

## New addition to Southgate Plaza opening soon

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A new [Wal-Mart](#) Neighborhood Market will open next week in south Sacramento. The store in [Southgate Plaza](#) on Florin Road is scheduled to hold its grand opening at 7:30 a.m. on July 8.

Wal-Mart Stores Inc. is a familiar tenant at Southgate Plaza. The company left the center in 2009 to build a Wal-Mart Supercenter on the other side of Highway 99 in the Florin Towne Centre. However, it [continued to pay rent](#) on the empty space.

Last year, the company [confirmed plans](#) to fill part of the space with a Wal-Mart Neighborhood Market, its grocery concept. It fills about 52,000 square feet of the former Wal-Mart location, which was approximately 131,000 square feet.

The store, which is located at the intersection of Florin Road and Franklin Boulevard, will employ about 95 people.



*An associate stocks shelves at the new Walmart Neighborhood Market, which opens soon in Southgate Plaza on Florin Road.*