

THE ARCADIA HOT SHEET

July 2025

Highlighting News & Events from Around Town

ArcadiaCA.gov

Arcadia's Budget in Brief

Thanks to a longstanding commitment to conservative revenue forecasting and prudent spending, Arcadia enters the coming year in a stable fiscal position. This means residents, businesses, and visitors can continue to enjoy all the programs, events, and services they value - without any reductions or cutbacks.

Improvements for Our Community's Needs

To meet growing community needs, the City will launch new programs totaling \$132,300 that enhance public service and safety.

- The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program will be established, offering training to volunteers on disaster preparedness and emergency response.
- The Fire Department will undergo a Standards of Cover (SOC) assessment to evaluate community risk, resource distribution, performance, and areas for service improvement.
- The Police Department will subscribe to the Sharp Performance App, which supports officer wellness with tailored mental health tools, stress management, and wellness tracking, helping reduce burnout and improve job performance.
- The City's Public Records Portal currently has 10 concurrent viewing licenses, which are often at capacity, limiting access to City records. The upgraded portal will add 15 more licenses, improving access for those seeking instant access to public documents.



**NEW PROGRAMS
TOTALING \$132,300**



**EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT
TOTALING \$3.2 MILLION**



**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS
TOTALING \$24.1 MILLION**

Strengthening Infrastructure & Equipment

With 32 projects planned for the next year, the Capital Improvement Plan will focus on essential infrastructure upgrades across Arcadia. This includes plumbing and carpet repairs at the Arcadia Public Library, lighting upgrades at all three Fire Stations, debris removal at Wilderness Park, expanding the water treatment capacity of the Orange Grove Well, repaving city streets, and upgrading sewerline capacity on Santa Anita Avenue, totaling \$24.1 million.

Through the Equipment Replacement Fund, Arcadia stays ahead of costly repairs by replacing aging equipment before it breaks or reaches the end of its life cycle. Public Works Services, Fire, and Police Departments will also receive new heavy-duty vehicles to ensure safe, efficient operations, totaling \$3.2 million.

Responsible Budgeting for Future Success

What was once a projected \$3 million deficit for FY 2024-25 became a \$34,000 surplus thanks to stronger revenues and strategic cost management. Looking ahead, the City anticipates another surplus of \$88,400 in FY 2025-26, but remains prepared to respond to any sudden changes in economic conditions with healthy reserves. The City continues on the responsible path forward, maintaining high-quality services while staying flexible and prepared to adapt as economic conditions evolve.

For more information on the City's Budget, visit ArcadiaCA.gov/Budget.

City of Arcadia

HEALTH FAIR

Saturday,
September 20

9AM-1PM
Arcadia Community Center

Free and open to all



FLU SHOTS • INFORMATION
SCREENINGS • CONSULTS

Flu shots available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Shuttle service available from Arcadia Performing Arts Center parking lot. Overflow parking available at Holy Angels Church.

ArcadiaCA.gov/HealthFair



USC Arcadia Hospital
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美国重庆总商会
American Chongqing General Chamber of Commerce

Outdoor Watering Schedule

ONLY ON
TUESDAYS AND SATURDAYS
Before 9:00 am and after 6:00 pm



Limit overhead sprinklers
to 10 minutes per station

Trees and shrubs may be
irrigated any day with a hand-
held hose and shut-off nozzle
before 9am and after 6pm

Rebates
available for
Outdoor
Irrigation
Controllers &
Soil Moisture
Systems

Rebates are available at SoCalWaterSmart.com
For more information, visit ArcadiaCA.gov/WaterConservation, or
contact the Public Works Services Department at (626) 254-2700

★ ★ ★ CITY OF ARCADIA ★ ★ ★ MILITARY BANNER PROGRAM

The Military Banner Program was established to honor and recognize living military personnel from Arcadia. Street banners honoring those who have served in the United States Armed Forces will be proudly displayed along Huntington Drive and Baldwin Avenue in the month of November.

APPLICATION NOW OPEN!

Application is available online or in person.
This program is on a first- come, first- serve basis.

The Military Banner Program is administered by the
Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage.

380 W. Huntington Dr., Arcadia, CA 91007
ArcadiaCA.gov/Museum | (626)574-5440



FREE CONCERTS & MOVIES

Concert at 6:30pm | Movie at dusk

Arcadia City Hall Lawn, 240 W. Huntington Drive

Parking available at City Hall Lot & Santa Anita Race Track, Gate 5

Thursdays through July 31

View the lineup at ArcadiaCA.gov/Events