



# CITY OF FORT BRAGG

## News Release

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**March 16, 2020**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### CITY UTILITY SERVICES DURING CORONAVIRUS EMERGENCY

The City of Fort Bragg Finance Department makes the following general announcements:

- The next City Utility bill is due on April 3, 2020. Although the City encourages those who are able to make their payment as usual, there will be no late fee assessed for those who are unable to make payment on time. Additionally, no water accounts will be shut-off for non-payment in March or April of 2020.
- The public is encouraged to make utility bill payments through various other means rather than in person. Alternative payment methods include:
  - Drop boxes located at the front door of City Hall and in the alley behind City Hall
  - By mail: **Fort Bragg Water Works, PO Box 51944, Los Angeles, CA 90051-6244**
  - Online through the City Web site: <https://fortbragg.merchanttransact.com/>
  - Through bank bill-pay
  - Card payment by phone: **(707) 962-4587** (you can also check your balance and the service is free)
- Persons wishing to open a new water account are invited to do so by making a request by email to [water@fortbragg.com](mailto:water@fortbragg.com). Instructions on how to proceed will be provided in response to the request.
- The City's Finance department has many other services available online. Please visit: <https://city.fortbragg.com/207/Finance-Utility-Billing>

Questions regarding this information should be directed to Victor Damiani, Finance Director, at [vdamiani@fortbragg.com](mailto:vdamiani@fortbragg.com) or (707) 961-1586.