

July 2019

# NEVADA CITY NEWSLETTER



## POWER OUTAGES

### CITY COUNCIL MEETING DATE CHANGE

City Council meetings are generally the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month. Due to Summer Nights, the second meeting in July will be on **Tuesday, July 23rd**.

### City Hall Closed

- July 4: Independence Day



### CREDIT CARDS

City Hall, the Police Department and the Swimming Pool are now accepting credit cards for payment of utility bills, parking tickets, planning fees, pool admissions and more. The swimming pool is no longer accepting checks for any payments. Many City Hall payments can be made online on the City's website: [nevadacityca.gov](http://nevadacityca.gov)

Click on "Pay my Bill Online"

### No Town Hall Mtgs.

Council Member Minett will not have any Town Hall Meetings in July or August. Watch for a meeting announcement in September.

PG&E will be temporarily turning off power to areas when/if they have a very high risk of fire. During the City council meeting on June 12, questions and concerns about this were answered by a representative from the company. After power is cut out, places in town will probably get power back in under 24 hours however, places in outlying areas, depending on how difficult it is to reach the location, may take 48 hours or longer. In the event of a power outage, PG&E will set up a customer resource center. This

is basically a large tent with electricity, air conditioning, cold water, customer service representatives and almost any form of relief needed. PG&E will try to let all their customers with medical needs that might be affected by an outage at least 48 hours in advance via telephone. If they cannot reach a customer by telephone they will send a truck with gas service representatives to notify them. It is very important to update your contact information with PG&E by visiting their website or by calling them during normal business

hours (the address for their website and their phone number are both provided at the end of the article). Customers should have a plan before a power outage occurs so that they know what to do and where to go. Recently, PG&E has put up more weather stations. This is helpful because they will be able to see more accurately whether they need to turn off the power or not. PG&E website: <https://m.pge.com/#email/alerts> PG&E phone number: 1-866-743-6589

## NCPD ENFORCES NO SMOKING ORDINANCE

NCPD has begun enforcing the smoking ordinance/program in downtown. Any individual in violation will be cited. The goal is to have healthy air in Nevada City and prevent littering of cigarette butts downtown.

### Historic Nevada City Smoke-Free Zone

Smoking is prohibited in unenclosed areas of the following places within the City of Nevada City. This is in addition to places where smoking is already prohibited by state or federal law.

- City properties, including all sidewalks and

streets in the historic district, except areas as may be expressly excluded by subsequent resolution duly adopted by the City Council.

- Recreational areas and trails, including sidewalks and streets.
- Any area within (20) feet of commercial buildings entryways.
- "Smoking" includes cannabis, tobacco, and vaping.

Refer to Nevada City Municipal Code 8.24.135

### Unenforced Smoking Areas

- Public Parking outside of Nevada City Historic District : Commercial Street Lot, Nevada Street Lot, and Spring Street Lot
- Bars with outdoor smoking areas.

### CALL FOR FREE HELP TO QUIT SMOKING

CALIFORNIA SMOKERS' HELPLINE NUMBERS:  
English: 1-800-NO-BUTTS (1-800-662-8887)  
Español: 1-800-45-NO FUME (1-800-456-6386)

**City of Nevada City**  
317 Broad St.  
Nevada City, CA 95959  
Phone: 530-265-2496  
Fax: 530-265-0187  
www.nevadacityca.gov

Sign up for e-notifications on  
the City's website:  
www.nevadacityca.gov



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## SPECIAL EVENTS & ROAD CLOSURES

### Friday Night Art Walk

July 5 & August 2  
5:00 pm to 9:30 pm

York St. and Commercial St.  
in downtown will be closed  
from 4:00 pm to 10:00 pm



### Summer Nights

July 17, 24, & 31  
6:00 pm to 9:30 pm

Most of the streets in down-  
town Nevada City are going  
to be closed from 4:00 pm  
to 11:00 pm



### NC Farmer's Market

every Saturday  
8:30 am to 1:00 pm

Union Street will be closed



## PARKS & RECREATION

### Swimming Pool

The swimming pool is open  
through Labor Day week-  
end. We still have openings  
in swim lessons, there are  
adult swim & exercise times  
and public swim is noon -  
4pm everyday until school  
starts. Call the swimming  
pool for questions about  
programs, hours, fees, etc:  
530-265-8223 or view the



Summer Program Guide on  
the City's website:  
www.nevadacityca.gov

### Trails

The City is in partnership  
with the Bear Yuba Land  
Trust to help us maintain  
our trails. If you would like  
to volunteer your time to  
build or maintain trails, visit  
the Land Trust website:

<https://www.bylt.org/build-trails/>

### Summer Camps

We still have spaces avail-  
able in our summer camps  
(Lego Camp, Chess Wizards  
and Kidscience). If you  
have a child who might be  
interested call the swim-  
ming pool (265-8223) or  
visit our website for details:  
nevadacityca.gov

## COMMERCIAL ST. CHANGES TO ONE WAY

Commercial St. is going to  
be changing to a one way  
street soon. The one way  
will start at Main St. and

remain one way until it con-  
nects with Broad St. Signs  
reflecting the one way direc-  
tion will be posted before

the end of July, this will  
initiate the traffic changes.

## RAILROAD MUSEUM

You won't be disappointed  
that you visited. This is a  
gem for our little town.  
Visitors are always

impressed with the quality  
of this small, but not too  
small museum.

**Museum Hours:**  
May-October  
10:00a - 4:00p  
Closed Wed & Thurs