



## ABOUT TOWN - APRIL 11, 2024

### UPDATE FROM MORAGA TOWN STAFF

#### THIS YEAR IS MORAGA'S 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY!

Moraga was incorporated as a town in 1974 and is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year! The Town will have events and activities planned to celebrate Moraga's Semicentennial, including a parade prior to the Pear and Wine Festival on September 28. If you would like to be in the parade, please fill out the [application](#) before May 31 as space is limited!

For information on upcoming activities, visit <https://www.moraga.ca.us/50thAnniversary>.



#### TOWN COUNCIL ACTIONS ON APRIL 10, 2024



**INTERACTIVE FEATURE:** Click the title of the item below to view the slide deck presented at the Town Council meeting. (*if an item is not linked, there was no presentation for that item*)

#### MORAGA YOUTH INVOLVEMENT COMMITTEE PRESENTATION

#### REVISED STREET REHABILITATION COST SHARING POLICY

Your Town Council **adopted a resolution** revising the Town of Moraga's Street Rehabilitation Cost Sharing Policy to allow for the use of the Town's Measure K Sales Tax funds to pay for sidewalk area repairs which are part of Town street rehabilitation projects, while retaining private property owner obligations set forth in the Moraga Municipal Code pertaining to the public right-of-way.

Additionally, the Town Council **introduced an Ordinance** amending the Moraga Municipal Code Title 12, Chapter 12.04, Sidewalks, to incorporate the Revised Street Rehabilitation Cost Sharing Policy and other conforming amendments.

[View the Staff Report.](#)



Commons Park Restroom is now open! Thank you for your patience during our construction, unforeseen issues, and weather problems.



#### OPENING ON THE ART IN PUBLIC SPACES COMMITTEE!

The Art in Public Spaces Committee has a newly open seat. If you wish to apply, please head over to the [Town's website](#) to read about the Art in Public Spaces Committee or click the link below to complete your application! The deadline to submit your application is **Monday, 4/22/24**.

[Link to Art in Public Spaces Application](#)



## LAMORINDA IDOL 2024: AUDITION REGISTRATION OPEN APRIL 1 - 30

Established in 2006, Lamorinda Idol is a singing program open to students in K-12 grades who either attend school or reside in Lamorinda. Singers may enter as soloists or in groups. Students from outside Lamorinda are permitted to participate in the group categories, provided that at least one member of the group meets the residential requirement.

To access the Program Description for Lamorinda Idol 2024 visit <https://lamorindaarts.org/idol-2/>.

If you have questions, send them to [idol@lamorindaarts.org](mailto:idol@lamorindaarts.org).



## ARTIST'S SKETCH CRAWL @ SAINT MARY'S!

**Join Saint Mary's College Museum of Art (SMCMoA) and the Town of Moraga in our 1st Artist's Sketch Crawl!**

This is in partnership with Saint Mary's College Museum of Art and Art in Public Spaces Committee of Moraga. It's an opportunity to be on a beautiful college campus with amazing archways, fountains, and sculptures, leave the world behind as you spend the afternoon sketching, painting, or making poetry. There will be 3 half hour time blocks to individually create art, then the group will join back together to share. Contact Teresa Onoda at [onodaart@gmail.com](mailto:onodaart@gmail.com) for more information.



### Date & Time

Saturday, April 27, 2024, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

### Location (On-campus)

Saint Mary's College Museum of Art  
1928 St. Marys Road  
Moraga, CA 94575

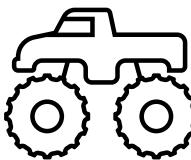
[Link to Webpage Here](#)



## TOUCH-A-TRUCK EVENT: SATURDAY, 5/4, FROM 11 AM-1 PM

Join Parks and Recreation at Moraga Commons Park on Saturday, **5/4, from 11 am- 1 pm** for this FREE event. See, touch, honk, and explore a dump truck, tractor, police car, garbage truck, fire truck, and MORE!

Contact [recdesk@moraga.ca.us](mailto:recdesk@moraga.ca.us) for more information.



## UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS

Wed., 4/16/24, 6:30 PM – Planning Commission Meeting, Council Chambers

Wed., 4/24/24, 6:30 PM – Town Council, Council Chambers

The Town Council Chambers are located at [335 Rheem Boulevard, Moraga, CA 94556](https://www.google.com/maps/place/335+Rheem+Boulevard,+Moraga,+CA+94556). The Casita, Terrace Room, La Sala Room, and Hacienda de las Flores are located at [2100 Donald Drive, Moraga, CA 94556](https://www.google.com/maps/place/2100+Donald+Drive,+Moraga,+CA+94556).

All meetings are open to the public. Visit the [Town's](#) website for updated agendas and packets.

## How to watch live streaming of the Town Council meetings:

The Town of Moraga Livestreams Town Council and Planning Commission meetings using YouTube. Click here to [view live streaming of meetings](#) or type or paste this link in your browser <https://www.youtube.com/@TownofMoraga335streams> to view these meetings.



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## April 11<sup>th</sup> is National Pet Day!



We are pleased to present a few of our Town Staff pets...

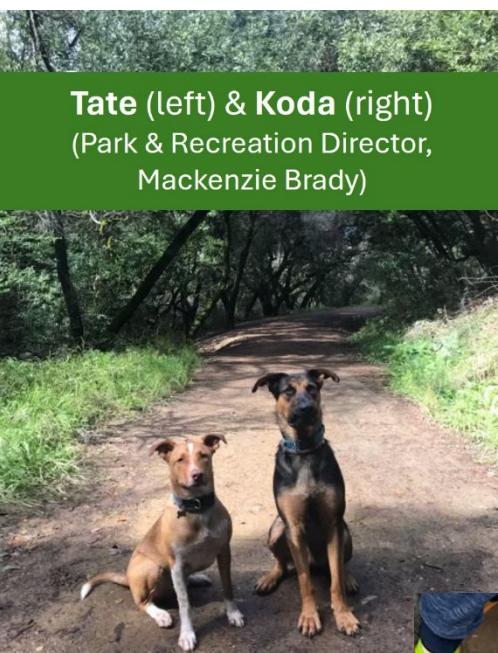
### Buster (left) & Riley (right)

(Police Chief, Jon King)



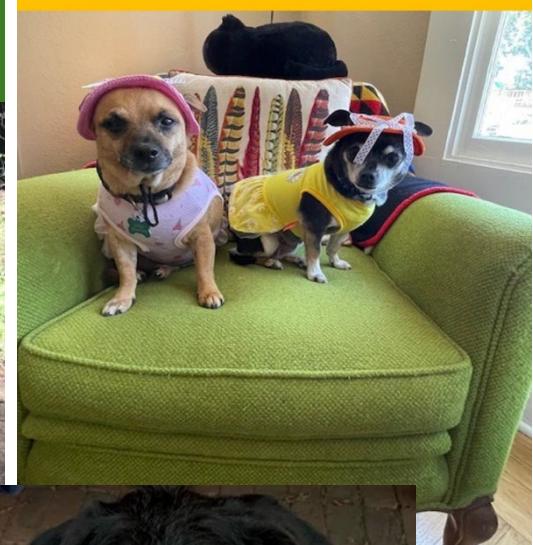
### Tate (left) & Koda (right)

(Park & Recreation Director, Mackenzie Brady)



### Chili (left) & Gladys (right)

(Town Clerk, Amy Heavener)



### Bailey

(Town Manager, Scott Mitnick)



### Ethel

(Administrative Services Director, Katie Bruner)