



ABOUT TOWN

January 29, 2026
Updates from Moraga Town Staff



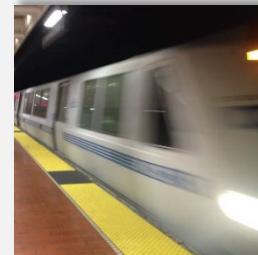
TOWN COUNCIL ACTIONS on January 28, 2026

Presentations

BART Role in the Region – Director Matt Rinn

Director Rinn made a presentation to Town Council and Principal Government and Community Relations Representative, Tonya Love, provided follow-up information.

[View the slideshow here.](#)



Proclamation

Council approved a proclamation recognizing January 27th as **International Holocaust Remembrance Day**.

[View the Proclamation here.](#)

Department Reports

Proposed 2026 Lamorinda Legislative Framework

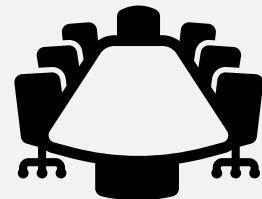
Town Council approved by minute order the Lamorinda Legislative Framework, which becomes the official legislative policy document for the three Lamorinda municipalities.

[View the Staff Report here.](#)

NOW Accepting Applications for 2026 Committees & Commissions!

APPLY NOW! SERVE ON A TOWN OF MORAGA COMMITTEE OR COMMISSION

- [Art in Public Spaces - 2 Seats](#) (3 Year Terms)
- [Audit and Finance Committee - 3 Seats](#) (2 Year Terms)
- [Local Sales Tax Oversight Committee - 5 Seats](#) (2 Year Terms)
- [Parks and Recreation Commission - 3 Seats](#) (2 Year Terms)
- [Planning Commission - 3 Seats](#) (2 Year Terms)
- [Library Commission - 1 Seat](#) (4 Year Term)



THE APPLICATION PERIOD CLOSES ON JANUARY 31, 2026!

Please navigate to the Committee/Commission that interests you for more information and to fill out an application. Town Council will interview applicants in February before appointments are made later in the month. Visit link for more information: <https://moraga.ca.us/260/Committees-Commissions>

Chalk a Haiku and Poetry Reading Event for Valentines Day

CHALK A HAIKU

Show your love for Moraga on Valentine's Day.

Draw a poem or picture in chalk on the sidewalk on St. Mary's Road in front of the Moraga Library -

Saturday, February 14,
11am-1:00pm. Chalk provided.

Brought to you by:
Town of Moraga Art in Public Spaces Committee

Moraga Art in Public Spaces is sponsoring a fun, free community event on Valentine's Day, **Saturday, February 14th, at the Moraga Library**

Celebrate Valentine's Day with creativity and community at the Moraga Library on Saturday, February 14, 2026, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The event includes a live poetry reading by poets from Saint Mary's College inside the library. Outside, the sidewalk along St. Mary's Road becomes a canvas for chalk haikus, drawings, and messages expressing what you love about Moraga. Sponsored by Moraga's Art in Public Spaces Committee, this free, all-ages event invites participants to write, draw, listen, and connect.

No experience needed.

Chalk provided.

Families, students, and community members *welcome!*

Youth Hall of Fame - Nominations Due by February 20

Seeking Nominations for Contra Costa County Youth Hall of Fame



The Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors is now accepting nominations for the 2026 Contra Costa County Youth Hall of Fame Awards. These awards are presented annually to outstanding young Contra Costa residents between the ages of 12 and 18.

Nominees should demonstrate exceptional character in one of six areas:

▪ Good Samaritan	▪ Leadership and Civic Engagement
▪ Volunteerism	▪ Perseverance
▪ Teamwork	▪ Innovation and Empowerment

For more information and the application to nominate youth in our community, click [Nomination Form](#). Nominations must be received or postmarked by **February 20th**.

Recipients will be recognized at the March 31, 2026, Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors' Cesar E. Chavez Celebration in Martinez, with the event also streamed on Contra Costa Television and the County's website.

EBRPD Trails Challenge - All Year

Kick off the new year with adventure!

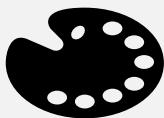
The East Bay Regional Park District's 2026 Trails Challenge began January 1. Explore the beauty of the East Bay by hiking, biking, or horseback riding on trails throughout the Regional Parks system.



The Trails Challenge Guidebook highlights 20 treks, selected to showcase a variety of experiences and differing intensity levels, from easy strolls to challenging climbs. *To complete the Challenge...* finish five of the routes featured in the guidebook or traverse a combination of 26.2 miles on any trails in the Regional Parks. Submit a completed Trails Challenge log online or by mail to request a commemorative pin. The Challenge runs all year long, so hit the trails and enjoy the views!

Pick up a free guidebook and participant T-shirt while supplies last at Park District Visitor Centers. Learn more and download a PDF version of the guide on the [Trails Challenge webpage](#).

RecycleSmart and Republic Services Second Annual Truck Sign Art Contest



Young artists in Moraga can help create the highly visible educational truck signs on the Republic Services recycle, compost, and garbage trucks! **Students in 3rd – 12th grades are invited to participate** in the 2026 truck sign art contest that highlights any or all of the

Five R's – Refuse, Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, and Rot – to raise awareness and encourage everyone to prevent and reduce waste.

Artwork submissions are due **March 27, 2026**.

For submission guidelines visit:

www.recyclesmart.org/truck-sign-art-contest



UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS

Tuesday	02/03/26	CANCELLED	Planning Commission Meeting, Council Chambers
Monday	02/09/26	6:30 pm	Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting, Chambers
Wednesday	02/11/26	5:30 pm	Town Council Meeting, Council Chambers

Town Council Chambers are located at 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. 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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Bon Voyage Amy!

Today, we bid farewell and best wishes to our **stellar Town Clerk, Amy Heavener**, who is moving on to helm the City of Livermore. Her expertise, professionalism and good nature have been a huge benefit to the Town, the Council and her fellow staffmembers. She served the Town of Moraga with excellence and we thank her so much for her contributions!

