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Upcoming Community Clean-Up Events in San Joaquin County Volunteers encouraged to participate

Stockton, CA – San Joaquin County residents, businesses and local organizations are invited to participate in upcoming clean-up events throughout the year to help clear litter and debris from community locations and waterways. The events are led by the San Joaquin County Community Development Department, which staffs, coordinates, and supervises the events. Other participating County departments include Public Works and the Sheriff's Department Community Corps, which provide personnel to assist with loading and unloading items.

"We are extremely pleased with the tremendous pride residents have shown in their communities through clean-up efforts each year," said San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors Chair, Miguel Villapudua. "In just the first two months of 2024, over 50 tons of garbage has already been cleared by local volunteers in San Joaquin County. This helps dramatically reduce the amount of trash and blight in our communities, improves the quality of life for residents, businesses, and visitors, and makes San Joaquin County a beautiful place to live, work, and play."

Each event will take place from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and are intended to serve residents in the communities they occur in. The dates and locations are as follows:

March 2, 2024 (Free pick-up for seniors, disabled, and Veterans, Contact 209-468-8925)

Location: Kennedy Park (Parking lot on the south side of the park)

2800 S. D Street, Stockton

March 16, 2024

Location: Taft Elementary School (Parking lot west of the school)

419 W. Downing Avenue, Stockton

March 30, 2024 (Free pick-up for seniors, disabled, and Veterans. Contact 209-468-8925)

Location: Boggs Tract Community Center (Parking lot north of the building)

533 S. Los Angeles Avenue, Stockton

April 6, 2024

Location: Larch-Clover Community Center (Parking lot)

11157 W. Larch Road, Tracy

April 13, 2024

Location: French Camp Fire Station (Southeast side of station)

310 E. French Camp Road, French Camp

April 20, 2024

Location: Thornton (Location TBD)

May 4, 2024 (Tentative)

Location: Tully C. Knoles School (Parking Lot)

6511 Clarksburg Place, Stockton

May 18, 2024

Location: Woodbridge Elementary School (South parking lot)

1290 Lilac Street, Woodbridge

Morada: June 1, 2024

Location: Davis Elementary School (Front parking lot)

5224 E. Morada Lane, Stockton

June 15, 2024

Location: Amblers Club (Parking lot) 2000 N. Amblers Lane, Stockton

(On a private road on the south side of Country Club Boulevard, approximately three-quarters of a mile west of I-5)

June 29, 2024

Location: Lockeford Community Center (Parking lot)

19258 N. Jack Tone Rd, Lockeford

July 13, 2024

Location: Garden Acres Community Center (Parking lot)

607 Bird Ave, Stockton

July 27, 2024

Location: Northeast Community Center (Parking lot)

2885 E. Harding Way, Stockton

August 3, 2024

Location: Kennedy Park (Parking lot on the south side of the park)

2800 S. D Street, Stockton

August 17, 2024

Location: Taft Elementary School (Parking lot west of the school)

419 Downing Avenue, Stockton

Those interested in participating can just show up during the day and time of the event. Volunteers are encouraged to wear sunscreen and appropriate work clothing, as well as bring their own water and snacks. Tools for removing litter will be provided. Individuals are welcome to bring their own trash grabbers if they have them.

For questions or additional information contact 209-468-8925 or mmarin@sigov.org

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