

The work of a Chamber of Commerce opens paths of usefulness limited only by the degree of active interest which is shown in its activities by the community it serves.

The facilities and services which the Torrance Chamber of Commerce is rendering to this community are manifold. The utility and value of these services, however, is measured very largely by the use which the citizens of this community make of them. All are cordially welcome to avail themselves of the general offices where civic and development literature and information is maintained together with directories of other cities and specific data covering the general fields of civic, educational, social, commercial and industrial subjects.

The following are a few pertinent facts about Torrance, the planned city:

Area—18.88 Square Miles.

Population—8,270.

Assessed Valuation—\$18,000,000.

Municipal Bonded Debt—\$21,000.

Altitude—50 to 425 Feet.

Schools—Part of Los Angeles System.

High School Enrollment—767.

Elementary Enrollment—1,190.

Library, Woman's Club, National Business and Professional Women's Club, Rotary and Kiwanis.

Churches—14.

Fraternal Bodies—12.

Torrance Community Hospital—The best equipped in the southwest.

Health Center—(Los Angeles County Health Department).

Transportation—Pacific Electric, Santa Fe and Motor Coach Company.

Highways—Western Avenue, Sepulveda Boulevard, Pacific Coast Highway, Torrance Boulevard, Cedar (Crenshaw) Avenue.

Commercial—Hub of the Harbor District.

Industrial—Many Thriving Industries.

Payroll—\$1,000,000.00 Per Month.

Torrance was built by a man of vision, who incorporated into the plan of this city the most modern ideas on which beautiful, well-planned cities are built. Its beautiful homes and tree-lined streets make it a garden city. It is a delightful place in which to live and enjoy life.

Torrance is a different type of industrial city. Its successful business and professional men, its manufacturers, homeowners, taxpayers, newcomers, young men entering civic life, everyone with a stake in the community or an interest in it is a definite guarantee of continued growth.

There are a lot of advantages in California cities. Torrance has them all—and more.

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