

罗兰岗城市合作项目

2025/9/16

现状

不是城市 没有政府

高物价 / 高税收 / 低服务

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罗兰岗 从社区到城市

本地市政府 → 居民税收回流

提高安全性

改善社区服务

加强基础设施

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一同助力，共建城市，点亮未来

罗兰岗市政府：让我们的城市更安全，更公平，更强大

Roland Heights Project Introduction

- Team : Oak Crest Academy Student Organization
- background & problem statement
- Data & Importance
- Overall Visions
- Short-term Goals
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Background and problem statement

- Rowland Heights is a large community in Los Angeles County with about 50,000 residents, many of them Asian American. Despite its vibrant life, it is not a city—it's an

unincorporated area without its own government.

As a result, Rowland Heights falls behind nearby cities in public safety, education, and

how tax dollars are returned to the community

- Population: 48,231 (2020 U.S. Census)
- Asian: 60%
- Chinese: 46%

- Crime rate increasing
- Real estate rising price---->more taxes paid
- Smash and grab

Background and Problem statement

--standing at the crossroads: continue without a voice, or seize the chance to govern ourselves.

Arcadia incorporated in **1903** after residents voted for self-governance.

Temple City incorporated in **1960** through community action. Since then, they have enjoyed safer streets, stronger schools, and more responsive governments.

Today, Rowland Heights has grown into one of the **largest unincorporated communities** in Los Angeles County.

- Sources: [City of Arcadia, CA](#)

[History | Temple City, CA - Official Website](#)

Data & Importance

Rowland Heights Annual Crime Statistics

Crime Type	Number of Crimes	Crime Rate (per 1,000 residents)
Violent Crime	165	3.42
Property Crime	523	10.84
Total	688	14.26

Rowland Heights: Violent crime rate ~ 3.42/1,000; property crime ~ 10.84/1,000.

Chance of being a victim: 1 in 292.

Walnut, CA: Violent crime rate ~ 2.0/1,000 (much lower).

With its own police department, Rowland Heights could achieve lower crime rates like Walnut.

[Walnut, CA, 91789 Crime Rates and Crime Statistics – NeighborhoodScout](#)
[Rowland Heights, 91748 Crime Rates and Crime Statistics - NeighborhoodScout](#)

Data & Importance

--Education Statistics

- Rowland Unified: 33% math proficiency, 49% reading; student–teacher ratio 22:1.
- Arcadia Unified: ~77% proficiency in both math & English.
- Takeaway: Arcadia's city support strengthens its schools—incorporation boosts education.

Data and importance

Tax Statistics

- Rowland Heights: Property tax rate ~1.26% (above U.S. median 1.02%), but funds controlled by L.A. County.
- Walnut / Temple City: Local governments allocate their own revenues into roads, safety, schools.
- If incorporated, Rowland Heights would keep tax dollars local and use them for priorities residents care about.

Overall visions

- Our vision is to transform **Rowland Heights into a city with its own government.**
- Safety and Security for Residents: Establish a rapid emergency response system and effective protections
- Better Education: Increase investment in schools, modernize facilities, strengthen teaching resources, provide more opportunities for the next generation.
- Keeping Tax Dollars Local: Guarantee transparency and accountability. Every dollar is reinvested directly to Rowland Heights infrastructure, environment, and community service.
- Driving Economic Growth: Attract businesses and investors, create quality jobs, and foster long-term prosperity for families and entrepreneurs alike.
- Building Community Identity: Strengthen civic pride and cultural recognition, giving Rowland Heights its own voice and character on the map of Southern California.

Short-term goals

- 9.12--10.12: Discuss and improve plans and objectives
 - Establish website accounts and other promotional platforms
 - Poster design/beautification
 - Establish offline collaboration promotion channels/methods
- 10.12--12.12: Initial stage of promotion/progressing
 - () posts
 - () fans
 - Host 2 offline events
 - get () signatures
- 1.12--3.12: Organization size grew ()
 - fundraising ()
 - Signatures ()

Implement Plan

- Online promotion
- Conduct offline activities to increase influence
- Collect residents' signatures
- Establish cooperation with businesses (pending detail)
- After expanding the scale, start fundraising, with a portion of membership card revenues used in building organization (pending detail)

Resources required

- Collaboration of 10+merchants
 - Membership system fundraising
 - Posting and advertising
- approval and places for holding offline events
- 200+ members of organization
- 100,000 online exposure
- Guidance organized by the government and principle

Conclusions

--We believe that establishing a city government is not the destination, but rather the starting point for Rowland Heights to achieve prosperity, democracy, and fairness for all its residents

To-do s

- Website:Rowlandheights.us
- Instagram/TikTok account
- Task Arrangement
- Proposal
- Introduction posted
- Cooperations
- Funding