sports Center start Wednesday, Jan 3, 2023! Register at... https://www.cityofhawthorne.org/departments/community-services/register-for-activities
- Fair Housing Foundation Virtual Workshop: Wednesday, January 11th @ 1:30pm – 3pm RSVP Today! (https://bit.ly/3uz2HmU) or call (800) 446-3247
- Seniors Warm Meals Program begin January 17th! For more information, call (310) 349-1650
- Homeless Count: Jan. 25th → to volunteer, please visit the following link..https://www.theycountwillyou.org/volunteer
- Landlord/Tenant Walk-In Clinic: Thursday, January 26th from 2pm – 4pm
- Hawthorne Housing Department - 4455 West 126th St. (1st floor) REGISTER TODAY! (https://bit.ly/3Ukts0L)
- Dog Park Ribbon Cutting coming soon! Location will be 3901 W. El Segundo Blvd. (behind homeless program office)
- Pickle Ball coming to the Betty Ainsworth Center! More info coming soon!

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