



SUPERVISOR MONICA BROWN DECEMBER 10TH UPDATE

Hello Benicia, Fairfield, and Vallejo,

Welcome to my most recent update. I can be reached at mebrown@solanocounty.com.

CORONAVIRUS

The omicron variant is spreading fast. Preliminary reviews show that it spreads faster than previous variants. Much is still unknown about this variant. Please get vaccinated or your booster if you are eligible. Booster shots (only Pfizer) are now available for those age 16-17 if they are six months out from their second shot.

Also, if you plan to attend any large indoor gatherings, please consider getting tested. There is a testing site in Vallejo at the Norman King Center and a rapid test site at the Solano Mall.

The Veteran’s Administration will be holding a vaccine clinic at the county events center (601 Texas St in Fairfield) on Saturday December 11th from 9am-1pm. Flu shots and COVID-19 vaccines/boosters to all veterans, their spouses, and caregivers. Walk-ins are welcome, and you may call 1-800-382-8387 (option 8) to make an appointment. Parking is available in the parking garage on the other side of the county building.

Capital City Pharmacy is still offering COVID-19 vaccines. To contact Capital City Pharmacy, please visit: <https://www.capcitypharmacy.com/>

To see our COVID-19 numbers, where to get vaccinated/booster, where to get tested and more information, please visit:

<https://doitgis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=055f81e9fe154da5860257e3f2489d67>

https://www.solanocounty.com/depts/ph/coronavirus_links/covid_19_vaccines.asp

https://www.solanocounty.com/depts/ph/coronavirus_links/faq_community_testing_sites.asp

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION DELAYS

The VA has announced that they will forgive reply deadlines due to printing delays. The printing delays are causing letters to arrive after deadlines have

Important Numbers Resources and Dates

District 2 Office
(707) 784-3031

Clerk of the Board & County

Administrator's Office

(707) 784-6100

Veterans Services

(707) 784-6590

Health &

Social Services

(707) 784-8400

Assessor/Recorder

(707) 784-6200

Resource

Management

(707) 784-6765

Registrar of Voters

(707) 784-6675

Tax

Collector/Treasurer

/County Clerk

(707) 784-7485

Area Agency on

Aging

(707) 784-8960

U.S. Social Security

(800) 772-1213

SUICIDE

PREVENTION

NATIONAL SUICIDE

PREVENTION

HOTLINE

800-273-8255

SPANISH LINE

888-628-9454

DEAF AND HARD OF

HEARING

800 799 4889

passed. Contact your local VA or Solano County's Veteran Services Office for more information. For more information, please visit:

<https://www.va.gov/opa/pressrel/pressrelease.cfm?id=5744>

DROUGHT RESTRICTIONS

The state water board is proposing emergency drought regulations. To see the proposed regulations, please visit:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/conservation_portal/regs/emergency_regulation.html

CALTRANS BEAUTIFICATION PROPOSALS

Caltrans is seeking project proposals for beautification projects. The deadline is March 1st. For more information, please visit: <https://www.dailyrepublic.com/all-dr-news/solano-news/fairfield/caltrans-seeks-beautification-project-proposals/>

SOLANO 360

The Solano 360 implementation committee (composed of Supervisors Erin Hannigan and Jim Spering and Vallejo Mayor Robert McConnell and Vallejo Councilmember Pippin Dew) held a meeting to discuss the progress of 360. This is proposed redevelopment of the Fairgrounds in Vallejo.

For more information, please visit:

<https://www.solanocounty.com/solano360/default.asp>

<https://www.dailyrepublic.com/all-dr-news/solano-news/fairfield/county-expects-changes-to-solano360-specific-plan-to-go-to-vallejo-in-january/>

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

I will be at the Mare Island Cemetery to celebrate Wreaths Across America on Saturday December 18th at 9:00 am. This event is to honor those who have given their lives in service to their country and to ensure the memory of their sacrifice lives on.

HEAVY RAIN THIS WEEKEND

We are anticipated to have heavy rain this coming Sunday and Monday. To see where sandbags are throughout the county, please visit: https://www.solanocounty.com/depts/oes/grs/flood/sandbags_and_information.asp

Please make sure your gutters are cleared and that nothing is blocking your drainage. The rain is anticipated to be heavy. Please stay safe.

SUPPORT SMALL BUSINESSES THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

FRIENDSHIP LINE
FOR SENIORS
800 971 0016
CRISIS TEX LINE
741741
THE TREVOR
PROJECT FOR
LGBTQ YOUTH
866-488-7386
TRANS LIFELINE
PROVIDING
SUPPORT FOR THE
TRANSGENDER
COMMUNITY
877-565-8860

This holiday season, please support our local businesses. We have many local shops and restaurants in our community and a gift and/or a gift card from any of them would make anyone's holiday. To find local businesses and upcoming holiday events, please visit:

<https://www.visitbenicia.org/>

<https://beniciamainstreet.org/>

<https://www.visitfairfieldca.com/>

<https://www.visitvallejo.com/>

COUNTY HOLIDAY OPERATIONS

All county offices will be closed on December 24th and December 31st. All county offices will close at 12:00 pm on December 23rd and December 30th.

SOLANO TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY NEWSLETTER

To see the most recent STA newsletter, please visit: <https://sta.ca.gov/december-status-2021/>

JOBS

SOLANO COUNTY JOBS:

<https://www.jobapscloud.com/Solano/>

BENICIA JOBS:

<https://agency.governmentjobs.com/benicia/default.cfm>

FAIRFIELD JOBS:

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/fairfield>

VALLEJO JOBS:

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/vallejo>

Thank you for taking the time to read my most recent update. Please stay safe, spread kindness, wear your masks, get vaccinated/boosted, and support our local businesses.

Sincerely,
Monica Brown,
Solano County Supervisor, District 2.



First elected in 2016, Monica represents District 2 on the Solano County Board of Supervisors. District 2 encompasses the city of Benicia, the portion of Vallejo south of Georgia Street, Mare Island, Cordelia, Green Valley and a portion of Fairfield.



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