

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR HOLLY J. MITCHELL

October 7, 2025

2025 Ocean Lifeguard Candidate Swim Test Parking Fee Waiver

On Saturday, October 11, 2025, the Los Angeles County Fire Department (Department) will host their Ocean Lifeguard Candidate Swim Test at Dockweiler State Beach. The Ocean Lifeguard Candidate Swim Test is a critical component of the Department’s Ocean Lifeguard Candidate Examination (Exam No. 32922W). The test is designed to ensure that candidates possess the necessary skills and physical fitness to perform rescues and maintain safety in a challenging marine environment. Lifeguards must be strong swimmers capable of navigating various ocean conditions, including currents, waves, and tides. The test ensures candidates can swim efficiently and effectively in open water. Due to the high number of participants and anticipated traffic, the Dockweiler Youth Center parking lot is the only suitable parking option. Waiving parking fees will facilitate safe and efficient access for the hundreds of vehicles expected to attend the Ocean Lifeguard Candidate Swim Test.

I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Instruct the Director of the Department of Beaches and Harbors to waive parking fees in the amount of \$4,000 for up to 500 vehicles, excluding the cost of liability insurance, at the Dockweiler Youth Center parking lot for the Ocean Lifeguard Candidate Swim Test hosted by the Los Angeles County Fire Department on Saturday, October 11, 2025, at Dockweiler State Beach.

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