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September 29, 2026

Expanding Access to Los Angeles Opera’s “Saturday Mornings at the Opera” Program for Second District Families

Los Angeles Opera’s “Saturday Mornings at the Opera” program invites children and families to experience opera in a welcoming and interactive setting at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion. Designed for young audiences ages 3 to 9, the program introduces children to musical storytelling through performances featuring selections from beloved operas, including Bizet’s *Carmen*, Leoncavallo’s *Pagliacci*, Mozart’s *The Magic Flute*, and Puccini’s *La Bohème*, and *The Girl of the Golden West*.

In addition to the performances, families can participate in hands-on arts workshops where children can sing, dance, act and create their own souvenirs. The program also connects families with local arts partners and additional opportunities to engage with the arts across Los Angeles County, helping make cultural experiences more accessible to young people and their families.

The upcoming “Saturday Mornings at the Opera” performances will take place on September 26, October 3, and November 7, 2026. Through programs like these, Los Angeles Opera is helping introduce a new generation of Angelenos to opera while creating opportunities for children and families to explore their creativity together.

To support participation by Second District families attending the October 3, 2026, performance, waiving parking fees will reduce a barrier to attendance and help ensure that families can fully engage in this arts and cultural opportunity.

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I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Waive parking fees in the amount of \$600 for 60 vehicles, excluding the cost of liability insurance, in Lot 14, on October 3, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., for those attending Saturday Mornings at the Opera at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion.

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