



CITY MANAGER'S WEEKLY ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

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CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE



Photos: Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department and City staff

Remembering Deputy Okamoto

On May 3, Staff joined hundreds of mourners at Rolling Hills Covenant Church for the celebration of life for Deputy Daniel Okamoto, whose life was tragically taken in an off-duty traffic collision in the early morning hours of April 12. A floral arrangement was also sent to the service on behalf of the City Council and the City.

The Lomita Sheriff's Station joined Deputy Okamoto's family in sharing memories and stories of his life, accomplishments, and of his character, including moving remarks by Captain Kimberly Guerrero.

Deputy Okamoto is survived by his mother, father, brother, and grandmother. He began his career as an explorer at Carson Station and went on to become a cadet at Harbor College. He graduated from the Sheriff's Academy in 2017 and was assigned to Men's Central Jail. He arrived at Lomita Station in 2018, completed patrol training, became a Field Training Officer, assumed the role as the Station Armory Deputy, and finally a

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Community Resource Officer for the City of Lomita. Deputy Okamoto was also a member of the Sheriff's Response Team.

Deputy Okamoto was loved by many within the department and the communities he served, including Rancho Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, Rolling Hills Estates, Lomita, and San Pedro. He was known for his professionalism, humility, and unwavering commitment to his friends and colleagues.

The City extends its deepest condolences to Deputy Okamoto's loved ones and to his entire LASD family. We will always remember his service to our community.



**The City of Rancho Palos Verdes would like to wish all our moms a
Happy Mother's Day!**

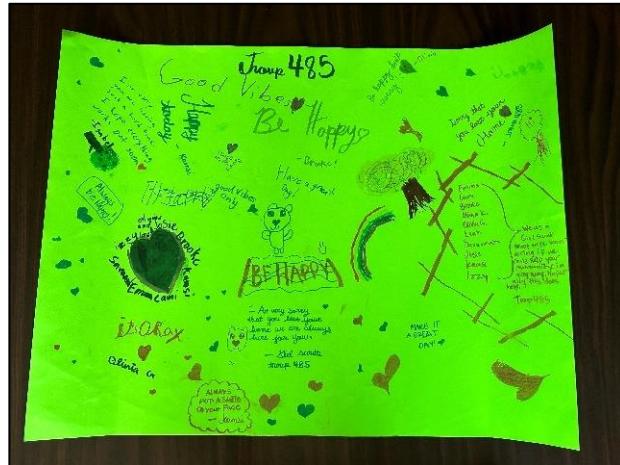
May 7, 2024, City Council Meeting Highlights

Highlights from the May 7 City Council meeting:

- The Council approved construction contracts for two emergency dewatering wells in the Portuguese Bend Landslide Complex that will remove water underground that is contributing to movement.
- One well will be installed near Burma Road at the north end of the landslide complex, and the other will be installed on the south end at one of two potential locations: in the Portuguese Bend Beach Club, or in the turnout area along Palos Verdes Drive South formerly known as “Gateway Park.”
- Work on this \$9.6 million project is expected to begin as early as June. The City will seek reimbursement under the federal disaster declaration related to February’s storms and explore additional funding opportunities to help offset costs.
- City staff continues planning critical regrading work for the steep dip on Palos Verdes Drive South known as the “ski jump,” which may require a temporary closure in the landslide area. A project timeline is not yet available, but advance notice — including a construction schedule and detour information, if needed, — will be widely shared with the community.
- Staff will provide an update on efforts to provide financial assistance to the Abalone Cove and Klondike Canyon Landslide Abatement Districts as well as the Portuguese Bend Community Association at a future Council meeting.
- The City’s local emergency declaration in the landslide complex was extended through July 6.
- The Council reviewed EDCO’s request for a 6% rate increase for residential customers in the next fiscal year based on the Consumer Price Index. The rate increase was approved in 2022 as part of a planned five-year schedule of increases, but was presented for the Council’s and public’s information.



For all City Council actions from the meeting, watch video at rpvca.gov/agendas.



Girl Scouts Junior Troop 485 Sends Message of Support to Residents Impacted by Landslides

Also at last night's meeting, the Council recognized local Girl Scouts Junior Troop 485 of Cornerstone Elementary School. The troop of fourth graders recently toured City Hall to learn about local government, asking insightful questions about the Portuguese Bend Landslide and other topics in RPV. The girls were inspired to sign a poster board with messages of support for residents who are impacted by the landslide crisis. Thank you, Troop 485, for taking the initiative to learn about your city government, and for your kind gesture lifting up your neighbors during this difficult time.



City to Begin Work on Emergency Hydraulers

At last night's meeting, the City Council approved construction contracts for two emergency dewatering wells — also called hydraugers — that will remove water underground in the Portuguese Bend Landslide complex to slow damaging land movement.

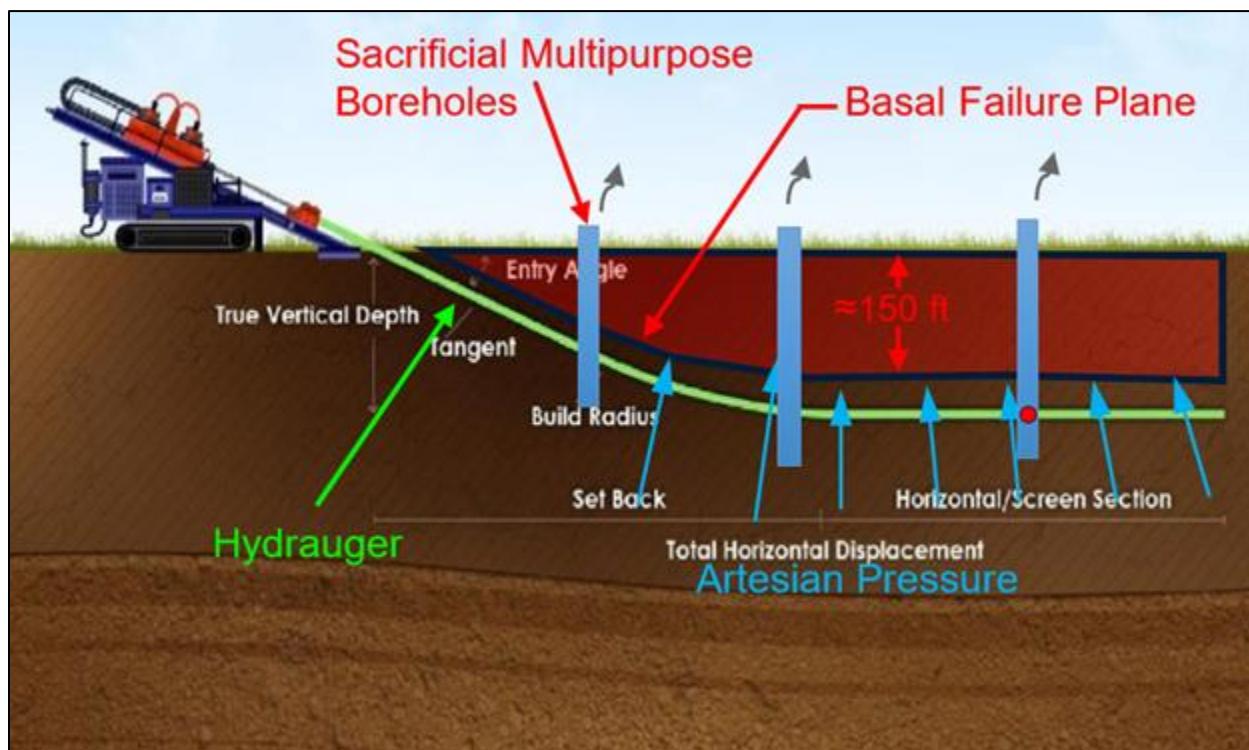
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With the contracts now in place, the project team can begin work on the next steps. In the coming weeks, boreholes will be drilled 150 feet or more underground to gather data to validate computer modeling assumptions and better estimate the quantity and quality of groundwater to be removed. This process is expected to take 2-3 weeks to complete. Based on the data, the project team will update the computer model key assumptions and design calculations.

Each hydrauger consists of an array of five directionally-drilled drains that extend up to about 1,200 feet, plus temporary water storage tanks and drainage discharge lines, as shown in the diagram below.



One well will be installed near Burma Road at the north end of the landslide complex, and the other will be installed on the south end at one of two potential locations: in the Portuguese Bend Beach Club near Yacht Harbor Drive and Seawall Road, or in the turnout area along Palos Verdes Drive South formerly known as "Gateway Park." The hydrauger on the south side will be drilled first, and the hydrauger on the north side will be drilled second. Construction of each is expected to last 6-8 weeks.

The City will seek reimbursement under the federal disaster declaration related to February's storms and explore additional funding opportunities to help offset costs for this \$9.6 million project.

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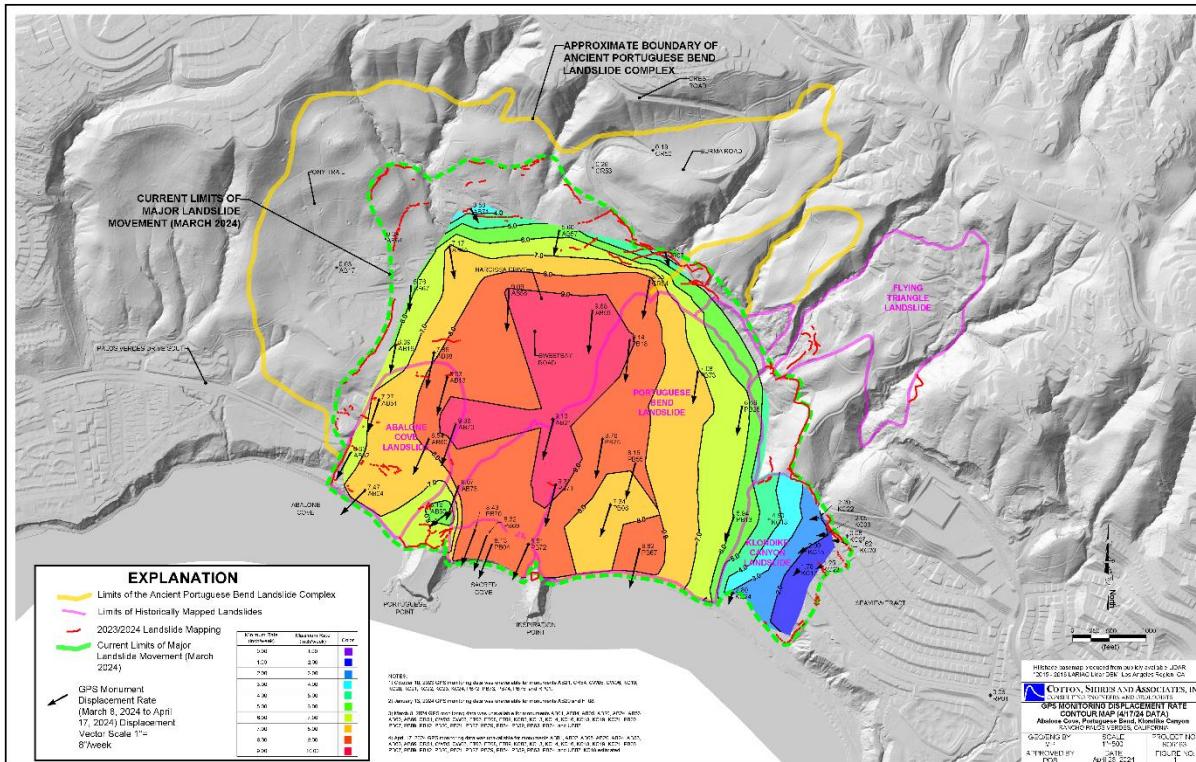
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For more information on the project plans, read the [May 7 City Council staff report \(PDF\)](#) and watch the [City Council meeting video](#).

Geologist Update

During the meeting, the City's geologist, Mike Phipps of Cotton, Shires and Associates, presented the latest GPS monitoring survey data, noting that the landslides are now moving by inches per week – 76% above velocity from January-March.



Compared to measurements from November 2019, average land movement velocities have increased 95x, 31x and 41x for the Abalone Cove, Portuguese Bend, and Klondike Canyon Landslides, respectively.

Maps showing the latest movement data collected through mid-April are available on the [Land Movement page](#).

City Council Explores Financial Assistance Packages for Agencies

The City Council continues to explore potentially providing financial assistance to the Klondike Canyon Landslide Abatement District (KCLAD) and Abalone Cove Landslide Abatement District (ACLAD) to assist them complete landslide mitigation work. KCLAD has requested a \$1.9 million loan to implement a five-step landslide mitigation plan, and

ACLAD plans to request a loan in an amount to be determined, as its mitigation plan is being finalized. Any assistance would be contingent on the plans being endorsed by a licensed geotechnical engineering company. The assistance packages will be presented to the Council at a future meeting. Additionally, last night, the Council directed City staff to further vet a request from the Portuguese Bend Community Association — which maintains roads in the private community — for a nearly \$500,000 loan to fund unforeseen road repairs due to land movement.

Local Emergency Declaration Extended

Finally, the Council extended the City's local emergency declaration in the landslide complex through July 6. The declaration must be renewed every 60 days to remain in effect.

Senator Allen Tours Landslide Complex, Wayfarers Chapel

On May 3, Senator Ben Allen visited RPV for an up-close look the latest conditions in the Portuguese Bend Landslide complex. City Manager Ara Mihranian and leaders from the City's geological hazard abatement districts led the Senator and his staff on a tour of the Portuguese Bend and Seaview neighborhoods, the Portuguese Bend Beach Club, and Wayfarers Chapel to see the progression of damage that is expected to continue following another heavy rainy season. The City thanks Senator Allen for his attention and support helping us respond to this crisis and for introducing Senate Bill (SB) No. 1461, which would add "landslide" as a condition constituting a state of emergency or local emergency in the Emergency Services Act.



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Mayor Cruikshank Highlights RPV at State of the Peninsula

This morning, Mayor John Cruikshank spoke at the Palos Verdes Peninsula Chamber of Commerce's State of the Peninsula Breakfast, which brings the mayors of the four cities and business leaders together for an informative discussion on the latest issues impacting the region. The Mayor gave remarks highlighting RPV's accomplishments over the past year, such as the 50th anniversary celebration, wildfire detection cameras, and the makeover of Ladera Linda Community Park, as well as challenges, including state housing laws and slowing the City's ancient landslides.





Legislation Corner

On May 7, the City Council authorized Mayor Cruikshank to sign letters taking positions on various bills of interest the City. The Council voted to support Assembly Bill (AB) No. 2583 and AB 2715; and to oppose AB 1886, AB 1893, and SB 1037. The Council opposed AB 1820 unless it is amended. In addition, the Council adopted a resolution in support of the bi-partisan ballot measure entitled the Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act, which is being considered for the November General Election.

Links to the bill text are provided below:

- [AB 2583: School Zones and Walk Zones](#)
- [AB 2715: Ralph M. Brown Act: Closed Sessions](#)
- [AB 1886: Housing Element Law: Substantially Compliant](#)
- [AB 1893: Housing Accountability Act](#)
- [AB 1820: Housing Development Projects](#)
- [SB 1037: Housing Element Law](#)
- [Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act](#)

Access a [staff report \(PDF\)](#) including bill summaries is available on the City website, and the signed position letters are attached to this report.

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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.



The image is a promotional flyer for UCLA Extension. At the top left, it says "UCLA Extension". Below that, in a yellow box, it says "SUMMER 2024". The main text in large blue letters reads "New OLLI@UCLA Courses Coming to the South Bay". The background of the flyer features a group of four diverse adults (two men and two women) smiling and posing together outdoors.

UCLA South Bay to Host Extension Courses this Summer

UCLA South Bay is hosting four Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) extension courses this summer, with each class occurring on a single Saturday for two hours. Please see the attached flyer for more information. If you have questions, please contact osher@uclaextension.edu or 310-206-2693.



BILL HELP OPTIONS FOR SCE CUSTOMERS



Your Best Advantage Is Knowing Your Options

If you're facing difficulties balancing your energy needs and household costs, SCE provides assistance and resources that can help. Explore the various programs and eligibility requirements at sce.com/residential.



Scan this QR Code to visit the SCE Residential Resource page

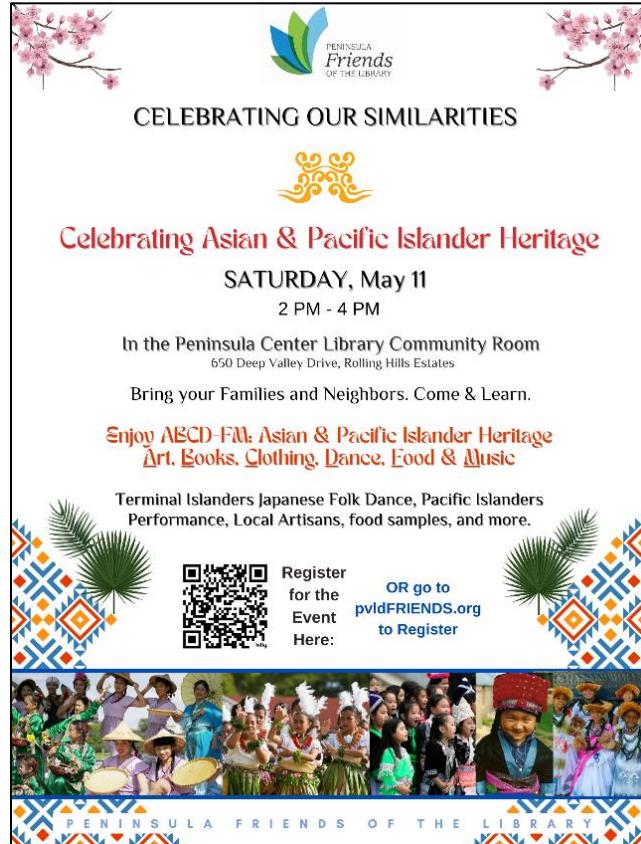
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Peninsula Friends of the Library AAPI Heritage Month Celebration May 11

Please join Peninsula Friends of the Library on May 11 from 2-4 p.m. in the Peninsula Center Library Community Room to celebrate Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month.

Register at: pvldfriends.org



Applications for RPV Advisory Boards Due May 10

Want to get more involved in local government?

The City is accepting applications to fill vacancies on various advisory boards:

- Civic Center Advisory Committee
- Emergency Preparedness Committee
- Finance Advisory Committee
- Infrastructure Management Advisory Committee
- Planning Commission
- Traffic Safety Committee



Apply Now

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- Finance Advisory Committee
- Infrastructure Management Advisory Committee
- Planning Commission
- Traffic Safety Committee

Apply by May 10 at: rpvca.gov

Applications are due to the City Clerk's Office on May 10 by 4:30 p.m. Interviews with the City Council are tentatively scheduled for June 4 and 18 prior to the 7 p.m. City Council meetings.

To learn more about what each of these advisory boards does and how to apply, visit the [City website](#).

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.

Facility Needs Community Engagement Sessions

Join us for a series of upcoming community engagement sessions focused on PVPUSD'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!

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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- May 11, 12:30 p.m., Presentation at PVHS, followed by carpool tour to PVPHS, Pt. Vicente Elementary and Ridgecrest Intermediate School
- May 23, 7: 30 a.m. Location TBD.

Peninsula Seniors Bohannon Lecture Series May 2024

Join Peninsula Seniors for the Bohannon Lecture Series Wednesdays from 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the Scriba Family Center in Rolling Hills Estates.



Coffee Social at 10:15 a.m. Open to the community. Space limited.

May 15: “Pat Pattison’s Best of California”

The famous host of this nationally syndicated television lifestyle show discusses his travels around California telling stories of the people, places, history and mysteries of the Golden State.

May 22: “Northrop Grumman Aircraft Development”

Local author Michael Ciminera, president of the Western Museum of Flight and retired Northrop Grumman vice president, discusses his new book, *The Aircraft Designers: A Northrop Grumman Historical Perspective*.

May 29: “Meet the Los Angeles County Assessor”

County Assessor Jeff Prang discusses rising property values and property taxes in L.A. County. Where is this heading?

Call Renee Reymond, Program Coordinator, at 310-377-3003 for details.



Palos Verdes Peninsula Village

Opportunities To Connect, Learn & Thrive

Palos Verdes Peninsula Village Information Session May 23

The Palos Verdes Peninsula Village is a dynamic organization of older adults who have joined together to help one another navigate the challenges and opportunities of aging. Meet PVP Village members and volunteers and learn about the PVP Village, its enriching social and intellectual activities and volunteer support on May 23 at 11 a.m. at the Palos Verdes Peninsula Village Office, 375 Via Almar, #D101, Palos Verdes Estates. Please call 310-991-3324, email peninsulavillagepvp@gmail.com for more information or visit peninsulavillage.net.



It's Wildfire Preparedness Week! Have You Hardened Your Home Against Wildfire?

May 5-11 is Wildfire Preparedness Week!

As we head into fire season, be sure to do your part now to prevent and prepare for wildfire. Take time to educate yourself on the following tips and best practices to safeguard your home and prepare your family.

- Check out these [tip sheets \(PDF\)](#) with low- and no-cost ways to protect your home from wildfire.



- **Learn how to use landscaping techniques** to protect your home from wildfires and meet brush clearance requirements by watching a recording of West Basin's firescaping workshop and going to westbasin.org/firescaping.
- Check out Cal Fire's visual guide to home hardening and watch the video below to learn about how to make your home wildfire ready.
- **Download the L.A. County Fire Department's "Ready! Set! Go!" Personal Wildfire Action Plan (PDF)**
- **Purchase or make an emergency kit** (check the "Ready! Set! Go!" Personal Wildfire Action Plan for what to include in it).
- **Make an evacuation plan** and practice it with your family.
- **Know Your Zone.** Get to know the Peninsula's evacuation readiness platform at PVPready.gov. Find your zone, write it down, and keep it somewhere that's easy to find in an emergency. During an emergency, such as a wildfire or flood, the website will show which zones are under evacuation the moment an order is issued by authorities.
- **Sign up for Alert SouthBay** emergency notifications by texting "alerts" to 888-777, visiting alertsouthbay.com, or downloading the Everbridge app.
- **Reach out to the RPV Emergency Preparedness Committee** about how to create a plan and be prepared for a wildfire.
- **Find more resources** at rpvca.gov/emergency and readyforwildfire.org

Be prepared, RPV!

Did You Receive the Wireless Emergency Alert? Take a Survey to Let Us Know.

On May 7, Alert SouthBay, in coordination with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and FEMA's Integrated Public Alert and Warning System (IPAWS), conducted a test of the Wireless Emergency Alert (WEA) system in the South Bay region.

This test, aimed at consumer cell phones, sought to evaluate the effectiveness of the WEA system in emergency communications. Residents in the geofenced area who have a registered cellular phone turned on should have received the alert at 11:30 a.m.

**WIRELESS
EMERGENCY
ALERT TEST
SURVEY**



Did you receive an alert like this one at 11:30 a.m. PST on May 7 in the South Bay region?

Emergency Alert
Alert SouthBay: THIS IS A TEST of the Alert SouthBay Regional Wireless Emergency Alert System. NO ACTION IS NEEDED. For information about this alert and how to register, please visit <https://alertsouthbay.com/public-alert-and-warning>

If so, please take our survey on the Wireless Emergency Alert Test that was issued at that time by scanning the QR code below. Your input is valuable!



Please take a moment to respond to [Alert SouthBay's survey](#) and provide your feedback!

For information about registering for emergency alerts or for a list of [frequently asked questions](#), please visit [alertsouthbay.com](#).

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 (2nd 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.

Venue:

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

For more information and to register, contact Walt, K1DFO at: wfordway@juno.com



Coffee with the Captain May 10

Come out and enjoy a fresh cup of coffee with Lomita Sheriff's Station Captain Kimberly Guerrero on May 10 at 9 a.m. at the Starbucks in the Golden Cove Shopping Center in Rancho Palos Verdes.

This event is an excellent opportunity to chat about community safety over coffee in a relaxed setting. We hope to see you there!



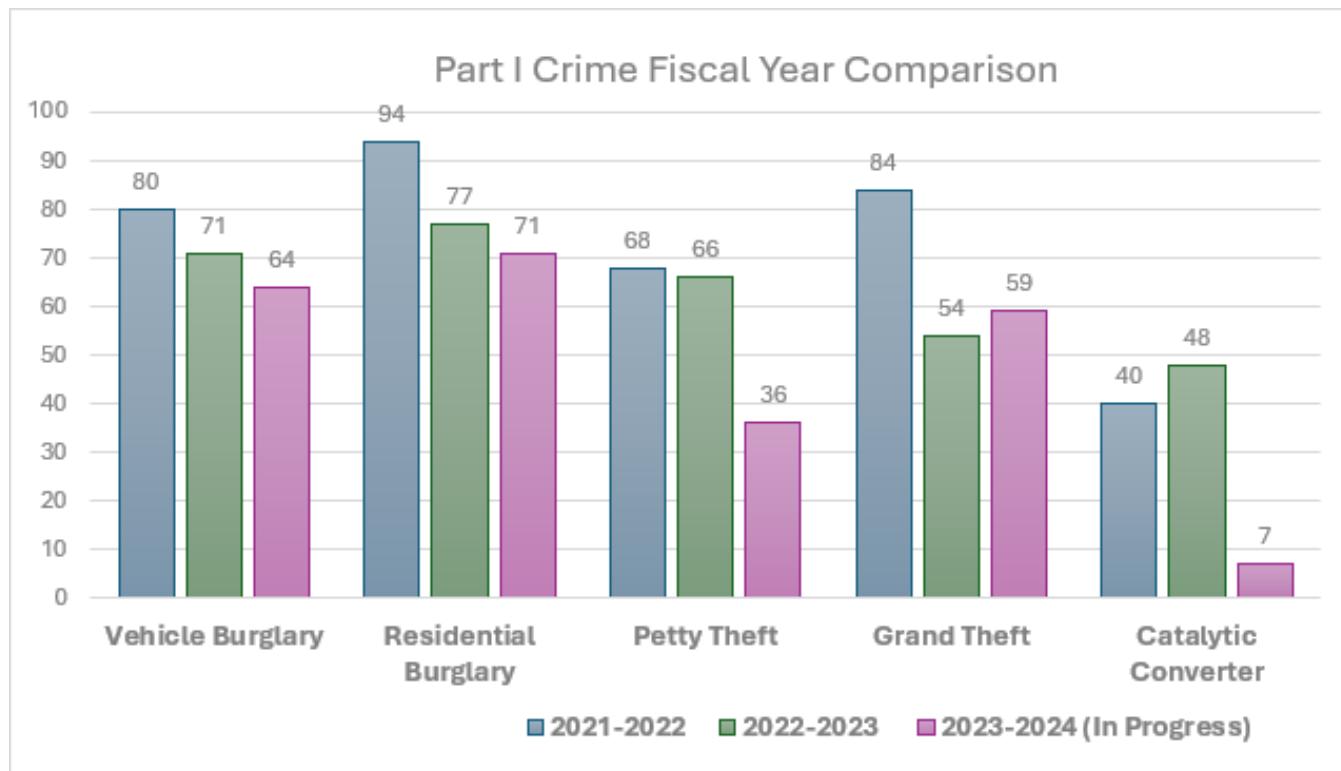
Weekly Crime Report Summaries

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 can access the Crime Reports published by LASD for the week beginning [April 21, 2024 \(PDF\)](#). Explore an archive of weekly crime reports and an interactive map on the City Website at rpvca.gov/crimereports. If you need any assistance 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 via email at 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, details related to ongoing

investigations may not be included. For a complete list of all crimes, you may visit LASD's [Transparency page](#).



Public Safety Division Updates

On May 7, the City Council approved the purchase of new radios for use by Park Rangers, Public Safety Liaisons, Public Safety Managers, and emergency services coordination. These new radios will utilize the Los Angeles Regional Interoperable Communications System (LA-RICS) network, which is available to the City through its relationship with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department. This network provides quality coverage on the Peninsula, including in the Palos Verdes Nature Preserve. This added communication tool will allow our Open Space and Public Safety Staff to communicate efficiently to first responders. View the [staff report \(PDF\)](#) for more detailed information about the process and the LA-RICS network.

In addition, the City Council approved the purchase of a new truck to be used by the Public Safety Division to execute its duties throughout the City. Keep an eye out for the new Toyota Tacoma coming soon to support public safety in Rancho Palos Verdes. View the [staff report \(PDF\)](#) for more information about the procurement of this new public safety vehicle.

Attachments:

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Finance Advisory Committee Meeting Canceled

The regular meeting of the Finance Advisory Committee (FAC) scheduled for May 9 has been canceled. A special meeting has been scheduled for May 30 at 7 p.m.

The Employment Situation – April 2024

Last Friday, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) released data from two monthly surveys. The household survey measures labor force status, including unemployment by demographics. The establishment survey measures nonfarm employment, hours, and earnings by industry. Notable highlights from each survey are summarized below.

Household Survey Data

- The national unemployment rate rose to 3.9% in April.
- The unemployment rate has remained between 3.7%-3.9% since August 2023.
- The number of unemployed persons, measured at 6.5 million, grew slightly compared to March and is up by 13% compared to April 2023.

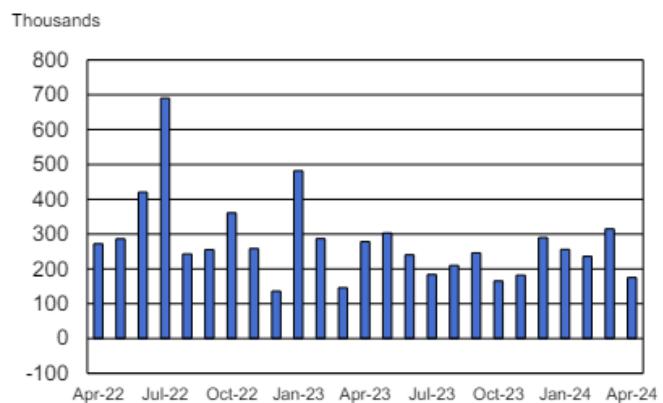
Establishment Survey Data

- Total nonfarm payroll employment increased by 175,000 in April.
- Job gains in April were lower than the average monthly gain of 242,000.
- Notable job gains occurred in health care, social assistance, and warehousing.

Chart 1. Unemployment rate, seasonally adjusted, April 2022 – April 2024



Chart 2. Nonfarm payroll employment over-the-month change, seasonally adjusted, April 2022 – April 2024

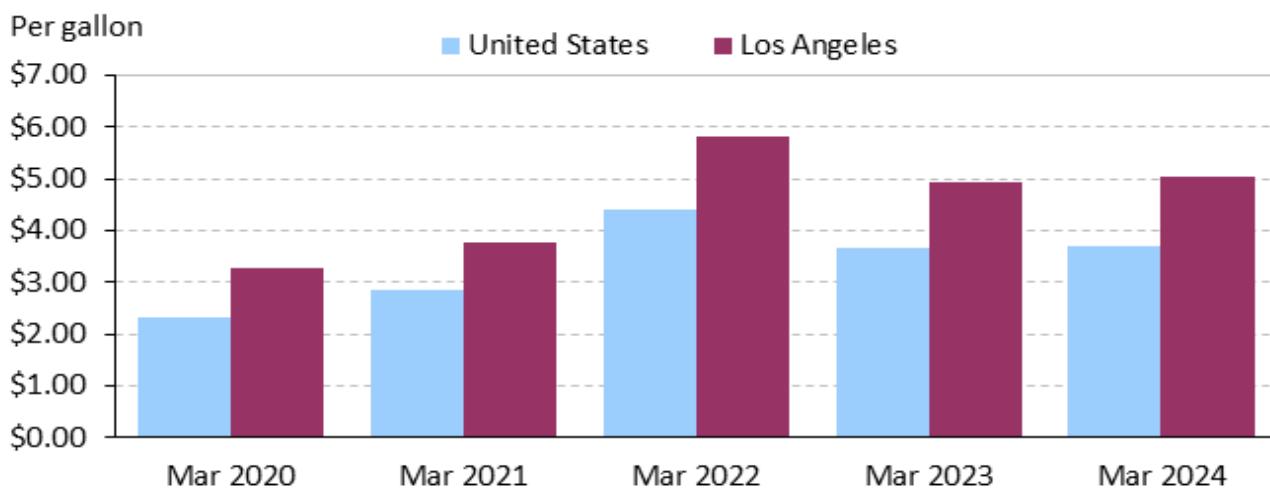


Average Energy Prices, Los Angeles Area – March 2024

Gasoline

In March 2024, Los Angeles area consumers paid \$5.036 per gallon for gasoline, 35.9% more than the national average of \$3.707. This is a slight increase from the previous year, when they paid 34.9% above the national average.

Chart 1. Average prices for gasoline, the United States and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA, 2020–24 (as of March)



Electricity

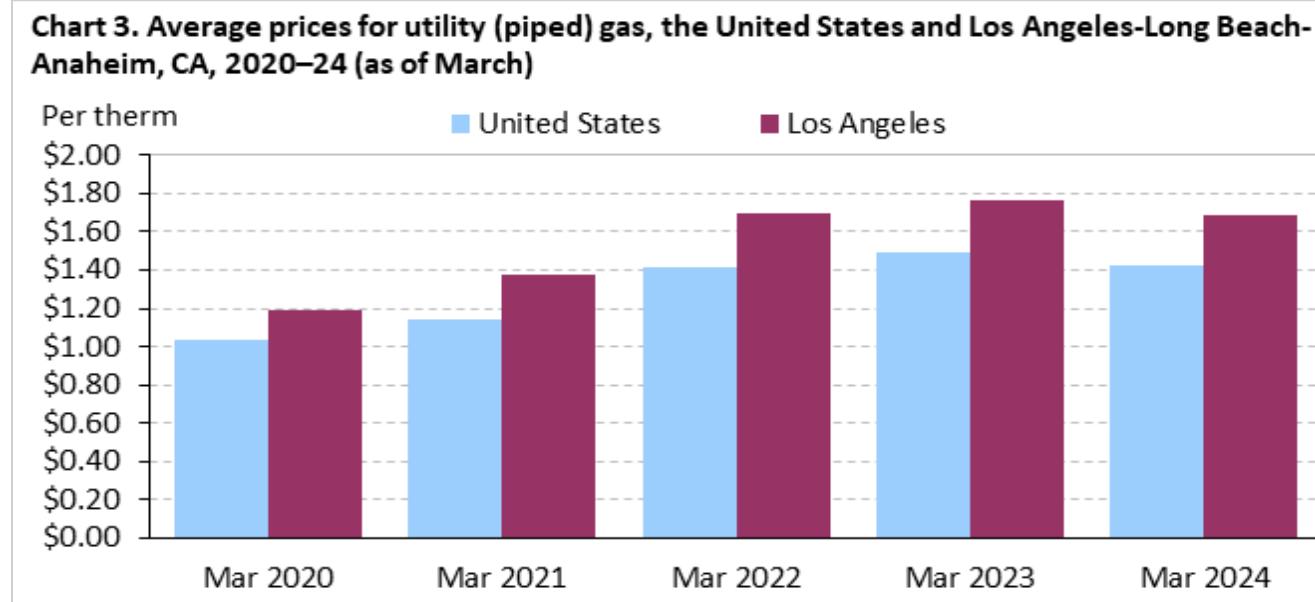
In March 2024, Los Angeles households paid 29.1 cents per kWh for electricity, 67.2% more than the national average of 17.4 cents. This marks an increase from the previous year, when the difference was 62%.

Chart 2. Average prices for electricity, the United States and Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA, 2020–24 (as of March)



Natural Gas

In March 2024, Los Angeles area consumers paid \$1.688 per therm for natural gas, 18.1% more than the national average of \$1.429. This is slightly less than the previous year, when consumers paid 18.4% more than the national average.



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



Palos Verdes Drive South Repairs in the Landslide Area

Roadway repairs will be performed along Palos Verdes Drive South in the landslide area on May 10 and again on May 13 and May 17 from approximately 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

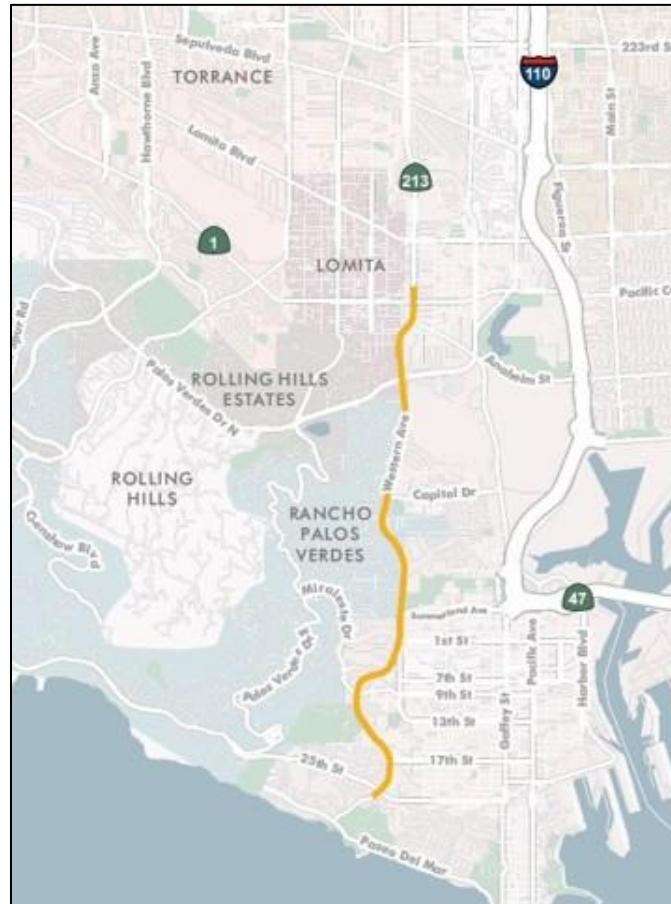
Expect delays and consider an alternate route. If you must drive through this area during this time, please proceed slowly, yield to workers and obey traffic control at the site. Thank you for your patience. If you have questions, please call Public Works on 310-544-5252.



Western Avenue Traffic Flow Improvements

During the May 1 special Traffic Safety Committee (TSC) Meeting, Staff presented the results of a comprehensive traffic study for the Western Avenue corridor from West 25th Street to Palos Verdes Drive North. Staff discussed the analysis of traffic signal timing, turn lanes, access to developments, and safety enhancements. The recommendations to improve traffic flow and reduce congestion were presented to the TSC, subject to approval from Caltrans (which owns and operates Western Avenue).

The City Council will be asked to consider the TSC recommendations on May 21.



Palos Verdes Peninsula Receives Funding for Water Quality Project at Torrance Airport

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes is a member of the Palos Verdes Peninsula Watershed Management Group (PVPWMG), which also consists of the cities of Palos Verdes Estates, Rolling Hills, Rolling Hills Estates, the County of Los Angeles, and the Los Angeles County Flood Control District. The PVPWMG has been developing a project that will capture, treat, and divert polluted stormwater and urban runoff from a 401-acre drainage area within the Palos Verdes Peninsula before it reaches Machado Lake located in Ken Malloy Harbor Regional Park, a vital regional resource for our communities. The capture and treatment facility will be located at Torrance Airport as it is a location with suitable space where the runoff passes before it reaches Machado Lake. This project will improve water quality in Machado Lake, increase water supply, and include community benefits with additional trees and vegetation, such as improving air quality, increasing shade/reducing heat island effect, and sequestering carbon.

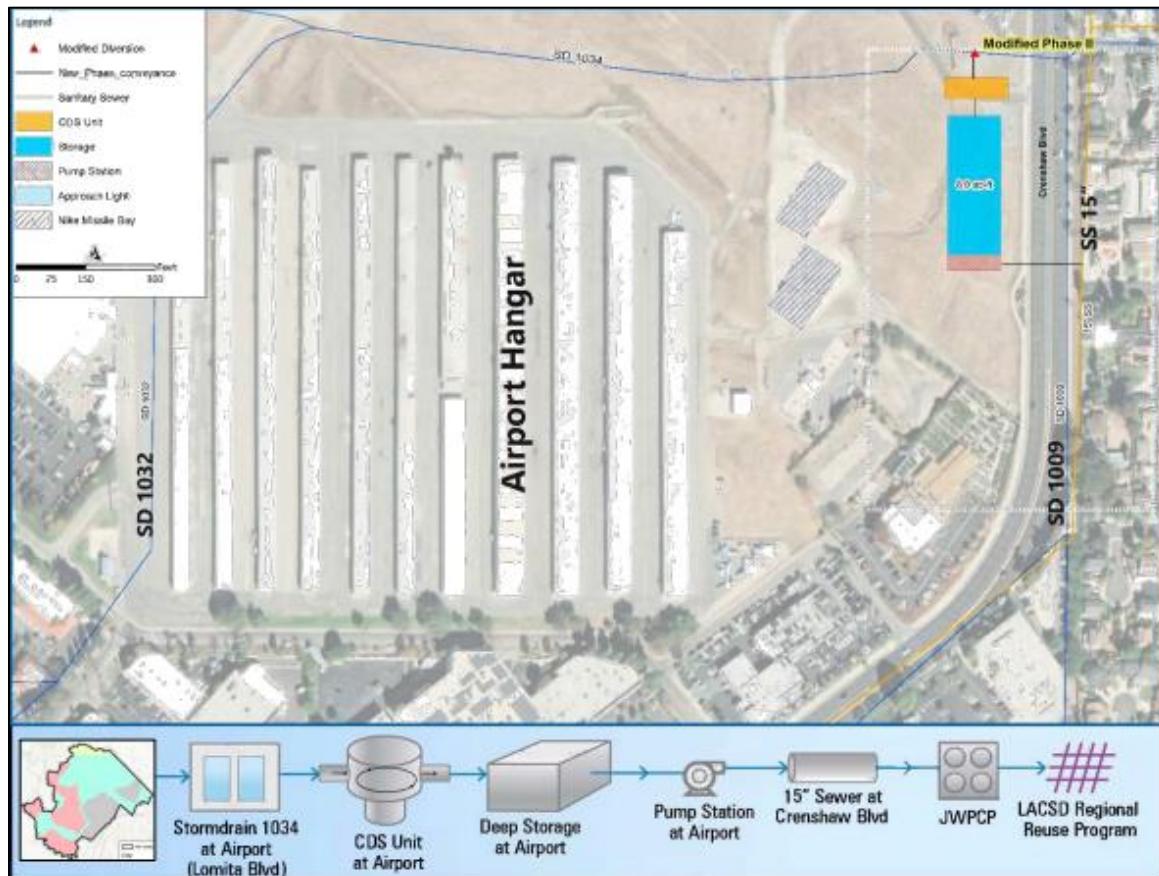
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Initiated by the Palos Verdes Peninsula Watershed Management Group in conjunction with the City of Torrance, the Torrance Airport Project has previously received project design funds from the Peninsula Group, the City of Torrance, the State Water Board, and the Safe Clean Water Program (Measure W). The City of Torrance also sought and received a portion of the project's construction funding (approximately \$900,000) from federal funds and recently the project acquired additional construction funding (\$2 million) from Caltrans.

The City of Rolling Hills Estates, serving as the project lead with support from the Peninsula Group, sought the project's remaining construction funding of \$19 million through Measure W (Regional Infrastructure Program).

On May 2, the South Santa Monica Bay Watershed Area Steering Committee (WASC) approved the requested construction funding for the project. Without funding for this critical project, the Peninsula Group may be subject to fines and penalties for violating water quality standards. Kudos to the Peninsula Group for working tirelessly to secure construction dollars on this important project! We are one step closer to improving water quality for Machado Lake.





National Public Works Week May 19 - 25

“Advancing Quality of Life for All” is the theme for the 2024 National Public Works Week. The American Public Works Association (APWA) has defined public works as a “combination of physical assets, management practices, policies, and personnel necessary for the government to provide and sustain structures and services essential to the welfare and acceptable quality of life for its citizens.” The City of Rancho Palos Verdes, its residents, and stakeholders work together to create a community for the benefit of all.

The Public Works Department is responsible for the planning, engineering, construction, operation, and maintenance of the City’s transportation network, stormwater system, sanitary sewer system, facilities, and landslide monitoring and remediation.

Additionally, Public Works is responsible for solid waste management, fuel modification, public street beautification and tree maintenance, and environmental sustainability programs. Public Works also provides permitting and inspection services for activities in the right-of-way. Finally, the department coordinates utility services including gas, electricity, and water. More specifically, Public Works is responsible for the following:

- Transportation Network
 - Public streets (approximately 150 miles) with associated curbs and gutters, sidewalks, guardrails, and pavement markings
 - Traffic infrastructure including traffic signals (17), traffic signs (approximately 7,000), and streetlights (approximately 1,750)
 - Traffic engineering includes traffic calming and congestion mitigation or Transit coordination.
 - Permit parking programs.

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- Stormwater Program
 - Stormwater quality management program and compliance with federal and state requirements
 - 60 miles of storm sewer pipes (approximately)
 - 1,500 catch basins (approximately)
- Maintenance to seven City facilities and parks
- Sanitary sewer collection for the Abalone Cove Sanitary Sewer District comprised of 270 households including approximately:
 - 4 lift stations
 - 125 manhole structures
 - 50 grinder pumps
 - 4 miles feet of gravity pipe
 - 4 miles feet of low-pressure pipe
 - 2,500 feet of force main
- Landslide monitoring and remediation
- Coordination of utility services for gas, electricity, water, and sanitary sewer collection outside of the Abalone Cove Sanitary Sewer District.
- Trash, recycling, organic waste, and green waste management for approximately 12,000 residential units as well as 250 commercial and multi-family units.
- Fuel modification for approximately 300 acres of open space.
- Public street landscaping and beautification.
- Coastal bluff fence maintenance.
- Environmental sustainability programs.
- Permitting and inspection in the public right-of-way for utility work such as small wireless facilities.
- City vehicle fleet maintenance.
- Development and implementation of the City's Capital Improvement Program (CIP)

The Goats are Here for Fuel Modification Season

Goats are back to perform the important job of helping reduce fire loads and protecting homes. Although we understand many people enjoy seeing the goats, please refrain from going to see them out of respect for residents living near where the goats work.

A temporary electrified fence is used to contain



the goats while they are working and attempting to approach them puts you as well as the goats at risk. Please avoid attempting to take selfies/pictures or touch the goats, especially if you have dogs or pets with you. This will prevent stress and/or injury to you and the goats.

In addition to the goats, you may see Stay Green crews performing brush clearance in various areas of the City as part of the City's 2024 fuel modification program.



Maintenance Activities

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



- Weekly landscape maintenance at all City parks.
- This past week, all City irrigation systems have resumed regular watering.
- Installed decomposed granite at Ryan Park.
- Cleared brush at Abalone Cove Park to enhance the ocean view for visitors.



- Weed removal, brush clearance, and debris removal continued throughout the City at medians and various right-of-way locations:
 - Palos Verdes Drive South in the landslide area
 - Palos Verdes Drive West
- Use the link below to watch our virtual landscape maintenance.
 - <https://www.relive.cc/view/vXvLyJV8Q1O>



Public Right-of-Way/Roadway Repairs

- Continued to repair and fill roadway cracks in the following areas:
 - Admirable Drive
 - Dauntless Drive
- Repaired sidewalk deviations at the following locations:

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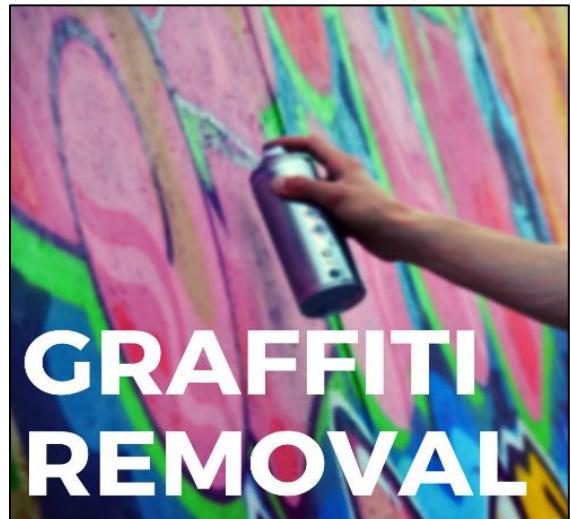
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- Frontage Road of Palos Verdes Drive South
- Diversey Drive
- Ironwood Street
- Golden Meadow Drive



Graffiti Removal

- **Eighteen** 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 ISSUES

Emergency Response

No emergencies were reported this week. However, the Public Works Department is on call 24/7 to respond to and attend to emergencies that may affect the City.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

2024 SCAG Regional Conference and General Assembly

Last week, Planning Division Staff attended the 59th Annual Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) Regional Conference and General Assembly. SCAG is the largest regional planning organization in California, and acts as liaison among city and county elected officials, urban planners and community organizations. The conference



brought together local and regional leaders to share and learn from each other on the future of mobility, housing and communities, the environment, and the economy. The discussion topics included investing in economic resilience, transportation funding, creating complete communities, and how planning together enables local success.

Consideration of Mixed Use and Residential Overlay District Code Amendments

On April 16, the City Council unanimously adopted [Urgency Ordinance No. 678U \(PDF\)](#) approving zoning amendments inclusive of Zoning Map amendments and development standards for accessory dwelling units (ADUs) and junior ADUs (JADUs), to immediately effectuate the Housing Element, including rezoning sufficient sites to accommodate the City's regional housing needs allocation by adopting the implementation actions to effectuate the City's Revised Final 2021-2029 Housing Element.

As part of this action, City Council initiated code amendment proceedings related to amendments to Chapter 17.40 (Overlay Control Districts), Chapter 17.96 (Definitions), Chapter 17.76 (Miscellaneous Permits and Standards, Chapter 17.10 (Accessory Dwelling Unit and Junior Accessory Dwelling Unit Development Standards) and other code sections as applicable of Title 17 of the Rancho Palos Verdes Municipal Code to adopt

the zoning and code amendments that were adopted in Urgency Ordinance 678U by regular ordinance.

On May 14, the Planning Commission will consider a recommendation to the City Council to adopt by regular ordinance those code amendments that were adopted by City Council in Urgency Ordinance 678U on April 16, 2024. A copy of the [public notice \(PDF\)](#), which includes meeting details, is available for review on the City website.

On June 4, the City Council will consider the Planning Commission's recommendations on the code amendments as part of a public hearing.

For questions, please contact Senior Planner Jessica Bobbett at 310-544-5224 or via email at jbobbett@rpvca.gov.

Consideration of Code Amendments to Establish a Penalty Fee Waiver

On May 21, 2024, the City Council will conduct a first reading of a Code Amendment update to RPVMC §15.18.040 (Administrative code amended – Violations and penalties) to establish penalty fee waiver options for properties with prior code violations that occurred unknowingly to new property owners. For questions, please contact Assistant Planner Jeffrey Kim at 310-544-5390 or via email at jkim@rpvca.gov.

The Politics of Flowing Water - Educational Workshop

On May 15, the West Basin Municipal Water District will provide a free in-person educational workshop to the public focusing on the politics of flowing water. The class will highlight the local and regional water sources, water rights and permitting, water prices and allocation. For registration and class details including time and location, please visit the West Basin Municipal Water [website](#).



Planning Commission Meeting Agenda

See attached draft Planning Commission meeting agenda for May 14, 2024.

Attachments:

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RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT



Kids to Parks Day is 10 Days Away!



Come to Hesse Park on May 18 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. for Kids to Parks Day, a national day celebrating outdoor play and activity. This free

event features a mini expo showcasing upcoming summer classes and camps. Recreation and Parks Staff will be handing out flyers, crafts, and giveaways. Love miniatures? There will be a miniature planting craft with paint markers, embellishments and more. Open Space Management will be handing out nature crafts and fun giveaways, as well as providing info about local wildlife, trails, and more. The Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy will hand out crafts and provide information about trails, events, and volunteer opportunities. There will also be a live animal exhibit showcasing local raptors, reptiles, and more.



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.

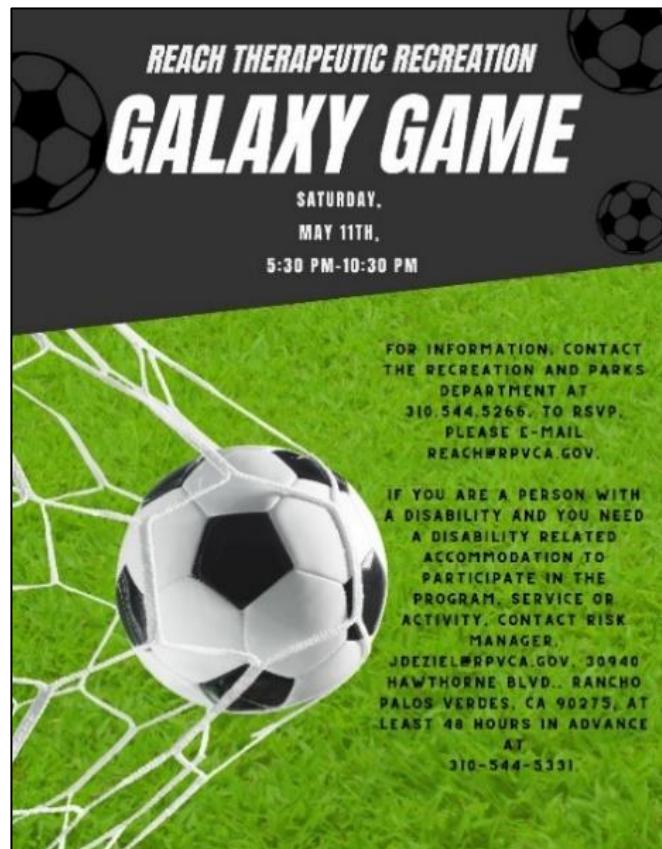
To RSVP for REACH activities or if you have questions, please email reach@rpvca.gov.

Mother's Day Masterpieces

REACH participants are ready to celebrate Mother's Day in style. We turned our creativity up a notch and had a blast crafting handmade tealight candle holders and cards for Mom. Each creation was infused with love, making sure every REACH mom is in for a treat this year.



Upcoming REACH events include an excursion to see a Galaxy soccer game on May 11, and a spring fling ice cream social on May 15.





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: 372
- RYAN PARK - walking paths, playground, basketball court, and grass area
Estimated total park attendance: 790
- EASTVIEW PARK - walking paths, playground, dog park, and grass area
Estimated total park attendance: 412
- LOWER POINT VICENTE PARK - walking paths and grass area
Estimated total park attendance 4,876
- LADERA LINDA COMMUNITY PARK – walking paths, grass areas, playgrounds, basketball and paddle tennis courts.
Estimated total park attendance: 369

Total Weekend Attendance: 6,819



Preserve and Beach Weekend Activity

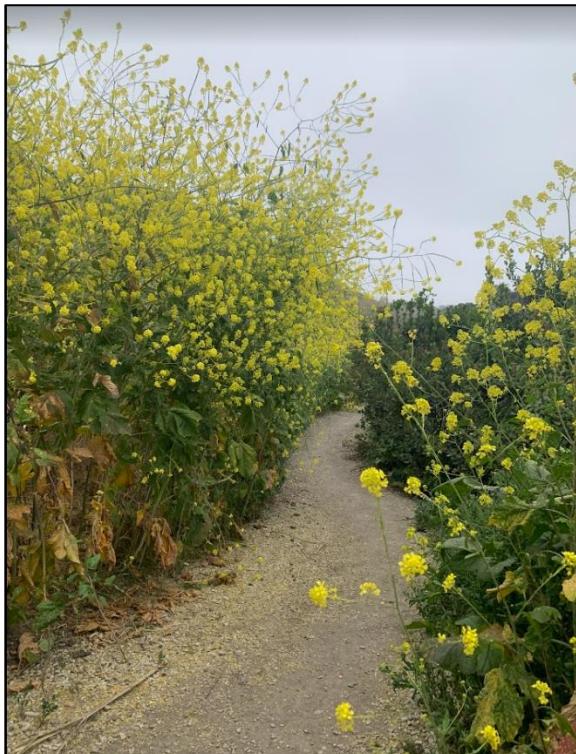
May 4-5

Public Contacts: 214

Violations observed: 10

Notice of Parking Citations: 0

Open Space Management Staff has been continually checking trail overgrowth and will be working with contractors to begin clearing brush the week of May 20. Intermittent trail closures may be in effect throughout the Preserve for the next several weeks during scheduled brush clearance.





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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 6:00 pm – TSC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Special Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	2	3	4
5	6 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	7	8	9 7:00 pm – Finance Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room CANCELLED	10	11
12	13 5:30 pm – ACLAD Board Meeting (Virtual Meeting) 4:30 pm – Youth Advisory Committee (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Special Meeting) @ Hesse Park (McTaggart Hall)	14 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	15 12:00 pm – Mayor's Lunch @ The Depot (Mayor Cruikshank) 1:30 pm – Sanitation District Meeting (Mayor Cruikshank)	16 6:30 pm – Emergency Preparedness Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	17	18
19	20 6:00 pm – IMAC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	21 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	22	23 6:00pm – Civic Center Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	24 8:00 am—Mayor's Breakfast @ Terranea Resport – Catalina Kitchen (Mayor Cruikshank/ Councilmember Bradley)	25
26	27 4:00 pm – Youth Advisory Committee (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park CANCELLED 5:00 pm-Klondike Canyon Meeting (Virtual Meeting) 6:00 pm – TSC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	28 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	29	30 7:00 pm – Finance Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Special Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	31	
	Memorial Day – City Hall Closed					



June 2024

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July 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	2	3	4	5
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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
May 21, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			
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REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Conflict of Interest resolutions	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Lease Agreement extension for wireless towers on City property (Crown Castle)	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Lease Agreement extension for wireless towers on City property (American Tower Corporation)	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Amendment No. 4 with ESA for housing element services	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider zoning code initiation amendment proceedings to RPVMC Section 17.78.030 (Development Applications) and 17.76.075 (Sign Code) and Urgency Ordinance to RPVMC Section 17.78 and 17.75	0:15
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
June 4, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
		Interviews (Commission/Committees)	
REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
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)	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider initiating Landscaping and Lighting Maintenance (LLMD) proceedings	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Stormwater Quality Monitoring Amendment No. 2 w/Geosyntec	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Code Amendments to RPVMC Ch.17.76.020 (Wireless ordinance on private property)	0:30
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Introduce ordinance for Housing Element Program 1	0:30
PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider adjusting existing AB Cove annual sewer service charge	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider prohibiting motorcylce and bicycles on PVDS within landslide	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider adopting the FY2024-25 City Council Goals	0:15
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Provide direction ACLAD and KCGHAD proposed assessment increases and financial assistance package	0:30
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive 10 year Financial Model (General Fund)	0:15
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider the Preliminary Budget FY24/25	1:00
June 18, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			

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

DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
		Interviews (Commission/Committees)	
REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			4:30
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Updating the Salary and Hourly Compensation Schedule for all City Employees based on COLA	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider FY 24/25 GANN Limit	
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)	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2nd reading of Ordinance Housing Element Program 1	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider SB 1 (Roadway Asset Management Program)	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
FINANCE	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider FY 24/25 Budget adoption	0:30
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 2024 Peafowl Census	0:15
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider approving FY 24/25 Investment Policy	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Commission and Advisory Board Biannual Reports	0:45
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider appointments to Planning Commission and Advisory Committees	0:30
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider the annual 575 and LASD Municipal Law Enforcement Services agreement	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Chair appointments for Planning Commission and Advisory Committees	0:15
July 2, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			4:15
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasury Report (CC) (IA)	
REC&PARKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider lease extension with LA County Sanitation District for the City's use of Eastview Park	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider setting Landscaping and Lighting Maintenance (LLMD) rate to zero	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider Certifying the Final EIR for the Portuguese Bend Landslide Remediation Project	1:30
PW/CA/REC&PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider extending the resolution declaring the local state of emergency for the Portuguese Bend landslide area	1:00
July 16, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			4:15
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00

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DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider revision III to Trump National CUP to allow ATF grading at 31925 Emerald Drive	1:00
REC & PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Amendment No. 2 to the City/PVPLC Management Agreement	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Reassess Encroachment Permit Issuance Protocols	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
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on speed cameras and loud exhaust legislation	0:15
August 6, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	3:15
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasury Report (CC) (IA)	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report from SCE on outages in Grandview and Rolling Riviera neighborhoods	
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a background report on Charter City formation	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider future support services for alternate fuel modification techniques	0:30
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on costs to underground utilities	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Report on citywide beautification projects including Lower Hesse and medians	0:30
August 20, 2024			
CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM			
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	3:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider PSA for National Lobbyist	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued emergency hydraugers construction contract	
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Status report on non native water entering Portuguese Bend landslide	
CDD	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on Los Verdes Golf Course net project	0:45
FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS			
Request Date:	Requested By:	Item:	Scheduled Date:
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	8/20/2024
4/19/2022	Alegria	Stormwater/Drainage Asset Management Update	TBD

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

DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
9/6/2022	Cruikshank	Consider program to address high fire vegetation in canyons by working with neighboring cities/homeowners to address	9/17/2024
9/20/2022	Ferraro	Report on citywide beautification projects including Lower Hesse and medians	8/6/2024
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	9/17/2024
7/18/2023	Alegria	Receive recommendations on E-bike traffic policies	7/16/2024
9/19/2023	Alegria	Receive a report on Los Verdes Golf Course net project	8/20/2024
11/14/2023	Cruikshank	Receive a report on costs to underground utilities	8/6/2024
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	8/20/2024
4/16/2024	Seo	Receive a report on accounting and oversight of the GHADS	TBD
5/7/2024	Seo	Receive a report from SCE on outages in Grandview and Rolling Riviera neighborhoods	8/6/2024
5/7/2024	Bradley	Receive a background report on Charter City formation	8/6/2024
CITY MANAGER REPORT			0:15

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	May 12, 2024	May 13, 2024	May 14, 2024	May 15, 2024	May 16, 2024	May 17, 2024	May 18, 2024
6:00 AM - 6:30 AM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
6:30 AM - 7:00 AM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
7:00 AM - 7:30 AM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections
8:30 AM - 9:00 AM							
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Comments or questions? Please email us at RPVTV@rpvca.gov



LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT- LOMITA STATION REPORTED CRIMES & ARRESTS BETWEEN (04/21/2024 - 04/27/2024)



LOMITA:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	METHOD OF ENTRY	LOSS-PUBLIC
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	4/22/2024	0652	24000 BLK S. WESTERN AVE	WINDOW LEFT OPEN	UNK AT TIME OF REPORT
ATTEMPT GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	4/23/2024	1152	248TH ST/ NARBONNE AVE	N/A	NO LOSS
TOTAL ARRESTS: BATTERY - 1, DRUGS - 2, DRUNK IN PUBLIC - 1, FALSE IMPERSONATION - 1, KIDNAPPING - 1, RESISTING ARREST - 1, WARRANTS - 2					

RANCHO PALOS VERDES:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	METHOD OF ENTRY	LOSS-PUBLIC
BURGLARY (VEHICLE)	4/21/2024	1400 1800	28000 BLK WESTERN AVE	N/A	BACKPACK, RADIO, WALLET
GRAND THEFT (UNLOCKED VEHICLE)	3/29/2024- 4/21/2024	0600 1930	29000 BLK S. WESTERN AVE	UNLOCKED VEHICLE	LAPTOPS, JEWELRY
SHOPLIFTING	4/23/2024	1520	28000 BLK WESTERN AVE	OPEN FOR BUSINESS	BONG
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	4/24/2024	0513	28000 BLK S. WESTERN AVE	BACK DOOR PRIED OPEN	UNK AT TIME OF REPORT
BURGLARY (RESIDENTIAL)	4/24/2024	0750 1600	30000 BLK RUE LANGLOIS	SHATTERED GLASS DOOR	HANDBAGS
GRAND THEFT	4/25/2024	1351	28000 BLK WESTERN AVE	N/A	WALLET, MISC CREDIT CARDS, CDL, US CURRENCY
BURGLARY (VEHICLE)	4/26/2024	1500 1530	28000 BLK WESTERN AVE	FRONT DOOR LOCK CYLINDER DAMAGED	NO LOSS

GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	4/27/2024	0407	26000 BLK DEEP BROOK DR	N/A	WHITE 2004 CHEVROLET EXPRESS VAN 3500, ALCOHOL, DRINKS, SECURITY SYSTEM, SPEAKERS
BURGLARY (VEHICLE)	4/26/2024	1500 1630	28000 BLK S. WESTERN AVE	DRIVER'S SIDE DOOR HANDLE PUNCHED	COIN PURSE, US CURRENCY
TOTAL ARRESTS: BURGLARY - 1, WARRANTS - 1					

ROLLING HILLS:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	METHOD OF ENTRY	LOSS-PUBLIC
NO CRIMES DURING THIS TIME					
TOTAL ARRESTS: RECKLESS DRIVING - 1					

ROLLING HILLS ESTATES:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	METHOD OF ENTRY	LOSS-PUBLIC
BURGLARY (BUSINESS)	4/19/2024- 4/22/2024	1200- 1500	800 BLK DEEP VALLEY DR	PATIO DOOR DAMAGED	NO LOSS
SHOPLIFTING	4/24/2024	1358	PENINSULA CTR	OPEN FOR BUSINESS	CANDLES
TOTAL ARRESTS: DRUGS - 1					

SAN PEDRO:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	METHOD OF ENTRY	LOSS-PUBLIC
NO CRIMES DURING THIS TIME					
NO ARRESTS DURING THIS TIME					

PVP:

CRIME	DATE	TIME	LOCATION-PUBLIC	METHOD OF ENTRY	LOSS-PUBLIC
GRAND THEFT (AUTO)	4/27/2024	0700	27000 BLK SUNNYRIDGE RD	N/A	DARK GRN 2011 MINI COOPER S CLUBMAN
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. 4/1/24 AA Zweizig sent determination letter and first production of documents. 4/29/24 AA Zweizig sent determination letter and second production of documents.
4/25/2024	4/25/2024	Sha Tahmasebi	<p>Requesting (1) Any contracts between the City of RPV and Cal Water from 2020 to present.</p> <p>(2) Record of any communication between the City of RPV and Cal Water from 2020 to present.</p>	4/25/24 DCC Sisson forwarded request to staff. 5/6/24 14-day extension letter.
4/30/2024	4/30/2024	Kimberley Morrison	<p>Request for the the following information from the contractor California Street Lighting regarding the PVIC Outdoor Lighting project:</p> <p>1. Copies of unredacted certified payroll records prepared and submitted by California Street Lighting reflecting work performed by California Street Lighting's employees on the Project. (As the Southern California IBEW-NECA Trusts are ERISA/Taft-Hartley Trusts, they are entitled to receive certified payroll records showing the employees' names and last four digits of their social security numbers). Through a review of these records, we will be able to calculate the exact amount of fringe benefit contributions due to the Trusts; 2. Copy of the payment (labor/material) bond issued in favor of California Street Lighting on the Project; and, 3. Copy of any Notice of Completion, or equivalent, filed/recorded on the project, if any.</p>	4/30/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
4/30/2024	4/30/2024	Grace Toohey	Request for any emails sent TO buildingsafety@rpvca.gov from an outside email source (not a XX@rpvca.gov email address) from January 1 through May 1.	4/30/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
5/2/2024	5/2/2024	Tom Bergin	Request for details of the amount of tax on green fees and cart rental at the Trump National Golf Club Los Angeles, that the City has received in each of the past 5 years to the end of 2022, and can I also confirm the rate at which the tax has been levied in those years.	5/2/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.

DATE OF REQUEST	DATE RECEIVED	REQUESTOR	SUBJECT	ACTION TAKEN
5/2/2024	5/2/2024	Monica Szkopek	Requesting All documents related to the creation of Klondike Canyon Landslide Abatement District, including documents setting forth the scope of its authority; all documents related to the Klondike Canyon landslide since 1999 to present; all documents reflecting the ownership and maintenance of storm run-off infrastructure of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes since 1999 to present; all documents reflecting the ownership and maintenance of sewer infrastructure of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes since 1999 to present; all documents reflecting any and all landslide abatement measures undertaken within the City of Rancho Palos Verdes from 1999 to present	5/2/24 DCC Sisson forwarded request to staff.
5/4/2024	5/6/2024	Michele Carbone	Request to view all responsive documents relevant to the proposed rezoning of the Clipper parcel near the Fire Station on PV drive. I only would like to view digital documents and there is no need to make physical copies and incur any fees. I would like to view all internal emails and documents relevant to the discussion of the Clipper parcel as well as any emails and documents with HUD, the housing element consultancy, and any advocacy groups that have been a part of this process. Additionally, if there are any phone logs or documents that are on privately owned phones or computers held by public employees, please also retrieve documents from those devices as well as what is already residing on the City's hard drives and servers. Additionally, all communications to include text, email and phone calls between our city officials including councilman Cruikshank and Ara Mihranian or any one representing the owner of the parcel lot 7573-006-024, developer Ali Vahdani. All documents filed for parcel lot 7573-006-024 Please include in any meetings and notes from those discussion and the relationship between Ara Mihranian and Ali VAhhani. Time period 01/01/2021 to current 04/29/2024	5/6/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
5/5/2024	5/6/2024	Dale Goodman	Request for all communications between the city and dalesgoodman@gmail.com, hill875@yahoo.com, and elaine.goodman@yahoo.com Emails, and building permit records for 3255 Parkhurst Drive Rancho Palos Verdes. Anything with Dale S Goodman or Sgt Dale S Goodman USA Ret us or Elaine S Goodman from 2015 to current date 2024.	5/6/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.

DATE OF REQUEST	DATE RECEIVED	REQUESTOR	SUBJECT	ACTION TAKEN
5/5/2024	5/6/2024	Trevor Yaremko	<p>Request for the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A copy of any and all Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department ("LASD") Lomita Station roster/staffing documents provided to Rancho Palos Verdes by the LASD Lomita Station from January 1, 2022 to April 25, 2024; 2. A copy of any and all e-mails, including attachments, that have been sent to and from Rancho Palos Verdes's e-mail addresses and @lasd.org domain e-mail addresses (including cc'd or bcc'd) from January 1, 2022 to April 25, 2024; 3. A copy of any and all agreements and/or contracts between LASD and Rancho Palos Verdes relating to the policing of Rancho Palos Verdes by LASD personnel; please also include the daily staffing agreements and daily deployment schedules from January 1, 2022 to April 25, 2024; 4. A copy of all procurement records (purchase orders, invoices, or other related documents) between Rancho Palos Verdes or its representatives and any vendors for the procurement of equipment to be used by LASD personnel (including, but not limited to, shirts, trousers, gun belts, gloves, shoes and other footwear, hats, jackets, helmets, and armor vests) from January 1, 2022 to April 25, 2024; 5. A copy of any and all presentation materials (including, but not limited to, informational handouts and PowerPoint slides) used by LASD in Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meetings from March 2023 to April 2024; 6. A copy of any and all reports, documents and instructional materials (including, but not limited to, e-mails, photos, videos, notes, handouts, and training notices/curricula) provided by LASD relating to its operations in Rancho Palos Verdes (e.g., creation of special teams, staffing of said teams, etc.); 7. A copy of any and all reports, documents and instructional materials (including, but not limited to, e-mails, photos, videos, notes, handouts, and training notices/curricula) used to assess and determine compliance by LASD with its contract agreements with Rancho Palos Verdes; 8. A copy of any and all invoices submitted by LASD to Rancho Palos Verdes for policing services from January 1, 2022 to April 25, 2024; 9. A copy of any and all reports, documents and materials submitted by LASD to Rancho Palos Verdes in support of its invoices to Rancho Palos Verdes for policing services from January 1, 2022 to April 25, 2024 	5/6/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
5/6/2024	5/6/2024	Sergio Cruz	Request for Solar permit and plans for the property 4524 Palos Verdes Drive East	5/6/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.
5/7/2024	5/7/2024	Vashon Simien	Request for ALL WRITINGS from 1920 through 1960, including but not limited to, plans and specifications, drawings, calculations, memorandum, and work orders RELATING TO the construction, and later widening, of the area of the street commonly known as Palos Verdes Drive South, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275, between Narcissa Drive and Sea Cove Drive.	5/7/24 AA Zweizig forwarded request to staff.



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May 7, 2024

Via Email

Chair Buffy Wicks
California State Assembly Appropriations Committee
1021 O Street, Suite 8140
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Notice of Support for Bill AB 2583

Honorable Chair Wicks,

On behalf of the City Council and the residents of Rancho Palos Verdes, I am writing to express our support for AB 2583, aimed at enhancing safety within school zones by reducing the speed limit to 20 mph effective January 1, 2027. As stewards of our community's well-being, we firmly believe that this legislation is crucial for safeguarding the lives and welfare of our children while also advancing overall road safety.

AB 2583's proposal to implement a lower speed limit during specified hours when schools are in session aligns with the City's public safety priorities, ensuring a secure environment for students traveling to and from school. Extensive research consistently underscores the efficacy of reduced vehicle speeds in areas with high pedestrian activity, significantly diminishing the likelihood of accidents and mitigating the severity of injuries in the event of a collision. By establishing a 20 mph speed limit in school zones, motorists will benefit from increased reaction time to respond to unforeseen circumstances, such as children crossing the road or emerging from between parked vehicles.

AB 2583 provides local authorities the flexibility to adjust the timing of the school zone speed limit to synchronize with school schedules. This adaptive approach ensures safety measures are finely tailored to meet the unique needs of Rancho Palos Verdes and neighboring communities. Empowering local leaders to enact measures that best serve the safety and welfare of our constituents is paramount to achieving our shared goal of creating a safe and thriving community.

Additionally, the provision in AB 2583 mandating the identification and delineation of school walk zones within a half-mile radius of educational institutions ensures drivers and pedestrians alike are aware of the potential hazards and can adjust accordingly. Encouraging pedestrian travel to school not only promotes physical activity and reduces

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traffic congestion, but enhances pedestrian safety by establishing designated routes equipped with appropriate infrastructure and signage.

In conclusion, we urge you to join us in advocating for the swift passage of AB 2583. By prioritizing the safety of our children and implementing measures to reduce vehicle speeds in school zones, we can cultivate safer, more resilient communities and prevent tragic accidents.

Thank you for your attention to this critical matter.

Sincerely,



John Cruikshank

Mayor

cc: Marc Berman, Assemblymember, 23rd Assembly District
Greg Wallis, Assemblymember, 47th Assembly District
Al Muratsuchi, Assemblymember, 66th Assembly District
Ben Allen, Senator, 24th State Senate District
Jeff Kiernan, Cal Cities
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Via Email

Chair Juan Carrillo
California State Assembly Local Government Committee
1020 N Street, Suite 157
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Notice of Support for AB 2715

Honorable Chair Carrillo,

On behalf of the Rancho Palos Verdes City Council and its residents, I express strong support for Assembly Bill No. 2715 (AB 2715), amending Section 54957 of the Government Code. This bill is vital for safeguarding public facilities, essential services, and critical infrastructure, especially in addressing cybersecurity threats.

AB 2715 grants local legislative bodies the flexibility needed to address security concerns while maintaining public transparency. Closed sessions, as proposed in the bill, are crucial for discussing matters posing significant threats to public safety and essential services.

Of particular importance is the provision allowing closed sessions to address cybersecurity threats. In today's digital age, these risks are omnipresent and can have severe consequences for public infrastructure. Closed sessions empower legislative bodies to deliberate on sensitive cybersecurity matters confidentially, enabling informed decisions to mitigate risks effectively. The bill defines terms like "critical infrastructure controls" to ensure discussions remain focused on protecting public interests. This precision is essential to ensure closed sessions are used appropriately.

The proactive approach of AB 2715 in addressing cybersecurity threats is commendable. By enacting this bill, California can enhance its resilience against cyber threats, protecting public facilities and services for all residents. This bill is a critical step toward strengthening community security and ensuring the continuity of essential public services. Thank you for your attention to this matter and for your commitment to serving Californians.

Chair Juan Carillo

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Sincerely,



John Cruikshank

Mayor

cc: Tasha Boerner, Assemblymember, 77th Assembly District
Al Muratsuchi, Assemblymember, 66th Assembly District
Ben Allen, Senator, 24th State Senate District
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Via Email

Chair Buffy Wicks
California State Assembly Appropriations Committee
1021 O Street, Suite 8140
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Notice of Opposition to AB 1886

Honorable Chair Wicks,

On behalf of the Rancho Palos Verdes City Council and its residents, I am writing to express our city's opposition to AB 1886, currently under consideration. While we recognize the importance of clarifying housing element compliance, we believe that this bill raises significant concerns that could impact local decision-making and community planning efforts.

AB 1886 proposes to establish a presumption of validity for findings made by the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) regarding a local agency's housing element. While the intent may be to streamline processes and provide clarity, we have reservations about the consistency and objectivity of HCD's reviews. Granting such broad authority without adequate oversight could undermine the principles of local governance and diminish our ability to address the unique housing needs of our community.

Furthermore, the bill seeks to redefine the criteria for determining compliance with the housing element law, particularly concerning the application of the builder's remedy provision. By tying compliance solely to HCD's findings, AB 1886 overlooks the importance of local context and community input in housing planning and development. It risks limiting our ability to make decisions that reflect the unique preferences and priorities of particular to Rancho Palos Verdes.

We urge you to reconsider the provisions of AB 1886 and engage in a more comprehensive dialogue with local governments and stakeholders to address concerns and explore alternative approaches. It is essential to strike a balance between state oversight and local autonomy to effectively address housing challenges while preserving the character and integrity of our communities.

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Thank you for considering our perspective on this matter. We hope to collaborate with you to develop solutions that prioritize the interests of Rancho Palos Verdes and ensure a sustainable future for our City.

Sincerely,



John Cruikshank
Mayor

cc: George Alvarez, Assemblymember, 78th Assembly District
Al Muratsuchi, Assemblymember, 66th Assembly District
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California State Assembly Appropriations Committee
1021 O Street, Suite 8140
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Subject: Opposition to AB 1893: Housing Accountability Act (HAA)

Honorable Chair Wicks,

On behalf of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes and its residents, I am writing to express our strong opposition to Assembly Bill No. 1893 (AB 1893), which we believe poses significant risks to our community and fails to address the root causes of our state's housing challenges. Outlined below are the areas proposed in the revision that are of concern for Rancho Palos Verdes:

Reduction of Lower Income Units: AB 1893 proposes to reduce the requirement for lower income units in mixed-income projects from 20% to 10%. This revision primarily benefits market developers seeking to lower their costs by providing fewer affordable units. It fails to prioritize the needs of lower-income individuals and families who are already struggling to find affordable housing in our community.

Encouragement of Chaotic Development: The bill allows developers to circumvent local housing elements and build almost anywhere, exceeding local densities and avoiding local inclusionary policies. This undermines the authority of local governments and could lead to haphazard development patterns that erode local control and are not in line with our community plans and zoning regulations.

Punitive Measures Against "Good Actor" Communities: AB 1886 unfairly penalizes communities that have complied with housing element requirements and exceeded their Regional Housing Needs Allocation (RHNA). By stripping these communities of their discretion to deny projects that conflict with local plans and imposing arbitrary density penalties, the bill undermines the efforts of responsible jurisdictions like ours.

Ineffectiveness in Resolving Builder's Remedy Disputes: The provisions of AB 1886 do little to address disputes over housing projects that fail to comply with local plans and

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zoning. Instead, the bill further weakens the position of local agencies and fails to provide a meaningful resolution process for conflicts between developers and communities.

Ignoring Larger Issues Affecting Housing Challenges: AB 1893 hyper-focuses on state plan reviews without addressing broader issues such as declining housing production, rising construction costs, and scarce state funding for affordable housing initiatives. This narrow policy approach overlooks the systemic factors contributing to California's housing crisis.

In conclusion, we urge you to reconsider AB 1893 and instead focus on comprehensive solutions that prioritize the needs of our community, promote equitable access to affordable housing, and address the underlying factors driving our state's housing challenges. Thank you for considering our concerns.

Sincerely,



John Cruikshank
Mayor

cc: Al Muratsuchi, Assemblymember, 66th Assembly District
Ben Allen, Senator, 24th State Senate District
Jeff Kiernan, Cal Cities
Marcel Rodarte, California Contract Cities Association
Sharon Gonsalves, Renne Public Policy Group
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Via Email

Chair Buffy Wicks
California State Assembly Appropriations Committee
1021 O Street, Suite 8140
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Notice of Opposition to AB 1820 (unless amended)

Honorable Chair Wicks,

On behalf of the Rancho Palos Verdes City Council and its residents, I am writing to express our opposition to Assembly Bill No. 1820 (AB 1820) in its current form, and I urge you to consider amendments to address several key concerns.

While the intent of AB 1820 to provide transparency in the fee estimation process for housing development projects is commendable, there are aspects of the bill that require careful reconsideration and adjustment.

1. **Timeliness of Response:** The requirement for local agencies to provide a preliminary fee estimate within 20 business days may not be feasible for all jurisdictions. The diverse nature of local governments necessitates a more flexible timeframe to ensure accurate and thoughtful responses.
2. **Legal Liability:** Similar to the provisions in AB 602 (Grayson), Chapter 347, Statutes of 2021, there should be safeguards in place to protect local governments from liability regarding the accuracy of fee information provided. Clarifying language should be included to ensure that agencies are not held accountable for changes made by other public entities without their knowledge.
3. **Scope and Application:** Further clarification is needed regarding the types of developments to which the bill applies. Additionally, consideration should be given to the inclusion of parkland or fee-in-lieu calculations, such as those governed by the Quimby Act, in the fee estimation process.
4. **Flexibility and Adaptability:** The final summation of fees and exactions provided to developers should be understood as estimates subject to adjustment based on actual project changes. Including language to underscore this point will ensure flexibility in the development process.

Given these concerns, I urge you to consider the following amendments to AB 1820:

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- Extend the period for providing preliminary fee estimates to 30 business days.
- Include language to clarify that preliminary fee estimates are non-binding and subject to change.
- Ensure that local agencies are not held liable for inaccuracies in fee information provided.
- Provide further clarification on the types of developments covered by the bill, including the treatment of parkland fees.
- Emphasize the flexibility of final fee summations based on project changes.

We join Cal Cities and other local agencies in requesting amendments to this bill which will increase transparency in the housing development process while addressing the practical realities faced by local governments. We trust that you will carefully weigh the implications of AB 1820 and its potential impact on housing development in California.

Sincerely,



John Cruikshank

Mayor

cc: Pilar Schiavo, Assemblymember, 40th Assembly District
Timothy Grayson, Assemblymember, 15th Assembly District
Alex Lee, Assemblymember, 24th Assembly District
Al Muratsuchi, Assemblymember, 66th Assembly District
Ben Allen, Senator, 24th State Senate District
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Via Email

Chair Anna Caballero
California State Senate Appropriations Committee
1021 O Street, Suite 7620
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Notice of Opposition to SB 1037

Honorable Chair Caballero,

On behalf of the Rancho Palos Verdes City Council and its residents, I am writing to express our City's opposition to Senate Bill No. 1037 (SB 1037), proposed by Senator Wiener. We are deeply concerned about the potential negative fiscal impacts this bill could have on our community and other local governments across the state.

First and foremost, I want to highlight that Rancho Palos Verdes is united with the California Contract Cities Association in opposition to SB 1037. This bill, if enacted, would introduce significant changes to existing laws governing the enforcement of housing element compliance, particularly in relation to penalties imposed on local governments.

While we recognize the importance of enforcing state housing laws to address California's housing crisis, SB 1037 introduces penalties that are disproportionate and could have severe consequences for local jurisdictions. The bill seeks to impose civil penalties ranging from \$10,000 to \$50,000 per month on local governments found to be in violation of housing element laws. These penalties, accruing from the date of the violation until compliance is achieved, could pose an immense financial burden on cities and counties.

Furthermore, SB 1037 fails to adequately consider the challenges faced by local governments, especially smaller municipalities, in navigating the complexities of housing laws and ensuring compliance. The California Contract Cities Association rightly points out that many localities, including ours, may struggle to stay abreast of evolving state housing requirements and rely on support and guidance from the state to fulfill their obligations effectively.

The proposed amendments to existing law outlined in SB 1037 do not provide sufficient safeguards for local jurisdictions acting in good faith to correct any unintentional violations or misunderstandings of the law. While we acknowledge the need for accountability, imposing harsh penalties without consideration for mitigating circumstances or genuine

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efforts to comply could exacerbate existing challenges and deter productive cooperation between state and local entities.

As Mayor of Rancho Palos Verdes, I urge you to reconsider SB 1037 and work toward solutions that promote collaboration and support between state and local governments in addressing the housing crisis. We remain committed to fulfilling our responsibilities under state law, but we also implore the Legislature to approach enforcement with fairness and understanding of the diverse circumstances faced by California's cities and counties.

Thank you for considering our concerns regarding SB 1037. I am available to discuss this matter further and welcome the opportunity to engage in constructive dialogue on this important issue.

Sincerely,



John Cruikshank

Mayor

cc: Scott Wiener, Senator, 11th State Senate District
Ben Allen, Senator, 24th State Senate District
Al Muratsuchi, Assemblymember, 66th Assembly District
Jeff Kiernan, Cal Cities
Marcel Rodarte, California Contract Cities Association
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RESOLUTION NO. 2024-21

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF RANCHO PALOS VERDES, CALIFORNIA,
EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE
HOMELESSNESS, DRUG ADDICTION, AND THEFT
REDUCTION ACT**

WHEREAS, Proposition 47 aimed to make California's criminal justice system fairer, but unintended consequences have emerged over the past decade; and

WHEREAS, These unintended consequences include an increase in repeat and organized retail theft, closures of city stores, and challenges in encouraging individuals to seek drug and mental health treatment; and

WHEREAS, Addressing these unintended consequences requires modest amendments to Proposition 47, which can only be achieved through voter support at the ballot box; and

WHEREAS, Initiative 23-0017A1, the Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act, is currently gathering signatures to qualify for the 2024 November General Election; and

WHEREAS, The Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act is a bipartisan initiative offering sensible, targeted reforms to Proposition 47 that legislative proposals alone cannot achieve; and

WHEREAS, Rampant retail theft is negatively impacting businesses and residents in Rancho Palos Verdes, the Peninsula, and all of California, as perpetrators believe they can act with impunity; and

WHEREAS, This measure will hold repeat offenders accountable, enhancing community safety by preventing their return to the streets; and

WHEREAS, The fentanyl crisis has reached alarming levels, contributing to 20 percent of youth deaths in California; and

WHEREAS, The Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act will classify fentanyl as a hard drug, impose accountability on individuals involved in fentanyl trafficking, and provide judges with greater discretion in sentencing traffickers; and

WHEREAS, Addressing the cycle of repeat offenders necessitates tackling the underlying causes of retail theft; and

WHEREAS, The Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act offers vital mental health services, drug treatment programs, and job training opportunities within our justice system for homeless individuals grappling with mental illness or substance abuse; and

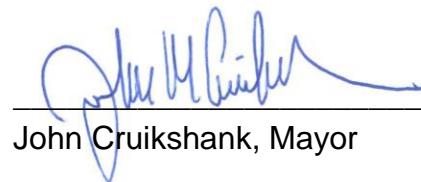
WHEREAS, Meaningful reforms to our justice system are imperative to ensure community safety.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes, California, does hereby resolve as follows:

Section 1. All of the above-stated recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. The City Council hereby formally expresses support for the Homelessness, Drug Addiction, and Theft Reduction Act and recognizes its potential to enhance community safety.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 7th day of May 2024.



John Cruikshank, Mayor

Attest:



Teresa Takaoka, City Clerk

State of California)
County of Los Angeles) ss
City of Rancho Palos Verdes)

I, Teresa Takaoka, City Clerk of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes, hereby certify that the above Resolution No. 2024-21 was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the said City Council at a regular meeting thereof held on May 7, 2024.



Teresa Takaoka, City Clerk

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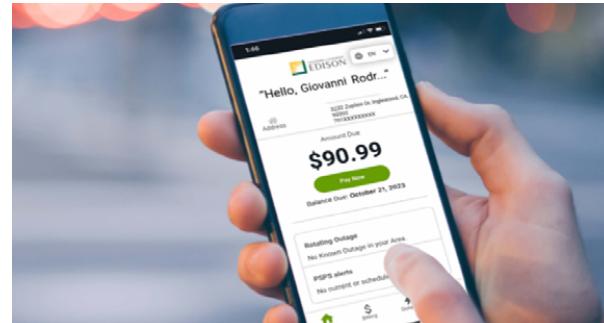
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- California LifeLine discount phone service CaliforniaLifeLine.com/en
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- Social Security Administration ssa.gov

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SUMMER 2024

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In this course, we review the effects of the wolf's near eradication and subsequent reintroduction, particularly in Yellowstone National Park. We also discuss the evolution of wolves in relation to dogs, wolf-human interaction, and wolf biochemistry.

REG# 398628 | INSTRUCTOR: Keith L Klein**IN-PERSON:** UCLA South Bay Campus, View Room.

30800 Palos Verdes Dr E, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275

Yoga and the Expressive Arts: Developing Our Practice

Saturday, July 13, 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

This workshop fosters exploration, discovery, healing, celebration and community. We begin with gentle Hatha yoga, which includes visualization and relaxation, followed by creative drawing, expressive movement and writing.

REG# 398630 | INSTRUCTOR: Mona Wells**IN-PERSON:** UCLA South Bay Campus, View Room.

30800 Palos Verdes Dr E, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275



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REG# 398637 | INSTRUCTOR: Sharon Boorstin**IN-PERSON:** UCLA South Bay Campus, View Room.

30800 Palos Verdes Dr E, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275

An Introduction to Drones: Practical and Ethical Considerations

Saturday, July 27, 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

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DRAFT AGENDA
RANCHO PALOS VERDES PLANNING COMMISSION
TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2024
FRED HESSE COMMUNITY PARK, 29301 HAWTHORNE BOULEVARD
REGULAR MEETING
7:00 P.M.

***HYBRID PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING**

The Regular Meeting of May 14, 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 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 2024-14

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 APRIL 23, 2024 P.C. MINUTES (LG)

CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARINGS:

2. HEIGHT VARIATION PERMIT AND SITE PLAN REVIEW - (CASE NO. PLHV2023-0005): 2131 W Summerland Street (JK)

Request: A request to construct a 1,470 ft² second-story addition to an existing 2,290 ft² single-story residence (garage included) and reduce the first-story floor area by 10 ft² for a new total structure size of 3,750 ft² (garage included) along with ancillary site improvements on the property located at 2131 W Summerland Street.

Recommendation: Continue the public hearing to the May 28, 2024, Planning Commission meeting to allow Staff to verify the recently updated plans and silhouette materials based on the Planning Commission feedback provided at the April 9, 2024, Planning Commission meeting.

Action deadline: July 28, 2024

CEQA: Categorically Exempt § 15301(e) Existing Facilities

3. VIEW RESTORATION PERMIT – (CASE NO. PLVR2022-0010): Enrose Avenue (RN).

Request: Restore the view from the viewing areas at 29642 N. Enrose Avenue, 29648 N. Enrose Avenue, and at 29636 N. Enrose Avenue- Foliage properties at 29624 S. Trotwood Drive, 2138 Fairhill Drive, 29623 S. Trotwood Drive, and 2133 W. General Street.

Recommendation: Adopt P.C. Resolution 2024-____, conditionally approving a View Restoration Permit, requiring the Foliage Owners at 29624 S. Trotwood Drive, 2138 Fairhill Drive, 29623 S. Trotwood Drive, and 2133 W. General Street to crown reduce 9 trees to the height level depicted on Attachment No. 3a-3d, with the option to remove and replace specific trees, as described in Conditions of Approval No. 3-6, in order to restore the Applicants' views from 29642 N. Enrose Avenue, 29648 N. Enrose Avenue, and 29636 N. Enrose Avenue (Case No. PLVR 2022-0010).

Action deadline: N/A

CEQA: Categorically Exempt under Class 4, §15304 (Minor Alterations to Land).

NEW PUBLIC HEARINGS:

4. 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 a recommendation to the City Council to adopt by regular ordinance those changes to the Rancho Palos Verdes Municipal Code that were adopted by City Council in Urgency Ordinance No. 678U on April 16, 2024.

Recommendation: Adopt P.C. Resolution No. 2024-__, recommending that the City Council determine the Housing Element project was adequately assessed in the previously adopted Negative Declaration and Addendum No. 1 for the 2021-2029 Housing Element and associated housing programs; re-adoption of zone changes, zoning map amendments, and code amendments to effectuate the revised final 2021-2029 Housing Element as were adopted in Urgency Ordinance No. 678U; and re-adoption of updated development standards for Accessory Dwelling and Junior Accessory Dwelling Units to comply with state housing law as were adopted in Urgency Ordinance No. 678U.

Action deadline: N/A

CEQA: Addendum No. 1 to the adopted Negative Declaration

CONTINUED BUSINESS:

NONE

NEW BUSINESS:

NONE

ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON FUTURE AGENDAS:

5. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON MAY 28, 2024

6. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON JUNE 11, 2024

ADJOURNMENT:

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