



# OUR Town

Town of Apple Valley, California



## APPLE VALLEY TURNS 30 IN NOVEMBER

In 1988, movie goers flocked to see *Beetlejuice* and *Rain Man*; families sat down to watch the *Wonder Years* on TV; and Rick Astley crooned that he was "Never Gonna Give You Up."

In Apple Valley, 84% of voters thought the idea of incorporating was "totally awesome" and approved a measure to incorporate. This year, the Town is celebrating the 30th Anniversary of this historic vote. As such, the Town is marking 2018 as its diamond anniversary year.

Just like the cut gem that is used as the modern anniversary symbol, there are many facets to providing our residents A Better Way of Life. From public safety, to economic development; and public services to a well-maintained infrastructure, each of these services shine like a diamond when the light hits them.

Even with a constrained budget, we are improving our infrastructure, continuing to invest in public safety, attracting businesses, and preparing for another 30 years of services and amenities that we are sure our founders, Newt Bass and Bud Westlund, would be proud of. In August, the mayor and town council members shared many of the ways we are preparing for this future at the annual State of the Town address hosted by the Apple Valley Chamber of Commerce.

Plans are being finalized for a small anniversary celebration this November. Visit [www.AppleValley.org](http://www.AppleValley.org) for more information beginning November 1.

## HORSEMEN'S CENTER TURF TO BE RESTORED

Well repaired and put back into service



The turf at Horsemen's Center Park is being restored now that the 44-year-old well that serves the property has been repaired. Installed in 1974, the well has been taken off-line a few times in the last couple of years for a variety of

age-related issues, most recently in April when sand was discovered in the irrigation system.

The well was placed back into service on August 16 after a new motor, pump, column pipe, well head and gravel pack were installed to extend its life by about 10 years. Now fully operational, the well has resumed delivering water to the popular park located on the eastern edge of Apple Valley.

During the repair process, town staff hauled water in to fill the water reservoir for non-turf irrigation services such as the restrooms, the BMX park, the Sheriff's Posse building and watering the trees. Public Works staff began restoring the turf in August.

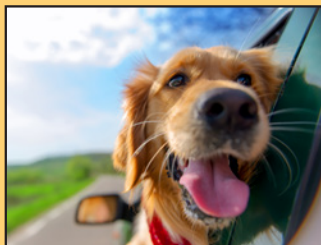
Horsemen's Center Park is located off Highway 18 and Horsemen's Center Way. It is a popular destination for group outings, picnics, equestrian use and is often identified by its iconic rock formations.

For more information on Apple Valley's parks and recreational activities, visit [www.AVRecreation.org](http://www.AVRecreation.org) or call (760) 240-7880.

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## MEETING CALENDAR

*Unless otherwise noted, all meetings take place in the Council Chambers at 14955 Dale Evans Parkway*

### TOWN COUNCIL

October 9 & 23,  
November 13, December 11  
at 6:30 p.m.

### PLANNING COMMISSION

1st & 3rd Wednesday  
at 6 p.m.

### PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION

1st Thursday  
of alternate months  
at 6 p.m.

### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Every Saturday from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
Hazardous Waste Collection Center  
13450 Nomwaket Road  
Closed December 29

# VOTER REGISTRATION

The deadline to register to vote in California for the November 6 election is October 22. Registered voters can apply on-line at <https://registertovote.ca.gov/>. Applications are available in multiple languages. To register to vote in California, you must be:

- A United States citizen and a resident of California
- 18 years old or older on Election Day
- Not currently in state or federal prison or on parole for the conviction of a felony
- Not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court

For more information, contact the Secretary of State's Elections Division at (800) 345-8683.



\*\*\* TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY \*\*\*

## 2018 STATE *of the* TOWN

The Mayor and Town Council delivered the annual State of the Town address to the Apple Valley Chamber of Commerce in August. View the video or read the text at [www.AppleValley.org](http://www.AppleValley.org).

## TOWN HOLIDAY CLOSURES

October 8: Columbus Day  
November 22 – 23: Thanksgiving  
December 25 – Christmas  
December 26 – 28 – Winter Closure  
January 1 – New Year's Day



## BIG LOTS UPDATE

The 1.3-million-square-foot Big Lots distribution center has risen from the desert floor on Navajo Road in North Apple Valley. It is estimated to create 400 to 500 new local jobs when it is fully operational in mid-2019.

This \$120-million capital investment project will make Apple Valley home to one of only five distribution centers the company will operate in North America.

The Big Lots center falls inside the 6,600-acre North Apple Valley Industrial Specific Plan (NAVISP) and joins current tenants such as Fresenius Medical Care's Tru Blu Logistics Center, the Walmart Distribution Center and Victor Valley College's Regional Public Safety Training Center.

As land costs increase and space becomes less available in the Inland Empire, the entire High Desert, and Apple Valley in particular, will see an increase in demand for industrial acreage. Apple Valley is ready for this influx of industry. We can fulfill the demand for labor and skills, are familiar with the entitlement and development process required for large scale projects, and we have the infrastructure required to accommodate them.

For more information on economic development projects in the Town of Apple Valley visit [www.AppleValley.org](http://www.AppleValley.org).

## FREE NEIGHBORHOOD CLEAN-UP

Nov. 3, 2018 | 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Lion's Park – 20701 Hwy 18, east of Dale Evans Parkway

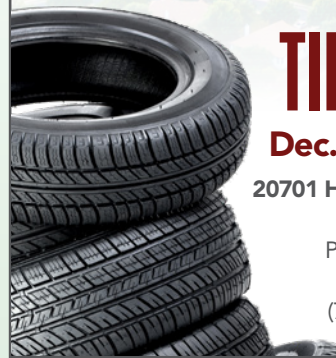
Discard your yard waste, furniture, mattresses, small appliances, metal, household trash and more. No tires, refrigerators, TVs or household hazardous waste.  
(760) 240-7560 | [www.avcode.org](http://www.avcode.org)

## FREE TIRE AMNESTY DAY

Dec. 8, 2018 | 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

20701 Highway 18, east of Dale Evans Parkway

Discard up to nine tires for free. Passenger tires only. Rims removed. No commercial dealers.  
(760) 240-7560 | [www.avcode.org](http://www.avcode.org)



### Did You Know?

Apple Valley has the lowest unemployment rate in the High Desert!



Unemployment  
Rate Down:  
**5.2%**

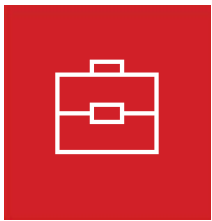
According to the California Employment Development Department



**Frontier**  
COMMUNICATIONS  
Channel 29



**Charter**  
COMMUNICATIONS  
Channel 186



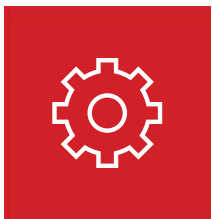
### COUNCIL & COMMISSION MEETINGS

View meetings from the comfort of your own home, or on the go via your mobile device. Agendas are posted on the Town Clerk's page of our website.



### SHOP LOCAL HIGHLIGHTS

From art to fashion, local restaurants to hometown manufacturers, see highlights of what Apple Valley has in the way of shopping, dining and doing business locally.



### ON THE JOB - BEHIND THE SCENES

See how we refurbish a playground, install a new street signal, fill a pothole and more. You'll meet the people that make Apple Valley "A Better Way of Life."



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# OUR Town

Town of Apple Valley, California

## Let Us Be Part of Your HOLIDAY TRADITIONS



### Trunk or Treat

It's all treats and no tricks at our second annual Trunk or Treat co-hosted by the Police Activities League! Kids are encouraged to dress up while they collect candy as they travel from trunk to trunk. Food trucks will be available at this family friendly event. Trunks and vendors interested in participating may contact Jonathan Settle at (760) 240-7000 x7881.

**Date:** Oct. 27. **Time:** Noon – 2 p.m. **Cost:** Free.

**Location:** Civic Center Park.

### Turkey Run 5/10K

Kick off the holiday season by running in our Annual Turkey Run! Separate awards will be given to men, women and children in different age divisions. A signed liability waiver is required for all participants. FREE commemorative race T-shirts for the first 50 pre-registered, paid runners (otherwise \$10 each).

**Date:** Nov. 17. **Time:** 7 a.m. **Cost:** 5K walk is free.

5/10K run: \$20 by Nov. 15; \$25 through race day. **Ages:** All ages.

**Location:** Start at Town Hall Recreation Center.

### Holiday Craft Fair

This annual event is like visiting 50 stores all at once. Items are 100% handcrafted and include jewelry, wood, fabric arts, home décor, fine art and much more. Kids can enjoy the "make-it and take-it" craft table provided by Teen Zone volunteers.

**Date:** Sat./Sun., Nov. 3 – 4. **Time:** 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. **Cost:** Free.

**Location:** Apple Valley Conference Center.



### Christmas Tree Lighting

Santa is stopping by to light the Town's Christmas Tree at Town Hall! Warm goodies will be given away while supplies last. Holiday entertainment will fill the air, and don't forget to take your "selfie" with Santa. Please provide your own camera for a short photo session. *(Date and event activities subject to change.)*

**Date:** Dec. 4. **Time:** 5 – 7 p.m. (lights on at 6 p.m.)

**Cost:** Free **Location:** Town Hall.

### Winter Youth Basketball

Boys and girls grades 2 – 12 are invited to play in this winter league. Practices (one hour per week) will begin in mid-December. Space is limited so sign up early! Separate boys' and girls' divisions are grades 3/4, 5/6, and 7/8 (7/8/9 for girls). Play is co-ed for second grade and for high school.

**Date:** Practices start the week of Dec. 17; Games start Jan. 6.

**Time:** Varies. **Cost:** \$65. **Ages:** Grades 2 – 12. **Registration**

**deadline:** Nov. 6. **Location:** Michael H. Martin Gym.

### Fall/Winter Day Camp

Looking for a fun, safe place to keep your child entertained, healthy and engaged during their school break? Our Day Camp staff is ready to show them a good time. Activities include games, crafts, free time, outdoor play and light cooking.

**Dates:** Sessions begin Oct. 8, Dec. 26 and Jan. 2.

**Time:** 7 a.m. to 6:15 p.m. **Cost:** \$107 full-time, \$57 half-days,

\$65 for three days/week. **Ages:** Grades K – 5.

**Location:** Town Hall Recreation Center.





# STASH YOUR TRASH

## ...IN THE RIGHT BIN!

The Town of Apple Valley contracts with Burrtec Waste, for automated trash and recycling collection. Each home within Town limits receives a green container ranging from 40 to 90 gallons in size for trash and a 60-gallon blue container for recycling.

Fees for trash disposal are based on the size of the green trash container that is picked up by automated arms on the trash collection trucks. Since there is no charge for the blue recycling barrel, the more carefully residents separate discards and use the blue barrel for recyclables, the smaller the trash barrel can be, which lowers trash disposal fees.

**Curious about what you can put in each bin? Here is a handy list:**

### Put the following recyclables in the blue trash barrel:

- Aluminum cans
- Office paper
- Brochures
- Paper tubes
- Cardboard
- Phone books
- Cereal boxes
- Plastics #1- #7
- Computer paper
- Plastic milk jugs
- Coupons
- Plastic water jugs
- Glass bottles/jars
- All rigid plastics
- Junk mail
- Shoe boxes
- Laundry bottles
- Tin cans
- Ledger paper
- Tissue boxes
- Magazines
- Used envelopes
- Mixed paper
- Window envelopes
- Newspaper
- Wrapping paper

### The following items go in the green trash barrel:

- Animal waste
- Packing "peanuts"
- Bathroom waste
- Plastic bags
- Carbon paper
- Plastic toys
- Carpet/Rags/textiles
- Ceramic glass
- Soiled paper
- Drinking glasses
- Sponges
- Flooring
- Stretch plastic
- Food/yard waste
- Styrofoam
- Mirrors/Window glass
- NCR paper
- Waxed cartons
- Nursery pots
- Waxed paper



Questions concerning pickup days, requests for new containers, questions on bills, and special service requests should be directed to Burrtec Waste at (760) 245-8607. Questions about your disposal billing may go to the Finance Department at (760) 240-7000 x7708. Questions concerning household hazardous waste should be directed to Public Services at (760) 240-7000 x7522.



## Project Improves Accessibility

# IN THE VILLAGE

Accessing the Apple Valley Village is now easier with the addition of sidewalks along Powhatan Road and the newly reconstructed John Glenn Road. The work is the result of a partnership between the Village Property and Business Improvement District (PBID) and the Town that aims to make the area more ADA accessible, pedestrian friendly and attract more visitors to the area.

The Town allocated Local Transportation Funds to close the sidewalk gaps along the east side of John Glenn Road between Powhatan Road and Outer Highway 18. Because John Glenn was a private street, the PBID Association provided funds to reconstruct the road. Now that it has been upgraded, it will be incorporated into the street system and will be maintained by the town going forward.

This is just the beginning of accessibility improvements to come. Earlier this year, the Town received a grant to study additional ways this historic corridor could be upgraded to attract more visitors to the area that boasts an eclectic mix of retail, industry, restaurants, art galleries and even Apple Valley's own craft brewery.

For more information regarding the Apple Valley Village Accessibility Project, visit [www.applevalley.org](http://www.applevalley.org) or call (760) 240-7000 x7013. For more information about the Village Business District and upcoming events visit [www.AppleValleyVillage.com](http://www.AppleValleyVillage.com).

## Additional Paving to Include IMPROVING BUS ROUTES

Approximately 35 miles of road are sporting a fresh new surface with bright yellow striping following the completion of the 17-18 paving project, which prioritized residential areas and collector roads that connect neighborhoods to main arterial streets.

Work for the 18-19 fiscal year has already started and has been designed to resurface 42 extra miles in the coming weeks. In addition to residential areas, this year's fiscal cycle will also include segments to maintain our bus routes.

The work will focus on portions of Victor Valley Transit Authority (VTA) Route 41 along Outer Highway 18 South from Kasota Road to Piute Road and from Outer Highway 18 North from Rimrock Road North to Corwin Road. Each segment is heavily traveled by the VTA bus which services St. Mary's Hospital, the Apple Valley Post Office, and the Apple Valley Civic Center.

Resurfacing these critical areas will improve continuity with the routes, reducing the potential for delays or detours due to damaged pavement surfaces. In addition, the resurfaced segments will be sealed and protect the buses and other vehicles from excessive potholes.

Town staff evaluated each of the selected segments to determine the appropriate resurfacing method to ensure maximum value and longevity. The nearly \$2 million project will use Measure I and SB1 funding for the residential and collector roads and Local Transportation Funds (LTF) for the bus routes.

**Extended Drive Time: Oct. 27**

## Victor Valley Bicycle Tour



Watch for cyclists traveling through town when the Victor Valley Bicycle Tour comes to Apple Valley on Oct. 27. Plan for extra drive time if traveling near the corner of Waalew Road and Dale Evans Parkway where a three-way stop will be installed temporarily for the event.

Visit [victorvalleybicycletour.com](http://victorvalleybicycletour.com) for more information about the routes or to participate.



# THE GREAT SHAKEOUT

## Coming in October!

Although an earthquake can strike at any time with no warning, there are many things you can do to be prepared when one happens.

Across the state of California and throughout our community; schools, health care agencies, faith-based organizations, government entities and businesses have pledged to practice Drop, Cover, and Hold On at exactly 10:18 a.m. on Oct. 18 during The Great California ShakeOut.

This annual opportunity helps families and businesses practice how to be safe during big earthquakes. It serves as a reminder for families to stock up on supplies, review and update emergency preparedness plans, and is a good time to secure your home in order to prevent damage and injuries.

ShakeOut is also a reminder for Californians to be prepared financially. Explore earthquake insurance from an agency that can cover homeowners, renters, mobile home properties or condominiums depending on where you reside.

The Town of Apple Valley will participate agency-wide, including our Disaster Service Workers, Community Emergency Response Team and Emergency Communications Services. So if you are at Town Hall or the DSB building during the drill, don't be surprised if you see our staff following the ShakeOut instructions to "Drop, Cover, and Hold On!"



For information on getting involved in the ShakeOut drill for your home or business visit [www.shakeout.org](http://www.shakeout.org).

To get involved in our DSW programs visit [www.ReadyAppleValley.org](http://www.ReadyAppleValley.org).

For daily emergency preparedness tips, suggestions, notices and updates, follow us on Twitter @ReadyAV.



## CERT Class Offers

# FREE DISASTER RESPONSE TRAINING

Are you ready to help yourself, your family and even your neighborhood in times of emergency? Get prepared by participating in a free 20-hour Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Basic Training Class.

The CERT Program educates citizens on disaster preparedness and hazards, and trains

them in basic disaster response skills such as fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization, disaster medical operations and terrorism. Through classroom training and exercises, CERT members are able to assist others in their neighborhood or workplace. CERT members are also encouraged to support emergency response agencies by taking a more active role in emergency preparedness projects in their community. Additional training is available to become a Volunteer Disaster Services Worker,

which allows for our community members to be activated in support of our first responders in a major disaster.

The next class will be held in January. Register online at [www.ReadyAppleValley.org](http://www.ReadyAppleValley.org). Each participant will receive a CERT manual, backpack, vest, and helmet upon completion of the class.

For more information call (760) 240-7000 x7791 or email [ready@applevalley.org](mailto:ready@applevalley.org).



## PAWS N' CLAWS

### 13th Annual Pet Fair

"Trudy," a spayed, female Yorkshire Terrier had been missing for four years. Fortunately, her microchip was current and registered, so when she was brought in to Apple Valley Animal Services as a stray, staff quickly located the chip and made a call to the owner who lived in Long Beach. The happy owner was reunited with her pet the same day.

Getting a microchip for your pet is quick, easy and can save pet owners enormous heartbreak. They are available at the shelter during normal business hours for only \$20. They will also be available at the 2018 Paws N' Claws Pet Fair at Civic Center Park on Oct. 20 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Our annual pet fair will also feature pet adoptions, a low-cost vaccine clinic, dog licensing, costume contests, vendors, food, art contest, snake avoidance training, live music, and a guest appearance by Kyra Sundance with amazing pet tricks.

Paws n' Claws is pet-friendly for well-mannered pets, and fun for all ages. Admission and parking are free.

**For more information or contest rules call (760) 240-7000 x7555 or visit [www.AVAnimals.org](http://www.AVAnimals.org).**

## PET VACCINES

### Last Clinic of the Year

Apple Valley Animal Services partners with local veterinary hospitals to offer low-cost vaccine clinics throughout the year. The final clinic of 2018 will be Dec. 5 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Municipal Animal Shelter, 22131 Powhatan Road.

Rabies vaccines for dogs or cats are \$6. Additional vaccines for dogs include Bordetella for \$10 and DA2PP for \$15. Feline leukemia vaccinations are available for \$15. Microchip services are only \$20. Cash only, please. Same-day license renewal is offered for Town residents.

**For more information go to [www.AVAnimals.org](http://www.AVAnimals.org) or call (760) 240-7000 x7555.**





# MOJAVE WATER

## Mojave Water Agency's Facilities Mini Tour is Oct. 10

Join the Mojave Water Agency (MWA) for a free educational tour on Oct. 10 where participants will learn how the Agency operates some of its facilities and the important role it plays in maintaining the economic vitality of the region. The tour will be held from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and includes stops at a couple of MWA's field sites. The event is free, and lunch is provided.

Those interested in attending must email Public Information Specialist Bryan Kawasaki at [bkawasaki@mojavewater.org](mailto:bkawasaki@mojavewater.org). Participants will meet the day of the tour at MWA's main office at 13846 Conference Center Drive, Apple Valley. For more information, call (760) 946-7001.

# ABC'S OF WATER

## How To Properly Winterize Your Home

This free hands-on class, hosted by the Mojave Water Agency (MWA), will show participants how to winterize a home both inside and out. Attendees will learn how to ensure a home is ready for the cold winter months where temperatures can drop below freezing, including how to properly insulate water pipes so they don't burst. The class will also cover how to conserve energy while winterizing the home.

The seminar will be held from 5:30 to 7 p.m. on Nov. 13 at MWA's main office, 13846 Conference Center Drive, Apple Valley. Email Public Information Specialist Bryan Kawasaki at [bkawasaki@mojavewater.org](mailto:bkawasaki@mojavewater.org) by Nov. 12 to reserve your space. For more information, call (760) 946-7001.

## OH CHRISTMAS TREE – WHAT DO I DO WITH THEE?

Once the presents are unwrapped and the needles start to drop, it's time to give your Christmas tree a proper retirement. You don't have to haul it off to a local drop-off point or dump it in the desert. Apple Valley residents can simply put their tree by the curb and Burrtec Waste will pick up Christmas trees until Jan. 5 on regular trash service days.

### There are three simple steps to take:

- 1) Remove all decorations, tinsel and stands
- 2) Cut the tree in half if over 6-feet tall
- 3) Place it curbside on your regular trash service day

The clean trees will be collected for grinding and composting. This practice conserves landfill space and reduces greenhouse gas emissions. Please note that flocked trees cannot be composted, so they will be disposed of as trash. Questions may be directed to Burrtec Waste at (760) 245-8607.



Town of Apple Valley

# Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program

## Your Opportunity for Home Repairs

The Town of Apple Valley Community Development Department is now offering assistance with improvements to eligible owner-occupied single family homes with a 0% interest deferred loan, up to \$25,000.



## Eligible Improvements

- ✓ Health, Safety and Code Violations
- ✓ Energy Conservation
- ✓ Accessibility Improvements for Disabled
- ✓ Necessary Repairs for Deferred Maintenance

**For more information on eligibility requirements please contact the Town of Apple Valley Housing Division**

14955 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley, CA 92307 • 760-240-7000, ext. 7208  
AVHousing@applevalley.org • www.AVHousing.org





# PACE PROGRAM

## RETURNS TO APPLE VALLEY

Residential, commercial, and industrial property owners within town limits now have additional options for financing energy efficient upgrades and installations with the Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) program.

Although not an endorsement, the Town Council's recent approval of the program removes penalties for early pay-offs of assessments and gives property owners more choices when it comes to funding things such as upfront costs for solar panels, electric vehicle charging infrastructure, water efficient delivery systems and other green initiatives.

Additionally, the resolution incorporates new state guidelines governing PACE financing after class action lawsuits were filed against several PACE providers for alleged predatory lending practices. The Town reserves the right to withdraw consent of these programs at any time through a written notice or subsequent resolution. For more information regarding local and national PACE programs, visit [www.energy.gov](http://www.energy.gov).

The PACE program does not replace the Town's Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program (RRLP), which continues to offer 0% interest, payment-deferred loans up to \$25,000 for eligible residents. The RRLP can fund projects related to ADA improvements, sewer connections and septic replacement, roofing, windows, deferred maintenance and code violations.

**For additional information regarding the Town's residential rehabilitation program, visit [www.applevalley.org](http://www.applevalley.org) or call (760) 240-7000 x7208.**

## SHERIFF'S REPORT SHOWS

# APPLE VALLEY CRIME DOWN

The 2017 annual report provided by the San Bernardino County Sheriff shows a 14% decrease in crimes such as rape, robbery, aggravated assault, and burglary in Apple Valley during the 16-17 fiscal year. This is the third year in a row overall crime is down and the second consecutive year to show a decrease in Part 1 and 2 crimes.

In June, the Town Council renewed the contract for police services with the San Bernardino county Sheriff's Department. The new agreement calls for a 6.1% increase in the overall cost of services and will remain effective through June 30, 2019.

"We are seeing a decrease across the board in our reports," said Apple Valley Police Captain Manny Mendoza. "This renewal of services will continue the efforts of the Apple Valley station to provide a safer community for our residents."

The 2017 San Bernardino County Sheriff's full report can be found online at [www.sbcounty.gov](http://www.sbcounty.gov).

**For more information regarding the Apple Valley Police Department visit [www.applevalley.org](http://www.applevalley.org) or call (760) 240-7400.**

## FIRE DEPARTMENT URGES HOLIDAY SAFETY

### HALLOWEEN SAFETY

#### Costume Safety

- Wear a light-color costume that makes it easy for you to walk, see, and be seen.
- Avoid costumes with trailing fabric that could touch flames in jack-o'-lanterns or other decorations.
- Make costumes with fire-retardant materials.
- Add reflective tape to homemade or store-bought costumes.

#### Trick-Or-Treating Safety

- Remove any mask before crossing the street.
- Always cross at corners, never between parked cars or in the middle of an intersection.
- Give your child(ren) flashlights or glow sticks so they can easily be seen while walking.
- Do not eat candy until it has been thoroughly checked by an adult.

#### Decorating Safety

- Keep decorations away from candles, light bulbs, and heaters.
- Consider using flameless candles in your jack-o'-lanterns.
- Keep exits clear of decorations.

#### Trick or Treating at the Fire Stations from 6 to 8 p.m. Oct. 31

- Station 331 – 22400 Headquarters Drive
- Station 332 – 18857 Highway 18
- Station 334 – 12143 Kiowa Road
- Station 336 – 19235 Yucca Loma Road
- Station 337 – 19305 Jess Ranch Parkway

### THANKSGIVING SAFETY

Safety tips for using a deep fat fryer for your Thanksgiving turkey (USDA.gov):

- Defrost turkey completely before frying.
- Always fry a turkey outdoors, never inside, and never leave it unattended.
- Make sure fryer is turned off, away from water sources and wiped dry before adding oil.
- Cooking oil is highly flammable. Have a kitchen fire extinguisher available.
- If no extinguisher is available, cover fire with a metal lid.
- Do not let water mix with the hot fat or use water to cool. Water turns into super-heated steam and can cause bodily injury.
- Never use water to put out a grease fire
- When cool, the safest way to dispose of cooking oil is to pour it into a sealable container and take it to your household hazardous waste disposal facility. Never pour it down the sink or gutter.

### CHRISTMAS SAFETY

Follow these few simple steps to keep your fresh cut Christmas tree safe throughout the holiday season:

- Make a fresh cut on the tree trunk from the bottom, about two or three inches.
- Place the tree in water in a sturdy stand that holds at least one gallon.
- Water the tree daily. They consume about a gallon per day.
- Use mini-lights- they produce less heat. Make sure the wires are not frayed and do not overload your electrical circuits.
- Keep the tree away from heat sources – Even televisions and sunny windows can pose a threat.
- Remove tree immediately after Christmas and never burn it in the fireplace.

# Top 7 Reasons to Shop Local.

## 1. Build Community

When an individual business profits, the entire community prospers.

## 2. Add Jobs

Buying local can increase hiring and drive down unemployment rates.

## 3. Preserve Safety

Tax revenues fund vital public safety including police and fire services.

## 4. Attract Retail

Successful stores and restaurants attract even more options to a commercial area.

## 5. Maintain Infrastructure

Tax revenues maintain roads and keep up parks and sports fields.

## 6. Support Events

Award-winning events include the Sunset Theater and Concert Series and July 4th Freedom Festival.

## 7. Avoid Traffic

Staying local saves time and money on travel and reduces stress.

SHOP LOCAL



## Did You Know?

*Dollars spent locally generate a greater return to the community than shopping out of town or online.*

[www.ShopAppleValley.org](http://www.ShopAppleValley.org)





**Provides Landlord-Tenant Mediation and Fair Housing Services to**

**Town of Apple Valley Residents and Housing Providers**  
*with funding from the Town of Apple Valley*

- Are you a landlord, property manager, or tenant with a housing issue, such as a disagreement regarding repairs, rights and responsibilities, or security deposits?
- Are you a tenant who has received a Notice from your landlord, such as a 3-day Notice to Pay Rent or Quit, or a 30/60-day Notice to Vacate?
- Do you believe you are experiencing housing discrimination?
- Do you have questions regarding a reasonable modification or accommodation for a tenant with disabilities?

**Inland Fair Housing and Mediation Board has Landlord-Tenant Mediators and Fair Housing Specialists standing by to assist you with these and other issues!**

**Main Office:** 1500 S. Haven Ave., Suite 100, Ontario, CA 91761  
**High Desert:** 15428 Civic Drive, Suite 225, Victorville, CA 92392



**(800)321-0911**

Walk-Ins Welcome

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Web: [www.ifhmb.com](http://www.ifhmb.com)



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

## LADIES' GOLF CLINIC OFFERED ON MONDAYS

Under the direction of new Head Golf Pro, Sean King, the Apple Valley Golf Course will host a weekly golf clinic special for ladies on Mondays from Oct. 15 to Nov. 5. For \$11 per person, participants will enjoy an 8:45 a.m. clinic followed by a round of golf including clubs and cart. For more information call the pro shop at (760) 242-3125.



### **PUBLIC WORKSHOP #2: VISION FOR THE VILLAGE**

**Tuesday, October 30th, 2018**

**5:30 - 7:30PM**

Join Town of Apple Valley staff, Caltrans, and plan consultants as we discuss the SR-18 Corridor Enhancement Plan for The Village. The project team gathered input from the first public workshop regarding difficulties surrounding navigation and accessibility of The Village. Input from the first public workshop helped the project team create our recommendations for the SR-18 Corridor Enhancement Plan. This is a great opportunity to see what The Village can look like in the future!

**WHERE: Apple Valley Town Hall**

**ADDRESS: 14955 Dale Evans Parkway  
Apple Valley, CA 92307**





# TOWN INFORMATION

## TOWN COUNCIL

Art Bishop  
Larry Cusack  
Curt Emick  
Scott Nassif  
Barb Stanton

## HOW TO REACH US (All Numbers 760)

Apple Valley Choice Energy..... 573-2823  
 Bus Routes..... 948-3030  
 Code Enforcement..... 240-7560  
 Economic Development ..... 240-7915  
 Emergencies ..... 911  
 Fire Department ..... 247-7618  
 Golf Course ..... 242-3125  
 Library ..... 247-2022  
 Parks & Recreation..... 240-7880  
 Police (business calls)..... 240-7400  
 Police dispatch after hours..... 956-5001  
 Town dispatch after hours..... 961-6001  
 Town Hall ..... 240-7000  
 Trash (Burrtec) ..... 245-8607

## DEPARTMENT EXTENSIONS

Dial (760) 240-7000 Plus:

Animal Services.....x7555  
 Building & Safety .....x7014  
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 Household Hazardous Waste .....x7522  
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 Engineering.....x7013  
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 Planning.....x7200  
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