

# CITY MANAGER'S WEEKLY ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

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## CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE



### Happy Birthday, Former Councilmember and City Founder Ken Dyda!

Last week, Mayor Dave Bradley, Councilmember Steve Perestam, former Councilmembers John Cruikshank and Jerry Duhovic, City staff, and other community members paid a special visit to the home of longtime former Councilmember and City founder Ken Dyda to wish him a happy 94<sup>th</sup> birthday. Former Councilmember Dyda was in great spirits, expressing his delight and gratitude for the birthday surprise and wasting no time diving into the latest City issues, including the landslide. Please join us in wishing him a happy 94<sup>th</sup> birthday!

### October 21, 2025 City Council Meeting Highlights

- Due to the multitude of legal, procedural, and regulatory requirements and various unknowns, the Council decided against proceeding with conducting a feasibility study exploring creating a toll road along a portion of Palos Verdes Drive South in the landslide area to help pay for roadway maintenance.





- The Council moved to advocate for introducing state legislation that would require grocery stores to continue offering paper coupons to ensure access for all patrons. This policy issue will be added as a priority in the City's proposed 2026 Legislative Platform.
- Finally, the Council adopted the 2025 California Building Standards Code, which adds requirements for new vents leading into homes to be fire-rated and ember-resistant, and for new residential buildings to use heat pumps for space and water heating. Additionally, the Council approved language strengthening geological hazard mitigation requirements. The code is updated every three years.

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

## Veterans Day Breakfast

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes invites the community to join in honoring those who have served our country at the Veterans Day Breakfast on Tuesday, November 11, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Ken Dyda Civic Center, 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard. Breakfast is free for veterans and \$10 for non-veterans.

Guests will enjoy a morning of patriotic music, remarks from veterans and city officials, and a commemorative giveaway for all veterans in attendance.

Cash payment will be accepted at the event. To help the City plan accordingly, please RSVP by Wednesday, November 5.



For more information or to RSVP, contact the Recreation and Parks Department at 310-544-5260 or [parks@rpvca.gov](mailto:parks@rpvca.gov). [Attendees may register here by November 5.](#)

## City Hall Vote-By-Mail Drop Box Available

The Vote-by-Mail Drop Box outside RPV City Hall is available for use.

Voters can drop off their vote-by-mail ballots in the drop box near the flagpole until 8 p.m. on Election Day, November 4, 2025. City Hall is located at 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard.

Before you drop off your vote-by-mail ballot, make sure to:

- Place your voted ballot card(s) inside the official return envelope.
- Securely seal the official return envelope.
- Sign and date the back of the official return envelope.



Ballots will be securely collected by L.A. County Registrar-Recorder staff members.

Voters can track their vote-by-mail ballot every step of the way. Subscribe to receive real-time tracking notifications by text, email or voicemail at [wheresmyballot.sos.ca.gov](https://wheresmyballot.sos.ca.gov).

For more information on voting in L.A. County, visit [lavote.gov](https://lavote.gov).

## San Pedro International Film Festival to Screen Documentary on DDT Dumping

The San Pedro International Film Festival, which takes place November 7-9 in RPV and San Pedro, will present a screening of a Los Angeles Times documentary about deep-water chemical dumping off the coast of the Palos Verdes Peninsula.

From the Los Angeles Times and Pulitzer Prize-finalist Rosanna Xia, “Out of Plain Sight” is a cinematic exposé of an environmental disaster lurking just off the coast of Southern California. Not far from Catalina Island, aboard one of the



most advanced research ships in the world, David Valentine discovered a corroded barrel on the seafloor that gave him chills. The full environmental horror sharpens into greater clarity once he calls Xia, who pieces together a shocking revelation: In the years after World War II, as many as half a million barrels of toxic waste had been quietly dumped into the ocean – and the consequences continue to haunt the world today.

**Saturday, November 8, 2025, 11 a.m.**

John M. Olguin Auditorium, Cabrillo Marine Aquarium  
3720 Stephen M White Drive  
San Pedro, CA 90731

For tickets and more information, go to [spiffest.org](https://spiffest.org).

## Prepare for the Citywide Brush Clearing

The fall season brush-clearing event began on October 4 and will continue for four consecutive Saturdays. Each week a different area of RPV is serviced. The goal of the event is to assist homeowners dispose (free of charge) excess brush, shrubs, hedges, tree branches, and bushes to comply with the Los Angeles County Fire Department's fire safety guidelines. This is a great opportunity to help prevent local brush fires! For more information, you may contact the City's waste collection contractor, EDCO, at 310-540-2977 or go to [rpvrecycles.com](https://rpvrecycles.com).



If Your Regular Collection Day Is:	Your Brush Clearing Day Is:
Monday	<b>COMPLETED</b>
Tuesday	<b>COMPLETED</b>
Wednesday	<b>COMPLETED</b>
Thursday	Saturday, Oct 25
Friday	Saturday, Nov 1



## **Next Paper Shredding Event, October 25**

Mark your calendars! Our next paper/document shredding event will be on October 25 from 8-11 a.m. The event will be held at City Hall's overflow parking lot and will be free for all Rancho Palos Verdes residents. During the event, electronic waste will be collected for recycling, and mulch will be available to residents.



## **Peninsula Seniors Bohannon Lecture Series October 2025**

Join Peninsula Seniors for the Bohannon Lecture Series on Wednesdays this month, from 10:30-11:30 a.m. at the Scriba Family Center at 602



# **Peninsula Seniors**

Deep Valley Drive, Suite 310 in Rolling Hills Estates. A Coffee Social will be available to all attendees starting at 10:15 a.m. The series is open to the community. Space is limited.

### **October 29: "Halloween Music Special"**

Members Ann and Lee Strong will present several pieces of music written for or about Halloween, featuring creepy music from the 17th through the 20th century.

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



## Prepared Peninsula Expo – October 26<sup>th</sup> 10am to 1pm

Palos Verdes Peninsula High School, 27118 Silver Spur Rd, in Rolling Hills Estates

# ARE YOU PREPARED IF DISASTER STRIKES?

## PREPARED PENINSULA EXPO

FREE EVENT

LEARN HOW TO BE DISASTER READY



At the Expo, you will find life-saving information, demonstrations and emergency survival gear, step-by-step preparedness plans for your family and pets, survival essentials, **trick or treating** for the kids (wear costumes!) and **FREE FOOD!**





**BE PREPARED!  
HAVE A PLAN!**



- Family-friendly activities for all ages
- Build your own Emergency Bag
- Pet preparedness tips
- Law Enforcement and Fire Department exhibits
- E-Bike Education



### Sunday, October 26, 10am-1pm

Peninsula High School/  
PV Farmer's Market  
27118 Silver Spur Road,  
Rolling Hills Estates

Visit your city's website for more info:

[pvestates.org](http://pvestates.org)  
[rpvca.gov](http://rpvca.gov)  
[rolling-hills.org](http://rolling-hills.org)  
[rhe.city](http://rhe.city)



The four cities of the Palos Verdes Peninsula are once again partnering to educate residents and the broader community on emergency preparedness at the Annual Prepared Peninsula Expo. Join this year's expo to learn how to mitigate, prepare, respond, and recover should a disaster strike. This free event will teach you how to protect yourselves, your family, and your pets in a disaster.





## The Great ShakeOut was 10/16. Did You Participate?

If you didn't participate in this year's national earthquake drill, remember it's not too late to prepare!

1. **When shaking starts, DROP, COVER, and HOLD ON.** The goal is to avoid anything that will fall on or under you and to protect your neck and head.
  - **DO NOT get in a doorway!** In modern houses and buildings, doorways are not the safest spot, and they do not protect you from flying or falling objects. Get under a sturdy table instead!
  - **DO NOT run outside!** During a quake, the ground is moving. Trying to run can be dangerous. You can easily fall or be injured by falling debris, glass, building materials, and trees.
  - **DO NOT use elevators!** Take the stairs when you evacuate a building for an earthquake or any other emergency
2. **Review your family plan.** Planning in advance will ensure that you and your family will know what to do when the emergency occurs. You should plan for how you will communicate with loved ones, where you will go if you cannot stay home, how you will get there, and what supplies you will need.
3. **Prepare emergency supplies.**
  - Consider what you would need if you couldn't return to your house, and include those items in a Go Bag, stored near the entrance of your home and/or in your car.
  - Consider supplies you may need to survive if you must stay home while stores are closed and power is off and ensure your house is stocked with them. Items will be specific to your household's needs, but will likely include medicines, food, water, hygiene supplies, and important documents.

- Having trouble getting started on your emergency supply kit? Read below, the EPC provides a suggestion to add to your emergency supplies each month to help you take the first steps to get prepared.

#### 4. Protect your home:

- Secure heavy items in your home like bookcases, refrigerators, televisions and objects that hang on walls.
- Store heavy and breakable objects on low shelves.
- Make improvements to your home or building to fix structural issues that could cause your building to collapse during an earthquake.
- Consider earthquake insurance, as standard homeowner's insurance policies do not cover earthquake damage

5. **Download the MyShake App.** The MyShake App is a free earthquake warning tool available in the Apple App store and Google Play that can send a warning to smartphone users in the area as soon as seismic waves are detected. Link: <https://myshake.berkeley.edu/>

Learn more by reading this month's EPC Message on Earthquake and Tsunami Safety below or online at: <https://www.rpvca.gov/1428/EPC-Monthly-Messaging>

### Hazard Mitigation Plan Community Survey

The Palos Verdes Peninsula cities are developing a local Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan. We welcome and encourage community members to participate in the planning process!



Take the community survey here: [www.surveymonkey.com/r/PVP\\_HMP](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PVP_HMP)

Visit [PVReady.gov](http://PVReady.gov) to learn more



## Halloween Bike Safety Tips

The South Bay Cities Council of Governments reminds residents that when trips are local, “slow is the way to go.” Here are some bike safety tips for Halloween.

### **Wear Your Protective Shell:**

What’s spookier than the Grim Reaper? Getting into a bike accident without wearing a helmet. Always protect your noggin while riding in traffic. But helmets aren’t just for protection—they can also be part of your costume! Decorate yours to match your spooky style.

### **Be Bright, Don’t Fright:**

Wear reflective gear and add lights to your bike to stay visible, especially in the dark. CA law requires that

your bike have a white light in front and red light/reflector on the back for nighttime riding. Glow-in-the-dark stickers or costumes are a fun, spooky touch! ✨

**Don’t Have a Scary Wardrobe Malfunction:** If you wear a costume while riding, make sure your cape, robe, or tail doesn’t get tangled in your bike chain. Don’t cover your face with a mask while riding; clear vision is key. 🦋 🦋

**HALLOWEEN BIKE SAFETY**

 **Tips from the Turtle** 

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### Apply for a Public Safety Reimbursement from the City

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes offers reimbursements for half the cost of a new doorbell or neighborhood camera system, now up to \$2,500 (***newly increased***) for neighborhoods/HOAs, and up to \$100 for individuals. The City aims to encourage the use of cameras and other public safety tools to strengthen neighborhood vigilance and security.

Learn more about the application process at: [ow.ly/Etum50SBFG4](https://ow.ly/Etum50SBFG4)



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# FINANCE DEPARTMENT

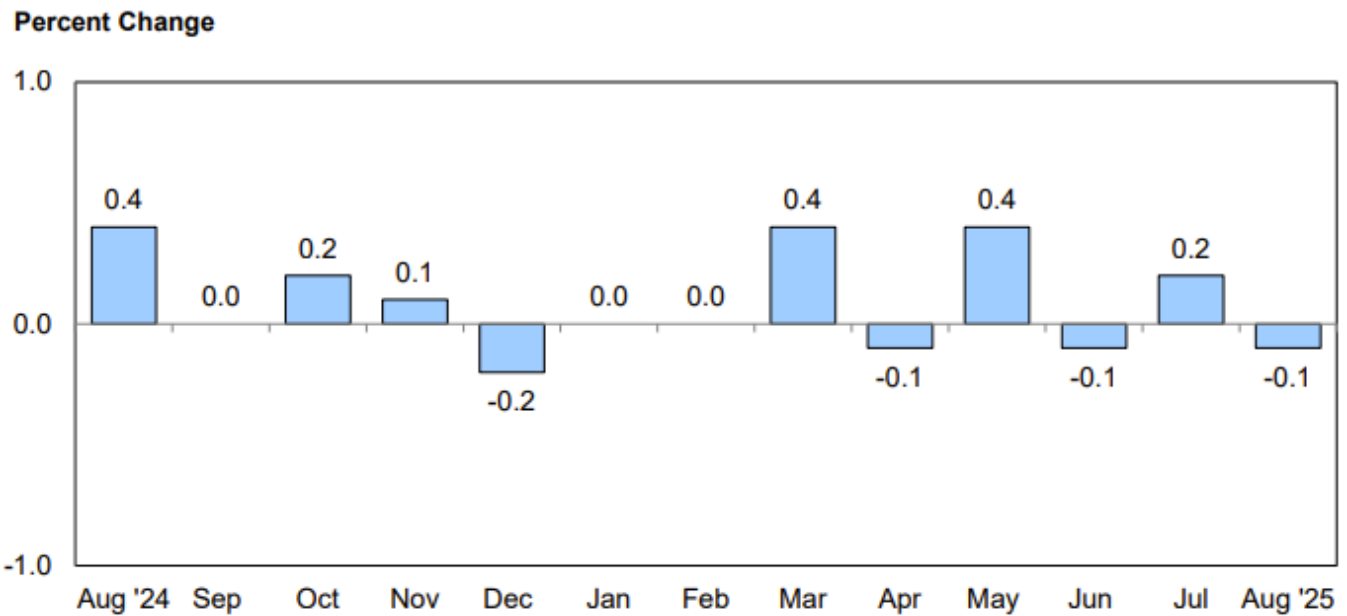
## Real Earnings – August 2025

On September 11, 2025, the Bureau of Labor Statistics released its Real Earnings – August 2025 report. This monthly report shows how average earnings have changed over time after accounting for inflation, providing a measure of real purchasing power.

The latest report shows that after seasonal adjustment, real average hourly earnings for all employees decreased by 0.1% from July 2025 to August 2025. As well, the average weekly earnings for all employees also decreased by 0.1% from July 2025 to August 2025. These results stem from an increase of 0.3% in average hourly earnings combined with an increase of 0.4% in the Consumer Price Index.

However, the real average weekly earnings for all employees increased by 0.7% from August 2024 to August 2025.

Chart 1. Real Earnings – All Employees – August 2025



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

The real average hourly earnings and real average weekly earnings for production and nonsupervisory employees were unchanged from July 2025 to August 2025, after



seasonal adjustment. However, from August 2024 to August 2025, the real average hourly earnings for production and nonsupervisory employees increased by 1.1%, after seasonal adjustment.

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



### Landslide Emergency Stabilization

In response to unprecedented movement of the deep slide plane in the Greater Portuguese Bend-Ancient Altamira Landslide Complex (Landslide Complex), the City installed vertical deep de-watering wells (DDWs) to penetrate the deep slide plane and relieve water pressure. Additionally, the City introduced an emergency winterization program in the form of filling fissures/grabens, lining canyons, and improving drainage.

#### Status of the Deep Dewatering Wells Program

- The DDWs continue to be monitored and re-drilled or replaced as needed within the current approved budget.
- The total combined water extraction rate of the DDWs is currently at approximately **670 gallons per minute** or approximately **1.0 million gallons per day**.
- Since the start of the DDW program, approximately **362 million gallons** or **1,111 acre-feet** of water have been extracted from certain locations around the toe of the Landslide Complex. Weekly extraction rates are currently influenced by the following circumstances:
  - DDW-9 is currently offline due to low water level. The City's Geologists are studying how quickly its water level rises and will then recommend adjustments to the pump's operation to minimize the risk of it running dry and burning out.

**DDW Current Water Extraction Rates as of October 20, 2025**

DDW No.	Date Operational	Current Approximate Water Extraction Rate (Gallons Per Minute)	Total Water Extraction to Date	
			Acre-Ft	Million Gallons
1	9/13/2024	105 (re-drilled 3/21/25 and 9/25/25)	138	45
2	9/17/2024	85 (re-drilled 5/29/25)	149	49
3	9/21/2024	60 (re-drilled 3/24/25)	142	46
4	9/21/2024	N/A, Decommissioned 3/27/25	103	34
4A	3/29/2025	50		
5	9/25/2024	100 (re-drilled 3/26/25 and 9/18/2025)	127	41
6	9/28/2024	70 (re-drilled 12/29/24 and 5/23/25)	121	39
7	10/15/2024	N/A, Decommissioned 6/3/25	15	5
8	10/17/2024	95 (re-drilled 8/14/25)	86	28
9	10/25/2024	N/A, Decommissioned 11/07/24	74	24
9A	11/16/2024	N/A, (re-drilled 12/29/24, 5/10/25, 8/22/25) Currently offline		
10	10/24/2024	105 (re-drilled 5/11/25)	154	50
11	12/3/2024	N/A, Decommissioned 3/14/25	2	1
<b>Totals</b>		670	1,111	362

**Status of Winterization:**

Construction work continues this week on winterization measures. The work is anticipated to take approximately one month and be completed by mid-November.

**Hawthorne Boulevard at Eddinghill/Seamount Left Turn Signal Construction Update**



*Project rendering of new northbound left turn signal.*

On Monday, October 6, 2025, construction of the left turn signal arrows for Hawthorne Boulevard at the Eddinghill Drive/Seamount Drive began. The project will include the following improvements:

- Left-Turn Arrow for both northbound and southbound Hawthorne Boulevard left turns.
- Traffic signal hardware and equipment updates including a new signal controller, upgraded traffic signal mast arms to accommodate the new left turn signal heads, and new illuminated street name signs.
- Intersection lighting upgrades.
- Intersection curb ramp accessibility upgrades.

To minimize traffic disruptions, work hours are generally Monday – Friday from 9am to 4pm. Construction is anticipated to be complete by the end of the year.



### **Infrastructure Management Advisory Committee (IMAC)**

An IMAC special meeting is scheduled for November 17 at 6:00 p.m. in the Community Room located at the Ken Dyda Civic Center. The public is welcome and encouraged to attend and provide input. The agenda will be available on the City's website at [rpvca.gov/agendas](http://rpvca.gov/agendas) by November 14 at 4:30 p.m.

### **Traffic Safety Committee (TSC)**

A TSC special meeting is scheduled for November 3 at 6:00 p.m. in the Community Room located at the Ken Dyda Civic Center. The public is welcome and encouraged to attend and provide input. The agenda will be available on the City's website at [rpvca.gov/agendas](http://rpvca.gov/agendas) by October 31 at 4:30 p.m.

The tentative agenda for the November 3, 2025 Special Meeting is as follows:

1. Point Vicente Elementary Traffic Calming Update

2. Cornerstone Elementary Traffic Calming Update
3. Avenida Classica Traffic Circle Pilot Project Update



- This week, the following resident service requests were submitted to the City and addressed by staff and/or contractors:
  - **68** service requests were reported.
  - **49** service requests were completed and closed out.

You can report needed repairs in the public right-of-way using the City's app. Residents can help keep RPV looking great by downloading the "**MY RPV**" app via Apple Store or on Google Play.



- In addition to routine weekly landscape maintenance at all City parks, the following were completed:
  - Inspected Point Vicente Interpretive Center for termite activity
  - Replaced six trash receptacles at Ryan Park
  - Painted railings at Ladera Linda Community Park to improve appearance and durability
  - Continued repairs to the Burma Trail gate due to damage from vandalism on interior of door
  - Repaired fifteen feet of concrete rail fencing in Abalone Cove Park





## STREET LANDSCAPING

- This week, ROW maintenance crews conducted landscape cleaning, weed whacking, and general landscape maintenance along medians and the public right-of-way throughout various City areas. Work locations included:
  - Palos Verdes Drive East right of way from Miraleste Drive to the Rolling Hills Estates City limit
  - Palos Verdes Drive West right of way and center medians from Palos Verdes Estates City limit to Point Vicente Interpretive Center
  - Hawthorne Boulevard from Palos Verdes Drive West to Crest Road
- This week, the irrigation team completed inspections, repairs, and system upgrades at these locations:
  - Installed irrigation controller at City Hall
  - Installed quick coupler that allows for water access and connection, near the basketball court at Ladera Linda Community Park
  - Replaced one irrigation valve at Point Vicente Interpretive Center
- Use the following link to watch our virtual landscape maintenance:  
<https://www.relive.com/view/vKv23Rn2Z4O>



- In addition to routine tree trimming throughout the City, the Public Works Department regularly inspects trees for structural integrity and safety. Below is the list of trees inspected this week for potential City action, such as trimming or removal:
  - Crest Road - 1 Tree
  - Velez Drive – 2 Trees
  - Packet Road – 1 Tree
  - Birchfield Avenue – 1 Tree
  - Lomo Avenue – 2 Trees
  - Scotwood Drive – 1 Tree



- The Public Works Department performed the following infrastructure repairs and replacements:
  - Repaired sanitary sewer system grinder pump on Cinnamon Lane.
  - Completed an asphalt patch repair on the curb and gutter at the end of



- Admirable Drive.
- Installed wood plank for the bus shelter at Western Avenue and Trudie Drive.
  - Replaced a faded “Stop” sign on the intersection of Monero and San Nicolas.

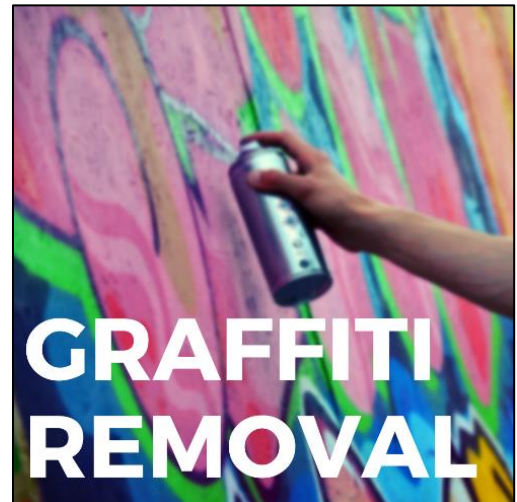




- Traffic signals and street lights were recently serviced at the following locations:
  - Abbottswood Drive
  - Palos Verdes Drive South / Terranea Way
  - Silver Spur Road / Silver Arrow Drive
  - Hawthorne Boulevard/ Palos Verdes Drive West
  - Crenshaw / Indian Peak

## Graffiti Removal

- **27** graffiti incidents were reported and removed this week.
- Residents can help keep RPV looking great by downloading the **RPV Clean** app to report graffiti to City staff.



- There are no reported emergencies at this time. For questions or to report an issue, please contact the City of Rancho Palos Verdes Public Works Department at (310) 544-5252 or by email at [publicworks@rpvca.gov](mailto:publicworks@rpvca.gov).



## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

### Wildlife Public Outreach Update

On October 20, the City's Code Enforcement Division participated in a Miraverde Homeowners Association virtual meeting to provide attendees with an update on wildlife activity within the city. The update included information about the City's Coyote Management Plan and reporting and tracking dashboard, as well as available resources to residents. As part of this public outreach effort, City Staff were available to answer questions about the City's coyote response procedures in cases that involve aggressive coyote behavior.

For more information or questions about coyote management practices, please visit the City's website at <https://www.rpvca.gov/335/Coyotes>. The City's Code Enforcement Division is available to attend local homeowners association meetings or events to provide similar updates. To request participation, please contact the Code Enforcement Division at (310) 544-5281 or via email at [codeenforcement@rpvca.gov](mailto:codeenforcement@rpvca.gov).

### 88 Cities Fall Conference Recap

On October 15, the Community Development Department staff attended the 88 Cities Summit Fall Conference at the Port of Long Beach. The summit, which is hosted by the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation, discussed strategies, challenges, and success stories that showcase how small cities are achieving big results through effective economic development. The summit included various local leaders and City Managers sharing their insights on driving impactful growth in their communities. City Staff looks forward to participating in future events and workshops aimed at fostering and promoting economic development within the City.





## REMINDER: Applications Being Accepted for the Western Avenue Storefront Improvement Program

The City's Community Development Department is currently accepting applications for Round 3 of the Western Avenue Storefront Improvement Program. **Submittal deadline is October 31, 2025.** Grants of \$5,000-\$20,000, requiring a 50% match, are available for eligible projects that enhance or restore the physical condition or appearance of the building (must be visible from the street). Examples include new exterior paint, lighting, landscaping, signs, awnings, entry doors, outdoor seating, and resolving code violations. Storefronts

must be located along Western Avenue within the boundaries of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes (NOT in the City of Los Angeles). Learn more about how to spruce up your storefront with this grant opportunity and how to apply at [rpvca.gov/storefront](https://rpvca.gov/storefront).



## Planning Commission Meeting Agenda

See attached draft Planning Commission meeting agenda scheduled for Tuesday, October 28, 2025.

### Attachments:

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## RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT



### Little Fish Tales by the Sea

A total of 52 people (25 adults and 27 children) enjoyed Little Fish Tales, a free, fun and interactive story time designed for toddlers, on October 16 from 10:30 AM- 11:30AM in the Sunset Room at the Point Vicente Interpretive Center. This engaging program featured stories, songs, counting movement and a hands-on craft to support learning. This month's program was planned and led by city staff members from the Recreation and Parks Department. Two volunteers from I CAN, a nonprofit organization that provides quality employment, life skills, and social programs for Southern Californias adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities assisted at the sign-in table.





## Native Plant Garden Volunteer Event

13 Volunteers gathered at Point Vicente Interpretive Center to maintain our beautiful garden. The native plant garden houses several species of insects, birds and small mammals, so consistent upkeep of the garden is essential. Thank you to the volunteers who helped preserve PVIC's garden.

Community members are invited to join on select Sundays to assist with garden maintenance and care. Upcoming volunteer dates are November 16 and December 14.

All events run from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Email [iwanttohelp@tidalinfluence.com](mailto:iwanttohelp@tidalinfluence.com) to sign up. All levels of experience are welcome. Come enjoy the outdoors and help keep the garden thriving.



The poster features a large yellow sun in the center with the text "Native Plant Garden Volunteer Event" written across it. To the left is the RPV 2025 logo, and to the right is the South Coast California Native Plant Society logo. Below the sun, the event dates are listed: "September 14, October 19, November 16, and December 14" from "10am to 12pm" at the "Point Vicente Interpretive Center Native Plant Garden, 31501 PV Drive West". A sign-up instruction says "To signup, email Megan and Cannon at: [iwanttohelp@tidalinfluence.com](mailto:iwanttohelp@tidalinfluence.com)". A paragraph of text describes the event: "Come join us on a beautiful Sunday morning and help us keep our garden clean, healthy and beautiful. You will be rewarded with sweeping ocean views, the fresh sea breeze and gain some awesome gardening skills. Volunteers can also earn community service hours for school. Families and groups encouraged! Gloves and tools provided." At the bottom is a photograph of a group of volunteers working in the garden.

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10am to 12pm  
Point Vicente Interpretive Center  
Native Plant Garden  
31501 PV Drive West

To signup, email  
Megan and Cannon at:  
[iwanttohelp@tidalinfluence.com](mailto:iwanttohelp@tidalinfluence.com)

Come join us on a beautiful Sunday morning and help us keep our garden clean, healthy and beautiful. You will be rewarded with sweeping ocean views, the fresh sea breeze and gain some awesome gardening skills. Volunteers can also earn community service hours for school. Families and groups encouraged!  
Gloves and tools provided.



## **Beautification Project Underway at Eastview Dog Park: Temporary Dog Park Enclosures Open**

As part of Recreation and Parks' commitment to enhancing the park experience for visitors and their dogs, both dog enclosures will be temporarily closed for grass restoration. This closure will allow the new grass to take root and thrive, creating a more enjoyable and durable space for all our furry friends.

Temporary dog enclosures for large and small dogs opened to the public on August 21.



We understand this may cause some inconvenience, and we sincerely appreciate your patience and support as we work to improve the park for everyone.

Park patrons can also visit Rancho Caninos Dog Park, located at 30940 Hawthorne Blvd, Rancho Palos Verdes, as a great alternative for you and your dogs to enjoy during this restoration period.

Both Eastview dog enclosures are projected to reopen by late November. For any questions, park patrons are encouraged to ask onsite staff or call Eastview Park at 310-544-5269.

## **Lights, Camera, and Action! Filming in RPV**

On Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> there will be a student film shoot at a private residence.

## **REACH Update**

The REACH program serves the social and recreational needs of youth and adults with developmental disabilities. To RSVP for REACH activities or if you have questions, please email [reach@rpvca.gov](mailto:reach@rpvca.gov).

## **City Lights Meet Good Vibes as REACH Ventures into Torrance**

For a few carefree hours, nothing existed beyond our little assembly, just good vibes, old jokes, and many memories in the making. REACH doesn't need anything fancy, just



each other and the kind of laughter that rolls on and on. As the cars and people hummed around us, with streetlights guiding our way, we found joy in the little things. After an evening out on the town, the city begins to quiet as we head home for a sweet treat basking in the soft afterglow of the mood. The warmth of friendship still lingering in our hearts.

Upcoming REACH events include a night filled with magic and colors as Recreation Specialist and artist extraordinaire Dana Torrey comes back to create something wonderful with us on October 22. As we prepare for Halloween, we look forward to a day full of fun and laughter at Mr. Jack O'Lanterns Pumkin Patch on October 25.



REACH THERAPEUTIC RECREATION 

**PAINT NIGHT W/  
DANA**  
**WEDNESDAY,**  
**OCTOBER 22ND, 2025**  
**5:30 PM - 8:30 PM**

FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT THE RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT AT 310.544.5266. TO RSVP, PLEASE E-MAIL REACH@RPVCA.GOV.  
IF YOU ARE A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY AND YOU NEED A DISABILITY RELATED ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM, SERVICE OR ACTIVITY, CONTACT RISK MANAGER, 30940 HAWTHORNE BLVD., RANCHO PALOS VERDES, CA 90275, AT LEAST 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE AT 310-544-5331.



REACH THERAPEUTIC RECREATION 

**PUMPKIN  
PATCH**

**SATURDAY**  
**OCTOBER 25TH, 2025**  
**1100 AM - 300 PM**

FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT THE RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT AT 310.544.5266. TO RSVP, PLEASE E-MAIL REACH@RPVCA.GOV.  
IF YOU ARE A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY AND YOU NEED A DISABILITY RELATED ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM, SERVICE OR ACTIVITY, CONTACT RISK MANAGER, 30940 HAWTHORNE BLVD., RANCHO PALOS VERDES, CA 90275, AT LEAST 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE AT 310-544-5331.







## **Parks Weekend Attendance Report**

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

- HESSE PARK - walking paths, playground, and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 1,013
- RYAN PARK - walking paths, playground, basketball court, and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 493
- EASTVIEW PARK - walking paths, playground, dog park, and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 441
- LOWER POINT VICENTE PARK - walking paths and grass area  
Estimated total park attendance: 3,800
- LADERA LINDA COMMUNITY PARK – walking paths, grass areas, playgrounds, basketball and paddle tennis courts.  
Estimated total park attendance: 328

Total Weekend Attendance: 6,075



## **Palos Verdes Nature Preserve Now Open**

Effective October 16, the Palos Verdes Nature Preserve, including Abalone Cove Park were reopened. Several trails remain temporarily closed due to land movement impacts. More information can be found at [Trail-Conditions-Alerts](#) or by contacting OST at [trails@rpvca.gov](mailto:trails@rpvca.gov)

On Saturday, October 18, Park Rangers and Public Safety monitored Marilyn Ryan Sunset Park and surrounding areas, including Founder's Park and Ladera Linda Park due to a permitted rally taking place in the afternoon. Park Rangers provided information regarding parking during the event.



## **Preserve and Beach Weekend October 18-19**

Public Contacts: 527

Violations observed: 2

## **Filiorum Reserve**

On October 11, Staff worked alongside Volunteers from the Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy and performed additional trail maintenance on several trails within this Reserve including tread repair and delineation. Staff has continued additional work for trimming and delineation.







### **Portuguese Bend Reserve**

On October 12, Staff performed trimming on several overgrown areas within this Reserve. The trails within this Reserve remain temporarily closed, however, staff continue to monitor and assess conditions and perform maintenance as able.



# October 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 3:00 pm–4:30 pm - Landslide Complex Working Group (Virtual)	2	3	4
5	6	7 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	8	9 7:00 pm – Finance Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	10	11
12	13 4:15 pm – Youth Advisory Committee (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room  5:30 pm – ACLAD Board Meeting (Virtual Meeting)  <b>COLUMBUS DAY</b>	14 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	15 1:30 pm – Sanitation District Meeting (Mayor Bradley)  3:00 pm–4:30 pm - Landslide Complex Working Group (Virtual)	16 6:00 pm – Emergency Preparedness Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	17	18
19	20 <del>6:00 pm – IMAC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room</del> <b>CANCELLED</b>	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	25
26	27 5:00 pm-Klondike Canyon Meeting (Virtual Meeting)  <del>6:00 pm – Joint TSC/IMAC Special Meeting (Hybrid In- Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room</del> <b>CANCELLED</b>	28 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	29	30	31	





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16	17 6:00 pm – IMAC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	18 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	19 1:30 pm – Sanitation District Meeting (Mayor Bradley) 3:00 pm–4:30 pm - Landslide Complex Working Group (Virtual)	20 6:00 pm – Emergency Preparedness Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	21	22
23	24 5:00 pm-Klondike Canyon Meeting (Virtual Meeting) 6:00 pm – TSC Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room	25 7:00 pm – Planning Commission Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	26	27 6:00pm – Civic Center Advisory Committee (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ City Hall Community Room  Thanksgiving Holiday – City Hall Closed	28	29
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# December 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 7:00 pm – City Council Meeting (Hybrid In-Person/Virtual Meeting) @ Hesse Park	3 3:00 pm–4:30 pm - Landslide Complex Working Group (Virtual)	4	5	6
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# TENTATIVE AGENDAS

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

DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
<b>November 4, 2025</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 5:30 PM</b>			
Special Meeting 5:30	CLOSED SESSION	Ken Dyda Civic Center	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>3:00</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Approving Updated City Contributions to Employee HSAs	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Amend City Council Policy No. 50 on Fraud and Waste Reporting Policies	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider adding new City Council policy regarding SB707 (interruption of services for remote attendees)	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Treasurer's Report	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider FY 25-26 First Quarter Financial Report	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Amendment to CLA (City auditor) contract	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued landslide emergency contracting	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider amendment to CUP at 31909 Emerald View	0:15
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Public Safety Division Quarterly Update	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider extending the resolutions declaring the local state of emergency related to the landslide and receive a progress report on landslide projects.	1:00
<b>November 18, 2025</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION		
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>3:30</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider 2026 business license tax	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider award of contract for developer fee study	
PUBLIC WORKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Affirm continued landslide emergency contracting	
REC&PARKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Authorize the purchase of two vehicles for the City's fleet	
REC&PARKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Award PSA for design services for Ryan Park playground improvements	
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider amending RPVMC Chs. 16 (Subdivision) and 17 (Zoning) (SB 9-Equestrian Overlay district)	0:15
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider amending RPVMC Ch. 17 (zoning ) and related General Plan amendments related to landslide building regulations	0:15
CDD	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider adopting 2025 California Building Code	0:15
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider amendments to Council Policy No. 52 (debt policy)	0:30
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Continue discussion on EV charging stations fee structure	0:30
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Update on Citywide Wildfire Mitigation and Readiness Projects	0:15
<b>December 2, 2025</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			

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DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
		City Council Reorganization	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>2:00</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Survey Questions for the citywide Community Needs Survey	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider cancelling January 6 meeting	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider second reading of RPVMC CHS. 16 (Subdivision) and 17 (Zoning) (SB 9-Equestrian Overlay district)	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider second reading to amendments to RPVMC Ch. 17 (zoning ) related to the landslide building regulations	
REC&PARKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Amendment No. 2 to the City/PVPLC Management Agreement	
CDD/PW	PUBLIC HEARING	Consider sewer easement vacation (Canterbury property)	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Report on citywide beautification projects including Lower Hesse and medians	0:15
<b>December 16, 2025</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>3:00</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider assignments for outside agencies and committee liaisons	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
CDD	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider PSA for Consultant to prepare Conservation/Open Space Element of the General Plan	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider FY 24/25 Preliminary Year End Financial Report	
ADMIN	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider Update to the City's Emergency Operations Plan	0:15
REC&PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	2024 PVPLC Annual and 3-Year Comprehensive Report	0:15
PUBLIC WORKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider extending the resolutions declaring the local state of emergency related to the landslide and receive a progress report on landslide projects.	1:00
<b>January 6, 2026</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>1:30</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
<b>January 20, 2026</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>1:45</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	



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DEPARTMENT	AGENDA SECTION	AGENDA TITLE	ESTIMATED TIME
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider approval of Employee Job Descriptions (Class Specifications)	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Approval of the 2026 Legislative Platform	
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider Twice-Yearly Committees and Commission Updates	
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consider FY 26/27 Budget Calendar	
REC&PARKS	CONSENT CALENDAR	Consideration to file a Notice of Completion for the Wildlife Corridor Encroachment Removal (CIP 8427)	
FINANCE	REGULAR BUSINESS	Consider FY 24/25 Annual Comprehensive Financial Report	0:15
<b>February 3, 2026</b>			
<b>CLOSED SESSION - 6:00 PM</b>			
	CLOSED SESSION	NO ITEMS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
<b>REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM</b>			<b>1:30</b>
ADMIN	CONSENT CALENDAR	Minutes	1:00
FINANCE	CONSENT CALENDAR	Warrant Register	
REC&PARKS	REGULAR BUSINESS	Receive a report on Los Verdes Golf Course net project	
<b>FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS TO BE</b>			<b>0:15</b>
<u>Request Date:</u>	<u>Requested By:</u>	<u>Item:</u>	<u>Scheduled Date:</u>
4/19/2022	Lewis	Stormwater/Drainage Asset Management Update	TBD
9/6/2022	Cruikshank	Consider program to address high fire vegetation in canyons	11/18/2025
9/20/2022	Ferraro	Report on citywide beautification projects including Lower Hesse and medians	12/2/2025
7/18/2023	Cruikshank/Seo	Consider report on forming a Peninsula-wide Landslide Insurance Pool Authority	TBD
9/19/2023	Alegria	Receive a report on Los Verdes Golf Course net project	2/3/2026
<b>CITY MANAGER REPORT</b>			<b>0:15</b>

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	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	October 26, 2025	October 27, 2025	October 28, 2025	October 29, 2025	October 30, 2025	October 31, 2025	November 1, 2025
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							
09:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
10:00 AM -10:30AM	Lectures with Lianne	Lectures with Lianne	Lectures with Lianne	Lectures with Lianne	Lectures with Lianne	Lectures with Lianne	Lectures with Lianne
10:30 AM - 11 AM							
11:00 AM -11:30 AM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
11:30 AM -12:00PM	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula
12:00 PM -12:30PM	Red Tail Legacy Flight	Red Tail Legacy Flight	Red Tail Legacy Flight	Red Tail Legacy Flight	Red Tail Legacy Flight	Red Tail Legacy Flight	Red Tail Legacy Flight
12:30 PM - 1:00PM							
1:00 PM - 1:30PM	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections	Peninsula Seniors Connections
1:30 PM - 2:00PM							
2:00 PM - 2:30PM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
2:30 PM - 3:00PM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
3:00 PM - 3:30PM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula
4:00 PM - 4:30PM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
4:30 PM - 5:00PM	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula
5:00 PM - 5:30PM	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition
5:30 PM - 6:00PM	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming	Fitness Programming
6:00 PM - 6:30PM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
6:30 PM - 7:00PM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
7:00 PM - 7:30PM	Thomas Jefferson	Thomas Jefferson	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes Planning Commission Meeting, October 28, 2025	Thomas Jefferson	Thomas Jefferson	Thomas Jefferson	Thomas Jefferson
7:30 PM - 8:00PM							
8:00 PM - 8:30PM	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula		Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula	Around the Peninsula
8:30 PM - 9:00PM	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition		Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition	Playing the Field- Local Edition
9:00 PM - 9:30PM	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk		RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk	RPV City Talk
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	Sunday October 26, 2025	Monday October 27, 2025	Tuesday October 28, 2025	Wednesday October 29, 2025	Thursday October 30, 2025	Friday October 31, 2025	Saturday November 1, 2025
6:00 AM - 6:30 AM							
6:30 AM - 7:00 AM							
7:00 AM - 7:30 AM	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025
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7:30 PM - 8:00PM							
8:00 PM - 8:30PM	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	Community Announcements		The City of Rolling Hills Estates City Council Meeting	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025	The City of Rolling Hills Estates City Council Meeting	The City of Rancho Palos Verdes City Council Meeting, October 21, 2025
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 Comments or questions? Please email us at [RPVtv@rpvca.gov](mailto:RPVtv@rpvca.gov)

## PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUESTS - TRACKING LOG 2025

DATE OF REQUEST	DATE RECEIVED	REQUESTOR	SUBJECT	ACTION TAKEN
10/16/2025	10/16/2025	Reginald Itchon	Request for information regarding the intersection of Hawthorne Blvd. and Eddinghill Dr./Seamount Dr. in the City of Rancho Palos Verdes. We request design plans for this intersection and records regarding signal timing in this intersection, with particular interest in records relating to the date of June 30, 2025. We also request all complaints, requests, or calls regarding this intersection. We request records regarding any accidents or injuries at this intersection.	10/16/25 IAA Alcantara forwarded request to staff. 10/21/25 AA Zweizig requested clarification for timeframe from requestor.





## Be Earthquake Ready

**Earthquakes don't wait. Be ready. Stay safe.**

With Southern California deeply seated in "earthquake country", the Emergency Preparedness Committee urges you and your family to always be prepared. Tectonic plates are constantly shifting beneath us. When they get stuck, stress builds up—and when it releases, we get earthquakes. Just because it's been quiet doesn't mean we're safe. It means pressure is still building.

1. **When shaking starts, DROP, COVER, and HOLD ON.** The goal is to avoid anything that will fall on or under you and to protect your neck and head.



**DO NOT get in a doorway!** In modern houses and buildings, doorways are not the safest spot and they do not protect you from flying or falling objects. Get under a sturdy table instead!



**DO NOT run outside!** During a quake, the ground is moving. Trying to run can be dangerous. You can easily fall or be injured by falling debris, glass, building materials, and trees.



**DO NOT take elevators.** Take the stairs when you evacuate a building for an earthquake or any other emergency

2. **Review your family plan.** Planning in advance will ensure that you and your family will know what to do when the emergency occurs. You should plan for how you will communicate with loved ones, where you will go if you cannot stay home, how you will get there, and what supplies you will need.

3. **Prepare emergency supplies.**

- ✓ Consider what you would need if you couldn't return to your house and include those items in a Go Bag, stored near the entrance of your home and/or in your car.
- ✓ Consider supplies you may need to survive if you must stay home while stores are closed and power is off and ensure your house is stocked with them. Items will be specific to your household's needs, but will likely include medicines, food, water, hygiene supplies, and important documents.
- ✓ Having trouble getting started on your emergency supply kit? Read below, the EPC provides a suggestion to add to your emergency supplies each month to help you take the first steps to get prepared.

4. **Protect your home:**

- ✓ Secure heavy items in your home like bookcases, refrigerators, televisions and objects that hang on walls.
- ✓ Store heavy and breakable objects on low shelves.
- ✓ Consider making improvements to your home or building to fix structural issues that could cause your building to collapse during an earthquake.





- ✓ Consider earthquake insurance, as standard homeowner's insurance policies do not cover earthquake damage

5. **Download the MyShake App.** The MyShake App is a free earthquake warning tool available in the Apple App store and Google Play that can send a warning to smartphone users in the area as soon as seismic waves are detected. Link: <https://myshake.berkeley.edu/>

Learn more about earthquake readiness: <https://www.ready.gov/earthquakes>

### Stay Informed and Get the ALERTS



**Sign up for RPV Emergency Alerts** with Alert SouthBay: Text AlertSB to 888777, online at [alertsouthbay.com](http://alertsouthbay.com), download the free Everbridge app on Google Play or the App Store



**Know Your Zone.** Visit [PVPReady.gov](http://PVPReady.gov) find your emergency zone and view a live map of current zone statuses. This information will also be provided in emergency alerts from Alert SouthBay.



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**DOWNLOAD MyRPV**  
Available in the App Store and Google Play

**Download the MyRPV App** on your device to stay connected to what is happening in the city.




### Mark your calendar

**Prepared Peninsula Expo – October 26<sup>th</sup> 10am to 1pm**

Palos Verdes Peninsula High School, 27118 Silver Spur Rd, in Rolling Hills Estates

Join this year's expo to learn how to mitigate, prepare, respond, and recover should a disaster strike. This free event will teach you how to protect yourselves, your family, and your pets in a disaster.



**BUILDING YOUR EMERGENCY SUPPLY KIT**

This month's item: Flashlights with batteries. Keep a flashlight in all emergency bags and next to your bed. Store batteries separately.

To have this monthly message from the Emergency Preparedness Committee (EPC) sent to your inbox, sign up here:

<https://www.rpvca.gov/list.aspx>.

For additional information and resources, please contact the EPC at [EPC@rpvca.gov](mailto:EPC@rpvca.gov) or (310) 544-5209 .

# Key Facts for the Seven Steps to Earthquake Safety



## PREPARE

### 1 Secure Your Space

Studies of the '89 Loma Prieta and '94 Northridge earthquakes show that **most injuries** are caused by objects that fall or fly during shaking.



### 2 Plan to be Safe

Surprisingly, **only 40% of Californians** have made emergency plans with their families.



### 3 Organize Emergency Supplies

**1 in 2 California homes** lack some of the essential supplies in their kits such as water, food, first-aid, flashlights, and radios.



### 4 Minimize Financial Hardship

**Only 1 in 3 Californians** are aware of ways they can strengthen their home against earthquakes, and even fewer have earthquake insurance.



## SURVIVE

### 5 Drop/Lock, Cover, and Hold On!

**55% of serious injuries** related to the '94 Northridge earthquake resulted from falling, tripping, and/or stepping on objects during the shaking.



### 6 Improve Safety

For the 2014 Napa earthquake, **48% of surveyed households** experienced injuries after the shaking stopped.



## RECOVER

### 7 Reconnect and Restore

**More than half** of people interviewed after the 2014 Napa earthquake also experienced anxiety from not being able to reconnect with loved ones.



[EarthquakeCountry.org/sevensteps](http://EarthquakeCountry.org/sevensteps)

# Earthquakes Can Trigger Tsunamis

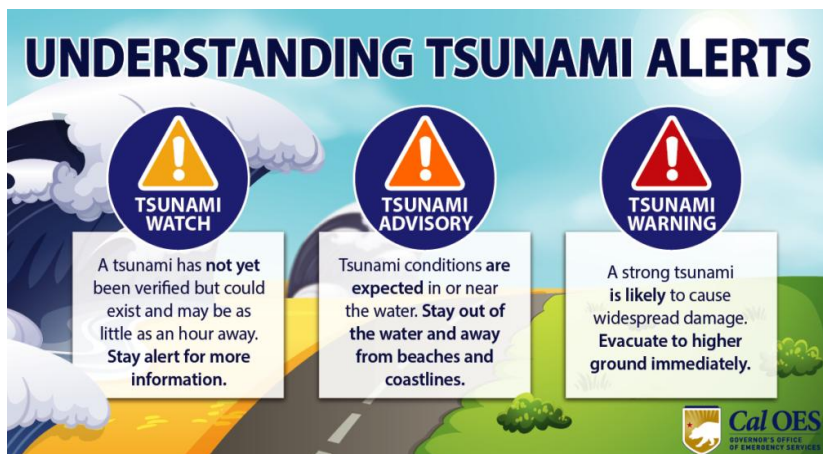
All of California coastline faces some tsunami risk, including the beaches and low lying areas in Los Angeles County and RPV. Here is what you need to know to stay safe:

## Tsunami 101

- A tsunami can strike any ocean coast at any time
- A tsunami is a series of powerful waves accompanied by strong currents
- The first wave may not be the largest or most damaging
- Volcano eruptions occurring in the ocean, landslides, meteors and earthquakes can all trigger tsunamis.
- Tsunami waves can impact you even when an event occurs across the ocean, thousands of miles away.
- Tsunamis are a serious threat to life and property on the coast
- Even small tsunamis can be dangerous especially to swimmers, surfers and boats
- Tsunamis cannot be prevented

## Tsunami Warnings

When time allows, you may receive notifications about Tsunami watches, advisories, or warnings. Always follow official instructions.



**Tsunami Watch:** A tsunami may occur, be alert

**Tsunami Advisory:** A tsunami is expected, get out of the water and stay away from beaches and coastline

**Tsunami Warning:** A tsunami is likely to cause widespread damage, evacuate the coastline immediately, moving inland and/or to higher ground.

You may not receive a notification for all Tsunamis, especially localized ones.

Pay attention to natural tsunami warnings such as feeling a strong or long earthquake, seeing a sudden rise or fall of the ocean, or hearing a loud roar from the ocean.

**If you suspect a tsunami, even if you have not received a warning, move quickly to higher ground and further inland and do not return to the coastline until officials say it is safe.**







**DRAFT AGENDA**  
**RANCHO PALOS VERDES PLANNING COMMISSION**  
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025**  
**FRED HESSE COMMUNITY PARK, 29301 HAWTHORNE BOULEVARD**  
**REGULAR MEETING**  
**7:00 P.M.**

**\*HYBRID PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING**

The Regular Meeting of October 28, 2025 will take place in accordance with the requirements of the Ralph M. Brown Act, Section 54950 et seq. of the Government Code. Remote participation by any Committee/Commission member shall be in accordance with Subdivisions (b)(3) or (f) of Government Code Section 54953. The meetings are held at Hesse Park, McTaggart Hall, 29301 Hawthorne Boulevard and/or via teleconference for staff/consultants/participants using the Zoom platform and broadcast live on the City's website at [rpvca.gov/agendas](http://rpvca.gov/agendas) and on PVPTv channels Cox 35 and Frontier FiberOptic 39. Public participation will be in person and using the virtual platform.

NEXT P.C. RESOLUTION 2025-08

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**CALL TO ORDER:**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**ROLL CALL:**

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

**COMMUNICATION:**

City Council Items:

Staff:

Commission:

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

**CONSENT CALENDAR:**

1. APPROVAL OF OCTOBER 14, 2025 P.C. MINUTES (LG)



**CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

NONE

**NEW PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

**2. GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENTS RELATED TO LANDSLIDE- (CASE NO. PLGP2025-0001): (BF)**

Request: To consider recommending to the City Council text amendments to the General Plan elements to update references associated with the adopted amendments to Rancho Palos Verdes Municipal Code Chapter 15.20, entitled “Greater Portuguese Bend Landslide Complex Regulations on Land Use Permits.”

Recommendation- Adopt P.C. Resolution No. 2025-\_\_, recommending to the City Council proposed text amendments to the General Plan elements to update the status of the landslide conditions and references associated with the new Rancho Palos Verdes Municipal Code Chapter 15.20, entitled “Greater Portuguese Bend Landslide Complex Regulations on Land Use Permits” approved with the adoption of Ordinance No. 692.

Action Deadline- N/A

CEQA- Categorically Exempt § 15060 (c)(3) and 15061 (b)(3)

**CONTINUED BUSINESS:**

NONE

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**3. MAJOR SITE PLAN REVIEW (CASE No. PLSR2025-0349): 5801 Crestridge Road (JB)**

Request- a finding of consistency with the Rancho Palos Verdes General Plan for the vacation of the sewer easement for the property located at 5801 Crestridge Road.

Recommendation- Adopt P.C. Resolution No. 2025-\_\_ finding the City’s vacation of the sewer easement on 5801 Crestridge Road is consistent with the City’s General Plan and determine the sewer easement vacation is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act requirements (Case No. PLSR2025-0349).

Action Deadline- December 1, 2025

CEQA- Categorically Exempt § 15060 (c)(3) and 15061 (b)(3)

## ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON FUTURE AGENDAS:

4. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON NOVEMBER 11, 2025.
5. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON NOVEMBER 25, 2025.
6. PRE-AGENDA FOR THE MEETING ON DECEMBER 9, 2025

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### ***Ordinances:***

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### ***Public Correspondence:***

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### ***Public Comments:***

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

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*Pursuant to GC 54957.95: (a)(1) In addition to authority exercised pursuant to Sections 54954.3 and 54957.9, the presiding member of the legislative body conducting a meeting or their designee may remove, or cause the removal of, an individual for disrupting the meeting. (2) Prior to removing an individual, the presiding member or their designee shall warn the individual that their behavior is disrupting the meeting and that their failure to cease their behavior may result in their removal. The presiding member or their designee may then remove the*

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

**Time Estimates:**

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

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