



Congratulations to our Newly-Appointed Commissioners and Committee Members!



Nearly all seventeen appointees were sworn in at the February 17, 2022 City Council Meeting, which officially started their terms:

Planning Commission

- Alex Lau, term through January 2026
- Sandip Patel, term through January 2026

Complete Streets Safety Committee

- Linda Dettmer, term through January 2026
- Dariusz Wodzia, term through January 2026

Open Space and Ecology Committee

- Erin Becker, term through January 2026
- Shanna Calmes, term through January 2026
- Glenn Fieldman, term through January 2026
- Mary Rogers, term through January 2026
- Michele Salmon, term through January 2026

Parks and Recreation Commission

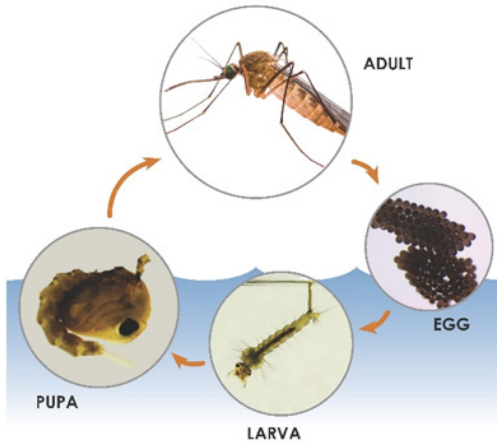
- Renee Commerford, term through January 2026
- Trudi Davis, term through January 2026
- Natalie Ocampo, term through January 2026
- Tom Seawell, term through January 2025

Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Accountability (IDEA) Committee

- William Lok, initial term through January 2024
- Alexandra Horton, initial term through January 2024
- Mangesh Kolhatkar, initial term through January 2024
- Dianne Oseto, initial term through January 2024

We thank you for your willingness to serve your community and look forward to all of your accomplishments to come!

Watch Out for Mosquitoes in Warm Weather



Did you know that mosquitoes can complete their entire life cycle in as few as 7 days? Warm weather and lack of rain mean stagnant water in storm drains and backyards can quickly breed mosquitoes. San Mateo County Mosquito and Vector Control District would like to remind you to dump or drain any standing water at least once a week.

If you notice mosquitoes around your house, call the District or submit an online service request at smcmvcd.org/request-service for a technician to investigate the problem and control the mosquitoes.

Water Heating Gets Electrified at Station 81

As part of the City's ongoing efforts to reduce fossil fuel use and emissions in our facilities, the two natural gas water heaters at the Fire Station were replaced with heat pump water heaters in December. After a couple months of use, fire crews reported they are working great with plenty of hot water.

The City was able to take advantage of a pilot program offered through San Mateo County Energy Watch and PG&E's Government and K12 program, which made the upgrade at no cost to the City. The program's implementers, Willdan, began with a review of City facilities to determine eligibility and which water heaters would be a good fit for the program. In mid-December, subcontractor Enovative Mechanical and Energy, completed the permitting and installations.

"Brisbane's willingness to participate in Willdan's heat pump water heater pilot program provided the real-world information necessary to scale and replicate this program across PG&E's territory. We sincerely appreciate Brisbane's willingness to lead by example and we are excited to be able to offer the same service to other cities interested in reducing energy use and greenhouse gas emissions," said Lou Jacobson, Willdan Program Manager for the Government and K-12 Program.



Willdan estimated these new units represent a 70% reduction in lifecycle CO2 emissions, with savings equivalent to the annual energy use of seven homes. The City is grateful for the partnership that enabled this progress towards our carbon neutrality goals and looks forward to continuing our journey towards fossil-free resilient buildings!

Want to make the switch? Homeowners can also save money and reduce their carbon footprint by replacing their gas water heater with a heat pump water heater running on clean electricity. Rebates are available from BayREN and Peninsula Clean Energy; learn more at peninsulacleanenergy.com/heat-pump-water-heater.

News on the 2022-2023 Housing Element Update



Last month, the Planning Commission reviewed results from the Balance Brisbane survey, an interactive tool that the City used to get community feedback on potential locations in the City to zone for new housing units. The Commission also discussed how to meet the City's Regional Housing Needs Allocation (RHNA), a State-mandated number of housing units affordable to households of all income levels that must be accommodated in our zoning regulations. Because the City's current zoning does not accommodate all of the RHNA, the Commission considered the potential to rezone various properties throughout the City to make up the shortfall. The Commission reviewed each property included in the Balance Brisbane tool and considered the constraints and opportunities unique to each. If you missed the February 10 and 24 workshops, check out the meeting videos and staff reports at brisbaneca.org/meetings.

Have feedback on the Commission's discussion that you didn't get a chance to share at the workshops? You can always email comments, ideas, and suggestions on the Housing Element process to staff at brisbaneca.org/email-cdd.

Next up: Mark your calendars for a **City Council workshop on Thursday, March 3rd** and a **Planning Commission workshop on Thursday, March 10th**, both beginning at 7:30pm. At these workshops, we'll continue the discussion of various sites for future residential zoning housing and at the Planning Commission's workshop of March 10, we'll also discuss the Housing Element's goals, policies, and programs.

To subscribe to the Housing Element 2023-2031 update email list, please visit brisbaneca.org/subscribe. If you have any questions, email the Community Development Department via brisbaneca.org/email-cdd or reach us by phone at (415) 508-2120.

SB 1383 Requires Businesses to Also Get into Compliance

**Effective January 1, 2022,
California law requires organic waste
to be separated from garbage
at all places of business.**



Senate Bill 1383 requires Californians to separate organic waste such as yard trimmings, food scraps, food-soiled paper, clean paper & cardboard from landfill-bound garbage. If you are not already making full use of your green and blue bins, it's time to start!

In last month's STAR, we focused on the need for residents to comply; this month, we're focusing our outreach towards the business community. Businesses that were shown to not be in compliance due to not having a green container to separate organic waste, were sent letters in early February letting them know that the City will begin assessing citations to non-compliant businesses on January 1, 2023.

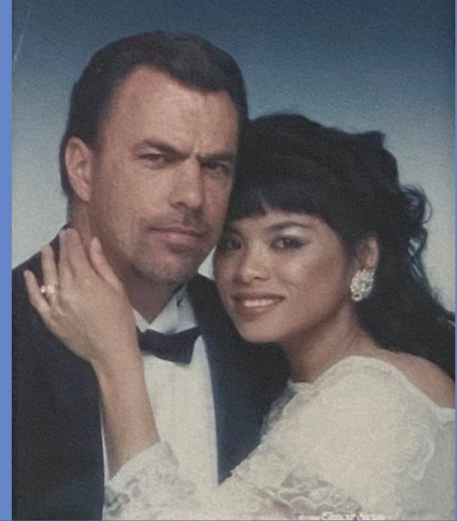
If you did not receive a letter, or if you have any questions, please contact the City's Director of Public Works/City Engineer Randy Breault at (415) 508-2131 or email him at rbreault@brisbaneca.org. You can also contact the City's solid waste franchisee, South San Francisco Scavenger Co., at info@ssfscavenger.com or call them at (650) 589-4020 to start organic waste service.

MET IN BRISBANE

DALE & FE

Dale and Fe Conway celebrated their 26th wedding anniversary last December. We highlighted them on their special day (12/2) and wanted to do so here in the STAR as well. They have quite the story! Did you meet a lifelong friend or the love of your life in Brisbane, CA? We want to hear about it! Please email us your story and a couple photos at creatingcommunity@brisbaneca.org.

MET IN BRISBANE



DALE & FE



HOW DID YOU MEET?

"I like to say 1993 was Divine Intervention as we both were NOT looking to be in a relationship. I've been working for the USPS.

One day after my delivery route, Dale's brother Clarke Conway and I chatted about nutrition. I asked Clarke if he knew of anyone else interested in nutrition. Clarke said, "My brother Dale" and introduced us.

Immediately, Dale ordered my vitamins & products weekly; he was my best customer, and so nice!"



HOW DID YOU MEET?

Before we dated in '93, as the mail lady, I bumped into Dale at job sites. On Humboldt Rd., the homeowner & crew joked with Dale before I arrived on my delivery route. Dale stopped construction to say hi to the mail lady. They jokingly said "to flex" for Fe. In reality, Dale shared his chocolate bars. We got married 2 yrs later on Dec 2, '95. Our son Andre-22 (USAF) arrived 4 yrs later, 2 wks AFTER his due date, which just so happened to be on Godfather Uncle Clarke's birthday (also USAF veteran & 5x Brisbane Mayor).



FAVORITE MEMORY IN BRISBANE?

"In 1994, one of our ALMOST laughable first dates was a body building event featuring Arnold Schwarzenegger & Franco Columbo. Thankfully, for 2 hours, I was NOT home & had no cell phone. So instead, Dale attended the muscle event with his long-time friend & fellow weightlifter. I was ALMOST the 3rd wheel. Dale finally reached me late, arrived all in black; what an impression! 11pm was our 1st real date to Lyons 24 Hr Restaurant."

* Ask Fe about their almost first date, when Dale suggested they go to that "FAMOUS French restaurant, Le Jacques in De Box!" 😊



FAVORITE MEMORY IN BRISBANE?

"The favorite Brisbane memory was our second date, which was attending the late Brisbane Police Officer Rick Howle's Retirement Party at the then Radisson (now DoubleTree Hotel). This was our official "coming out" as a couple night. On the same evening, we attended a luau dance bash at Eagles Hall. We danced, and I remember Dale being so attentive. Two years after we first met, we eloped in Carmel, where we exchanged vows while overlooking the Monterey coast."



At Rick Howle's retirement party, October 1994.



Dale and Fe have been married for 26 years, and counting. 😊



March 2022 City Calendar



The City's **Meals for Seniors Lunch Program** takes place Mondays from **12- 12:45pm** outside the Senior Sunrise Room (2 Visitacion Avenue) for drive-thru/walk-up pickup.

The **Brisbane Farmers' Market** takes place **Thursdays** from **2-6pm** in the Community Park but will start operating **3-7pm with the March 17th** market (the first Thursday after we "spring forward"). Please remember to distance and leave your pups at home.

No-Cost COVID-19 Testing is free, safe, and generally available at the Community Park on **Thursdays, 11am – 5pm**. Sign up at cur.tv/Brisbane. See the "COVID-19 Community Updates" page at brisbaneca.org for the latest information and smc.gov.org/testing for County-sponsored testing sites.

See brisbaneca.org/calendar for more information on all the following items.

Meeting Agendas may be viewed online at brisbaneca.org/meetings at least 24 hours prior to a Special Meeting, and at least 72 hours prior to a Regular Meeting.

March is Women's History Month

01, Tuesday, 4:30pm

Public Art Advisory Committee Meeting

03, Thursday, 7:30pm

City Council Meeting, B

07, Monday, 6:30pm

Complete Streets Safety Committee Meeting, B

08, Tuesday, 4:30pm

Public Art Advisory Committee Meeting

09, Wednesday, 6:30pm

Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting, B

10, Thursday, 7:30pm

Planning Commission Meeting, B

16, Wednesday, 6:30pm

Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Accountability (IDEA) Committee

17, Thursday, 7:30pm

City Council Meeting, B

19, Saturday, 7pm

20th Annual Artists' Evening of Sharing
brisbaneca.org/AES

23, Wednesday, 6:30pm

Open Space and Ecology Committee Meeting, B

24, Thursday, 7:30pm

Planning Commission Meeting, B

29, Tuesday, 4:30pm

Public Art Advisory Committee Meeting

31, Thursday, 3-7pm

Cousins Maine Lobster at the Farmers' Market!

City Hall Walk-In Service Hours – 2 days/week: M: 9am – 4pm, Th: 9am – 4pm. Please see all services that can be conducted remotely at brisbaneca.org/online-services.

Do you have questions about the STAR or have an article to suggest? Articles are due by the 15th of each month. Contact Caroline Cheung at ccheung@brisbaneca.org or (415) 508-2157.

The poster features a dark blue background with a map of Brisbane. The text is white and yellow. It includes the YouTube logo, the Comcast logo, and the event details.

20th Annual
ARTISTS' EVENING
of SHARING

YouTube **Comcast Ch. 27**

SATURDAY, MARCH 19TH, 2022 | 7PM

Join us for an inspiring showcase of local artists, musicians, performers, filmmakers and writers. This event will be shared with the community via live stream. Details can be found at: brisbaneca.org/AES

Midtown Mural Restoration Project

Restoration efforts for the mural on the side of Midtown Market got underway in early February. This is the third project to be funded through the City's Public Art Fund (the first being the racoon being replaced at Costaños Canyon and the second being the glass butterflies at the new Brisbane Library).

The first few restoration steps had to do with stabilization - reinforcing areas of paint under areas of coating loss, re-adhering flaking paint to the substrate, and filling/repairing losses to the substrate to create a smooth surface for the restoration work that will come afterwards. Conservation Assistants Samantha Emmanuel and Brandon Phuong, working with Site & Studio Conservation, are completing this important stabilization work. You can see the difference their work is making, when comparing the first photo against the second; the colors in the first are so much more vibrant!



The mural was commissioned by BES/PTO (formerly BEST/PTO) in 2002 as a fundraiser for the local schools. Its artist, world-renown muralist Mona Caron, will be returning to Brisbane to restore the mural. Afterwards, it will get a new coating applied by Site & Studio Conservation, which includes an anti-graffiti and anti-UV component so it can continue to delight passer-bys for many more decades to come. Take a closer look at the mural on Mona's website: monacaron.com/murals/brisbane-mural

100% of our Brisbane Police Officers are CIT (Crisis Intervention Team) trained

Call Chief Macias at (415) 508-2177 to schedule a meeting to share information on a loved one that resides in your home that you would like to bring awareness to first responders should they ever be needed to respond to your home on a mental crisis situation. All information shared is confidential.



Ofc. Quan, Ofc. Malone, CMDR Garcia, and Ofc. Miller





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Community Resources Guide

City of Brisbane - City Hall

50 Park Place, Brisbane 94005
Hours of Operation
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 8:00 - 5:00 pm
Wednesday 8:00 - 8:00 pm, Friday 8:00 - 1:00 pm

- EMERGENCY - Fire, Police, Medical Ambulance..... 911
- Dispatch After-Hours..... 415-467-1212
- City General Information..... 415-508-2100
- FAX Line..... 415-467-4989
- E-Mail..... cityhall@brisbaneca.org
- Website..... brisbaneca.org
- Business Licenses 1-866-240-3665 or muniblsupport@avenuinsights.com
- City Clerk (Elections, City Council meetings)..... 415-508-2113
- City Manager..... 415-508-2110
- City Council..... 415-508-2110
- Finance (Water bills, shuttle passes)..... 415-508-2150
- North County Fire Authority..... 650-991-8138
- Garbage & Recycling..... 650-589-4028
- Human Resources..... 415-508-2115
- Marina..... 650-583-6975
- Mission Blue/Community Center Rental..... 415-508-2142
- Permit Center..... 415-508-2120
(Building permits, zoning info, remodeling and room additions)
- Police Chief..... 415-508-2170
- Police Dept..... 415-508-2181
(Parking/Abandoned Vehicle Complaints, Crime Prevention Assistance)
- Police Officer Voice Mail..... 415-508-2188
- Anonymous PD Tip Line..... 415-347-2070
or brisbaneca.org/tipline
- Public Works..... 415-508-2130
(Streets, sidewalks, public right of way, download the free GORquest app to easily submit service requests)
- Recreation Programs/Class Registration/Park Rentals .. 415-508-2140
- Swimming Pool..... 415-657-4321
- Utility Billing..... 415-508-2154
- CROCKER PARK SHUTTLE INFORMATION
- Commute.org..... 650-588-1600

Community Services

- Airport Noise Complaints..... 650-821-4736
- Animal Control (Stray or injured animals)..... 650-340-7022
- To locate Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings Call
San Francisco Central Office..... 415-674-1821
San Mateo Fellowship Office..... 650-577-1310
- Bay Area Air Quality Management Dst. (BAAQMD)..... 800-334-ODOR
- Quarry Dust Complaints (San Mateo County)..... 650-363-1849
- Brisbane Chamber of Commerce..... 415-467-7283
- Brisbane Library..... 415-467-2060
- Brisbane School District..... 415-467-0550
Panorama School..... 415-586-6595
Brisbane Elementary School..... 415-467-0120
Lipman Middle School..... 415-467-9541
- Comcast Cable Television..... 800-945-2288
- Jefferson High School District Office..... 650-550-7900
Jefferson High School..... 650-550-7700
Oceana High School..... 650-550-7300
Terra Nova High School..... 650-550-7600
Westmoor High School..... 650-550-7400
Jefferson Adult Day School..... 650-550-7890
- Summit Shasta Public High School..... 415-799-4719
- Household Hazardous Waste Disposal..... 650-363-4718
- Kara Grief Support for Children & Families..... 650-321-5272
- Legal Aid Society for Tenant Rights..... 800-381-8898
- Para Investigaciones de vivienda justa llame Project
Sentinel, llamades compeletamente gratis..... 888-324-7468
- Peninsula Conflict Resolution Center..... 650-513-0330
(Confidential mediation for Neighbor, Rental, & Small Business disputes)
- SamTrans (Bus routes, scheduling info)..... 800-660-4287
- San Mateo County Housing..... 650-802-5050
& Community Development (Low income Home Rehab loans)
- San Mateo County Environmental Health..... 650-372-6200
- San Mateo County Mosquito and Vector Control Dst. 650-344-8592
- South San Francisco Scavenger Co..... 650-589-4020
(Garbage service, debris boxes)
- Veteran's Emotional Crisis Line..... 1-800-273-8255
OR suicidepreventionlifeline.org

City Council, Commissions, and Committees

City Council Meetings
1st and 3rd Thursdays
7:30 pm
For more information,
contact 415-508-2110

Open Space and Ecology Committee
4th Wednesdays
6:30 pm
For more information, contact
415-508-2118

Planning Commission
2nd and 4th Thursdays
7:30 pm
For more information,
contact 415-508-2120

Public Art Advisory Committee
1st and 3rd Tuesdays
4:30 pm
For more information,
contact 415-508-2109

Parks and Recreation Commission
2nd Wednesdays
6:30 pm
For more information,
contact 415-508-2140

Complete Streets Safety Committee
1st Mondays
6:30 pm
For more information,
contact 415-508-2130