

Happy National Small Business Week

Normally celebrated in May, the 2020 National Small Business Week is taking place this week, September 21-25.

To acknowledge the contributions to our community by local entrepreneurs and small business owners, the Dublin City Council passed a proclamation recognizing this week as Small Business Week in Dublin.

Throughout the year, the City of Dublin partners with the Dublin Chamber of Commerce and other organizations to connect small businesses with vital resources, celebrate small businesses and promote residents to shop locally.

For National Small Business Week, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) is hosting an online conference, that will include numerous educational panels providing retooling and innovative practices for entrepreneurs as our nation's small businesses look to pivot and recover toward a stronger economy.

For more information, visit SBA's Virtual Conference.





City of Dublin Launches a Business Concierge Program

The City of Dublin has launched a Business Concierge Program which offers fully personalized assistance for new and existing businesses for every phase of the business development process. The complimentary service brings together the City's Economic Development, Community Development, Fire, and Public Works departments.

We can provide you with:

- Individualized assistance to open or expand a small business in Dublin.
- A partner inside City Hall to guide you through the development process for tenant improvements or new construction.
- Connections to informational programs and resources for businesses.

For more information, download the Business Concierge Program <u>flyer</u> or contact the Office of Economic Development at (925) 833-6650 or via <u>email</u>.



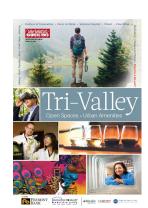
Congratulations Snowflake Inc.

Snowflake Inc., a cloud-based data platform business, headquartered in San Mateo with offices in Dublin, went public on Wednesday, September 16, 2020 and made history as the largest U.S. software Initial Public Offering (IPO) in history. According to the San Francisco Business Times, Snowflake soared by triple digits on its IPO debut day.

Congratulations to everyone at Snowflake!

Tri-Valley Featured in the San Francisco Business Times

Innovation Tri-Valley Leadership Group (ITV) and the San Francisco Business Times recently published a special supplement featuring the Tri-Valley. The special insert includes inspirational stories about top business leaders in the Tri-Valley including Dublin businesses <u>Kensington Labs</u>, <u>AEye</u> and Snowflake.



For more information, please download the 2020 Tri-Valley <u>insert</u>. (*Please note, this is a large PDF file.*)

State of the City Address

Thursday, September 24, 2020 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Dublin Mayor David Haubert will present the 2020 State of the City in a webinar hosted by the Dublin Chamber of Commerce. Join Mayor Haubert as he delivers his sixth and final State of the City. Hear about recent accomplishments achieved by the City.

The public is welcome to attend this webinar. Tickets are \$25 for Chamber members and \$35 for non-members.

For more information and to pre-register online, visit the Dublin Chamber's <u>website</u>. (Please note, pre-registration is required by 9/23/2020.)

October is Manufacturing Month

Annually, the City participates in Tri-Valley Manufacturing Day (or MFG Day). Typically, the cities of Dublin, Livermore and Pleasanton join together with local educational institutions to offer tours of local manufacturing businesses to inspire the next generation of manufacturers. However, 2020 has not been a typical year



and due to the COVID-19 pandemic, there will not be an in-person event this year. Instead, the City will be highlighting a number of local manufacturers on Twitter.

If you are involved in manufacturing and would like to participate in Manufacturing Day next year, please contact Suzanne Iarla at 925-833-6650 or via <u>email</u>.

Follow the City on Twitter at @DublinPIO.

Evaluate Your Business Disaster Plan

National Preparedness Month is recognized each September to promote disaster preparedness for communities, individuals, and businesses. The State of California's new

Outsmart Disaster campaign provides businesses with tools to help you get back to business faster after experiencing a disaster:



- The Resiliency Toolkit was compiled by a team of business experts and provides links to key federal and statewide resources that you can read on your own time.
- The Resilient Business Challenge is a more comprehensive online curriculum tool that lays out multiple ways a business can mitigate the risks

involved with a natural disaster including five detailed steps towards business resiliency. Once you've reviewed all of the primary areas of focus, you will walk away with a completion badge and the tools you need to Outsmart Disaster. In addition, you will gain access to select business continuity solutions for workplace recovery through campaign partners.

For more information, visit the Outsmart Disaster website.

Welcome New Businesses

The City of Dublin welcomes the following new businesses to the Dublin community.

- Kanpai Sushi (new restaurant concept by owners of Fish on the Grill) at Hacienda Crossings
- **<u>Liberty Floor Covering</u>** at 6398 Dougherty Rd., Suite #19



Now Floor at 6715 Dublin Blvd., Ste G

Additionally, the Alameda County Sheriff's Office has leased approximately 36,000 square feet at 3 Park Place.

Properties For Sale

In Eastern Dublin, 185 acres of vacant land along Fallon Rd. and Interstate 580 (across from the outlets in Livermore) has been listed for sale on the market. Owners GH PacVest are open to explore the sale of the property, a joint venture, or hiring a master developer.



For more information, visit the listing website.

Also, the Video Only building located at 7922 Dublin Boulevard has been listed for sale with an asking price of \$8.4 million. The building is approximately 17,000 square feet and is located within the Downtown Dublin Specific Plan area.

For more information, download the listing brochure.



Lastly, a Flex Condominium located at 6370 Clark Avenue has been listed for sale with an asking price of \$1,359,450. The Flex Condo is approximately 3,000 square feet and is located within the Venture Commerce Center.

For more information, download the listing brochure.

Online Events and Classes

Please visit the City's website for a list of upcoming business events and classes. With so many webinars related to COVID-19 resources, our calendar is being updated frequently.

Visit the City's online <u>calendar</u>.

We Are Here for You

The City of Dublin appreciates our business community and remains committed to being your source for reliable and accessible information and resources.

In addition to the COVID-19 Business Impacts webpage, we have compiled a COVID-19 Business Resource Guide (PDF, last updated 9/3/2020). Be sure to also visit the City's COVID-19 webpage with up-to-date information and resources about the pandemic.

If you need assistance, Economic Development Staff are available via email or by calling 925-833-6650 during regular office hours. Language assistance is available over the phone by request.

The Dublin Business Brief is a bi-monthly publication highlighting the latest news economic.development@dublin.ca.gov or by phone at (925) 833-6650.

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