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## **PLANNING FOR OUR FUTURE: CITY OF CHINO HILLS GENERAL PLAN UPDATE COMMUNITY WORKSHOP TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10**

Chino Hills, CA – Chino Hills residents are invited to a “Planning For Our Future” workshop to learn more about the City of Chino Hills’ comprehensive General Plan Update and provide input on the new Environmental Justice Element on Thursday, November 10 at 6:00 pm at the McCoy Equestrian & Recreation Center, located at 14280 Peyton Drive. Several community booths featuring information on key topics will also be available.

The General Plan is based on the community's vision for the future of the City of Chino Hills. From the time of its incorporation, the City has envisioned itself as a community with a high quality of life while preserving its rural character. The General Plan update will refine the City's vision with input from the public and maintain the City's high quality of life and to meet the challenges of today.

The workshop will provide residents an introduction to the General Plan and the City’s process to update it, as well as an overview of the eight elements including the new Environmental Justice component. The new Environmental Justice component takes into consideration disadvantaged neighborhoods and ensures that the City plans for and develops a process to ensure equity regarding the land uses and environmental concerns of today and into the future.

Residents will have the opportunity to ask questions regarding the General Plan and provide feedback. Various City departments will also be in attendance to provide information on topics such as City programs and services, household hazardous waste, organic waste, water conservation, public safety, and the City’s GIS mapping software. A children’s activity area will also be available.

The City kicked off updates to the General Plan in summer of 2021. Public input is an important part of the process. The City previously gathered community feedback on the Housing Element Update and the vision statements included in the General Plan. A community survey is currently available online through Friday, December 2 on the

Environmental Justice Element. Residents will also be able to take the survey or provide input on this topic in-person during the workshop.

Attendees will receive a free City of Chino Hills clear stadium tote bag while supplies last. To learn more about the City's General Plan Update or to take the current community survey, please visit [www.chinohills.org/GeneralPlan](http://www.chinohills.org/GeneralPlan). For questions, please call the Community Development Department at (909) 364-2740.

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