

City Manager Updates - May 24, 2019

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UPCOMING WEEK

- Monday, May 27 - [Memorial Day Holiday Closure of City Hall and City facilities](#)
- Tuesday, May 28 - [Regular City Council meeting](#)
- Wednesday, May 29 - [Joint Special Meeting of Cultural Arts, Parks & Recreation, and Public Safety Commissions on potential sale of City-owned property to Fire Dept](#)
- Wednesday, May 29 - [Malibu Smart Rainwater & Greywater Reuse Workshop](#)
- Thursday, May 30 - [Senior Center Excursion - Melting Pot Food Tour of East L.A.](#)
- Thursday, May 30 - [LA County Waterworks Info Meeting for Encinal Canyon Homeowners](#)

PCH NIGHTTIME PAVING WORK

Caltrans plans to close a lane of eastbound and one lane of westbound PCH next week for nighttime paving work, between 9:00 PM and 5:00 AM. The closures are weather permitting and subject to change. Motorists can check traffic conditions on the [Caltrans Quickmap site](#).

- Tuesday, May 28: eastbound PCH from Big Rock Dr to Topanga Canyon Blvd
- Wednesday, May 29: eastbound PCH from Big Rock Dr to Topanga Canyon Blvd
- Thursday, May 30: eastbound PCH from Chautauqua Blvd to McClure Tunnel
- Friday, May 31: westbound PCH from McClure Tunnel to Chautauqua Blvd

CERT PROGRAM GRANT

The City has been notified that it will receive a grant of \$13,500 from the State of California to support our Community Emergency Response Team ([CERT](#)) program.

SHERIFF'S SUMMER BEACH TEAM STARTS THIS WEEKEND

The [Sheriff's Summer Beach Team program](#) begins Memorial Day weekend, traditionally the first major summer beach weekend. They will also deploy increased vehicle and motorcycle patrols to address traffic and safety issues on PCH and bicycle patrols in the Civic Center area to help ensure the safety of visitors and residents.

PRIMARY VIEW DETERMINATION HOLD

A draft ordinance will be presented to the Planning Commission on June 17 establishing a one-year hold on Primary View Determination requests within a 1,000-foot radius of fire-affected areas. Previously established Primary View Determinations will remain valid and all Primary View Determinations outside of the fire affected areas will continue to be processed. The purpose of the ordinance is to protect fire victims from having artificially "improved" views established over their properties that could limit the size and/or location of replacement structures or landscaping in the future. For more information, contact Jessica Colvard at jcolvard@malibucity.org.

ANCHOR FOR MALIBU SCULPTURE INSTALLATION

Installation of the Anchor for Malibu Sculpture is expected to begin the week of June 3 at Legacy Park. The 3300-pound basalt rock sculpture was donated to the City in 2017 and will become the first major piece of artwork donated specifically for display within a City park. Acceptance of the sculpture and location were approved by the Cultural Arts and Parks and Recreation Commissions before final approval by City Council in early 2019. Once installed, City staff will complete the project by updating the surrounding landscape before the sculpture is officially unveiled later this summer.

RADICAL BEAUTY ART EXHIBITION OPENING RECEPTION MAY 22

The City hosted the opening reception for the Cultural Arts Commission's Art Exhibition, "Radical Beauty, Malibu Rising: Reflections on the Woolsey Fire" at City Hall on Wednesday, May 22. Community members submitted art work, including paintings, drawings, photos, poetry, videos and songs related to the Woolsey Fire. The exhibition will be on display at City Hall until the end of summer.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON (SCE) VEGETATION MANAGEMENT

SCE completed work in Grid 6 (Bonsall Cyn) the week of May 13. Work was expected to begin in Grid 8 (between Kanan Dume and Murphy Way, north of PCH) this week, but was postponed and is expected to begin May 24. The City's arborist consultant continues to monitor and provide feedback on the work. Approximately 142 protected trees are proposed to have seasonal growth trimmed back to the previous year's cut, and approximately four of those trees on one property are proposed for heavy trimming. The Grid 8 list and map are posted on [the City SCE page](#). SCE is also currently conducting pre-inspections in areas east of Malibu Cyn Rd.

LA COSTA PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS

This project consists of installing a pedestrian hybrid traffic signal on an existing crosswalk located adjacent to the La Costa Beach Club on PCH. The contractor has started the construction of this project and will continue for approximately six weeks.

CIVIC CENTER WATER TREATMENT FACILITY PHASE 2

The City received two proposal for the design of the Civic Center Water Treatment Facility (CCWTF) Phase 2. Staff will be reviewing the proposal and will be scheduling interviews with the consultants on June 4.

CIVIC CENTER STORMWATER TREATMENT FACILITY

Public Works will be painting the building of the Civic Center Stormwater Treatment Facility. The work will be completed by May 29.

REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS (RFP'S) CURRENTLY OUT FOR BID

- [RFP for Contract Planning Services](#) - Closes May 24
- [RFP for Biological Consulting Services](#) - Closes May 24

To see all open bids and to sign up to receive notifications when bids are posted, visit the [City's Bids webpage](#).

SAVE THE DATE

A Joint Special Meeting of the Cultural Arts, Parks & Recreation, and Public Safety Commissions regarding the potential sale of two acres of the recently purchased property located at 23575 Civic Center Way/23789 Stuart Ranch Road (also known as the Ioki Parcel) to the Los Angeles County Fire Department has been scheduled for Wednesday, May 29 at 5:30 PM. [The agenda is posted.](#)

The City's Planning Department is offering free one-on-one rebuild consultations on Saturday, June 1 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM at Malibu City Hall, by appointment. To make an appointment, contact Aundrea Cruz at acruz@malibucity.org or 310-456-2489 ext. 379.

The Los Angeles County Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission is seeking community input regarding Sheriff's Department services at a [town hall meeting](#) on Saturday, June 1 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM at Malibu City Hall.

A Public Safety and Preparedness Expo is scheduled on Saturday, June 15 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM at the Trancas Country Market. For more information, call 310-456-2489 ext. 313 or [visit the event page](#).

The Planning Commission will hold a public hearing during their regular meeting on Monday, July 1 about the proposed Total Development Square Footage (TDSF)/Mansionization Ordinance and the Conditional Use Permit (CUP) amendment for Soho House. The TDSF/Mansionization draft ordinance would reduce the maximum square footage limits for homes in Malibu. The draft ordinance and agenda report will be published [on the City website](#) on June 14.

E-NOTIFICATIONS

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