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PUBLIC INVITED TO THE DEDICATION OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN'S NEW PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, AT 11:00 AM

Dublin Police Services and Alameda County Fire Department Administration to share new facility.

DUBLIN, Calif., February 4, 2020 – The City of Dublin will hold Grand Opening Celebration of its new Public Safety Complex, located at 6361 Clark Avenue in Dublin, on Saturday, February 22, at 11:00 a.m. The public is invited to attend the ribbon-cutting ceremony, take a tour of the new facility, and enjoy a barbecue lunch provided by the Dublin Lions Club.

The new police headquarters, located at the corner of Clark Avenue and Dublin Boulevard, will anchor the Public Safety Complex, which includes the existing Alameda County Fire Department administrative offices. The new offices will house Police Services administration, operations, and other essential-service functions. Units within the department will have their own office spaces, and the facility will include a much larger Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and briefing/training room than what was previously utilized at Dublin Civic Center.

“Dublin Police Services is looking forward to moving into our new location so we can continue to provide a high quality of service to the community we serve,” said Dublin Police Chief Garrett Holmes. “The new facility will provide us with the space we need to grow as a department.”

Alameda County Fire Department moved into their administrative offices at the Public Safety Complex in Spring 2014. They relocated temporarily while the Dublin Police portion of the building was being constructed.

As the Public Safety Complex will be home to both Dublin Police Services and Alameda County Fire Department, a new public art piece, created by artist Gordon Huether, will represent both agencies. The art piece, *Ribbon*, will also be unveiled at the Grand Opening celebration. Standing 17-feet tall, the aluminum structure is inset with blue and red dichroic glass, as a metaphor for Police and Fire, with the words, *Commitment, Honor, Integrity, and Trust*, accompanying the sculpture to remind the public of the mission and values of both departments.

The lower level of the current Dublin Police Services at Dublin Civic Center will be transformed into a future Cultural Arts Center, while City of Dublin Parks and Community Services staff will move into the upper level of the building.

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