

VS in O'Reilly, McDonald's future

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O'Reilly Auto Parts, which has nearly 3,500 stores in 38 states, is expected to break ground (sic) at a new Valley Springs location within the next 60 days and McDonald's is also looking at moving to town.

District 1 Supervisor Gary Tofanelli broke the news at Wednesday's luncheon meeting of the Valley Springs Area Business Association.

Tofanelli, who represents the west Calaveras communities of Valley Springs, Burson, Camanche, Campo Seco, La Contenta, San Andreas and Wallace, said O'Reilly Auto Parts obtained property for its new store off State Route 26 between Jean Street and Nove Way and has gone through the permit process to begin construction soon.

He also told the audience McDonald's was looking at several parcels in the Valley Springs area and may not be too far behind in constructing what he described as a more upscale type of fast-food restaurant.