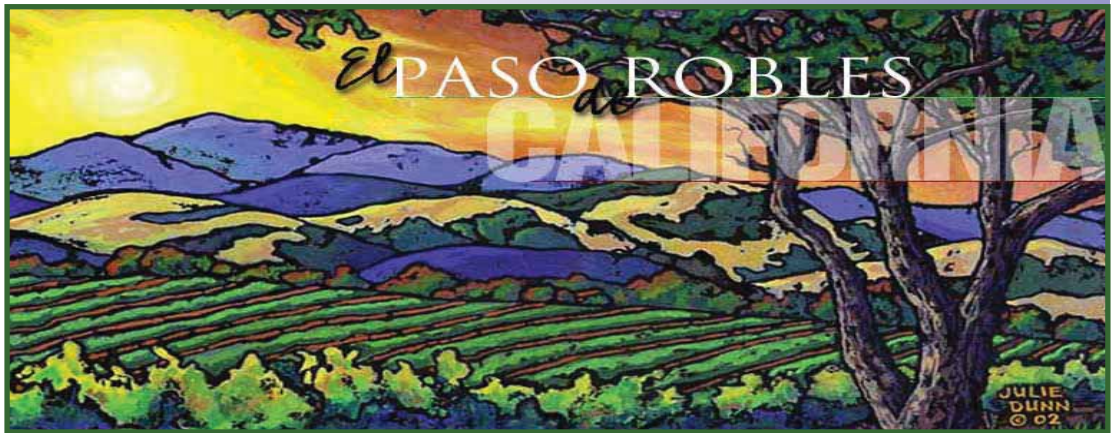


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Planning Commission Reorganization Dinner

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February 28, 2016

The Planning Commission held their annual Reorganization Dinner at Panolivo Family Bistro on Sunday night and welcomed new Commissioner's Shannon Agredano and Sheree Davis.

The Planning Commission is responsible for reviewing new development applications and environmental documents and can also make recommendations to the City Council on legislative matters.

Commissioner's Agredano and Davis were chosen by City Council after a thorough interview process in early February and will attend their first Planning Commission

meeting on Tuesday, March 8th.

Commissioner Agredano has been a Paso Robles resident for ten years and is a retired police officer and former owner of an electrical contracting business. She has served on the City of Hollister Planning Commission and is excited for the opportunity to contribute her time to the City of Paso Robles.

Commissioner Davis is a fifth generation native to the Paso Robles area and has planning

and government experience from her previous roles as President and CEO of the Paso Robles Chamber of Commerce and Director of Government Affairs for the San Luis Obispo Chamber of Commerce. Her passion for our community and familiarity with planning issues has lead her to the Paso Robles Planning Commission.

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Special points of interest:

- PC bids farewell to Commissioners Vanderlip and Cooper
- Commissioner Bob Rollins elected Planning Commission Chair
- Councilman Hamon accepts Award on behalf of Rotary Club
- Campfire Cooking Safety



Planning Commission Reorganization Dinner - Continued...

Commissioner's Agredano and Davis assumed seats vacated by Chairman Vince Vanderlip and Commissioner Darrell Cooper.

The Reorganization Dinner is a yearly tradition for the Planning Department to celebrate the dedication and service of all Planning Commissioners.

Those who have fulfilled their terms are presented with plaques commemorating their years of service, and the Chairman is recognized for his leadership.

Chairman Vince Vanderlip, whose term came to a close at the end of February, has served on the Planning Commission for over 6 years. He has held the position of Chairman two times during his time on the Commission and was recognized on Sunday night for his years of service and dedication.

Commissioner Darrell Cooper leaves the commission after two years of service and is looking forward to continuing to serve his community in new ways outside of the Commission.

Mr. Vanderlip, in his final motion as Chairman, conducted the yearly solicitation of nominations to elect new Chair and Vice Chair positions for the Planning Commission. Commissioner Bob Rollins was appointed as the 2016 Chairman and Commissioner John Donaldson was selected for the position of Vice Chair.

Community Development Director Warren Frace concluded the Reorganization Dinner with words of thanks for outgoing Commissioners and expressed his hopes for new Commissioners Agredano and Davis to continue to help the City of Paso Robles and further the growth of the community.

-Kristy Buxkemper



Commissioner Darrell Cooper



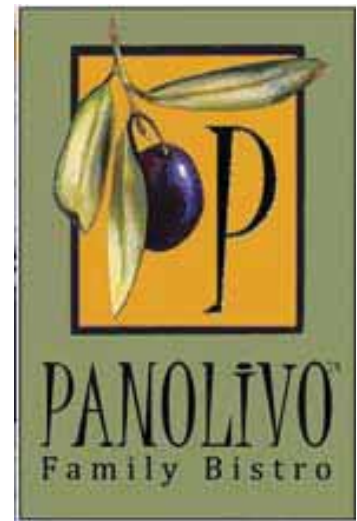
Commissioner John Donaldson selected as the 2016 Vice Chair



2015 Planning Commission Chairman Vanderlip



Commissioner Bob Rollins selected as the new 2016 Chairman



Centennial Park Pool Rehabilitation Underway



February saw the start of the rehabilitation projects at the City's Centennial and Municipal pools.

General contractor Newton Construction & Management began at the Centennial facility and have been working on installing new handicap ramps in the parking lot, a ramp into the pool and other required ADA modifications.

Additional work includes; remodeled restrooms and life-guard rooms, a new outdoor shower, refurbished trellis and new paint.



The Municipal Pool facility closed to users on February 27 and work to rehabilitate the buildings, sidewalks and pool deck is just starting.



Paso Robles City Library Transformed Into Wonderful World of Dr. Seuss

March 2, 2016, Paso Robles, CA—The children’s area of the Paso Robles City Library was alive with color and whimsy on Wednesday, March 2 as Dr. Seuss fans of all ages gathered to celebrate the 112th birthday of the beloved children’s author. Close to 98 children and their parents participated in the festivities which was sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Upon arrival Library guests were greeted by Cindy Lou Who’s Grandmother (staff assistant Darlene Delavega) along with a Seussical directional sign pointing visitors toward the many activities taking place in the Library. There was a One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish photo booth where visitors could take a selfie with the Cat in the Hat or Thing One and Thing Two. A special story time featuring a favorite Dr. Seuss book was shared by none other than the Cat in the Hat. Following the story, children were invited to create a One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish poster. Seuss themed sugar cookies, created for the occasion by students at the Paso Robles Culinary Academy, were served to Library guests by the Cat in the Hat (Library volunteer Francis Glasier). Finally, everyone was invited to relax in the Library conference room during a special screening of the animated feature film *The Lorax*.

Seuss’s birthday celebration coincides with the National Education Association’s Read Across America Day, a nationwide reading celebration. Across the United States, thousands of schools, libraries, and community centers participate by celebrating reading.

“The Paso Robles City Library is proud to be part of this nationwide celebration,” commented Julie Dahlen, Director of Library and Recreation Services. “In the world of children’s literature, Dr. Seuss is the definitive children’s book author and illustrator. It is wonderful to see the joy of his many stories brought to life in the Library today.”

Theodor Seuss Geisel, better known as the beloved Dr. Seuss, was born in 1904 in Springfield, Massachusetts. His many colorful and zany tales are cherished by young and old alike. During his life, Seuss released forty six books for children, many of which have been translated into over twenty languages and are enjoyed around the world.



The Paso Robles Library is located at 1000 Spring Street and is open Monday-Friday 10-8, and Saturday 10-5. Visit www.prcity.com/library



Francis Glasier serves treats



Children create a One Fish, Two Fish poster



Charlotte Gribble enjoys a Cat in the Hat Cookie



Children attended the Cat in the Hat Story time

Police Department Probation/Parole Compliance Operation Nets Six Arrests in North County

On Friday, February 26th, the PRPD Investigations Bureau conducted a compliance check operation focusing on persons on probation and parole. Due to a recent spike in property crimes in our area, the focus of this operation was on probationers and parolees with histories of property crime and narcotics related offenses.

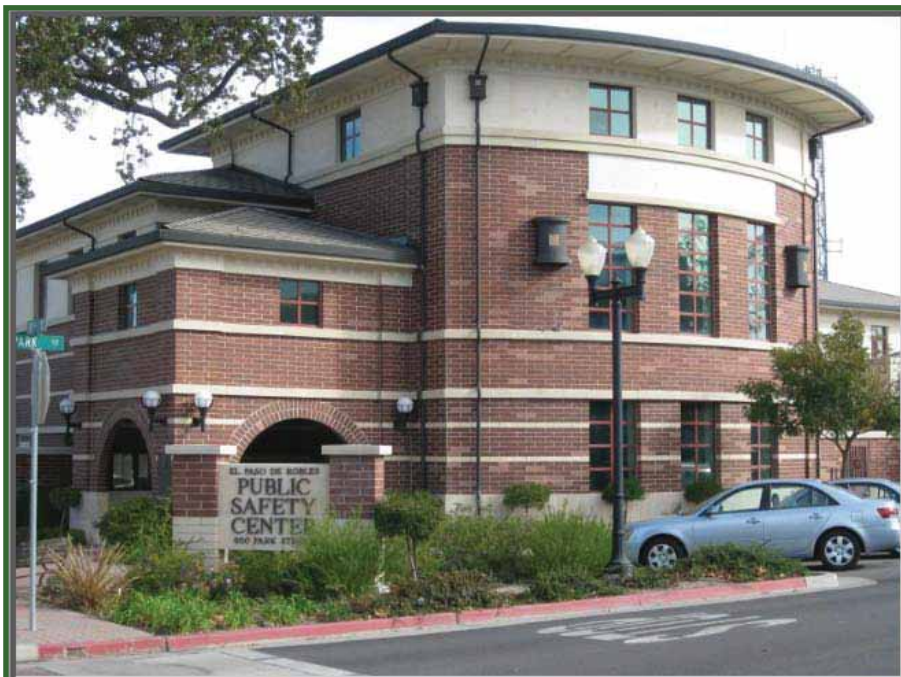
SET (Special Enforcement Team) Detective Ricky Lehr was responsible for this operation, which utilized 25 personnel from PRPD, Atascadero PD, Atascadero State Hospital PD, SLO County Probation Department, and the SLO County Sheriff's Office Gang Task Force.

The operation, which took place from 5PM to midnight, resulted in officers contacting 31 subjects at their places of residence in both Paso Robles and Atascadero. During the operation, officers arrested five people for violating the terms of their probation. One other person was arrested for an outstanding warrant and also for being in possession of narcotics paraphernalia.

This type of operation is an important component of the Department's ongoing proactive efforts to keep our community safe. The PRPD will continue to work in partnership with our allied law enforcement agencies countywide to address crime trends in the City.



Detective Ricky Lehr



Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG)

In early 2015, Emergency Services submitted an Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) application seeking funds for the replacement of Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA). The intent was to replace SCBA units that were at their end-of-life (more than ten years). A grant award was made for their replacement at a cost of \$200,000. This represented significant cost avoidance for the General Fund of an expensive and unbudgeted item.

SCBA's allow firefighters to conduct operations within hazard areas by providing fresh air to the while they conduct fire attack, search and rescue. Each pack weights about 22 pounds, this is in addition to the 14 pounds of protective clothing each firefighter wears.

The SCBA units just arrived and Firefighters are now actively training on them. Features include quick connect cylinders, heads-up displays indicating remaining air pressure, and connections to buddy-breathe (assisting other firefighters who may have run out of air).



From left to right: Firefighter Nate Bass, Firefighter Joel Platter and Fire Captain Randy Harris.

Campfire Cooking Safety

- Build fires in areas away from overhanging trees and on flat ground
- Clear area of all leaf and wood debris
- Use a fire ring that is built from stone
- Keep 10 feet space between fire and vegetation, tent, and other flammable materials
- Do not build a fire when wind is present
- Always have water and a shovel on hand to put fire out quickly
- Keep your fire small
- Never leave a fire unattended
- When done with your fire put it out by drowning it with water and stirring ashes until they are cold to the touch
- More information from Smokey Bear...



Employee Recognition Award Joseph Camsuzou -



At Tuesday night's City Council meeting, Public Works employee Joseph Camsuzou was recognized and presented an award by City Manager Thomas Frutchey and Mayor Steve Martin.

Joseph, or "JP" as fellow employee's know him as, attended UTI (Universal Technical Institute) in Arizona and received a degree in diesel and diesel industrial. JP has worked at Paso Truck center and at Paso Robles School District.

Since he's started working at the City of Paso Robles in June of 2015, JP has done an outstanding job, and due to his knowledge, he has helped significantly cut down on Vehicles being sent to vendors for difficult repairs and is able to tackle them firsthand.

JP has over ten years of hands on experience, combined with his countless hours of studying and research, both contributed to JP successfully passing his Automotive Service Excellence test.

Employee's are given a year to obtain their ASE Certification when they are first employed. JP completed his required ASE certification in his first six months with the City of Paso Robles. Motivated further, he then decided he wanted to pursue his Master ASE for Medium/Heavy Trucks, and has completed that within his first 9 months.

The City of Paso Robles is honored to award such a hard-working employee and recognize his dedication and accomplishments.




National Institute for
AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE EXCELLENCE

ASE Certification Status

Joseph P Camsuzou Current February 01, 2018
San Miguel, CA 92441-9098 10145 W.A.A.
ASE ID: AUC 9334-4933

This individual currently has the ASE certification status shown below:



Current ASE Designations

Certification	Test Status
Medium/Heavy Truck Test #1000	T - Master/Heavy Truck

ASE Certification Details

Test	Description	Expiration Date	Status
T1	Automotive Engines	03/31/2020	Current
T2	Diesel Engines	06/30/2021	Current
T3	Drive Train	06/30/2021	Current
T4	Brakes	12/31/2020	Current
T5	Suspension & Steering	06/30/2021	Current
T6	Electrical/Electronic Systems	12/31/2020	Current
T7	Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning	06/30/2021	Current
T8	Powertrain Maintenance & Inspection	03/31/2020	Current

To become ASE certified, you must pass an ASE test and have the required amount of relevant hands-on work experience. You can download the Work Experience Form at www.ase.com/ceform. Any required certification can be reinstated by taking the corresponding recertification test. If you have any questions, please contact us.

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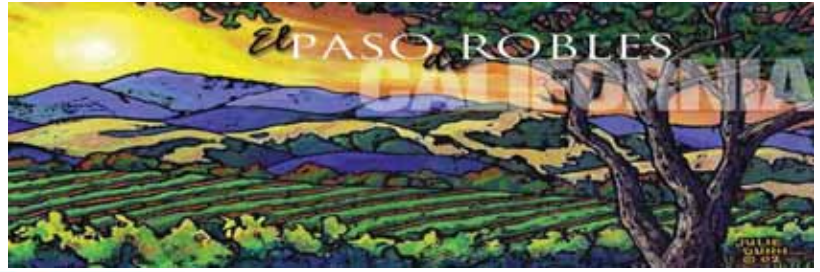
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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA LOS PADRES COUNCIL

We're on the Web! www.prcity.com

On Friday, February 26th the Boy Scouts of America held the Del Norte District Awards Dinner to celebrate a year of accomplishments and recognize their great volunteers and scouts. They enjoyed a tri-tip BBQ and congregated at the First Baptist Church in Paso Robles.

City of Paso Robles City Planner, Susan DeCarli had the honor of watching her son, Cameron Clark, be presented the prestigious award of "Boy Scout of the Year." Cameron has been in Boy Scout Troop 434 of Templeton for 11 years. His current position is Senior Patrol Leader and he has a "Life" rank, soon to be an "Eagle" Scout. His family and troop are proud of his accomplishments and contributions to the Boy Scouts of America.

Councilman John Hamon also accepted an award, on behalf of the Rotary Club, for Chartered Organization of the Year.

2016 Del Norte District Award Recipients:

- **Boy Scout of the Year - Cameron Clark**
- **Varsity Scout of the Year - Spencer Anderson**
- **Venturing Scout of the Year - Mason Hargrave**
- **Charter Organization - Paso Robles Rotary**
- **Cub Leader of the Year - Cynthia Ecret**
- **Rosemary Fryer Spirit Award - Donald R. Luce**
- **District Award of Merit - Juanita Zuniga**

2016 Del Norte District Awards Dinner



Friday, February 26th 6:00-9:00

**First Baptist Church
1645 Park Street
Paso Robles, CA**

