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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### City of San Dimas Office of the City Manager – Update September 28, 2020

#### *Latest Updates:*

##### *Local:*

- Bobcat Fire update: The Fire is at 114,200 acres and 62% containment. Crews continued to actively monitor and patrol containment lines searching out heat along the perimeter. Patrols occurred along the northern portion of the fire to make sure communities are secure and to be alert for new activity. Increased activity is anticipated within containment lines near Mount Wilson and Mount Lewis as the wind speeds increase and relative humidity decreases. The public can expect to see smoke columns in these areas as unburned fuels within the containment lines continue to consume. Crews will be working near Mount Lewis to reduce the spread of the fire and to keep it north of Route 2. They will also be working to secure the spot fire northwest of Bare Mountain
- There are only **TWO** more days to complete the 2020 Census and make sure San Dimas is counted! Visit <https://my2020census.gov/>, call (844) 330-2020, or complete your paper form Census today!
- There will be a FREE Household Hazardous Waste and E-Waste Roundup this Saturday, October 3, at the City of Duarte Civic Center, School District Parking Lot, 1600 Huntington Drive, from 9 am – 3 pm

##### *County:*

- Did COVID-19 affect your business? LA County Office of Business Development is hosting a series of webinars designed with small business owners in mind. Their goal is to help your business respond to the immediate impact of COVID-19, plan ahead, and return stronger. Click [HERE](#) for a list of webinars and to register
- The fifth round of the LA Regional COVID Fund will open on Monday, October 5. The Recovery Fund is open to micro-entrepreneurs, small businesses, and non-profits located in Los Angeles County. To find out if you meet the criteria, visit <https://www.lacovidfund.org/grants>
- Public Health highlights smoking as a risk factor for severe illness from COVID-19 because smoking harms every system in the body and causes cardiovascular disease and pulmonary disease. People who smoke are two-four times more likely to become seriously ill from COVID-19 when compared to those who did not smoke
  - For those who are smoking or vaping, there are services available to help you quit. Reach out to the California Smokers' Helpline at 1-800-NO-BUTTS or visit <https://laquits.com/>

##### *State:*

- Get the latest on the wildfires burning in California and what to expect in the next few days. Visit <https://fire.ca.gov/daily-wildfire-report/> for more information
- Governor Gavin Newsom today signed legislation that will help California make significant progress on the state's housing construction and equity goals. The package of 15 bills signed today includes new rights for tenants and community groups to purchase homes facing foreclosure, as well as a series of improvements to state law that will lead to more inclusive and affordable neighborhoods so housing can be within reach of more working Californians
  - For more information on this new legislation, click [HERE](#)