PRESS RELEASE

STATEMENT FROM MAYOR BLANCA PACHECO

CITY EVENTS POSTPONED THROUGH THE END OF MARCH

Downey, CA, March 12, 2020:

Dear Downey Residents:

In light of this morning’s announcement from Governor Newsom and public health officials to postpone events of more than 250 people, the City will be following that recommendation and postponing the events listed below. This list also includes Downey Theatre events. City staff will work closely with those agencies affected by this decision to reschedule events for future dates.

The City is continuing to diligently monitor news surrounding the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak and will provide updates as needed. Please be assured that the City is committed to the health and safety of our community. City staff will continue to work with all local partner agencies to ensure every action is taken to prevent the spread of COVID-19.
As a reminder, please continue to follow these health precautions:

- Stay home when sick
- Cover your coughs and sneezes with a tissue or sleeve
- Wash your hands often with soap and water, for at least 20 seconds
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth
- Avoid close contact with those who are sick when out in public.

Social distancing of at least six feet while members of the community are in public spaces is also encouraged.

Please visit the L.A. County Department of Public Health and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention websites for up-to-date information on COVID-19.

Sincerely,

Mayor Blanca Pacheco

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