



# CITY MANAGER'S WEEKLY ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

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## CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE



**The City of Rancho Palos Verdes wishes all who celebrate a Happy Nowruz!**

### March 19, 2024 City Council Meeting Highlights

Highlights from the March 19 City Council meeting:

- The Council approved moving forward with emergency measures to slow accelerated movement in the Portuguese Bend landslide complex, including installing two dewatering wells to remove water that is trapped underground and contributing to sliding. Due to the urgency of the situation, this \$8 million work will proceed ahead of the rest of the larger Portuguese Bend



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Landslide Remediation Project, which remains in the environmental review stage.

- Critical regrading work is being planned for Palos Verdes Drive South, which may require a temporary closure in the landslide area. The City will share details on the construction timeline at the April 2 City Council meeting.
- The Council voted to explore ways the City can provide assistance to two independent geological hazard abatement districts (GHADs) in RPV for their landslide mitigation projects, such as no-interest loans, grants, and/or in-kind services.
- The local emergency declaration that was put in place in October 2023 to bolster the City's response to the land movement was extended through May 18.
- Staff will also coordinate an upcoming town hall meeting regarding the City's and GHADs' plans to slow the landslide movement.
- The Council approved making several changes to the ParkMobile parking system near Del Cerro Park that will be rolled out in the coming months:
  - Eight parking spaces directly adjacent to the park on Park Place will be converted to general public parking requiring ParkMobile reservations.
  - Six spaces on Park Place will be reserved for Park Place Homeowners Association visitors, City staff and contractors, and Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy volunteers.
  - Two spaces on Park Place will remain designated as ADA spaces.
- Zone C, which is the closest ParkMobile zone to Del Cerro Park on Crenshaw Boulevard, will be converted to Residential Recreational Parking Permit parking.
- Staff will also install a sign at the park acknowledging the transfer of the land, a former Nike missile radar station, to the City by the federal government in 1976.
- Finally, the Council authorized the Mayor to submit an opposition letter to the California Public Utilities Commission on AT&T's plans to discontinue its landslide service in California, citing concerns about the reliability of cellphone service on the Peninsula, especially during an emergency, as well as the region's significant senior population.

For all City Council actions from the meeting, watch video at [rpvca.gov/agendas](http://rpvca.gov/agendas).

## PVPUSD Facility Needs Community Engagement Sessions

Join the Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District (PVPUSD) for a series of upcoming community engagement sessions focused on the district's facility needs and potential solutions.

These events will include a presentation with Superintendent Devin Serrano and Assistant Superintendent Brenna Terrones, a campus tour, and time for questions and answers.

Find out more about our facility needs and exploration of a bond measure for the November 2024 election. More detailed information will follow for each session. All sessions are open to the public!

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DATE	TIME	LOCATION
March 2, 2024	10:00 AM	PV Intermediate School
March 16, 2024	11:00 AM	Miraleste Intermediate School
March 22, 2024	7:30 AM	District Office
April 19, 2024	1:00 PM	District Office
May 11, 2024	12:30 PM	Presentation at PVHS, followed by carpool tour to PVPHS, Pt. Vicente Elementary & Ridgecrest Intermediate School
May 23, 2024	7:30 AM	TBD

*We hope to see you there!*

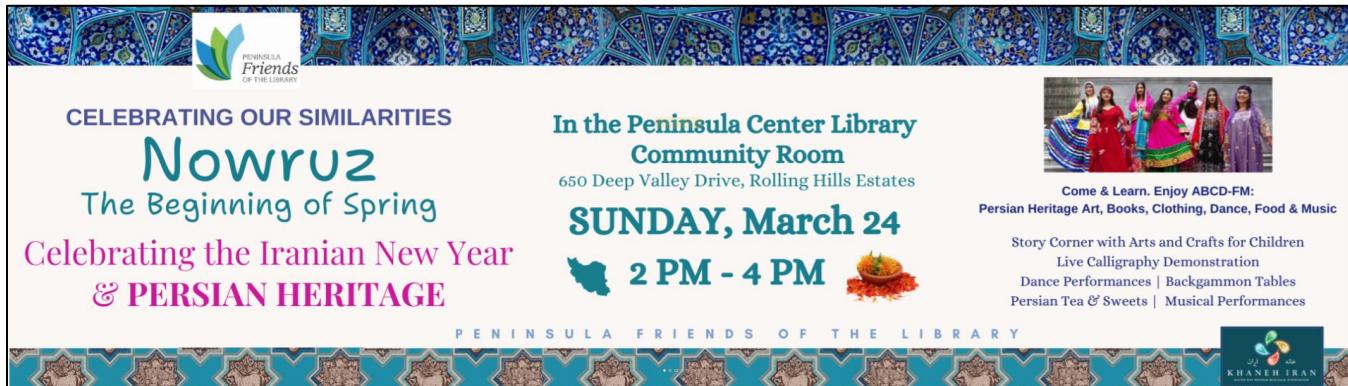


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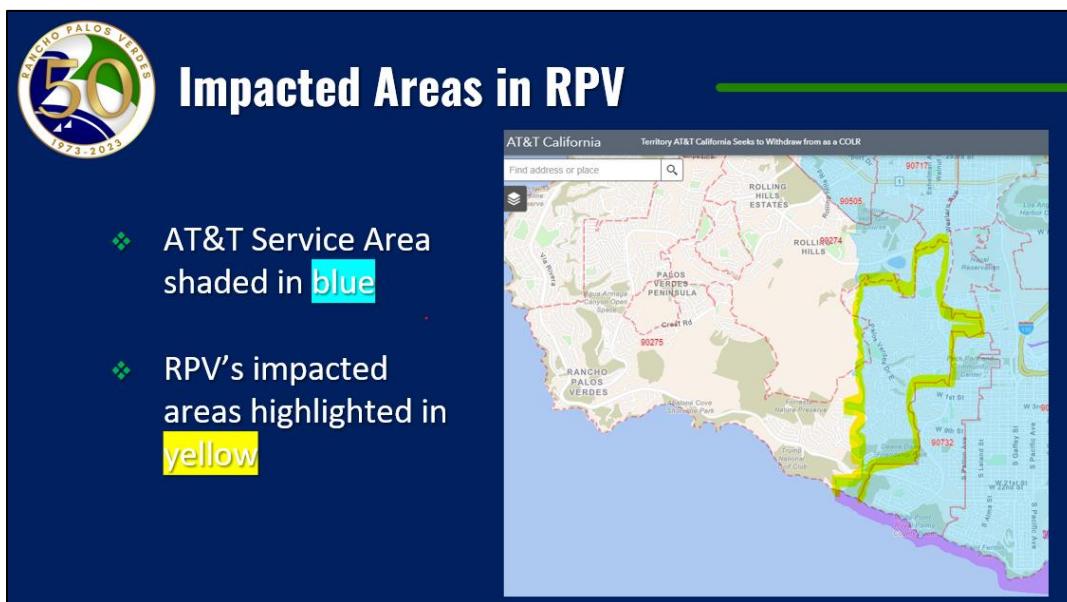


### Friends of the Library Persian Heritage Month Celebration

Join Peninsula Friends of the Library March 24 at 2 p.m. in the Peninsula Center Library Community Room for Celebrating Our Similarities: Celebrating Persian Heritage Month. [Register online.](#)

### AT&T Application for Landline Relief

At last night's meeting, the City Council authorized Mayor Cruikshank to sign a letter of opposition in response to AT&T's application to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to be relieved of its Carrier of Last Resort (COLR) obligations in parts of California and to remove its designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC), including the east side of Rancho Palos Verdes.



The CPUC held a series of public hearings to get input from impacted individuals. Staff attended a virtual meeting held March 19, where over 250 individuals provided

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comments on AT&T's application. The predominant concern voiced by callers was reliable access to communication in the event of an emergency. Given that there are areas where wireless coverage is intermittent, landlines are a lifeline to many residents in RPV. View more information on this important topic by reading the [March 19, 2024 staff report \(PDF\)](#), which details the process.

AT&T has provided a direct phone number for residents that believe they may be impacted by the COLR application. Please contact Ursula Moran at 916-430-7530 or [g24731@att.com](mailto:g24731@att.com).

### Youth Advisory Committee

The next Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) meeting will be held on March 25 at 4 p.m. at Hesse Park in McTaggart Hall. An archive of past agendas and videos is available on the [City website](#). If you are interested in participating in the meeting please complete the [public participation form](#) or attend in person at the Civic Center.



### Join the RPV Leadership Academy (RPVLA)

Time is running out to secure your spot in the Spring Cohort of the RPV Leadership Academy (RPVLA)!

Don't miss out on this chance to gain invaluable insights into our City's inner workings and connect with City leaders. The clock is ticking, and once these spots are filled, registration will close.

The Spring Cohort will run Wednesdays from 6-8 p.m. beginning April 10 through May 8.



Pre-registration and acceptance are required. Seize this chance to step up as a leader in our community. Don't wait any longer — [apply today!](#)



## Legislation Corner

At last night's meeting, the City Council extended the City's contract for lobbying services with Rene Public Policy Group (RPPG) into its third year. In addition to approving extending the agreement, City Council members directed Staff initiate a request for proposals (RFP) process to onboard a federal lobbying firm. This firm would be tasked with representing the City's interests, aiding in securing funding, and advocating for our priorities at the federal level including the Portuguese Bend Landslide Complex.

For streamlined access to pertinent information, including the current roster of monitored bills, summaries of bills, ongoing and past legislative agendas, and the City's stance letters, please refer to the [Legislation Corner](#) section on the City website.

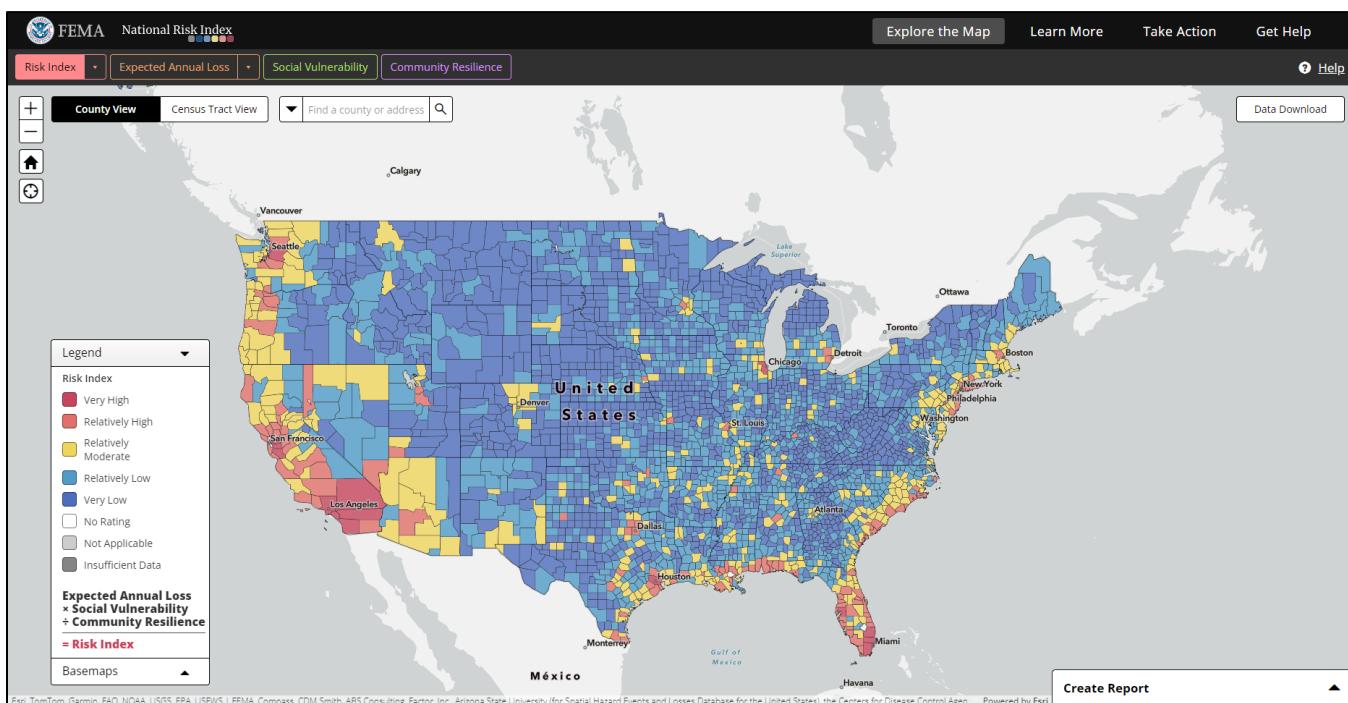
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## FEMA's National Risk Index Supports Community Hazard Mitigation Planning



The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has developed the [National Risk Index](#), an online mapping application that provides a comprehensive view of a community's risk from 18 natural hazards. The tool visualizes data on expected annual losses, social vulnerability, and community resilience, enabling communities to identify areas most at risk.

The National Risk Index is designed for planners, emergency managers, and other decision-makers at local, regional, state, and federal levels. It is also publicly accessible for any interested members of the general public seeking to better understand their community's natural hazard risk.

One key aspect of the National Risk Index is its ability to support communities in the hazard mitigation planning process. By illustrating which hazards pose risks and the

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community's current level of resilience, the tool aids in the initial stages of planning and serves as a valuable resource for community outreach. While the Risk Index does not generate a complete risk assessment, it provides high-quality, comprehensive data that can help meet specific hazard mitigation planning requirements.

The Risk Index leverages best available nationwide datasets, which may not be as precise as local data in some cases. Communities with access to more accurate local data for any risk factor should consider using that data for a more refined risk assessment. It's also important to note that the Risk Index has some limitations and does not account for factors such as climate change impacts, dependencies between hazard types, manmade hazards, or impacts to critical infrastructure and transportation.

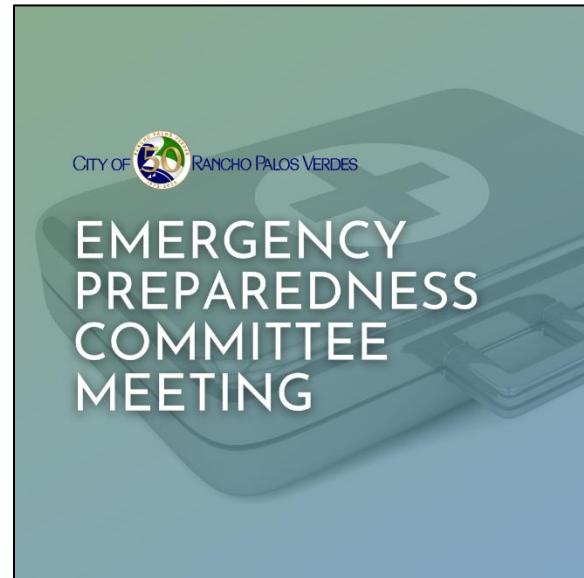
Despite these limitations, the National Risk Index remains a valuable tool for understanding and reducing community risk. It can inform risk-based decision making and increase risk awareness, serving as one important input alongside other information and analyses like benefit-cost studies and local knowledge.

To explore the National Risk Index, visit [fema.gov/NRI](https://fema.gov/NRI). The interactive platform allows users to view local hazard risk data, access documentation to better understand risk factors, and download data for further analysis. For more information, email [FEMA-NRI@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-NRI@fema.dhs.gov)

## EPC Monthly Meeting

The City's Emergency Preparedness Committee (EPC) is scheduled to hold its monthly meeting on March 21, at 6 p.m. The agenda for the upcoming March meeting will cover several key areas:

- An update on the current state of the local emergency declaration, including the City's ongoing response and readiness measures.
- An update on the planning and execution of a Peninsula-wide safety drill.
- A report on the deployment and effectiveness of the mass notification systems.



For any questions, or to submit written comments regarding the agenda items, please contact Jesse Villalpando at 310-544-5209 or via email at [Jvillalpando@rpvca.gov](mailto:Jvillalpando@rpvca.gov).

## Monthly Disaster Preparedness Messaging - Courtesy of the RPV EPC

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes EPC continues to provide monthly emailing messaging to residents with emergency preparedness information and educational materials. To receive the committee's monthly messaging, be sure to sign up for the "Emergency Notifications" City listserv at [rpvca.gov/notify](http://rpvca.gov/notify).

For additional information about emergency preparedness in the City of Rancho Palos Verdes, visit the City's website at [rpvca.gov/emergency](http://rpvca.gov/emergency).







**RESOLVE TO BE READY**

Disaster can happen at any time, often with little to no warning. After an emergency, you may need to survive on your own for several days. Being prepared includes having food, water, and other supplies on hand to last for several days. Make a New Year's Resolution that matters: Resolve to become prepared for emergencies – this could save your life.

The RPV Emergency Preparedness Committee offers the following preparedness tips to help you and your family Kick-off 2022 the right way by preparing for all types of emergencies



**MAKE A PLAN**



**BUILD A KIT**



**BE INFORMED**

**MAKE A PLAN:**

Making a Family Emergency Plan is a good place to start when preparing for an emergency. Because your family may not be together when a disaster strikes, it is critical to plan communication strategies with your friends and family before, during, and after a disaster. Your plan should include every member of your household, including pets, and should take into account the specific needs of your household. Fill out a [family emergency plan](#) or use it as a guide to create your own plan today.

**Create a plan by discussing the following questions with your family, friends, or household to kick-start your emergency preparedness:**

- What is my shelter plan?
- What is my evacuation route?
- What is my family/household communication plan?
- Do I need to update my emergency preparedness Disaster Supply Kit?

## Free Amateur Radio Courses on May 11 and 18 at Hesse Park

Save the date for two free amateur radio courses on May 11 and 18. The Technician course (entry-level) will take place from 9:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. on both Saturdays (bring your lunch). The General course (2<sup>nd</sup> level) will take place from 1:30- 5 p.m. on both Saturdays. The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) tests will take place from 10 a.m. to noon on May 25. At the start of the May 11 Technician course, a member of the Palos Verdes Amateur Radio Club will give a 30-minute presentation on how to get further involved in amateur radio.

**Two Free Amateur Radio Courses**

FCC ["Technician"](#) course (entry level)  
 FCC ["General"](#) course (2<sup>nd</sup> level)

**Each course is 2 sessions**

**The sessions will be on 11 and 18 May 2024**

**Technician** 9:30 AM to 1:15 PM both Saturdays (bring your lunch)  
**General** 1:30 PM to 5:00 PM both Saturdays

The FCC tests will be 10:00 AM to noon on 25 May 2024

At the start of the 11 May Technician course, a member of the Palos Verdes Amateur Radio Club will give a 30-minute presentation on how to get further involved in amateur radio.

The class location is at Fred Hesse Community Park,  
 29301 Hawthorne Blvd., Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275

**Confirm your attendance to Walt, K1DFO at [waltfordway@juno.com](mailto:waltfordway@juno.com)**

I charge **no fee** for either course. Taking the FCC test is \$15. After passing the Technician test the FCC will send you an e-mail for paying its \$35 license fee and then they will post your call sign.

**Optional Material (sold at cost)**

Gordon West books with all the FCC test questions,  
 \$30 for the Technician and \$33 for the General  
 Paper copy of Walt's Power Point charts,  
 \$29 for the Technician and \$26 for the General

For courses sponsored by the Palos Verdes Amateur Radio Club, students thru grade 12 who pass their examination at a PVARC VE test session will, upon application to the Club, be eligible for reimbursement up to a maximum of \$85 to cover the cost of materials and the examination fee.

Everyone who obtains their first ham radio license through a PVARC VE test session, regardless of age, will receive a free membership in the Palos Verdes Amateur Radio Club for the remainder of the current calendar year.

**Venue:**

Hesse Park  
29301 Hawthorne Blvd.  
Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275

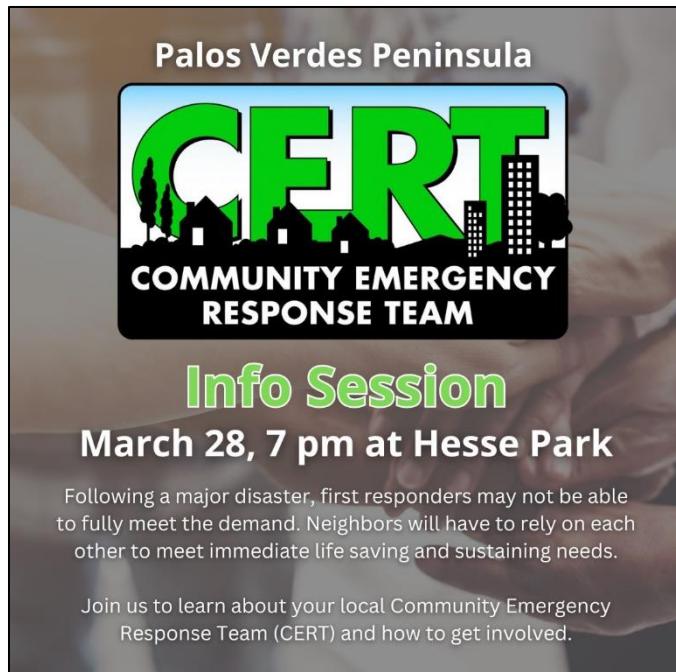
For more information and to register, contact Walt, K1DFO at: [wfordway@juno.com](mailto:wfordway@juno.com)

**CERT Info Session March 28 – Featuring Guest Speaker City Manager Ara Mihranian**

Following a major disaster, first responders may not be able to fully meet the demand. Neighbors will have to rely on each other to meet immediate lifesaving and sustaining needs. The Palos Verdes Peninsula Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) is a government/community resource that provides basic training in disaster preparedness necessary to help you help your family, your neighborhood, and your community in a disaster.

Join the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) meeting on March 28 at 7 p.m., held at Hesse Park. This is a valuable opportunity to learn about this essential volunteer organization, understand how you can get involved, and contribute your ideas for its future development. We are pleased to announce that the guest speaker for the evening will be Rancho Palos Verdes City Manager Ara Mihranian. Don't miss this chance to engage with your community and play a part in enhancing our preparedness for emergencies.

For more information about the event or to learn more about CERT, please contact [pvpcert@gmail.com](mailto:pvpcert@gmail.com)



## California Tsunami Preparedness Week

March 23-31 is 2024 California Tsunami Preparedness Week. The City encourages beachgoers, visitors, and residents who live near the City's coastline to practice tsunami awareness by accessing life-saving preparedness information to support California's Tsunami Preparedness Week — a statewide campaign.

Everyone who lives, works, or plays near the coastline should know how to protect themselves from a tsunami. Tsunamis are large ocean waves generated by major local or distant earthquakes or major landslides in the ocean. Ocean waves, ranging from several feet or much larger, can strike the coast with devastating force. Tsunamis can occur here in Southern California and impact the Peninsula and surrounding cities.

Tsunami Hazard Area maps available on the [state's tsunami website](#) illustrate how a tsunami could impact our coastline using new data and modeling developed over the past ten years, using lessons learned from the 2011 Tōhoku region event coupled with new tsunami hazard information and mapping tools. Easy-to-use [interactive web applications](#) now reflect that some areas of our coastline may have a higher tsunami hazard than previously represented in prior hazard maps.

Tsunamis can be catastrophic in the short and long term, affecting millions of people over wide geographical areas up to thousands of miles away from the source. Any member of the public can take these immediate preparedness steps to keep themselves, their families, and loved ones safe in the event of a tsunami:

- Take a “tsunami walk” with your family, friends, and loved ones; [get to know your zone](#) and be alert when at work, home or playing near the ocean.



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- Create a personal tsunami evacuation plan. For more information on individual tsunami hazards and preparations, review the [California Tsunami Preparedness Guide](#), which explains how you can be tsunami ready.
- Next time you visit a local beach area for fun, work, or exercise, be on the lookout for local tsunami preparedness signage and identify a safe evacuation area and evacuation routes to get to higher ground quickly.
- Network with your neighbors prior to an emergency. Work together to help horse/large pet owners on your street who do not have horse trailers or who are not home during an emergency.

### Additional Resources:

- [Tsunami Safety and Preparedness Information](#)
- [Tsunami Walk Guide](#)
- [Current Tsunami Alerts \(All Regions\)](#)
- [International Tsunami Information Center](#)
- [National Tsunami Warning Center](#)
- [Pacific Tsunami Warning Center](#)



### How to Properly Use a Fire Extinguisher

Fire extinguishers are a necessary safety item that should be in every home and business. Most fires start small. If the fire is contained to a single object, such as a trash can, you may want to try using a fire extinguisher to put out the flames.

Remember, you only have seconds — a small flame can quickly turn into a major fire in less than 30



seconds and in just two minutes, a fire can become life-threatening.

Using a fire extinguisher can be intimidating if you have never used one before. Most of us have extinguishers in our homes and at our workplaces but may not know how to actually use one. It's important to make sure you know how and when to use a fire extinguisher and have the right type on hand to put out common household fires.

The following information is designed to help you determine when to use a fire extinguisher, the proper use and what type you need.

### **Types of Fire Extinguisher Classes**

Not all fire extinguishers are the same, they are classified according to the type of fire that is burning. If you use the wrong type of fire extinguisher on the wrong class of fire, you can, in fact, make matters worse. It is therefore important to understand the different classifications of fire extinguishers.

All fire extinguishers are labeled to indicate which classes of fire they are designed to combat. There are four classes of fire extinguishers – A, B, C and D – and each class can put out a different type of fire.

- **Class A extinguishers** will put out fires in ordinary combustibles, such as wood and paper.
- **Class B extinguishers** are for use on flammable liquids like grease, gasoline, and oil.
- **Class C extinguishers** are suitable for use only on electrically energized fires.
- **Class D extinguishers** are designed for use on flammable metals.

Most household fire extinguishers are considered multipurpose and can be used on different types of fires and will be labeled with more than one class, like A-B, B-C or A-B-C.

### **How to Use a Fire Extinguisher**

There is a simple acronym to remember to operate most fire extinguishers: **PASS**. PASS stands for Pull, Aim, Squeeze and Sweep.



- **Pull** - Pull the pin at the top of the extinguisher. This unlocks the extinguisher and allows it to be discharged.
- **Aim** - Aim the extinguisher nozzle at the base of the fire.
- **Squeeze** - Squeeze the lever above the handle. This will discharge the extinguishing agent.
- **Sweep** - Sweep the extinguisher nozzle from side to side while aiming at the base of the fire.

### When to Use a Fire Extinguisher

Fire extinguishers are meant to handle only small fires. Death or serious injury can occur by tackling a fire which is beyond your capabilities. Only tackle a fire in its very early stages and always ensure you put your own and other people's safety first. Before trying to control a fire with a portable extinguisher, you should know the general procedures for responding to a small, early-stage fire.

**You should fight a fire with a fire extinguisher only when all the following are true:**

- Everyone has left or is leaving the building.
- The fire department has been called.

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- The fire is small and confined to the immediate areas where it started such as in a wastebasket, cushion, small appliance, stove, etc.
- You can fight the fire with your back to a safe escape route.
- Your extinguisher is rated for the type of fire you are fighting and is in good working order.
- You have had training in use of the extinguisher and are confident that you can operate it effectively.

If you cannot put out the fire or if the extinguisher becomes empty, evacuate yourself and everyone in the building immediately, closing all doors behind you as you go and ensure the fire department has been called.

### **Fire Extinguisher Best Practices**

Because we don't have regular opportunities to practice fighting fires, it's easy to make simple mistakes when the time comes. The following is a list of best practices for storing, maintaining and using your fire extinguisher.

- **Ensure easy access in an emergency:** Be sure nothing is blocking or limiting your ability to reach it.
- **Read the instructions:** Thoroughly read the operating instructions that came with your fire extinguisher.
- **Don't let your extinguisher go bad:** Fire extinguishers come with an expiration date, after which the extinguishing agent is no longer effective. Know the dates on your fire extinguishers and replace them as needed.
- **Care and maintenance of your extinguisher:** Ensure there are no dents, leaks, rust, chemical deposits and other signs of abuse/wear. Wipe off any corrosive chemicals, oil, gunk etc. that may have landed on the extinguisher.
- **Know where the exits are at all times:** When you decide where to keep your fire extinguisher, make sure it is in an easily accessible location near exterior doors. Also, consider the most common places where fires occur in a home and place your extinguishers accordingly.

### **Additional Resources:**

- [Choosing and Using Fire Extinguishers - U.S. Fire Administration](#)
- [Home Safety Tips - L.A. County Fire Department](#)
- [Fire Safety Equipment - American Red Cross](#)
- [National Fire Protection Association \(NFPA\): Fire extinguishers](#)



## Weekly Crime Report Summaries

The Lomita Sheriff's Station produces a weekly crime report summary that includes information about reported crimes and arrests for the areas served by the Lomita Sheriff's Station, including the City of Rancho Palos Verdes.

You may view the Crime Reports published by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) for the week beginning March 3, 2024. View an archive of weekly crime reports and an interactive map on the City Website [rpvca.gov/crimereports](http://rpvca.gov/crimereports). Should you need any assistance with accessing the Weekly Crime Reports or navigating the interactive mapping feature on the City's website, feel free to reach out to us at 310-544-5305 or [publicsafety@rpvca.gov](mailto:publicsafety@rpvca.gov).

*Please note that the information contained in these reports is subject to the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's reporting protocols. As a result, some details related to ongoing investigations may not be included. For a complete list of all crimes, you may visit LASD's [Transparency page](#).*



## Stay Informed with Important Public Safety Updates

The City provides vital public safety updates direct to your email inbox. Stay informed about what is happening in your area by signing up for our Public Safety listserv. Follow these simple steps to join:

1. Visit the [sign-up page](#)
2. Enter your email address.
3. Select "Public Safety Alerts."



This [week's report](#) contained the weekly crime report provided by LASD, crime rate news, and a link to apply for the Public Safety Reimbursement Program.

## Vacation Rental Cameras

With spring break just around the corner, we have exciting news for Rancho Palos Verdes residents! The City offers a FREE in-home security camera rental opportunity exclusively for RPV residents. In partnership with Ring, residents now can rent a Ring Spotlight Camera along with select accessories for use at home, all at no cost\* for up to 30 days.

Here is how you can participate:



- 1. Program requirements:** Before renting, residents are required to review and sign the Acknowledgment of Program Terms and Release of Liability, as well as complete the [Checkout Form](#).
- 2. Schedule pickup:** Email [PublicSafety@rpvca.gov](mailto:PublicSafety@rpvca.gov) to schedule a convenient pick-up time at RPV City Hall. Please ensure you download the Ring app and set up your account prior to arriving at City Hall for a seamless experience.
- 3. Placement and return:** Cameras must be placed in the home and must be returned to City Hall within 30 days. If you need an extension, simply contact [PublicSafety@rpvca.gov](mailto:PublicSafety@rpvca.gov) before the end of the 30-day period.
- 4. Requirements for use:** To utilize the device, participating RPV residents must have Wi-Fi at their residence, download the [Ring App](#) on their smartphone or tablet, and add the device to their network.

Take advantage of this fantastic opportunity to enhance the security of your home and enjoy peace of mind knowing that your property is protected with state-of-the-art technology.

For more information, including frequently asked questions about the camera and troubleshooting tips, visit Ring's [Frequently Asked Questions](#) page.

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Don't miss this invaluable resource — secure your home today and experience the benefits of enhanced home security. Should you have any questions or require assistance, please don't hesitate to contact us at 310-544-5305 or

[PublicSafety@rpvca.gov](mailto:PublicSafety@rpvca.gov).

\*A security deposit of \$100 is required and will be processed for a refund after the camera is returned.

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# FINANCE DEPARTMENT

## HdL Legislative Update 2024

The March update from HdL, the City's revenue consultant, explores the status of 2024 legislation concerning business licenses, lodging tax, property tax, sales and use tax, and utility users tax that are being closely monitored.

### Overview

In January, California's financial outlook turned negative for fiscal year 2024-2025, prompting the Governor and Legislature to address a multibillion-dollar budget shortfall amid various legislative priorities. The deadline to introduce new legislation for 2024 was February 16, resulting in over 2,000 bills, many of which were placeholders. The information below provides status updates on key legislation, particularly regarding sales and use tax, property taxation, and tax/fee administration.

### Legislation to Watch

#### *The California Two-Thirds Legislative Vote and Voter Approval for Fee and Charge Increases Initiative*

As amended, initiative No. 21-0042A1, limits the ability of voters and state and local governments to raise revenues for government services. New or increased taxes must be passed by a two-thirds legislative vote in each state chamber and approved by a simple majority of voters. Moreover, local taxes proposed by local government or citizens would require a two-thirds vote of the local electorate. Any tax adopted after January 1, 2022, not complying with these rules would be void after 12 months, unless reenacted in compliance.

Status: Approved for the November 2024 statewide general election.

#### *ACA 13 (Ward) Voting Thresholds*

ACA 13 establishes voting thresholds for constitutional amendments and statewide initiatives. It ensures that an initiative measure with provisions to increase voter approval requirements would only pass if it garnered a proportion of votes equal to or greater than the highest requirement it imposes. Additionally, it allows local governing bodies to conduct advisory votes on governance issues.

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Status: Approved for the November 2024 statewide general election.

### *ACA 1 (Aquier-Curry) Exemption And Changes To Voter Approval Rate For Ad Valorum Tax Rate on Real Property*

ACA 1 introduces changes to voter approval rates for ad valorem taxes on real property. It permits cities, counties, and special districts to levy such taxes to service bonded indebtedness incurred to fund public infrastructure and housing with a 55% voter approval, instead of the usual two-thirds requirement.

Status: Approved for the November 2024 statewide general election.

### **Business License Legislation**

#### *AB 2791 (Wilson) Additional Restrictions for Sidewalk Vendors*

Existing law authorizes a local authority to prohibit sidewalk vendors in areas located within the immediate vicinity of a permitted certified farmers' market or swap meet. This bill also extends current law to authorize local authorities to restrict sidewalk vendors near annual fairs organized by a district or county.

Status: Referred to Committee on Local Government on March 4, 2024.

### **Property Tax Legislation**

#### *SB 1164 (Newman) New Construction Exclusion for Accessory Dwelling Units*

This bill proposes an amendment to the California Constitution regarding ad valorem taxes on real property. It entails excluding accessory dwelling units from being classified as "newly constructed" or "new construction" until 15 years after completion or change in ownership. This change would necessitate property owner affidavits and require additional work from county assessors, thus imposing a state-mandated local program.

Status: Referred Committee on Revenue and Taxation on February 21, 2024.

### **Sales And Use Tax Legislation**

#### *AB 2274 (Dixon) Back to School Sales and Use Tax Holiday*

This bill proposes a sales tax exemption for tangible personal property purchased on the first weekend of August starting in 2025. While current law mandates reimbursement for revenue losses to local agencies due to tax exemptions, this bill suggests no reimbursement for losses incurred from this specific exemption.

Status: Amended and re-referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation on March 4, 2024.

**Sb 1494 (Glazer) Local Agency Sales and Use Tax Agreements With Retailers**

This bill, effective January 1, 2024, prohibits local agencies from making agreements to give Bradley-Burns local tax revenues to retailers in exchange for their business location. Existing agreements before January 1, 2024, would become void by January 1, 2030. Agencies must post these agreements on their website until they expire or become void.

Status: Referred to Committees on Local Government and Revenue and Taxation on February 29, 2024.

**Utility Users Tax Legislation**

**Ab 1826 (Holden) Digital Equity in Video Franchising Act of 2024**

The bill renames the Digital Infrastructure and Video Competition Act of 2006 to the Digital Equity in Video Franchising Act of 2024. It mandates the Public Utilities Commission to hold a public hearing for each state franchise renewal application. The commission must issue or reject state franchise applications within 90 days after the hearing or once the application is complete. Franchise applicants must provide details on unserved households in the proposed service area, and the bill extends deadlines for the Commission's review of state franchise applications.

Status: Referred Committee on Communications and Conveyance on January 29, 2024.

Source: HdL Companies

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

# PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS



### **Palos Verdes Drive South Repairs in the Landslide Area**

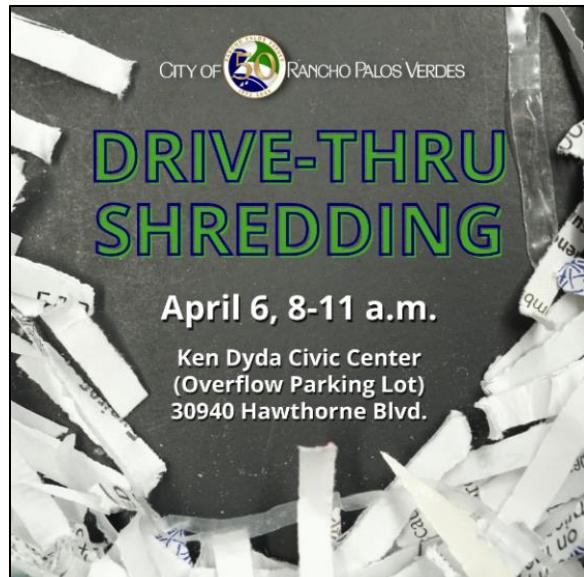
Roadway repairs will be performed along Palos Verdes Drive South in the landslide area from March 21-22 and again from March 25-29 between approximately 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Expect delays and consider an alternate route. If you must drive through this area during this time, please proceed slowly, yield to workers and obey traffic control at the site. Thank you for your patience. If you have questions, please call Public Works at 310-544-5252.



### **Next Paper Shredding Event, April 6**

Mark your calendars! Our next paper/document shredding event will be on April 6 from 8-11 a.m. The event will be held at City Hall's overflow parking lot and will be free to all Rancho Palos Verdes residents. During the event, electronic waste will be collected for recycling, and mulch will be available to residents.



## Prepare for the Citywide Brush Clearing

The spring season brush-clearing event begins on Saturday, April 6, and will continue for four consecutive Saturdays. Each week a different area of RPV is serviced. The goal of the event is to assist homeowners' dispose (free of charge) excess brush, shrubs, hedges, tree branches, and bushes to comply with the Los Angeles County Fire Department's fire safety guidelines. This is a great opportunity to help prevent local brush fires! For more information, you may contact the City's waste collection contractor, EDCO, at 310-540-2977 or <https://rancho-palos-verdes.edcodisposal.com/events/rpv-brush-clearing-event/>



## Traffic Safety Committee (TSC) Special Meeting

The TSC meeting for April 8 has been rescheduled. Staff is currently working on a new date.

## MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES

### Maintenance Activities

In addition to regularly scheduled maintenance and repairs, Public Works performed the following:

## PARK MAINTENANCE

- Weekly landscape maintenance at all City parks.
- Resumed, audited, and inspected all park irrigation systems.
- Sanded and repainted the railings at Hesse Park.

## STREET LANDSCAPING

- Weed removal, brush clearance, and debris removal continued throughout the City at medians and various right-of-way locations:
  - Center median near Pelican Cove
  - Palos Verdes Drive West to City limits
  - Beach School Trail
  - Corner of Highridge Road and Ridgegate Drive
  - Cliffside Drive and Coolheights Drive
- Use the link below to watch our virtual landscape maintenance.  
<https://www.relive.cc/view/vE6JYjw3NxO>



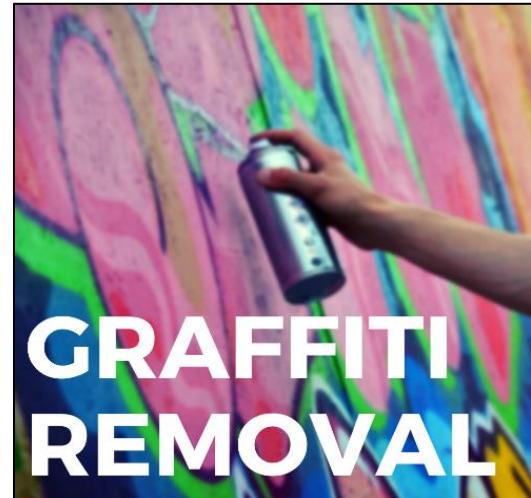
## **Public Right-of-Way/Roadway Repairs**

- In preparation for regular rain events, maintenance crews have been routinely performing the following:
  - Clearing and cleaning out storm drains.
  - Placing sandbags in various locations to prevent and reduce the likelihood of flooding and water damage.
  - Placing tarps to protect high priority landslide fissure areas from rain.
- Repaired potholes and roadway cracks at the following locations:
  - Lomo Drive
  - Pirate Drive
  - Seaclair Drive
  - Via Bramante
  - Via Bramante Plaza
- Repaired down signs at Hawthorne Boulevard and Ocean Crest Drive.
- Placed sandbags at Basswood Avenue.



## Graffiti Removal

- **Nineteen** graffiti incidents were reported and removed this week.
- The RPV graffiti reporting app can be downloaded for Android and Apple devices under the name of **RPV Clean**. Residents can help keep RPV looking great by downloading the app and reporting graffiti.



## Emergency Response

- On March 12, the Public Works Department responded to a leak at Beach School Trail. Crews responded and installed a flex sewer line. Repairs were made within 24 hours and there was no interruption to services.



## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

### Planning Commission to Review the Revised 6<sup>th</sup> Cycle Housing Element and Associated Housing Programs Implementation Measures

On March 26, the Planning Commission will consider recommended actions for the City Council to adopt and implement regarding revisions to the City's 6<sup>th</sup> Cycle Housing Element, associated Housing Program Implementation Measures, and environmental analysis. Additional details regarding the March 26 Planning Commission meeting, including, but not limited to, time, location and virtual participation options, are outlined in the [public notice \(PDF\)](#).

To access a copy of the Draft Revised Final Housing Element and to obtain the latest information about the update process, including access to an informational virtual open house, please visit the City's dedicated 6<sup>th</sup> Cycle Housing Element Update [homepage](#). If you have questions or would like to share your comments, please email them to [housingelement@rpvca.gov](mailto:housingelement@rpvca.gov).



### Reminder - Coastal Officer Hearing for Proposed Project on Packet Road

On March 25, the City of Rancho Palos Verdes' Coastal Hearings Officer will conduct a public hearing for a Site Plan Review with Neighborhood Compatibility Review and a Coastal Development Permit (Case No. PLSR2023-0237), for the property located at 25 Packet Road. The request is for the conversion of a 420-square-foot existing carport to a two-car enclosed garage on a 1,962-square-foot single-family residence for a new total structure size of 2,382 square feet (garage included). As the subject property is located within the Appealable Area of the City's Coastal Specific Plan District, the project requires consideration of a Coastal Development Permit by the City's Coastal Hearing's Officer (Director of Community Development). The [public notice \(PDF\)](#) includes

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additional details regarding the project scope, meeting location, and time, as well as how the public can submit project comments or concerns. For questions regarding the application or to view the project plans, please contact Assistant Planner Jeffrey Kim at 310-544-5390 or via email at [jkim@rpvca.gov](mailto:jkim@rpvca.gov).

### **Reminder - South Bay Cities Council of Governments (SBCCOG) - 24<sup>th</sup> Annual General Assembly**

On March 28, the SBCCOG will host its 24<sup>th</sup> Annual General Assembly. The General Assembly is an opportunity for the region's thought leaders to gather, share ideas, and discuss important issues. The theme for the SBCCOG's 2024 General Assembly is "Artificial Intelligence: Friend or Foe for the South



Bay?" This year's program will explore what artificial intelligence (AI)/generative AI is and the types of applications that could benefit cities, as well as potential red flags that cities should consider. The community, as well as county, state, and federal legislators representing the South Bay, are invited to hear an array of speakers and engage with representatives of AI companies and their technologies.

This free event is designed with elected officials, city staff, city commissioners, residents and local businesses in mind and is made possible by the SBCCOG's generous sponsors. Please visit the [SBCCOG's website](#) for registration and event details.

### **Wildlife Attractants and Deterrents**

There is an abundance of spectacular native and urban wildlife throughout the Peninsula's rural and semi-rural neighborhoods, with hundreds of different species of life. The City of Rancho Palos Verdes is home to many of these wonderful creatures, from adorable bouncing bunnies and gorgeous peacocks, to finicky foxes and cunning coyotes. Although some urban wildlife is more favorable than others, the protection of urban wildlife and their habitats is especially important. Education and coexistence are the foundation of the City's general wildlife management programs. The City adopted

two wildlife programs: the [Coyote Management Plan](#), and the [Peafowl Management Plan](#).

Although the City of Rancho Palos Verdes places a high value on its wildlife, some species that have adapted to urban environments have the potential to cause health or safety issues for residents, such as venomous rattlesnakes and aggressive coyotes. In addressing these issues, residents as well as the City must implement preventative measures by reducing wildlife attractants.

### **What are wildlife attractants?**

Wildlife attractants are three main elements: food, water, and/or shelter. Any combination will attract wildlife to frequent your property. Examples of these main elements include, but are not limited to, pools, ponds, fountains, birdbaths, and standing water sources, pet food/water dishes, bird feeders, trash and/or compost bins, fruit/vegetables gardens, BBQ grills, accessible crawl spaces, sheds, large piles of debris, and overgrown brush/shrubs. Other attractants include pet defecation, deceased wildlife, and scent marking from other animals. Although these attractants may not directly draw in coyotes directly, they will draw in wildlife that are typical prey to coyotes.

### **What if I do nothing to reduce attractants?**

Coyotes are seen throughout the City of Rancho Palos Verdes and are considered scavengers and predators of small animals. Although they are not likely to knock over a few trashcans for scraps of food, or drink from your pools, ponds, or fountains, they are more inclined to attack the wildlife that does. Coyotes primarily hunt for small mammals such as rabbits and rodents but are also known for attacking small household pets and may even shift to larger prey at times. Coyotes are not finicky hunters; they have been known to eat fish from ponds, frogs, snakes, certain fruits, and grass from time to time. Reducing attractants will likely reduce wildlife from frequenting your yard and thus reduce coyote activity.

### What can I do to reduce attractants?

Look around your yard for things that wildlife needs the most to survive, such as food, water, and/or shelter. If you have pets, clean up their waste daily and feed them indoors, if possible. When feeding pets outdoors, don't leave pet treats, food, and water dishes out. Where there is access to food, water, and/or shelter, wildlife will keep returning to these resources. To minimize sheltering unwanted wildlife, keep your hedges and shrubs trimmed at least six inches off the ground. Make sure your crawl spaces and sheds are secured. Secure trash and/or compost bins to prevent tipping over or lids from being removed. The odors from trash and/or compost bins and BBQ grills attract several species of wildlife. The image provided here is an example of securing your trashcan. However, there are several other methods, including homemade methods, you may use to secure your trash and/or compost bins. Other suggestions and methods to reduce attractants and reduce wildlife can be found on the [City's website](#).



### Planning Commission Meeting Agenda

See attached draft Planning Commission meeting agenda for March 26, 2024.

#### Attachments:

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## RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT



### Whale of a Day Bookmark Contest Entries Due This Week

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes and Los Serenos de Point Vicente invite kids grades TK-5 to use their creativity to create an ocean-themed bookmark in celebration of Whale of a Day. Artists can use crayons, colored pencils or markers using a template available for download. Entries are due **March 22**.

The 39<sup>th</sup> annual Whale of a Day will take place on April 13 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Point Vicente Lighthouse grounds will be open again for tours. The event will have plenty of fun for everyone, including live music, children's activities, a silent auction, a raffle, beer and wine, food trucks, and more.

Check out [whaleofaday.com](http://whaleofaday.com) for more information about the bookmark contest and Whale of a Day. Free parking and shuttle service will be located at the Ken Dyda Civic Center at 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard.



## Drone Flight

A piloted drone made two permitted flights from the Ken Dyda Civic Center helipad on March 19. The ultra-light drone flew over the ocean in front of Terranea Resort as part of a technology convention.



## 10 Day Countdown to Annual Egg Hunt

The annual egg hunt extravaganza being held on March 30 at the Ken Dyda Civic Center from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. is sold out. Almost 100 lucky participants will enjoy inflatables, a petting zoo, bunny photo ops, and an egg-citing fabulous egg hunt.

## Eastview Dog Park Temporary Closure

Due to turf maintenance, Eastview Dog Park, including both the large and small dog enclosures, closed on February 15 for approximately 6 weeks. Temporary enclosures will not be available. However, the Rancho Caninos Dog Park at the Ken Dyda Civic Center will remain fully open daily from one hour before sunrise to one hour after sunset.

If you have any questions, please contact the Recreation and Parks Department at [parks@rpvca.gov](mailto:parks@rpvca.gov) 310-544-5260.



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### REACH Update

The REACH program serves the social and recreational needs of youths and adults with developmental disabilities and is back at Hesse Park for in-person activities.

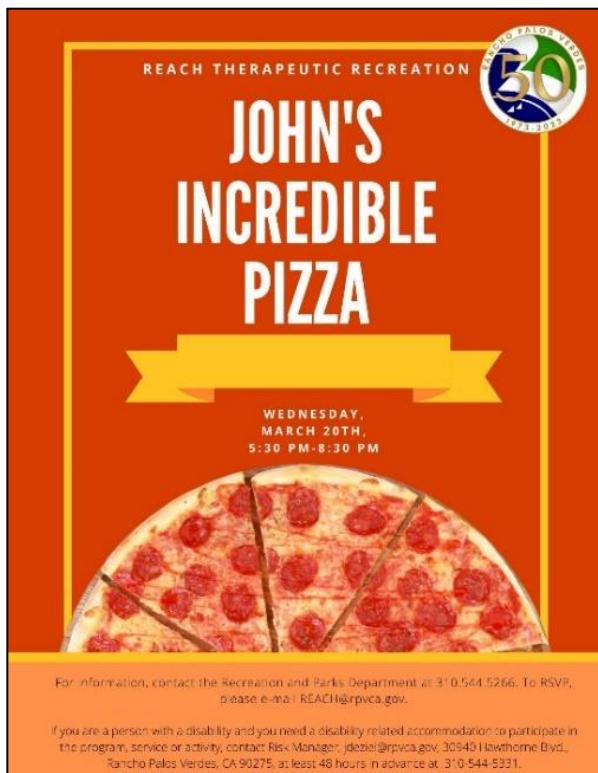
To RSVP for REACH activities or if you have questions, please email [reach@rpvca.gov](mailto:reach@rpvca.gov).

### REACH GO BRAGH!

REACH's St. Patrick's Day was a lively affair filled with laughter, music, and plenty of games. Our participants dressed in various shades of green and embraced the festive spirit with gusto. We enjoyed a traditional boiled dinner of corned beef and cabbage. Fun fact: This meal is actually a tradition started by Irish Americans in New England. Regardless, we enjoyed every bite and created lasting memories that will be cherished long after the party ended.



Upcoming REACH events include a fun game-filled evening at John's Incredible Pizza on March 20 and an enchanting day at the Renaissance Fair on April 6.



## RPV Volunteer Program

Volunteers are being recruited to prune plants and perform other gardening tasks at the Point Vicente Interpretive Center Native Plant Garden on March 24 from 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. Please contact [megan@sccnps.org](mailto:megan@sccnps.org) to sign up to volunteer.



## Parks Weekend Attendance Report

Below is a summary report of estimated public usage for the past weekend.

- HESSE PARK - walking paths, playground, and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 1,590
- RYAN PARK - walking paths, playground, basketball court, and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 740
- EASTVIEW PARK - walking paths, playground, dog park, and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 320
- LOWER POINT VICENTE PARK - walking paths and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 2,301
- LADERA LINDA COMMUNITY PARK – walking paths, grass areas, playgrounds, basketball and paddle tennis courts.  
Estimated total park attendance: 380

Total Weekend Attendance: 5,331

## PRESERVE UPDATES

### **Preserve and Beach Weekend Activity March 16-17**

Public Contacts: 665

Violations observed: 44

#### **Abalone Cove**

On March 12, Staff reported a water leak on Abalone Cove Trail to Public Works, which then made necessary repairs.



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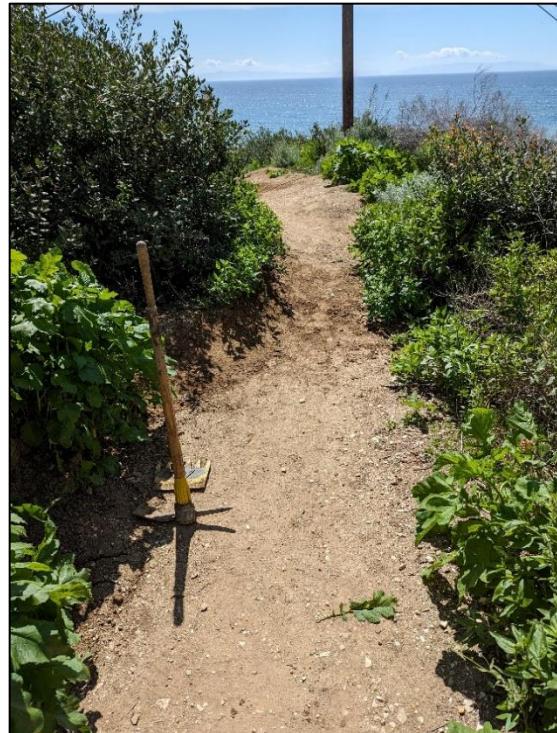
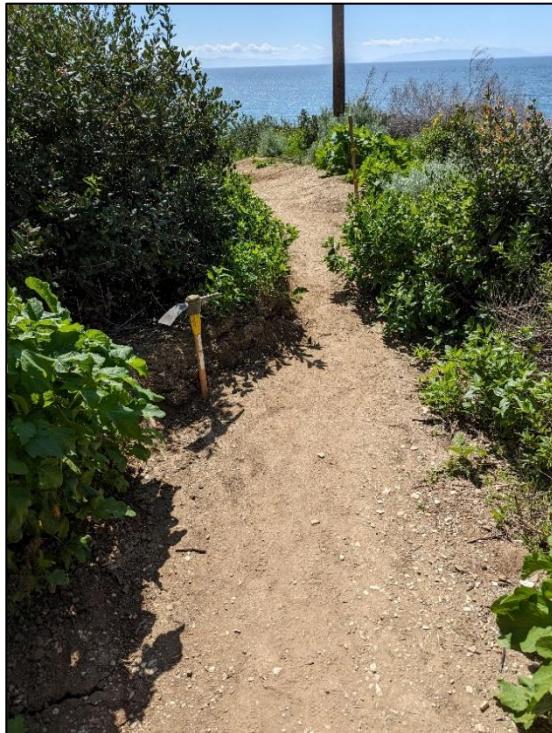
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On March 15, Staff inspected and completed repairs on a fissure on Smuggler's Trail.



On March 17, Staff inspected and completed repairs on a fissure on Abalone Cove Trail.

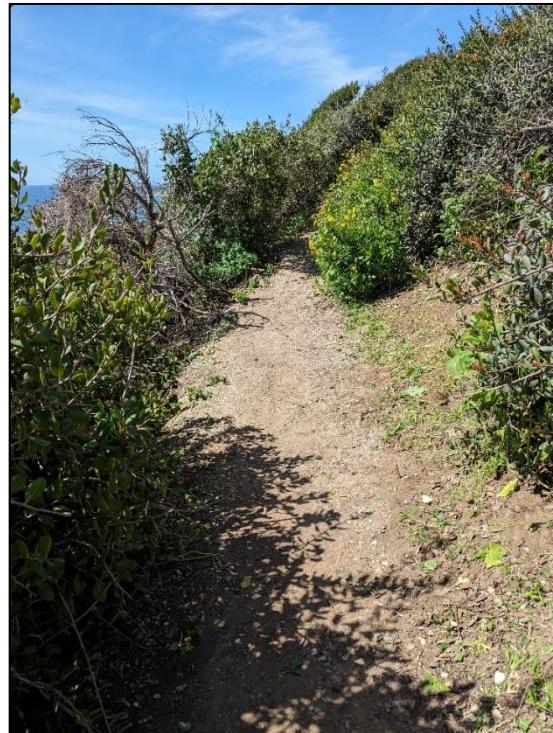
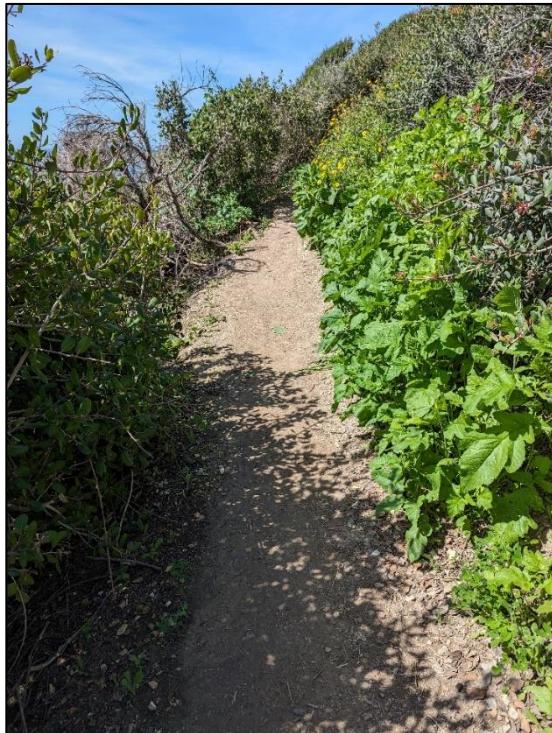


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On March 13 and 17, Staff removed non-native mustard plants on Abalone Cove Trail.



## Ocean Trails Reserve

On March 17, Park Rangers were notified by Trump National Golf Club of an injured pinniped along Ocean Trails Reserve. The Marine Mammal Care Center was contacted and Trump National Golf Club staff assisted with access.

That same day, Rangers received a report of a transient camp on Shoreline Trail. Rangers contacted the individual and educated him on Reserve rules. He left the area shortly after.

On March 19, Rangers received a report of a beached seal pup on Rancho Palos Verdes Beach. The reporting individual indicated that the pup did not appear to be injured but was concerned that it may not be able to return to the ocean on its own. The Marine Mammal Care Center was contacted, and the individual thanked for their report, as well as informed to maintain distance.

That same day, Rangers received a report of an individual setting up a tent near East Boundary Trail. Park Rangers patrolled the area and were unable to identify a tent or possible encampment in the area.

## Portuguese Bend Reserve

On March 17, Rangers were notified by the Los Angeles County Fire Department of a water leak along Burma Road Trail. It was later confirmed the leak was on Vanderlip Trail. Cal Water made repairs.



On March 19, Rangers inspected and reopened Portuguese Bend Reserve. The Reserve had been temporarily closed since March 11 due to a high-priority project to remove Southern California Edison distribution equipment from utility poles. Several individual trail closures remain in effect. The public is encouraged to visit [rpvca.gov/trailalerts](http://rpvca.gov/trailalerts) to view a map or contact Staff at [trails@rpvca.gov](mailto:trails@rpvca.gov) for more information.



# March 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park <b>CANCELLED</b>	6	7	8	9
10	11 5:30 pm – ACLAD Board Meeting (Virtual Meeting)	12 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	13 6:00 pm – City Council Meeting/Goal-Setting Workshop (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	14 7:00 pm – Finance Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	15	16
17	18 6:00 pm – IMAC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	19 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	20 12:00 pm – Mayor's Lunch @ The Depot (Mayor Cruikshank) 1:30 pm – Sanitation District Meeting (Mayor Cruikshank)	21 6:30 pm – Emergency Preparedness Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	22	23
24	25 4:00 pm – Youth Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park  5:00 pm - Klondike Canyon Meeting (Virtual Meeting)  6:00 pm – TSC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room <b>CANCELLED</b>	26 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	27	28 6:00pm – Civic Center Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	29 8:00 am – Mayor's Breakfast @ Terranea Report – Catalina Kitchen (Mayor Cruikshank/ Councilmember Bradley)	30
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# April 2024

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28 6:00 pm – City Council Meeting/Budget Workshop – CIP (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	29	30				



# May 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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## TENTATIVE AGENDAS

*Agenda items listed below will be presented to the City Council for their consideration*

DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
<b>April 2, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION		
		WOAD Poster Contest Presentation	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2nd reading of ordinance adopting recodified RPV Municipal Code	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Amd. No. 1 with Ardurra PSA for wireless services	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasury Report (CC) (IA)	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider fee waiver for 29740 Knollview	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Purchase Radio Communication Devices for Public Safety Division and Rangers	
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider approving projects for the Portuguese Bend Landslide complex	1:30
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Code Amendments to RPVMC Section 1.20 (General provisions- City logo use)	0:15
<b>April 16, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION		
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Lease Agreement extension for wireless towers on City property (Crown Castle)	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2nd reading of ordinance regarding Code Amendments to RPVMC Section 1.20 (General provisions- logo use)	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Lease Agreement extension for wireless towers on City property (American Tower Corporation)	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Adopting Housing Element Update	1:30
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Trump National's Trails Maintenance Review	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider resolution initiating public hearing for Landscaping and Lighting Maintenance (LLMD) proceedings	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Report on citywide beautification projects including Lower Hesse and medians	0:15
<b>4/18/2024 THURSDAY</b>			
<b>BUDGET WORKSHOP (GENERAL FUND) - 6:00 PM</b>			
<b>4/29/2024 MONDAY</b>			
<b>BUDGET WORKSHOP (CIP) - 6:00 PM</b>			
<b>May 7, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
			4:15

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FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasury Report (CC) (IA)	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2023 Employee Compensation report	
PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Landscaping and Lighting Maintenance (LLMD) proceedings	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Certifying the Final EIR for the Portuguese Bend Landslide Remediation Project	1:00
PW/CA/REC&PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider extending the resolution declaring the local state of emergency for the Portuguese Bend landslide area	1:00
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Review Master Fee Schedule for FY24/25	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Solid Waste Adjustment increase	0:15
<b>May 21, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	2:45
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Conflict of Interest resolutions	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
CDD	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Code Amendments to RPVMC Section 15.18.040 (Building permit penalty fees)	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Western Avenue Traffic Study update	0:30
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on who bears costs to underground utilities	0:30
<b>June 4, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
		Interviews (Commission/Committees)	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	4:30
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Notice and Call for Election resolutions	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasury Report (CC) (IA)	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2nd reading of Code Amendments to RPVMC Section 15.18.040 (Building Permit penalty fees)	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Code Amendments to RPVMC Ch.17.76.020 (Wireless ordinance on private property)	0:30
PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider adjusting existing AB Cove annual sewer service charge	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider program to address high fire vegetation in canyons by working with neighboring cities/homeowners to address	0:45
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive 10 year Financial Model (General Fund)	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider adopting the FY2024-25 City Council Goals	0:15
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider the Preliminary Budget FY24/25	1:00

## TENTATIVE AGENDAS

*Agenda items listed below will be presented to the City Council for their consideration*

DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
<b>June 18, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
		Interviews (Commission/Committees)	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider FY 24/25 GANN Limit	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider approving FY 24/25 Investment Policy	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider approving Purchase orders and contracts in excess of \$25K for FY 24/25	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2nd reading of Ordinance to RPVMC Ch.17.76.020 (Wireless ordinance on private property)	
FINANCE	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider FY 24/25 Budget adoption	0:30
REC & PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Amendment No. 2 to the City/PVPLC Management Agreement	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider appointments to Planning Commission and Advisory Committees	0:30
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Chair appointments for Planning Commission and Advisory Committees	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider traffic calming improvements for Hawthorne Blvd and Shorewood Rd	0:30
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider an ordinance regulating E-bikes on city streets	0:30
<b>July 2, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasury Report (CC) (IA)	
PW/CA/REC&PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider extending the resolution declaring the local state of emergency for the Portuguese Bend landslide area	1:00
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Commission and Advisory Board Biannual Reports	0:45
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider future support services for alternate fuel modification techniques	0:15
REC&PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider awarding an agreement for surveillance camera services in open space areas	0:15
CDD	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on Los Verdes Golf Course net project	0:45
<b>July 16, 2024</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Status report on non native water entering Portuguese Bend landslide	0:45

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DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Reassess Encroachment Permit Issuance Protocols	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on speed cameras and loud exhaust legislation	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider report on forming a Peninsula-wide Landslide Insurance Pool Authority	0:45
<b>FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS TO</b>			0:15
<u>Request Date:</u>	<u>Requested By:</u>	<u>Item:</u>	<u>Scheduled Date:</u>
7/16/2019	Dyda	Abalone Cove Sewer Maintenance Fee Options	TBD
7/21/2020	Alegria	Reassess Encroachment Permit Issuance Protocols	7/16/2024
12/21/2021	Bradley	Status report on non native water entering Portuguese Bend landslide	7/16/2024
4/19/2022	Alegria	Stormwater/Drainage Asset Management Update	TBD
9/6/2022	Cruikshank	Consider program to address high fire vegetation in canyons by working with neighboring cities/homeowners to address	6/4/2024
9/20/2022	Ferraro	Report on citywide beautification projects including Lower Hesse and medians	4/16/2024
6/6/2023	Cruikshank	Consider future support services for alternate fuel modification techniques	7/2/2024
7/18/2023	Cruikshank/Seo	Consider report on forming a Peninsula-wide Landslide Insurance Pool Authority	7/16/2024
7/18/2023	Alegria	Receive recommendations on E-bike traffic policies	6/18/2024
9/19/2023	Alegria	Receive a report on Los Verdes Golf Course net project	7/2/2024
11/14/2023	Cruikshank	Receive a report on who bears costs to underground utilities	5/21/2024
1/16/2024	Alegria/Cruikshank	Receive a report on speed cameras and loud exhaust legislation	7/16/2024
3/19/2024	Seo/Cruikshank	Consider PSA for National Lobbyist	8/16/2024
<b>CITY MANAGER REPORT</b>			0:15

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	March 24, 2024	March 25, 2024	March 26, 2024	March 27, 2024	March 28, 2024	March 29, 2024	March 30, 2024
6:00 AM - 6:30 AM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
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7:00 PM - 7:30PM	USAF Fighter Ace Steve Ritchie	USAF Fighter Ace Steve Ritchie	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes LIVE Planning Commission Meeting March 26, 2024	USAF Fighter Ace Steve Ritchie			
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1:00 AM - 6:00 AM							

Comments or questions? Please email us at [RPVtv@rpvca.gov](mailto:RPVtv@rpvca.gov)



## LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT- LOMITA STATION REPORTED CRIMES & ARRESTS BETWEEN (03/03/2024 - 03/09/2024)



### LOMITA:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION-PUBLIC
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	3/3/2024	0348	24000 BLK CRENSHAW BLVD	SUSPECT MALE WRG A BLK JACKET, BLUE JEANS, AND BLK AND WHITE SHOES.
GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	3/3/2024- 3/4/2024	2100- 0800	24000 BLK PENNSYLVANIA	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	3/6/2024- 3/7/2024	2200- 0500	1700 BLK 261ST ST	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	3/6/2024	1930- 0700	25000 BLK ADAMO AVE	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
ATTEMPT GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	3/7/2024- 3/8/2024	2200- 0845	2300 BLK 241ST ST	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
TOTAL ARRESTS: BATTERY - 1, DRUGS - 1, DRUNK IN PUBLIC - 1, VANDALISM - 1, WARRANTS - 2				

### RANCHO PALOS VERDES:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION-PUBLIC
BURGLARY (RESIDENTIAL)	3/2/2024- 3/4/2024	0630- 0700	26000 BLK SILVER SPUR RD	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	3/3/2024	2100- 2140	30000 BLK HAWTHORNE BLVD	SUSPECT MALE/30-40 WRG A BLUE "LA" BASEBALL HAT, DARK COLORED JACKET, WHITE SHIRT, GRY SHORTS AND BLK AND WHITE SHOES.
SHOPLIFTING	3/4/2024	1050	28000 BLK S. WESTERN AVE	1 SUSPECT ARRESTED
PETTY THEFT (UNLOCKED VEHICLE)	3/4/2024- 3/5/2024	1730- 1730	28000 BLK GUNTER RD	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN

BURGLARY (RESIDENTIAL)	3/6/2024	1338	4800 BLK BROWNDEER LN	S1 MALE/MEDIUM BUILD WRG A BLK SUN HAT, BLK FACE MASK, SUNGLASSES, BLK GLOVES, BLUE LONG SLEEVE SWEATER, AND BLUE SWEATPANTS. S2 MALE/MEDIUM BUILD WRG A BLK HAT, GLASSES, BLK FACE MASK, BLK LONG SLEEVE SWEATER W/ A WHITE PRINT ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE CHEST, AND GRY SWEATPANTS. S3 MALE/MEDIUM BUILD WRG A BLK HAT, BLUE FACE MASK, GRY LONG SLEEVE SWEATER W/ A WHITE "UNDER ARMOUR" PRINT ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF CHEST, TAN SWEATPANTS, A GRY BACKPACK, AND BLK GLOVES W/ WHITE LETTERING ON THE BACK SIDE. SUSPS WERE SEEN LEAVING LOC IN A GRY FORD EDGE.
BURGLARY (VEHICLE)	3/6/2024- 3/7/2024	1630- 0745	5900 BLK ARMAGA SPRINGS RD	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
ASSAULT	3/7/2024	1840	30000 BLK HAWTHORNE BLVD	1 SUSPECT ARRESTED
BURGLARY (VEHICLE)	3/6/2024	1500- 1530	5900 BLK ARMAGA SPRINGS RD	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
ASSAULT	3/7/2024	1600	29000 BLK INDIAN VALLEY RD	SUSPECT KNOWN
BURGLARY (RESIDENTIAL)	3/9/2024	1826- 2333	30000 BLK RUE VALOIS	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN

TOTAL ARRESTS: ASSAULT - 1, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - 1, RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY - 1, SHOPLIFTING - 1, VEHICLE VIOLATIONS - 1, VIOLATION OF A RESTRAINING ORDER - 1

#### ROLLING HILLS:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION-PUBLIC
NO CRIMES DURING THIS TIME				
NO ARRESTS DURING THIS TIME				

**ROLLING HILLS ESTATES:**

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION-PUBLIC
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	3/6/2024	1409	PENINSULA CTR	S1 FB/30/503/160 WRG A RED, WHITE, AND BLK FLANNEL JACKET, BLK PANTS, AND WHITE AND BLK "NIKE" SHOES. S2 FB/20/503/180/RED HAIR WRG A BLK JACKET, GRY PANTS, WHITE "NIKE" SHOES, AND APPEARED TO BE PREGNANT. S3 FB/30/507/200 WRG A BLK AND PURPLE JACKET, BLK LEGGINGS, TALL YELLOW SOCKS, AND YELLOW SHOES. ALL THREE SUSPS HAD BLK PURSES AND LONG ACRYLIC FINGERNAILS. SUSPS WERE SEEN LEAVING LOC IN A NEWER MODEL GRY DODGE DURANGO W/ DARK TINTED WINDOWS AND AN AZ LICENSE PLATE.
ATTEMPT BURGLARY (RESIDENTIAL)	3/6/2024	1530- 1900	BRANDING IRON LN	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
ATTEMPT CARJACKING	3/7/2024	1800	PENINSULA CTR	S1 MB/25/504/140. S2 MB/35/510/150.
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	3/8/2024	0800- 1130	900 BLK SILVER SPUR RD	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
BURGLARY (RESIDENTIAL)	3/8/2024	1955- 2000	PONDEROSA LN	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
<b>TOTAL ARRESTS: VEHICLE VIOLATIONS - 1, WARRANTS - 1</b>				

**SAN PEDRO:**

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION-PUBLIC
ATTEMPT GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	3/3/2024	0700- 1615	900 BLK W. 1ST ST	SUSPECT(S) UNKNOWN
<b>NO ARRESTS DURING THIS TIME</b>				

**PVP:**

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION-PUBLIC
NO CRIMES DURING THIS TIME				
NO ARRESTS DURING THIS TIME				

\*\*Data included in this report is time sensitive and subject to change.

DATE OF REQUEST	DATE RECEIVED	REQUESTOR	SUBJECT	ACTION TAKEN
3/7/2024	3/7/2024	Albert Ramirez	<p>Request for copy of the following, which I understand to be held by your agency: "NRC US Ecology"; "NRC Republic"; "Patriot Environmental"; "Ocean Blue Environmental"; "ANCON"; "Clean Harbors"; "MESA"; "OCVacuum"; "KM Industrial"; "American Integrated Services"; "Asbury Environmental Services"; "Action Environmental"; "Ship Services"; "West Coast Environmental Solutions"; "ACT Enviro".</p> <p>Specifically, requesting a copy of contracts, emails, and correspondences, both digital and paper, issued between January 1, 2019 till March 1, 2024 with respect to approved or pending contracts including dollar amounts, scope of work, and dates as well as emails and correspondences. Moreover, in your search, I respectfully request how many hours Ocean Blue Environmental Services were dispatched annually by the City of Rancho Palos Verdes, using "ILWU – Tech" pay rates?</p> <p>Please include in your search, "Contracts", "ILWU", "ILWU Local 56", "Ship Scalers", "ILWU Local 56 Ship Scalers Union", "Emails", and "Correspondences", inclusive of the bullet points aforementioned.</p>	3/7/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff. 3/18/23 AA Zweizig sent 14-day extension letter.
3/12/2024	3/12/2024	April Steiger	Request for any and all code enforcement documents (including but not limited to letters, photos, reports, etc.) re: the City's communications with/between 28925 Moro Bay Drive re CPM2023-0113.	3/12/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
3/13/2024	3/13/2024	Ben Eilenberg	<p>Request for the following: 1. All documents showing that the City of Rancho Palos Verdes adopted a resolution declaring that it is subject to the California Public Resources Code sections related to the formation of Geologic Hazard Abatement Districts.</p> <p>2. All documents showing that the City of Rancho Palos Verdes forwarded a copy of a resolution declaring that it is subject to the California Public Resources Code sections related to the formation of Geologic Hazard Abatement Districts.</p>	3/14/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
3/14/2024	3/14/2024	April Steiger	Request for any and all documents (including but not limited to letters, photos, emails, etc.) involving communications with/between Code Enforcement and 28924 Moro Bay Drive re CPM2023-0114.	3/14/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
3/15/2024	3/15/2024	George Albanez	Request for a copy of the current contract for Citywide Landscape Maintenance. Including the name of the current contractor, the monthly billing amount, and any and all amendments during the duration of the contract	3/15/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
3/18/2024	3/18/2024	Alice Lee	Requesting original builder permit and lot drawing for lot 191 tract 28053	3/18/24 DCC Sisson forwarded request to staff.
3/19/2024	3/19/2024	Herb Stark	Request for when the City Council voted to keep the Forrestal gate open 7 days a week after the Ladera Linda Park opened.	3/19/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
3/19/2024	3/19/2024	Carlos Brazao	Request for copies of any and all building permits, inspection records, code enforcement records/violations, & certificate of occupancy for: 100 Terranea Way, Casita No. 25, Rancho Palos Verdes, California 90275 (AIN: 7573-014-052; AIN: 7573-014-033; AIN: 7573-014-051; AIN: 7573-014-034)	3/19/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.



JOHN CRUIKSHANK, MAYOR  
ERIC ALEGRIA, MAYOR PRO TEM  
DAVID L. BRADLEY, COUNCILMEMBER  
BARBARA FERRARO, COUNCILMEMBER  
PAUL SEO, COUNCILMEMBER

SENT VIA EMAIL

March 19, 2024

Alice Reynolds, President  
California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco CA 94102

**RE: AT&T Application for Relief of Carrier of Last Resort Obligation – Notice of Opposition**

Dear President Reynolds,

I am writing on behalf of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes to express our concerns regarding AT&T's application for relief from its Carrier of Last Resort (COLR) obligations in our community. We respectfully urge the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to reject this application.

AT&T currently serves as the designated COLR in Rancho Palos Verdes, providing essential landline telephone services to our residents. Despite advancements in telecommunications technology, there are still many areas within our community with inadequate cellular coverage. Consequently, the discontinuation of AT&T's landline service could potentially leave our residents without access to critical emergency services such as 9-1-1 or 2-1-1, placing them in grave danger during emergencies especially as a designated Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone.

Of particular concern are our elderly residents, who often rely on landline services due to their reliability and familiarity. These individuals may have limited options for accessing affordable telecommunications services that meet their specific needs. Therefore, it is imperative that any decision regarding COLR relief ensures the availability of alternative communication solutions that can adequately meet the basic needs of our community.

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes is committed to promoting equitable access to high-quality telecommunications services for all residents, especially those who are most vulnerable. We believe that access to reliable, secure, and open networks is essential for fostering community safety and well-being.

**President Alice Reynolds**

**March 19, 2024**

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We respectfully request that the CPUC reject AT&T's application for relief of its COLR obligation. We urge you to prioritize the interests and safety of our residents in your decision-making process.

Should you require any further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact our legislative advocate, Sharon Gonsalves, at (916) 974-9270 or via email at [sgonsalves@publicpolicygroup.com](mailto:sgonsalves@publicpolicygroup.com).

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



John Cruikshank  
**Mayor**

cc: Ben Allen, Senator, 24<sup>th</sup> State Senate District  
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Rancho Palos Verdes City Council  
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## **AGENDA**

**RANCHO PALOS VERDES PLANNING COMMISSION**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024**

**FRED HESSE COMMUNITY PARK, 29301 HAWTHORNE BOULEVARD**

**REGULAR MEETING**

**7:00 P.M.**

### **\*HYBRID PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING**

The Regular Meeting of March 26, 2024 will take place in accordance with the requirements of the Ralph M. Brown Act, Section 54950 et seq. of the Government Code. Remote participation by any Committee/Commission member shall be in accordance with Subdivisions (b)(3) or (f) of Government Code Section 54953. The meetings are held at Hesse Park, McTaggart Hall, 29301 Hawthorne Boulevard and/or via teleconference for staff/consultants/participants using the Zoom platform and broadcast live on the City's website at [rpvca.gov/agendas](http://rpvca.gov/agendas) and on PVPtv channels Cox 35 and Frontier FiberOptic 39. Public participation will be in person and using the virtual platform.

**NEXT P.C. RESOLUTION 2024-06**

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### **CALL TO ORDER:**

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

### **ROLL CALL:**

### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

### **COMMUNICATION:**

City Council Items:

Staff:

Commission:

**COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE (regarding non-agenda items):**

**CONSENT CALENDAR:**

1. APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 12, 2024 P.C. MINUTES (LG)

**CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

NONE

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NONE

**NEW PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

2. REVIEW OF DRAFT REVISED FINAL HOUSING ELEMENT & HOUSING PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION MEASURES- (CASE NOS. PLGP2022-0001, PLGP2024-001, PLZC2024-001, PLCA2024-001 & PLCA 2024-002): Citywide (OS)

Request: Consider recommended actions to the City Council regarding revisions to the City's 6<sup>th</sup> Cycle Housing Element and associated Housing Program Implementation Measures including General Plan Amendments, Coastal Specific Plan Amendments, Zone Changes, Code Amendments and environmental review documentation.

Recommendation: Adopt P.C. Resolution No. 2024-\_\_\_, "A Resolution of the Planning Commission of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes recommending that the City Council determine the Housing Element project was adequately assessed in the previously adopted Negative Declaration for the 2021-2029 Housing Element and associated Housing Programs; approve a General Plan Amendment for the Revised Final 2021-2029 Housing Element (Case No. PLGP2022-0001) as revised March 15, 2024 to comply with State Housing Law; approve Amendments to the General Plan Land Use Element and Land Use Map for consistency with the Revised Final 2021-2029 Housing Element; adoption of Zone Changes, Zoning Map Amendments, Coastal Specific Plan Amendments and Code Amendments to effectuate the Revised Final 2021-2029 Housing Element; and adopt updated development standards for Accessory Dwelling & Junior Accessory Dwelling Units to comply with State Housing Law (Case Nos. PLGP2024-001, PLZC2024-001, PLCA2024-001 & PLCA2024-002) ."

Action deadline: N/A

CEQA: Addendum No. 1 to the adopted Negative Declaration

**NEW BUSINESS:**

NONE

## **ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON FUTURE AGENDAS:**

3. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON APRIL 9, 2024
4. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON APRIL 23, 2024

## **ADJOURNMENT:**

### **Planning Commission Agendas and Staff Reports:**

Agendas and staff reports are available for public review no later than 72 hours before the meeting at City Hall, 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard during regular business hours, 7:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. Monday – Thursday and 7:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. on Friday; Hesse Community Park, 29301 Hawthorne Boulevard during the Planning Commission meeting; and on the City's website [www.rpvca.gov](http://www.rpvca.gov).

Materials related to an item on an agenda submitted after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection at the front counter of the Planning Division Lobby at City Hall, which is located at 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard, Rancho Palos Verdes during normal business hours, and electronically on the City's website at [www.rpvca.gov/agendas](http://www.rpvca.gov/agendas).

### **Public Correspondence:**

We highly encourage written materials regarding Planning Commission Agenda items be submitted no later than 4:00 P.M. the Monday prior to a Planning Commission meeting to allow the Planning Commission Members ample time to review and consider the issues raised prior to making decisions at the Planning Commission meeting. Please keep in mind that it is difficult for Planning Commission Members to carefully review materials submitted after that deadline or at the meeting. Written materials, including emails, submitted to the city are public records and may be posted on the City's website. Accordingly, you may wish to omit personal information from your written materials or oral presentation as it may become part of the public record regarding an agenda item. In addition, City meetings may be televised and may be accessed through the City's website at [www.rpvca.gov/agendas](http://www.rpvca.gov/agendas).

### **Public Participation:**

Participants must speak from the podium using the lectern microphone; comments are to be directed to the Planning Commission and not to the staff or the public; repetition should be avoided; and reading a submission that has been copied or contained in the agenda will be discouraged. Virtual participation is also offered please visit [www.rpvca.gov/participate](http://www.rpvca.gov/participate).

### **Public Comments:**

The Planning Commission may limit the public input on any item based on the number of people requesting to speak, the length of the agenda, or the business of the Planning Commission.

### **Conduct at the Planning Commission Meeting:**

Pursuant to GC 54957.95: (a)(1) In addition to authority exercised pursuant to Sections 54954.3 and 54957.9, the presiding member of the legislative body conducting a meeting or their designee may remove, or cause the removal of, an individual for disrupting the meeting. (2) Prior to removing an individual, the presiding member or their designee shall warn the individual that their behavior is disrupting the meeting and that their failure to cease their behavior may result in their removal. The presiding member or their designee may then remove the individual if they do not promptly cease their disruptive behavior. This paragraph does not apply to any behavior described in subparagraph (B) of

paragraph (1) of subdivision (b)(1) means engaging in behavior during a meeting of a legislative body that actually disrupts, disturbs, impedes, or renders infeasible the orderly conduct of the meeting and includes, but is not limited to, one of the following: (A) A failure to comply with reasonable and lawful regulations adopted by a legislative body pursuant to Section 54954.3 or any other law. (B) Engaging in behavior that constitutes use of force or a true threat of force.(2) "True threat of force" means a threat that has sufficient indicia of intent and seriousness, that a reasonable observer would perceive it to be an actual threat to use force by the person making the threat.

**Time Estimates:**

The time noted next to an agenda item is only an estimate of the amount of time that will be spent during the meeting on that particular item. Accordingly, these estimates should not be relied on in determining when a matter will be heard, especially since agenda items are often re-ordered during a meeting and may be discussed at any time.

**Continuation of Meeting:**

The Planning Commission will adjourn its meetings on or before 11:00 p.m. and will not consider new business items after 10:15 p.m., unless a majority of the Planning Commission members who are present affirmatively vote either to extend the meeting after 11:00 p.m. or to consider new business after 10:15 p.m. If the meeting ends before all items listed on the agenda are completed, any unfinished business will be continued to the next succeeding day that is not a holiday, at a location to be determined.

**Closed Session:**

Please be advised that, pursuant to the Ralph M. Brown Act, "a person may not disclose confidential information that has been acquired by being present in a Closed Session . . . to a person not entitled to receive it, unless the legislative body authorizes disclosure of that confidential information." (Gov. Code § 54963(a).) "[C]onfidential information" means a communication made in a Closed Session that is specifically related to the basis for the legislative body of a local agency to meet lawfully in Closed Session . . ." (Gov. Code § 54963(a).) Please be further advised that any "violation of [Government Code § 54963] may be addressed by the use of such remedies as are currently available by law, including, but not limited to: (1) injunctive relief to prevent the disclosure of confidential information prohibited by this section; (2) disciplinary action against an [public or city official] who has willfully disclosed confidential information in violation of this section; (3) referral of a member of a legislative body who has willfully disclosed confidential information in violation of this section to a grand jury." (Gov. Code § 54963(c).)

**American with Disabilities Act:**

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**CEQA Compliance (Changes as of 11/7/22):**

Unless stated otherwise on the agenda, every item on the agenda is exempt from CEQA Guidelines Sections 15060(c), 15061(b)(3), 15273, 15378, 15301, 15323 and/or Public Resources Code Section 21065.