



CITY OF SIGNAL HILL

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City of Signal Hill Public Library Update – Library to Close Through March 31, 2020 to Address COVID-19

SIGNAL HILL – The City of Signal Hill is diligently monitoring the evolving situation surrounding COVID-19. The City is under the jurisdiction of the L.A. County Department of Public Health, and we are committed to following all directives and guidance from County, State, and Federal health officials. The following additional precautionary measures will be in place through March 31, 2020, or until further notice.

“Ensuring the health and safety of our residents and employees is our top priority. These precautionary measures will help reduce community spread,” said Mayor Lori Y. Woods. “Please be assured that Signal Hill city officials are receiving regular updates regarding the latest information available from the County, the State, and the CDC, and using this information to determine appropriate measures.”

“Currently there are no reported cases of coronavirus in Signal Hill and it is important that we do all we can to help manage and contain transmission,” said Woods. “Everyone should continue following all guidance on personal prevention actions. We’ll continue to keep the community informed and appreciate everyone’s efforts as we work through this.”

Based on the latest information, the City will be taking the following additional precautionary measures:

Signal Hill Public Library

Effective Sunday, March 15, 2020 the Signal Hill Public Library will be closed through March 31, 2020. All programs, meeting room use, and facility rentals have been suspended through April 30, 2020.

- During this time, due dates for borrowed materials will be automatically extended, no late fines will be assessed, and patrons can return materials when libraries reopen.
- Library staff will be available to provide assistance through telephone reference at 562-989-7323, Monday – Friday from 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

- Text-a-Librarian will continue to be available at 562-284-2766, Monday – Friday from 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

We encourage our library patrons to make use of the Library's [digital resources](#), available 24/7. For assistance in accessing digital resources, please contact Library staff via telephone reference at 562-989-7323, Monday – Friday from 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The health and safety of our residents and employees is our highest priority. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and thank you for your continued support and understanding. We are actively monitoring information about COVID-19 so that we can respond as needed as the situation develops. We encourage you to use trusted resources for information on COVID-19. Visit <http://cityofsignalhill.org/coronavirus> for the latest information and guidelines on how to stay healthy. You can also dial 2-1-1 for information directly from the L.A. County Public Health Department.
