8th Annual

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CONFERENCE

Saturday April 22, 2017 9:30 am to 3:00 pm

Monrovia Community Center 119 W Palm Ave

BUILDING BETTER.

2017 Neighborhood Conference Registration

If you would like to attend the 2017 Neighborhood Conference, please register online at **cityofmonrovia.org** or complete this form and return to any City Staff member or mail to City Hall—Attn: Neighborhood Services, 415 S Ivy Ave Monrovia, CA

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FREE on-site childcare for children 4-10. Parent or guardian will be required to complete a waiver the day of the event. Please let us know who else will attend the Neighborhood Conference: ______ (number) of children age 4-10

10:20am | Session 1 | Please select ONLY ONE class

■ Building a Better Gold Line Experience

Planning Division, Community Development Department This workshop will take you through the past, present, and future of Monrovia's Station Square Transit Village. You will learn how mass transit influences development patterns. We will give you the city planning perspective and juicy inside details on current and upcoming development projects around Monrovia's Metro Gold Line Station

Building a Better City of Monrovia

Oliver Chi, City Manager

This workshop will provide an overview of how the City operates, the factors that drive decision making within the City organization, and an update of key projects and priorities being advanced by the City

Building Better Awareness to Mental Health Issues

Susan Hirsch, Community Services Commissioner +

Ulises Gutierrez, Healing Connections

This workshop will provide an overview of how Monrovia Healing Connections aids and supports community members dealing with emotional and psychological is-

sues. There will also be testimonials from survivors and a chance to speak to a mental health professional.

Building Better Protection Against Mosquitos

Jason Farned, San Gabriel Valley Vector Control

Interactive workshop will educate residents about local mosquitoes and mosquitoborne diseases such as West Nile virus and Zika. Residents will learn what they can do to keep their properties mosquito free and protect themselves, their families and their neighbors from mosquito-borne diseases.

11:20am | Session 2 | Please select ONLY ONE class

Building Better Family Volunteerism

Genia, Alycia + Vanessa Mills, MAP Leaders How to get your family involved in the community, and stay involved.

Building Better Community Safety

Monrovia Police Department

Monrovia Police Chief Jim Hunt will be hosting an open panel discussion about public safety in Monrovia. You will learn about several recent laws passed that are having an impact on safety in our community, current crime trends in Monrovia, and how you can better protect yourself from being a victim of crime.

Building Better + Cleaner Communities

Alex Tachiki, Environmental Services Division Learn about the City of Monrovia's Environmental Services Division. Learn how you

can help make a difference in your community by helping keep Monrovia Beautiful!

Building Better Neighborhood Preparedness

Suzanne Dobson, CERT

Learn how to collaborate with your neighbors to develop a neighborhood disaster plan using the Map Your Neighborhood program. Learn "9 Steps to Take Immediately Following a Disaster". Learn to identify and pool neighborhood resources and knowledge to support each other during a disaster. Learn to work together and be self-sufficient for the first 72 hours after a disaster.

Building Better Transit Safety

Janet Ouch, LA Metro

The presentation will focus on safety education relating to the Gold Line Foothill project, using site specific renderings, local maps, and safety tips. It will also include an overview of the Metro system and how to safely and best to get around LA County using Metro.

Building Better Awareness of our City's Unique History

Louise Robertson, Monrovia Legacy Project View samples from the Monrovia Legacy Project's growing collection! See early photographs of Monrovia's airport and take a video tour of one of Monrovia's earliest homes, fully furnished that takes you on a walk back to the 1880's. Discover what's to come and learn how you can be part of it.

Building a Better...Street and Utility Infrastructure – Monrovia Renewal Update

Tina Cherry, Public Services Department Director Construction can be messy and an inconvenience; however, necessary to maintain our streets, water utility, and sewer system. The City designed the Monrovia Renewal project to address the worst of the needed repairs and ensure these systems continue to run safely and smoothly.

Building a Better Response to Homelessness in Monrovia

Monrovia Community Policing

Discussion on what the City of Monrovia is currently doing in response to homelessness.

Building Better History

Steve Baker, City Historian Join us as we take a look at the rich history of Monrovia.

Building Better with Resilience

Evan Nuckles, Building Division Manager + Fire Department The Fire Department and Building Division will be teaming up to discuss the main causes of residential fires in Monrovia and best practices related to the building code in preventing them.

Building Better Native Gardens

Marlene Jimenez, Canyon Park Division

Learn from a park ranger on how to build a native garden landscape and then buy your own from our Native Plant Sale!

Building a Better Water + Storm Water System for Monrovia

Oliver Chi, City Manager + Tina Cherry, Public Services Director Even with the recent rains that we have had during this past winter, the aquifer from which Monrovia gets its water is still in a terribly unhealthy state. Given how complex the overall water industry is, we hope that you will come to this session to find out what the City and regional water entities are doing to improve the reliability of our water supply. This informative discussion will also touch on the storm water challenges and opportunities that face our region.