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Latest Updates:

- Couples in Los Angeles County can now get their marriage license and have their ceremony in the same video conference
 - Specific criteria and conditions apply. Visit <u>https://lavote.net/home/county-clerk/marriage-licenses-ceremonies/apply-for-a-marriage-license/apply</u> to learn how to book an appointment
- Governor Newsom announced new criteria counties must meet in order to move ahead, including:
 - Hospitalization rates that don't increase more than 5% over 7 days
 - Less than 25% COVID-19 cases per 100k residents over the last 14 days
 - Learn more by visiting: <u>https://covid19.ca.gov/roadmap-counties/</u>
- Reminder to fill out your 2020 Census! You can respond online at <u>https://2020census.gov</u>, by phone, or by mail. If you would like to fill out the Census by phone, call (844) 330-2020
- Even though some sectors are starting to reopen, higher-risk populations should continue to stay home. This includes:
 - o People 65+
 - People with compromised immune systems
 - o Individuals who have serious chronic medical conditions
- Beach water use advisory: because of the recent rainfall, residents are warned that bacteria, chemicals, debris, trash, and other public health hazards from city streets and mountain areas are likely to contaminate ocean waters at and around discharging storm drains, creeks, and rivers after a rainfall. Individuals who enter the water in these areas could become ill
 - This advisory will be in effect until at least Thursday, May 21 at 7 am. This advisory may be extended depending on further rainfall
- California's Disaster Relief Assistance for Immigrants (DRAI) fund provides monetary help for undocumented adults who are ineligible for federal relief programs. To apply, call any of the below organizations:
 - Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights (CHIRLA) (213) 201-8700
 - o Central American Resource Center (CARECEN) (213) 315-2659
 - Asian Americans Advancing Justice (213) 241-8880
- Glasses fogging when wearing your face covering? Here are some tips for avoiding this:
 - Wash your glasses with soapy water. Research has shown that washing glasses with soapy water, and letting them air dry before putting on your mask, reduces fogging
 - Use tissue paper. Placing tissue paper between your glasses and the bridge of your nose may help absorb the moisture that causes foggy glasses
 - If you still have questions on face coverings, <u>read</u> LA County's Department of Public Health (DPH) Guidance on Face Coverings or <u>visit</u> their website.
- The City of San Dimas is now accepting select payments online! We are currently taking online payments for certain permits, plan checks, or tax payments
 - Additionally, the City will soon be accepting Business License renewal payments online
 - Visit <u>https://sandimasca.gov/online-bill-pay/</u> for more information