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COUNTY KICKS OFF COOL ZONES TO AID OLDER ADULTS

Seniors Urged to Enjoy Summer with Plan to Beat the Heat and Energy Costs

- WHO:** County Supervisor Dianne Jacob, District 2
Pam Smith, Director, San Diego County Health & Human Services Agency, Aging & Independence Services
Yole Whiting, Director, Customer Assistance, SDG&E
Dr. Robert Moser, Deputy Director, Catholic Charities
Seniors attending the Cool Zone at the Lemon Grove Senior Center
- WHAT:** Official kickoff for San Diego County's Cool Zone program. This event initiates The designation of Cool Zone sites for this summer. Includes Popsicles!!!
- WHEN:** 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 28
- WHERE:** Lemon Grove Senior Center, 8235 Mount Vernon, Lemon Grove, 91945
- WHY:** Having air-conditioned settings where seniors and others can congregate to beat the heat not only reduces their individual energy costs, but can protect their health. And Cool Zones are great places to meet people.
- To locate a Cool Zone, call 1-800-510-2020.**

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