



On September 20, 2017, at the Rancho Cucamonga City Council meeting, Mayor L Dennis Michael made a proclamation to the Rancho Cucamonga Chamber of Commerce recognizing Friday, October 6, 2017 as Manufacturing Day in the city. Here's an excerpt from the Mayor's proclamation:

"WHEREAS, by working with the Chamber of Commerce, educational institutions, and the business community during and after Manufacturing Day, we hope to improve the general public's perception of manufacturing careers and the industry's value to the local, state, and national economy."

Local manufacturers and industrial businesses are an integral part of our business community and they are contributors to the economic development of the city. The city is proud to be home to 176 manufacturers.

What is Manufacturing Day – why do we celebrate?

This event started in 2012 which now occurs annually on the first Friday of October. Activities are not just held during this one day but companies and community organizations hold events throughout the month of October.

"Manufacturing Day is an annual celebration of modern manufacturing whereby manufacturers invite their communities to their facilities in a collective effort to educate visitors about manufacturing career opportunities and improve public perception of manufacturing."

In recognition of Manufacturing Day and the city proclamation, the Rancho Cucamonga Chamber of Commerce is holding a "Made in Rancho" expo on Wednesday, October 4 at the Goldy Lewis Community Center, Central Park, Rancho Cucamonga from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Manufacturers can showcase their products made in the city and share information about their industry. The public is welcome to attend. For more information, please contact the Chamber office at 909-987-1012.

This week's RC Chamber events:

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| -Tuesday, September 26 | Ribbon Cutting at Mimi's Café |
| Location: | 10909 E Foothill Bl |
| Time: | 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm |
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| -Thursday, September 28 | Business Connection Network |
| Location: | Central Park, Senior Center |
| | 11200 Baseline Rd. |
| | 7:00 am – 8:30 am |

We welcome you to connect and network with us!

Personnel Announcement:

I am happy to announce a new addition to the Rancho Cucamonga Chamber of Commerce Staff – **Marlene Fulfer** –who recently joined us as the Director of Operations and Membership. Marlene brings many years of Chamber experience. Please join me in welcoming Marlene to our Chamber family. Please view her bio provided via a link on this newsletter.

Sincerely,
Ruby Huey
Vice President
Citizens Business Bank

Members Connecting Together can make a difference in our business community

