



## General Business News & Information March/April 2021 Issue

### Business News From Our Own Backyard

Headquartered in Dublin, **AEye**, a technology company that makes lidar systems for autonomous vehicles merged and went public. The deal is valued at \$2 billion and provided AEye with \$455,000 cash to further their pioneering work.



Headquartered in Dublin, **Amber Solutions** closed their Series B funding in January, raising more than \$8.5 million. Amber Solutions is a leading developer of patented, innovative solid-state technologies for the digital control of electricity.



### Thanks to St. Patrick's Day Celebration Sponsors and Business Participants

Dublin's St. Patrick's Day Celebration this year was a little different due to the pandemic, and instead of a weekend festival, the City hosted a week-long celebration with both virtual community events as well as some reservation-based in-person events throughout town. Thanks to all the businesses that participated in the "Discover Dublin Bingo Game" or sponsored part of the celebration.

For a full list of participants, please download the event business [directory](#).



## Welcome New Dublin Businesses!

**Sake Sushi**, a new Japanese/Hot Pot restaurant, opened earlier this year at the Fallon Gateway shopping center located at 2700 Dublin Blvd.

**Vons Chicken**, a new venture by owners of Banseok Seoul Korean BBQ, opened the franchise earlier this year at the Shamrock Village retail center located at 7877 Amador Valley Blvd.

**Nick the Greek**, a new restaurant specializing in traditional Greek street-food with a twist, opened in the vacated Yalla Mediterranean site at the Persimmon Place shopping center located at 5246 Dublin Blvd.

**LN Curtis & Sons** recently opened a Dublin location at 6723 Sierra Ct., Suites C and D. They provide firefighting gear and equipment for first responders. Headquartered in Walnut Creek, the new Dublin location will include wholesale sales as well as cleaning and repair of turnout gear, and fittings for uniforms.

**Star Chaat Cuisine**, an independently-owned new restaurant serving vegetarian Indian cuisine, opened in March at the Hacienda Crossings shopping center located at 4930 Dublin Blvd., #800. The restaurant also offers catering services.

**Icecreamwala Dermatology**, a new dermatology office, recently opened its doors to the public. They are located in the Aster mixed-use site at 7550 Dublin Blvd.



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## Fastest-Growing Private Companies in Bay Area 2020

The San Francisco Business Times is currently accepting nominations for the Fastest-Growing Private Companies in the Bay Area. If your business experienced tremendous growth in the past three years, consider submitting a nomination.



Companies that make the 2021 Fast 100 list will be featured in the San Francisco Business Times weekly paper, the Book of Lists, on SanFranciscoBusinessTimes.com, and will be recognized at a virtual awards event. Companies on the list represent the best their industries have to offer.

Don't miss your chance to get your company on this list! Read more and apply on the San Francisco Business Times' [website](#).

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## Online Classes and Events

The City's website includes a list of upcoming business events and classes, including many webinars to help businesses to recover from the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

For more information, visit the City's online [calendar](#).

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## 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.

For up-to-date information and resources about the pandemic, visit the City's COVID-19 [webpage](#). Our COVID-19 [Business Impacts webpage](#) is frequently updated with information and resources for the business community.

If you need assistance, Economic Development Staff are available 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 and events affecting the business community. For more information or assistance, please**

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