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The pace has quickened...around City Hall and no doubt around your homes, too, after the slower days of summer. Despite your hectic schedules, I encourage you to attend the second annual City Town Hall Meeting on September 25th. The interactions between Livermore residents, elected officials and City staff help develop strong partnerships and good policy. More details are below. See you there. Marc citymanager@cityoflivermore.net



City Town Hall Meeting -- Livermore residents are invited to a Town Hall Meeting at the Livermore Public Library Civic Center Community Rooms from 6:30-8:00 pm on Wednesday, September 25th. Mayor John Marchand will present his second community "State of the City" address which highlights what's new, what's coming and topics related to Livermore's quality-of life. "These Town Hall meetings", according to Mayor Marchand, "are another avenue to increase public engagement and to empower the members of our community to take initiative and make a positive difference in our City."



Storytimes at Springtown Library --Story times have returned to the Springtown Branch Library on Thursday mornings at 10:30 am. Preschool children and their caregivers are invited to attend these 30-minute sessions of stories and songs, followed by 30 minutes of "Stay and Play" where the adults can visit while the children play together. Attendees are also encouraged to check out books to take home and continue the fun. Springtown story times sessions will be held weekly through December 19th. For more information, call Youth Services at 925-373-5504.



Honor a Hero/Hire a Vet Job Fair -- Do you know a military veteran who needs a job? Help spread the word about the Honor a Hero, Hire a Vet Job and Resource Fair on Friday, September 27, 2013 at the Las Positas College PE Complex from 9 am-12:30 pm. The fair is free, and open to all job seekers. Over 60 employers are participating. The fair is sponsored by the California Employment Development Department in collaboration with the City of Livermore, the Las Positas College Veterans First Program, LARPD, Livermore Valley Chamber of Commerce, and LAVTA.



SR 84/Isabel Avenue Update -- Construction on Phase I of the State Route 84/Isabel Avenue widening project progresses, and it is still on schedule for completion in the middle of 2014 according to Caltrans. Phase II of the project will continue from a bit north of Concannon Boulevard to Ruby Hills Drive. Phase II will expand the roadway from two lanes to four as well as widen the bridge at the Arroyo Del Valle. The tentative start date for Phase II is the Spring of 2015.