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Cooling Opportunities for Oakland Residents *Free Swimming at City Pools, Roster of Air-Conditioned Libraries*

Oakland, CA — In response to today's expected high temperatures, Mayor Quan has worked with Parks & Recreation Director Audrey Taylor Jones to provide free swimming for Seniors (55+) at City of Oakland pools and free swimming for everyone at the East Oakland Sport Center today.

City Pools Open Today:

Lions Pool, 3860 Hanly Road, Dimond Park, (510) 482-7852

Temescal Pool, 371 45th Street, (510) 597-5013

East Oakland Sports Center, 9161 Edes Ave, (510) 615-5838

Please note the pools are still abiding by their standing schedules for programming; any dedicated swims or classes have not been cancelled, but we are simply allowing folks in for free during the usual times. Residents should consult their local pools with any schedule questions.

Another great way to beat the heat is to visit an Oakland Public Library branch that has air conditioning. These branches include:

Asian Library, 388 9th Street, (510) 238-3400

Brookfield Library, 9255 Edes Avenue, (510) 615-5725

Chavez Library, 3301 East 12th Street, (510) 535-5620

Dimond Library, 3565 Fruitvale Avenue, (510) 482-7844

Eastmont Library, 7200 Bancroft Avenue, Suite 211, (510) 615-5726

81st Ave Library Meeting Room, 1021 81st Ave, (510) 615-5812

These branches will be open from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Thanks to Library Director Gerry Garzon and his staff for being prepared for extra visitors today.

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