



## You're Invited to "Paramount Today" on March 14

The Paramount City Council will host "Paramount Today: A Report to the Community" on **Wednesday, March 14, at 7:00 p.m. at Progress Park Plaza.**

This annual "state of the city" talk by City Manager Linda Benedetti-Leal will take a look at highlights of the past year, review current events and offer up future plans for our town.

All residents are invited to the free event, which should last about an hour. Light refreshments will be served.

Progress Park Plaza is located at 15500 Downey Ave. For more information, please call (562) 220-2121.



## Apply for a PEP College Scholarship

**Grants of \$1,000 and \$3,000 Available for Local Students**

The Paramount Education Partnership (PEP) Scholarship Program awards scholarships each year with the goal of making education beyond high school financially accessible. PEP is a collaborative effort between the City of Paramount, Paramount Unified School District, and the Paramount Chamber of Commerce.

Scholarships of \$1,000 are awarded to students attending a community college and \$3,000 to students attending an accredited four-year institution within the U.S, including vocational/ trade/ technical schools. The funds may only be used to pay tuition, fees, books and supplies for the 2012-2013 school year.

Applications are available now on the City of Paramount website at [www.paramountcity.com](http://www.paramountcity.com) and on the Paramount Unified School District website at [www.paramount.k12.ca.us](http://www.paramount.k12.ca.us).



Hard copies can be picked up at Paramount City Hall, the City Yard and at locations throughout the School District.

Included in the packet is a list of the mandatory requirements. For instance, among other things, you must be a Paramount resident or Paramount Unified School District student and have a high school diploma or GED. You must also show financial need.

Applications must be submitted in person or by mail by

March 30, at:

Paramount Education Partnership, Inc.,  
16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, CA 90723  
Attention: Scholarship Committee

For information regarding the PEP Scholarship Program, please call (562) 220-2132.

### **Upcoming Meetings**

For more information about Council & Commission meetings, please call (562) 220-2225.

**3/6/2012 - 6:00 PM**  
City Council

3/13/2012 - 6:00 PM  
Planning Commission

3/20/2012 - 5:00 PM  
City Council