



**City of Sunnyvale  
Department of Public Works  
Parks Division  
INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN**



**PLEASE DON'T FEED THE DUCKS**

The Parks Division enjoys providing ornamental water features for the public to enjoy. They enhance the beauty of our facilities and our City.

The Community Center pond is able to support a small population of wild ducks (18-25) during the year. The surrounding area does provide a natural food source for this population. However, when people provide additional food sources, they contribute to the following problems:

- Unhealthy diet for ducks
- Increase in number of ducks
- Makes ducks easier prey for predators
- Duck droppings on walkways
- Maintenance problems on pump and filter system
- Promotes bacteria and algae growth in pond
- Increases litter in the pond

Please help provide a healthy environment for the public and for the ducks.

For more information, call the Parks Division at (408) 730-7506.