



City of Dublin Launches Outdoor Operations Grant Program and Approves Amendments to Outdoor Seating



The Dublin City Council recently approved amendments to the City's Zoning Ordinance to facilitate outdoor seating for eating and drinking establishments on both a permanent and long-term, temporary basis. The amendments include permitting outdoor seating on a long-term, temporary basis within parking spaces, until September 30, 2022, with approval of a Temporary Use Permit.

Additionally, the City Council approved amendments to the existing regulations for permanent outdoor seating by increasing the number of outdoor seats allowed without providing additional parking spaces. The new regulations went into effect on September 16, 2021. To further assist eating and drinking establishments, the City is preparing an Outdoor Dining Guide, which will soon be available on the City's website, outlining the requirements from the Building and Safety Division, Planning Division, Public Works Department, and Fire Department for outdoor seating.

The City Council also approved an Outdoor Operations Grant Program to help local eating establishments and retailers in Dublin that are looking to provide an outdoor area for dining or shopping. The program will reimburse a variety of eligible expenses related to long-term temporary or permanent outdoor operations incurred by the business.

For more information about the program, please visit [Outdoor Operations Grant Program](#).

Dublin Businesses Recognized by East Bay Economic Development Alliance Innovation Awards

Dublin-based businesses [AEye, Inc.](#), and [Love Never Fails](#) are finalists in the East Bay Innovation Award categories of Engineering and Design, and Technology, respectively. The East Bay Innovation Awards showcases outstanding organizations that embrace innovation in their manufacturing, products, services, design, and information. More than 200 East Bay companies and organizations

were nominated for this year's awards.

For more information or to register for the event, please visit [East Bay EDA Innovation Awards](#).



Bay Area Manufacturing Week

BAY AREA MANUFACTURING WEEK

OCT 1-8



Join the Bay Area for a weeklong celebration of the resiliency and strength of Bay Area manufacturing. Manufacturing is part of the bedrock of the Bay Area's economy - employing more than 300,000 people in the region and supporting all the other industries that make the Bay Area the vibrant and diverse region it is: from technology to agriculture to art. MFG Week starts on National Manufacturing Day - October 1 and runs through October 8. More than 20 events in honor of manufacturing are taking place throughout the region.

For more information and a listing of events, please visit [Manufacturing Week 2021](#).

Startup Tri-Valley Podcast & Social Media

The Startup Tri-Valley Podcast, hosted by i-GATE Innovation Hub, features in-depth conversations with the leaders making the Bay Area's Tri-Valley region the go-to ecosystem for science-based startups. Listeners can expect to hear from local founders, investors, and other domain experts whose insight can help science-based companies go from startup to scale.

To listen to the podcasts, please visit [Startup Tri-Valley Podcast](#).

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Welcome New Dublin Businesses!

[Prima Vini Wine Merchants](#), 6890 Village Parkway.

[Brooks Motor Cars](#), 6440 Dublin Court.

[All American Roadside](#), 6398 Dougherty Road, Suite 6.

[Love Psychic of Dublin](#), 6500 Dublin Boulevard, Suite 200E.

[Dublin Smog Test](#), 6427 Golden Gate Drive.



Employer Webinar: Recruiting in a Pandemic World

COVID-19 has changed the world of hiring employees. In response, the Alameda County Workforce Development Board will be hosting a free webinar for Alameda County employers, Recruiting in a Pandemic World, on October 14, 2021 in association with the California Employers Association (CEA). With an August unemployment rate of 6.2% in Alameda County, Human Resource experts at CEA discuss today's market dynamics and walk employers through the steps they can take to best position themselves as desirable workplaces for prospective candidates. For manufacturer partners, CEA will also look at the hiring challenges through a manufacturing lens in support of Manufacturing Month in October.

For more information, or to register please visit [CEA](#).



National Small Business Week

In its annual celebration of small businesses across the nation, the US Small Business Administration (SBA) hosted a three-day virtual summit September 13-15, 2021. This year's event spotlighted the resilience of America's entrepreneurs and the renewal of the small business economy as they build back from the economic crisis brought on by a once-in-a-lifetime pandemic.

For highlights and replays, please visit the [US SBA](#) website.



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City of Dublin Business Calendar



The City's website includes a list of additional 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](#).

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 contact the Office of Economic Development via [email](#) or by phone at (925) 833-6650.

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