September 17, 2015

TO:        Beach Commission
FROM:      Gary Jones, Director

SUBJECT:   BEACH COMMISSION AGENDA – September 23, 2015

Enclosed is the agenda for your meeting of JUNE 24, 2015, together with the minutes of your June 24, 2015 meeting. Also enclosed are reports related to Agenda Items 4A, 5A, 5B, 5C, and 5D as well as the Beach Commission Attendance Report.

Please call me if you have any questions or need additional information.

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Enclosures
AGENDA
Meeting of the Beach Commission
September 23, 2015
9:30 a.m.
Burton Chace Park
13650 Mindanao Way
Marina del Rey, CA 90292

1. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

(June 24, 2015)

3. OLD BUSINESS

Lifeguard Headquarters Status (UPDATE)

4. NEW BUSINESS

A. El Niño prep and berm building (DISCUSSION)
B. Parks Funding (DISCUSSION)

5. STAFF REPORTS

A. Ongoing Activities Report (REPORT)
   • Board Actions on Items Relating to Beaches
B. Operational Services Division Report (REPORT)
   Regarding Beach Maintenance
C. Beach Special Events/Summer Activities (REPORT)
D. Capital Projects Status Report/Related Activities (REPORT)
E. Lifeguard Report (VERBAL REPORT)
6. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

7. COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC

8. NEXT MEETING DATE & LOCATION

Wednesday, October 28, 2015, 9:30 a.m. at Burton Chace Park Community Room.

9. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE NOTE:

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Department of Beaches and Harbors Administration Building
13837 Fiji Way
Marina del Rey, CA 90292

Marina del Rey Information Center
4701 Admiralty Way
Marina del Rey, CA 90292

Burton Chace Park Community Room
Lloyd Taber – Marina del Rey

Library
13650 Mindanao Way
Marina del Rey, CA 90292

4533 Admiralty Way
Marina del Rey, CA 90292

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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES BEACH COMMISSION
MINUTES OF June 23, 2015

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT
Wayne Powell, Chair
Rosie Dagit, Vice Chair
Walt Dougher
Thomas Brewer
Scott Sachs
Jeffrey S. Sallee
Mitch Ward
Anthea Raymond
Cris B. Liban
Chuck Milam
Margaret Levy

ABSENCES
Kelly McDowell
Thomas Barnes
Peter Tucker
Bruce Saito
Maureen O’Donnell
Virginia Kruger

STAFF PRESENT
Gary Jones, Director
John Kelly, Deputy Director, Facilities/Capital Projects/Maintenance/Traffic Planning, Harbor Engineering Bureau
Ken Foreman, Division Chief, Facilities and Property Maintenance Division
Carol Baker, Division Chief, Community & Marketing Services Division
Steve Moseley, Assistant Chief, Lifeguard Division, Los Angeles County Fire Department

GUEST SPEAKERS
Peter Wallerstein and Dean Gomersall of Marine Animal Rescue

MEETING LOCATION
Burton W. Chace Park Community Room

1. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
Commissioner Powell called the meeting to order at 9:41 a.m. He requested that Commissioner Scott Sachs lead everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance. Commissioners, staff and guests rose and delivered the pledge.
2. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Commissioner Powell motioned for approval of the April 22, 2015 meeting minutes. The Commissioners called for no changes and unanimously approved the minutes.

Motion to approve made by Commissioner Powell. Commissioner Dagit seconded. Minutes unanimously approved by the Commissioners.

3. **OLD BUSINESS**

NONE

4. **NEW BUSINESS**

A. Marine Animal Rescue

Peter Wallerstein and Dean Gomersall made a presentation on Marine Animal Rescue complete with anecdotes, statistics and photographic displays. Experts are needed to assess and transport injured and sick sea lions. Amateurs attempting to pick up and carry them have been bit on the face and arms. The San Pedro rehab center restricts its capacity. Opening a local rehab center in Los Angeles County, preferably at Dockweiler State Beach, would be tremendous. Animals that currently can’t be placed have to stay in the rescue truck, or be relocated to more distant rehab centers. Animal rehabilitation takes three months on average. Some sea lions have been affected by human beings using gill nets. The increasing warmth of coastal waters is forcing mother sea lions to search farther and farther out for food, forcing them to leave behind their young, who get lost and stranded. All animals leaving current rehab centers are tagged. “Re-strands” are rare. There is no practical or cost effective way to spay or neuter sea lions. The bulk of the sea lion population resides on the outer Channel Islands. Animals on these islands will continue to breed regardless of any spaying of rescued animals. Sea lions are a federally listed species that is rebounding. The funding goal for a new Los Angeles County located marine animal rescue center is $2.5 million. Between grants, contacts within the entertainment industry and concerts at the Santa Monica Civic Center Auditorium, Mr. Wallerstein has been raising funds on his own. There are 125 to 150 maximum average of sea lion strandings per year. Cost per rescued and rehabilitated sea lion averages $350 to $400 and includes food and veterinary care. There is a public safety component to this issue.

5. **STAFF REPORTS**

A. ONGOING ACTIVITIES REPORT
Carol Baker presented the written report on Gary Jones’ behalf.

B. BEACH AND MARINA DEL REY SPECIAL EVENTS

Carol Baker presented the written report.

C. FACILITIES AND PROPERTY MAINTENANCE DIVISION REPORT

Ken Foreman presented the written report and invited questions. Torrance restroom rehabilitation is expected to be completed by the end of June 2015.

D. CAPITAL PROJECTS STATUS REPORT/RELATED ACTIVITIES

John Kelly presented the report. All restrooms and showers are equipped with low flow heads, low flush toilets, waterless urinals, and automatic shut-offs. Vandalism is a problem. DBH staff have been admonished to do daily visual inspections for water leaks. At Zuma and Surfrider beaches, tertiary treated water is being leached into fenced-in leach fields. Projects are under consideration to recycle this water for restroom flushing which would further reduce potable water use.

E. LIFEGUARD REPORT

Chief Moseley delivered a verbal report, remarking in part that June gloom had just ended, summer is now in full swing, and that the new red lifeguard vehicles will soon be in use.

6. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Vice Chair, Commissioner Rosi Dagit introduced Andre Sanchez of AmeriCorps. Rosi and Andre spoke about the mission of AmeriCorps and invited questions.

Next Beach Commission Meeting scheduled for September 23, 2015.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Powell adjourned the meeting at 11:25 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Robert Curtis
Commission Secretary
September 17, 2015

TO: Beach Commission

FROM: Robert Curtis, Commission Secretary

SUBJECT: Item 4A – NEW BUSINESS

Discussion materials for agenda item “El Nino Preparation and Berm Building” were not available in time for today’s mail-out. A PowerPoint presentation will be distributed to all Commissioners and DBH Senior Staff as soon as it is made available.
September 17, 2015

To: Beach Commission

From: Gary Jones, Director

Subject: ITEM 4A - BEACH NEEDS ASSESSMENT 2015

In both 1992 and 1996, Los Angeles County voters approved a “Safe Neighborhood Parks Proposition,” commonly known individually as “Proposition A,” both of which provided a combined $859 million for park and open space acquisition, development, improvement, restoration, rehabilitation, protection and maintenance. In the 1992 Proposition A, the term “beaches” was specifically included, whereas in the 1996 version, it wasn’t. Nevertheless, the Department of Beaches and Harbors (Department) received funding from both propositions, $30 million from the 1992 Proposition A and $8 million from the 1996 Proposition A for capital projects on beaches the County owned or operated.

Recognizing both the success of the Propositions A and the expiration of those assessments, the Board of Supervisors (Board) placed Proposition P on the November 5, 2014 ballot, seeking to reset an assessment to continue a revenue stream similar to that of the prior Propositions A. Unfortunately, Proposition P failed to include the term “beaches” and, moreover, did not include a specific line item to provide funding directly to our Department. This is especially concerning as all of our Propositions A money has been fully expended, and we have no present annual allocation to our operating budget for capital project purposes.

Proposition P was not approved by the voters, felt, in part, to be due to the absence of a detailed analysis that described the needs the revenue would address. The Board, therefore, has provided a budget to the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) to produce a Countywide Comprehensive Parks and Recreation Needs Assessment, which will be developed through community outreach activities and a Countywide analysis of current public parks, open space, and cultural and recreational assets and needs, including all 88 cities, State and local agencies, and non-profit organizations. In addition, the Board has instructed DPR to work with other County Departments to research and analyze potential funding mechanisms for future park projects.

Again, County beaches have not been included in the needs assessment being undertaken by DPR or specifically identified in any of the Board actions. Accordingly, I have authorized an expenditure of Department dollars from our operating budget to undertake a needs assessment for beach facilities. We have a significant amount of deferred maintenance and of capital projects required related to beach infrastructure and facilities that must be addressed. Gruen Associates, one of our urban planning and design consultants, will catalog and cost estimate the deferred maintenance and unfunded beach projects. In addition, Keyser Marston Associates Inc., one of our economic consultants, will study and quantify the overall financial benefits that the County owned, controlled or managed beaches provide to the County’s economy.

It is expected our beach needs assessment will be completed in March 2016. Once received, not only will we be providing it to DPR, but also to each Board Office. We intend, as well, to provide a specific briefing to our Beach Deputies about the needs assessment. Finally, we intend to use the assessment to ensure that our inventory of beach projects is included in any future funding measure that may be initiated by the County.
September 17, 2015

TO: Beach Commission
FROM: Gary Jones, Director

SUBJECT: ITEM 5A - ONGOING ACTIVITIES REPORT

BOARD ACTIONS ON ITEMS RELATING TO BEACHES

On July 14, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the permit fee to $125 and parking fee to $5 per vehicle at Will Rogers State Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance; and authorize the Los Angeles Police Department, Training Division, the use of Will Rogers State Beach for the annual Division Picnic for officers, staff and their families, to be held August 8, 2015.

On July 14, 2015, the Board approved a motion to authorize the Director of Beaches and Harbors to execute economic consultant services master agreements with Allan D. Kotin & Associates, Bae Urban Economics, Inc., and Keyser Marston Associates to provide as-needed economic consultant services pertaining to Marina del Rey and County-owned, controlled or managed beaches (3 and 4), at an annual aggregate amount not to exceed $100,000 for an initial term of three years with three one-year extension options, on an as-needed and intermittent basis, for a potential total term of six years and a potential maximum amount of $600,000, effective upon execution; execute the three one-year extension options if, in the opinion of the Director, the contractors have effectively performed the services during the initial term and services are still required; increase the aggregate amount by up to 10%, annually ($10,000), in any year or any option period, for any additional or unforeseen services within the scope of these agreements; and execute master agreements with new contractors as the contractors become qualified throughout the term of the master agreements through the As-Needed Economic Consultant Services Request for Statement of Qualifications, execute individual work orders and suspend or terminate agreements.

On July 21, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the permit fee to $125, parking fees to $5 per vehicle and waive the $6,659 in gross receipts at Malibu Surfrider Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for participants of the 24th annual “Call to the Wall” contest hosted by the Malibu Boardriders Club, held July 18 and 19, 2015.
Only July 21, 2015, the Board approved a motion to waive parking fees for approximately 40 vehicles, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for members of California Walks to conduct the interactive outreach at Zuma Beach on July 25, 2015 and Malibu Surfrider Beach on July 26, 2015.

On July 21, 2015, the Board approved a motion to approve the use of Will Rogers State Beach for surfing classes by Palisades Charter High School’s Physical Education Program; and waive the $13,640 in parking fees, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for participants of the surfing classes, to be held August 2015 through June 2016.

On July 21, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the permit fee to $150, parking fee to $5 per vehicle for participants, and waive gross receipts in an estimated amount of $8,475 and parking fees for 120 volunteers and set up crew at Dockweiler State Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for the 31st Annual Jet to Jetty Run/Walk for Health hosted by the Airport Marina Counseling Service, to be held August 29, 2015.

On July 28, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the parking fee to $5 per vehicle for approximately 75 vehicles at Torrance Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for the Sunshine Kids Foundation’s annual beach party, to be held August 8, 2015.

On July 28, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the permit fee to $125 and the parking fee to $5 per vehicle at Zuma Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance; and authorize the use of Zuma Beach by the Los Angeles Police Department, Valley Traffic Division, for its annual beach party and family picnic for officers, staff and their families, to be held August 8, 2015.

On August 4, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the permit fee to $125 and the parking fee to $5 per vehicle at Will Rogers State Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance; and authorize the use of Will Rogers State Beach by the Los Angeles Police Department, West Los Angeles Division, for its annual beach party and family picnic for officers, staff and their families, to be held August 23, 2015.

On August 4, 2015, the Board approved a motion to waive 15% of the projected event revenue in the amount of $2,625, parking fees for six vehicles on September 12, 2015 for event set up, and to reduce parking fees to $5 per vehicle and the permit fee to $100
at Dockweiler State Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for the Evelyn’s Breast Friends Forever Foundation’s 3rd Annual Breast Cancer Run and Walk, to be held September 13, 2015.

On August 11, 2015, the Board approved a motion to reduce the permit fee to $150 and waive the estimated gross receipts in the amount of $3,168.75 at the Manhattan Beach Pier, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for the 40th Annual Catalina Classic Paddleboard Race, hosted by the Los Angeles County Lifeguards and local South Bay Firefighters, to be held August 30, 2015.

On August 18, 2015, the Board approved a motion to authorize the use of Zuma Beach for the 28th Annual Malibu Triathlon event; and waive the gross receipts in the amount of $187,000, reduce the permit fee to $125 and the parking fee to $5 per vehicle during event and set-up days at Zuma Beach and Point Dume Beach, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for the 28th Annual Malibu Triathlon event, to be held September 19 through 20, 2015.

On August 18, 2015, the Board approved a motion to establish the Marina Beach General Improvements Project, Capital Project No. 88995 (4), with a total Project budget of $5,580,000 for the refurbishing of an existing restroom building with a more contemporary design, removing and replacing the covered group picnic shelters with similar contemporary structures, resurfacing the waterfront promenade with integral colored concrete and interlocking pavers and repairing and enhancing the existing landscaped areas with bioswale planters. The Board approved an appropriation adjustment to transfer $5,432,000 from the Marina Accumulative Capital Outlay Fund to the Fiscal Year 2015-16 Capital Projects/Refurbishment Budget to complete funding for the Project; authorize the Director of Public Works to deliver the Project using a Board-approved Job Order Contract; and find that the proposed Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act.

On August, 18, 2015, the Board approved a motion to authorize the Director of Beaches and Harbors to incur up to $750 in incidental expenses in connection with the Department’s “DBH Fitness Day” held in conjunction with the Countywide Fitness Challenge “Chill Out” event at Dockweiler State Beach on August 29, 2015.

GJ:CB:rc
September 17, 2015

TO: Beach Commission
FROM: Gary Jones, Director

SUBJECT: ITEM 5B – OPERATIONAL SERVICES DIVISION PROJECT REPORT

Item 5C on your agenda provides the Commission with a listing of the Department’s projects that are either planned or in progress. There were 26 service requests placed with the County’s Internal Services Department to perform work that was considered too large for our internal staff to handle. Shown below is a brief list of those projects that exceed $10,000:

- Replace stairs near Knob Hill Avenue at Redondo Beach – estimated cost $12,000
- Repair chain link fence – Zuma Beach Maintenance Yard – estimated cost $22,822
- Renovate restroom below Miramar Park – Torrance Beach – estimated cost $10,000
- Renovate Recreational Vehicle Park – Dockweiler Beach – estimated cost $200,000
- Expand staff parking at Dockweiler Maintenance Yard – estimated cost $10,000
- Renovate restroom at Topanga Beach – estimated cost $75,000
- Renovate restroom at Malibu Surfrider – estimated cost $250,000

Replace stairs near Knob Hill Avenue at Redondo Beach – $12,000

The existing concrete stairs are in need of repair. The scope includes using concrete products to fill in spalling or chipped steps in order to provide an even surface.

Status: Project was completed August 2015.

Repair chain link fence – Zuma Beach Maintenance Yard – $22,822

The perimeter chain link fencing is being replaced due to rust and deterioration. The new fence will be made with black poly-coated posts and fabric (chain link) and a new privacy screen.

Status: Project is in review for pricing and scheduling.
Renovate restroom below Miramar Park – Torrance Beach – $10,000

The scope of the project is to install new doors and to paint the interior of the restroom and the new doors.

Status: Project is currently in review for pricing and scheduling.

Renovate Recreational Vehicle Park – Dockweiler Beach – $200,000

The scope includes replacing 500 lineal feet of water line for the RVs; installing 500 lineal feet for future water main replacement; installing 20 new stainless power pedestals; grinding and repaving a portion of the pavement; restriping and repainting the work site; and painting the office and restrooms.

Status: Project is currently being quoted to decide final scope of work and will be performed during the month of January.

Expand staff parking at Dockweiler Maintenance Yard – $10,000

The scope includes removing some of the landscape planters and expanding the current parking area to accommodate extra staff and shift overlaps.

Status: Project is in review and is scheduled to be finished in winter 2015/16.

Renovate restroom at Topanga Beach – $75,000

The scope includes replacing old plumbing fixtures with modern, more efficient fixtures; replacing the partitions; adding hand dryers; replacing the tile; and painting the interior and exterior of the building.

Status: Project is in review for pricing and is due to be completed winter 2015/16.

Renovate restroom at Malibu Surfrider –$250,000

The scope includes replacing old plumbing fixtures with modern, more efficient fixtures; replacing the partitions and benches; adding hand dryers; replacing the doors and tile; repairing the damaged sewer laterals; refinishing the floors; and painting the interior and exterior of the building.

Status: Project is in review for pricing and is due to be completed winter 2015/16.

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September 17, 2015

TO: Beach Commission
FROM: Gary Jones, Director

SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM 5C – BEACH AND MARINA DEL REY SPECIAL EVENTS

BEACH EVENTS

DOCKWEILER YOUTH CENTER TAI CHI
Dockweiler Youth Center • 12505 Vista del Mar • Los Angeles
Mondays and Thursdays
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Come and experience Tai Chi class to learn and practice the forms that promote relaxation, balance, coordination, flexibility and strength.

For more information: Call (310) 726-4128

DOCKWEILER YOUTH CENTER YOGA
Dockweiler Youth Center • 12505 Vista del Mar • Los Angeles
Mondays and Fridays
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Wednesdays
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Grab your mat and experience the ultimate yoga workout that promotes flexibility, breathing and relaxation techniques, while strengthening and toning muscles. All levels welcome.

For more information: Call (310) 726-4128 or email to ola.power.yoga@gmail.com
DOCKWEILER YOUTH CENTER FREE ZUMBA
Dockweiler Youth Center ♦ 12505 Vista del Mar ♦ Los Angeles
Mondays
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Wednesdays and Fridays
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Ditch your boring workout and join the Los Angeles County Department of Beaches and Harbors’ (Department) Zumba class at the Dockweiler Youth Center!

For more information: Call (310) 726-4128

DOCKWEILER YOUTH CENTER MEDITATION CLASS
Dockweiler Youth Center ♦ 12505 Vista del Mar ♦ Los Angeles
Wednesdays
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Join the meditation class to learn, build, and apply meditation to your life.

For more information: Call (310) 726-4128

SHORE FISHING
Dockweiler Youth Center ♦ 12505 Vista del Mar ♦ Los Angeles
Saturdays
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

The Department is offering an introduction to shore fishing class. Come enjoy a beautiful morning of fishing from the shores of Dockweiler Beach. Fishing poles and bait will be provided at no cost. All ages are welcome. Anyone under the age of 12 years old must be accompanied by an adult. Anyone over the age of 16 years old must present a valid California fishing license to participate. Fishing licenses can be purchased locally at West Marine: 4750 Admiralty Way, Marina del Rey, CA, 90292, (310) 823-5357 or Marina del Rey Sportfishing: 13759 Fiji Way, Marina del Rey, CA, 90292 (310) 371-3712. Please call to pre-register at (310)726-4128. *Limited to 10 participants per session.

For more information: Call (310) 726-4128
DOCKWEILER YOUTH CENTER MAKE IT AND TAKE IT CRAFT DAY
Dockweiler Youth Center ♦ Lobby ♦ 12505 Vista del Mar ♦ Los Angeles
Saturdays
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

The Department is offering a FREE crafts class every Saturday morning. All children under 12 are welcome with an adult.

For more information: Call (310) 726-4128

MARINA DEL REY EVENTS

BURTON CHACE PARK WALKING CLUB
Burton Chace Park ♦ Lobby ♦ 13650 Mindanao Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Tuesdays & Thursdays
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

The Department is sponsoring a FREE one-hour walking club. Get your exercise while taking in the beautiful view of the Marina del Rey harbor. Please RSVP by calling (310) 305-9595.

For more information: Call (310) 305-9595

BURTON CHACE PARK AEROBICS CLASS
Burton Chace Park ♦ Lobby ♦ 13650 Mindanao Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Wednesdays beginning October 7, 2015
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

The Department is offering FREE indoor group aerobics classes that combine rhythmic aerobic exercise with stretching and strength training routines with the goal of improving all elements of fitness. Come get in shape with an experienced instructor at beautiful Burton Chace Park. Ages 13 and up. Please RSVP by calling (310) 305-9595.

For more information: Call (310) 305-9595
"BEACH EATS" GOURMET FOOD TRUCKS IN MARINA DEL RAY
Marina "Mother's" Beach ♦ 4101 Admiralty Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Thursdays through October 1, 2015
5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

The Department is sponsoring gourmet food trucks in Marina del Rey offering delectable dishes plus a chance to picnic on the beach. The assortment of trucks varies week to week. Paid parking is available at the beach parking lot #10 for 25 cents for every 10 minutes.

For more information: Call Marina del Rey Visitors Center at (310) 305-9545

MARINA DEL REY FARMERS’ MARKET
Parking Lot #11 ♦ 14101 Panay Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Saturdays
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

The Department, in collaboration with Southland Farmers’ Markets Association, is offering the Marina del Rey Farmers’ Market on Saturdays. The Marina del Rey Farmers’ Market offers fresh, locally-grown organic and conventionally grown fruits and veggies. Also available are prepared and packaged foods, hand-crafted products and much more! Paid parking is available for 25 cents for every 10 minutes.

For more information: Call Marina del Rey Visitors Center at (310) 305-9545

FISHERMAN’S VILLAGE WEEKEND CONCERT SERIES
13755 Fiji Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Sponsored by Pacific Ocean Management, LLC
All concerts are from 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 26th
Bob DeSena, playing Latin Jazz

Sunday, September 27th
2Azz1, playing Jazz & Funk

For more information: Call Pacific Ocean Management at (310) 822-6866
**BEACH SHUTTLE**
Ongoing through September 27, 2015
Fridays and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Sundays from 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Catch a free ride on the Beach Shuttle to and from Playa Vista, Marina del Rey and Venice, and enjoy the surf, sand and surroundings of Marina del Rey in a hassle-free and relaxing way. The Beach Shuttle operates on weekends, with a special route to and from the Abbot Kinney Festival on Sunday, September 27th.

For more information: Call Marina del Rey Visitor Center (310) 305-9545

**HISTORIC HARBOR TOURS**
Fisherman's Village ♦ 13755 Fiji Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Ongoing through November 29, 2015

In celebration of Marina del Rey's 50th birthday in 2015, the Department is offering Historic Harbor Tours this summer. Explore the largest man-made small craft harbor in North America and enjoy a 45-minute informative narrated historic tour through the scenic waterways of Marina del Rey from the comfort of a beautiful, classic wooden yacht, operated by Hornblower Cruises & Events.

The fare is $1.00 per guest and availability is on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Fridays: 1:00 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 4:00 p.m.
Saturdays & Sundays: 11:30 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 4:00 p.m.

For more information: Call Marina del Rey Visitors Center at (310) 305-9545

**DISCOVER MARINA DEL REY 2015**
Burton Chace Park ♦ 13650 Mindanao Way ♦ Marina del Rey
Sunday, October 11, 2015
11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

The Department is sponsoring Discover Marina del Rey Day 2015, a community event that can be enjoyed free of charge and features booths from various organizations on health, safety and the environment, plus water events, games, music, arts & crafts and children's marionette shows. Visitors who wish to access the popular inflatable games must pay $5.00 for a wristband. Food and beverages are also available for purchase from the gourmet food trucks.
Event parking is available for $8.00 in County Lots #77 and #4 located at 13560 and 13500 Mindanao Way respectively.

For more information: Call Marina del Rey Visitors Center at (310) 305-9545

HALLOWEEN HAUNT
Burton Chace Park ♦ 13650 Mindanao Way ♦ Marina del Rey, CA 90292
Saturday, October 31, 2015
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

On Halloween, the Department transforms Burton Chace Park into a spooky scene for “Halloween Haunt.” Those who dare to enter the park will encounter pirates, zombies and other special characters that only come out on this haunting Halloween night. We will also be showing a hit scary movie at 7:00 p.m. Halloween treats will be provided for trick-or-treaters!

For more information: Call Burton Chace Park at (310) 305-9595

THE TORCH REPLAY FOR CHILDREN'S MIRACLE NETWORK
Redondo Beach
Saturday, November 14, 2015
10:00 a.m.

Join in the Los Angeles County’s segment of the Torch Relay for the Children’s Miracle Network Hospitals’ 5k walk/5k run, which begins on the East Coast and moves to the West Coast then heads back to the East Coast. The participants help to raise money for equipment and for uncompensated care. All proceeds benefit the Children’s Miracle Network Hospitals.

For more information: Call (800) 409-2544 or visit the website www.torch-relay.org/la

GJ:CB:rc
September 17, 2015

TO: Beach Commission
FROM: Gary Jones, Director

SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM 5D – CAPITAL PROJECTS STATUS REPORT/RELATED ACTIVITIES

Item 5D on your agenda provides the Commission with a status report on the Department's two beach capital projects.

CAPITAL PROJECTS

Supervisors District 3

(1) Beach Restroom Septic System Replacement Program

Supervisors District 4

(2) Beach Restrooms Refurbishment Project

GRAND TOTAL

13,766,000

$ 2,686,400

$16,474,400

(1) Beach Restroom Septic System Replacement Program
This program consists of replacing septic systems and leach fields at 16 County operated beach locations in the Topanga and Malibu areas. Each project includes the removal of existing septic pumps and tanks and installation of an advanced treatment septic system, including pumps, tanks, telemetry monitoring system, filter pods, and leach field.

Status: Restroom No 2 was completed in August 2015. With this, all 16 restrooms have been completed deeming this project complete.

(2) Beach Restrooms Refurbishment Project
The project will refurbish five beach restrooms, including two at Manhattan Beach (El Porto and 8th Street), two at Redondo Beach (Avenues I and G), and the one at Royal Palms Beach. The scope at each of the restrooms will include repair of damaged roof structure, structural masonry walls, and wood beams; ADA upgrades; replace sinks, toilets, shower heads, partitions, doors, and gates; refinish interior floors and walls; repaint exterior of the building; and upgrade electrical service panel and wall-mounted security lighting.

The project will also replace 20 stand-alone pylon showers, including 12 located along the Marvin Braude bike path at Manhattan Beach, five at Redondo Beach, two at Torrance
Beach, and one at Royal Palms Beach. Also, two stand-alone drinking fountains will be replaced at Redondo Beach.

*Status:* Construction at Royal Palms Beach restroom began in June 2015 with completion expected by end of October 2015. Porta potty restrooms are being provided during construction.

Construction at the Avenue I and G restrooms in Redondo Beach began in August 2015. Construction at these restrooms is expected to last four months.

The remaining restrooms at Manhattan Beach will be done in the fall of the current year.

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## LOS ANGELES COUNTY BEACH COMMISSION ATTENDANCE REPORT 2015

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