



Walmart Brings Jobs and Grocery Options to San Jose

New Neighborhood Market Brings More Convenience, Local Fresh Food Favorites and Employment Opportunities to the Community

- New Walmart Neighborhood Market located at 4080 Stevens Creek Blvd.
- Up to 95 jobs created by San Jose Walmart Neighborhood Market
- Store open 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., seven days a week
- Local Facebook page: www.facebook.com/walmart2486

SAN JOSE, Calif. (July 11, 2014) – A new Walmart Neighborhood Market is opening Wednesday, July 16, following a brief ribbon-cutting ceremony at 7:30 a.m. The new store is conveniently located at 4080 Stevens Creek Blvd. and is open 6 a.m. to 11 p.m., seven days a week. The store will provide San Jose residents with low prices on a broad assortment of merchandise and offer Walmart's free Site to Store program, enabling customers to choose from nearly a million additional online items that can be ordered on Walmart.com and picked up at the San Jose store for free, often as quickly as the same day.

"We're excited for the opening of this new Walmart Neighborhood Market which fills an existing space, creates new options for consumers and provides good jobs for area residents," said San Jose Councilman Pete Constant. "Store management has done a great job with the renovations and we expect customers to appreciate the addition of this store to the neighborhood."

The new San Jose store is part of Walmart's plan to open an additional 270 to 300 small-format locations this year. The first Walmart Neighborhood Market opened in 1998, and today there are approximately 300 Walmart Neighborhood Market stores nationwide.

The new store will provide local customers with a new, convenient option for their grocery shopping needs, including fresh produce and pharmacy services.

"We are excited to be a part of the community just in time for summer," said store manager Ryan Plesha, who began his Walmart career in 2002 as a courtesy clerk. "We have everything you need for your picnics, cookouts and outdoor fun."

Affordable Groceries to Meet Your Needs

The new store offers fresh produce and a full line of groceries from all the leading brand names, including organic and natural selections. There is also a wide variety of meat for your summertime grilling needs and bakery selections, including fresh breads and desserts.

Smaller Store, More Convenience

The new store is approximately one-quarter the size of a Walmart Supercenter. In addition to groceries, the store features health and beauty aids, pet products and cleaning supplies. Customers can also shop a broader assortment of items online at Walmart.com and then pay for these purchases with cash in all of Walmart's U.S. stores and Walmart Neighborhood Markets, including the new San Jose store.

The pharmacy offers a full range of products and services. Pharmacy team members can answer product and prescription questions and customers can ask about health and wellness solutions. San Jose residents can easily transfer prescriptions and order refills on the go with the [Walmart mobile app](#) for iPhone and Android.

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New Store, New Jobs

The new store employs up to 95 full- and part-time associates. Store manager Ryan Plesha began his Walmart career in 2002 as a courtesy clerk.

Community Giving

The grand-opening celebration includes presentations of \$8,000 in grants from Walmart to local community groups. Among the grant recipients are Lincoln High School, Hispanic Foundation of Silicon Valley, San Jose Police Department, Girl Scouts of Northern California, Second Harvest Food Bank of Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties, Prospect High School and Santa Clara Vanguard.

In addition to the grants given as part of the grand opening, the new store will further Walmart's pledge to fight hunger in America. As part of Walmart and the Walmart Foundation's \$2 billion commitment to fight hunger through 2015, Walmart stores in California donated approximately 23.1 million pounds of food, in fiscal year 2014, or the equivalent of 19.3 million meals. Additionally, Walmart and the Walmart Foundation gave more than \$47.1 million in fiscal year 2014 in California alone. For more information on Walmart's fight against hunger, visit <http://foundation.walmart.com/our-focus/hunger>.

A Big Family Welcome

Walmart is happy to be part of the San Jose community and is ready to celebrate with residents on Saturday, July 19. A Big Family Welcome will give customers a chance to meet Plesha and enjoy fun family activities such as face painting, cupcake decorating and free food samples while supplies last. Join the celebration from noon to 3 p.m.

About Walmart

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