

WINTER 2025

FOSTER CITY FEATURE

News, Updates, and more from the City of Foster City and Recology

2025 CITY COUNCIL



On December 9, 2024, the City Council held its annual Reorganization Ceremony, and selected new Mayor Stacy Jimenez and Vice Mayor Art Kiesel for the coming year, while Suzy Niederhofer, Patrick Sullivan, and Phoebe Venkat will serve as Councilmembers.

fostercity.org/agendasandminutes

COYOTE AWARENESS

Reports of coyote sightings at Foster City's Levee and open spaces have increased, so we want to ensure all who enjoy the trails know what to do in the event of a coyote encounter. In partnership with the Department of Fish & Wildlife, we've



created a 3-part video series to educate residents and community members on best practices for keeping your family, pets, and neighborhoods safe.

youtube.com/city-of-foster-city

EARTH DAY, EVERY DAY

Save the date and help us celebrate the greatest planet in the solar system at a special "Earth Day, Every Day" event!

Date: April 12, 2025

Time: 10am-1pm

Place: Foster City Library

Be sure to follow us on social media and visit the website to learn more as we get closer to the event.

sustainable.fostercity.org



COMMUNITY CENTER CONSTRUCTION

Construction of the new Foster City Community Center is underway! We encourage you to stay updated by visiting the dedicated website and subscribing to the Foster City Community Center Construction newsletter.

rebuildtherec.org



2025 GREEN EVENTS



Saturday, May 10 & Saturday, September 13

Document Destruction (Shred)

City Hall Parking Lot | 610 Foster City Blvd
9 AM to 1 PM*

Saturday, July 19

Electronic Waste Collection

City Hall Parking Lot | 610 Foster City Blvd
9 AM to 1 PM*

Saturday, April 12

Earth Day Fair

Foster City Library | 1000 East Hillsdale Blvd.
10 AM to 1 PM

<http://sustainable.fostercity.org>

Saturdays: March 15, April 19, May 10,
August 16, September 13, & October 11

Compost Giveaways

Boat Park | Corner of Foster City Blvd and Bounty Dr
8 AM to 5 PM*

Saturday, July 12

Citywide Yard Sale

Various locations

Learn more:

www.fostercity.org/yardsale

Saturday, May 3

Fixit Clinic

Foster City Library | 1000 East Hillsdale Blvd.
11 AM to 2 PM

Fix your broken household items with the help of a Fixit Coach. Tools, guidance and encouragement will be provided. Register at <https://sustain-smc.org/fixit>

Monday, November 10 – Friday, November 14

Coats for Kids Collection

Place unwanted coats at curb in a paper or clear plastic bag labeled "Coats for Kids" on your regular recycling collection day or bring to drop-off location through November 21

Various Dates

Sustainability Advisory Committee

Join this group of environmentally invested residents at annual events and informative meetings to reduce Foster City's green footprint. Learn more:

<http://sustainable.fostercity.org>

Hard to Dispose Items

- **Bulky Items:** From February through December (by Appointment), single family residents can call Recology at 650-595-3900 to schedule up to two no-cost collections per year. Multi-family residents coordinate collection events through their property managers. Appointments based on availability.
- **Household Batteries:** Single family residents can place batteries in a zipper bag on the black garbage cart on collection day. Multi-Family property managers can request free battery buckets from Recology for common areas. Or find a collection site at rethinkbatteries.org.
- **Household Hazardous Waste:** Make a free drop-off appointment at www.smchealth.org/hhw-appt.
- **Medications:** Find medication disposal locations at 844-633-7765 or med-project.org/locations/san-mateo

*Events will end at the time specified or while supplies last or trucks are full. Questions? Call Foster City's Public Works Department at 650-286-3270.