# City Manager's Report

CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA

Sept. 24 2019



## City of Huntington Beach Studies a New Option for a Navigation Center

- Three Community Open Houses are Scheduled to Engage Public and Nearby Businesses City Council will review options at the Monday October 7 City Council meeting during the Study Session at 3:30 pm, and during the Regular Meeting starting at 6:00 pm.
- WHY: As you may remember, the City purchased a building this past spring for a Navigation Center to help transition our homeless population to stable housing. However, that site may not work so we are obligated to look at other potential sites to address the growing homelessness issues in our town. With that, the City has narrowed a new search to another property at 17881 Beach Boulevard (the former Al's Woodcraft site). This site may accommodate approximately 35-60 beds.

WHO: Opening a 35 to 60 bed Navigation Center will allow the City to compassionately enforce Library Programs & Events our laws against loitering and camping in our parks and open spaces, as we assist the homeless in transitioning to housing here or elsewhere. Our anti-camping laws are an important tool in reducing homeless encampments and ensuring the safety and well-being of residents, business owners, and visitors. It will also help keep our parks, beaches, and open spaces safe and clean.

**INPUT**: The City plans to host three Open Houses for the community:

- Thurs., September 26, from 6 to 8pm at the Central Library (7111 Talbert) in Room C & D
- Sat., September 28, from 10am to noon at City Hall (2000 Main Street) in the Lower Level
- Tues., October 1, from 6 to 8pm at the Central Library in Room C & D

City and other representatives will provide information, listen to concerns, and discuss options. Those attending include City officials, law enforcement, potential shelter operators, members of the City's Homeless Task Force, case management representatives, and more.

WHERE: After evaluating over 40 locations, the City is considering leasing a location at 17881 Beach Boulevard, Huntington Beach.

WHAT: The proposed Center will provide beds for adult men, women and couples. There will be an approval process for potential clients including: no "walk-ins" or "walking-out," no registered sex offenders (290's) or open felony warrants, and no unruly clients. Length of stay can be up to 90 days, which could be extended if the homeless client is in process for housing. Clients living at the Navigation Center can stay on-site during the day and obtain needed services such as health care, counseling, job training and more. The clients will be driven to and from the site. The Center will be fenced in to prohibit any loitering around the area, assisted by additional police patrols.

WHEN: The City may open the Navigation Center later this year. The City Council is likely to consider the project at the October 7 City Council Meeting, including a presentation during a 3:30 pm Study Session and also during the Regular Meeting starting at 6 pm. If a lease is executed, the next steps include tenant improvements, selection of a qualified homeless shelter operator, and finalizing operating costs and funding.

For further information regarding the City's response to homelessness visit our website at: www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/homelessness

Navigation Center Updates & Three Open Houses

Sustainable Business Certification Program Workshop

National Preparedness Month & Fire Department Open House

**Huntington Gateway approved** 

"Backyard" opens at Bella Terra

Huntington Beach Alarm Program & Police Department Open House

Public Art Master Plan

Coastal/Inner-Coastal Clean-Up Day was a success.

Art Center News

#### Inside this issue:

CITY MANAGER	1-3
FIRE DEPARTMENT	4-6
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	7
BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT INFOMRATION SERVICES	8-9
LIBRARY SERVICES	10-13
POLICE DEPARTMENT	14-17
PUBLIC WORKS	18
COMMUNITY SERVICES	19-22
EVENITS	23-25



# **Community Invited**

# ADDRESSING HOMELESSNESS IN HB OPEN HOUSE

The City is considering opening a shelter at 17881 Beach Boulevard, Huntington Beach. We invite you to come:

- Share your thoughts and provide input
- Hear from City staff, law enforcement, community partners and experts in shelter operations
- Learn more about the City's approach in dealing with this complex issue

# **Three Community Open Houses**

Thurs., Sept. 26 from 6 to 8pm Central Park Library at 7111 Talbert Rooms C & D

Sat., Sept. 28 from 10am to Noon City Hall at 2000 Main Street Lower Level

Tues., Oct. 1 from 6 to 8pm Central Library at 7111 Talbert Rooms C & D



#### OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

# Sustainable Business Certification Program co-hosts a workshop with CIELO on October 25, 2019

Have you been thinking about how to make your cleaning service business stand out?

Are you interested in starting a green cleaning service business in Huntington Beach?

In collaboration with CIELO, the City of Huntington Beach invite you to an interactive, handson workshop for cleaning service businesses. Come and learn about how to become a Certified Green Business with the city, as well as marketing assistance and green, non-toxic cleaning alternatives that can save you \$\$ in a long run.

There is also one-time opportunity to tap into \$500 rebate program on a first-come, first-served basis.

To register or for more information, contact City Manager's Office at 714-536-5202.



#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

### FIRE DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

In recognition of Fire Prevention Week, the Huntington Beach Fire Department will be holding its annual Open House on Saturday, October 12, at Fire Station 1-Gothard (18311 Gothard Street, 92648) from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. This year's theme is "Not every hero wears a cape. Plan and practice your escape!"

There will be fire and rescue demonstrations including a special fireworks presentation by the Orange County Sheriff's Department, educational safety handouts, tours of the fire station, staging of emergency apparatus including Marine Safety equipment, Sparky the Fire Dog, and HBFD firefighters.





# HUNTINGTON BEACH FIRE DEPARTMENT 2019 OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, October 12 10am to 2pm

Fire Station 1 - Gothard
18311 Gothard Street

Firefighting Demonstrations at 11:00 am & 1:00 pm include:

House Fire, Vehicle Extrication, Residential Fire Sprinkler System, & Fireworks Demo by OC Sheriff's Dept.

In recognition of National Fire Prevention Week (firepreventionweek.org)

NOT EVERY HERO WEARS A CAPE. PLAN AND PRACTICE YOUR ESCAPE!

714 536-5411 FOR MORE INFO

Refreshments prepared courtesy of the Huntington Beach Firefighters' Association and beverages provided by the Fire Management Association

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

## National Preparedness Month - Get Educated

National Preparedness Month (NPM) is observed each September and is sponsored by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) within the Department of Homeland Security. NPM encourages Americans to take simple, but important steps to prepare for emergencies in their homes, businesses, schools, and communities.

Preparing for a disaster is a top priority of the city's Emergency Management and Homeland Security Program. Countless hours have been spent preparing disaster plans, training our employees and volunteers, organizing exercises, and ensuring that the city is prepared for emergencies that may occur in our community. However, we cannot do it on our own. This week the focus will be on the various Fire Department programs that provide education and assistance.

#### **COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAMS (CERT)**

Created in 1991, the Huntington Beach Fire Department's CERT (Community Emergency Response Teams) Program is a FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) endorsed training program that prepares you to help yourself, your family, your neighbors and your community in the event of a disaster. CERT training sessions include personal home and family preparedness, disaster first aid and triage, disaster psychology, fire suppression, light search and rescue, and terrorism awareness.

CERT volunteers also help the City by responding with sand bags during flooding, staffing first aid booths during large events, and assisting the Fire Department with volunteers during events and emergencies.

For information about the CERT Program, www.HuntingtonBeachca.gov/CERT

## RADIO AMATEUR CIVIL EMERGENCY SERVICES (RACES)

During an emergency, normal lines of communications can fail leaving amateur radio communications as the only means to communicate. As volunteers, RACES members use their personal equipment and skills to provide amateur radio ("HAM") communication to support the Fire and Police departments in special events and emergencies throughout the year. HAM radio is a technical hobby known around the world, and often used for public service needs. HAM radio operators are ready to supply reliable communications when normal lines fail, and can contact someone across the street, across the globe, or even outer space.

For information about RACES, visit <a href="https://www.HuntingtonBeachca.gov/RACES">www.HuntingtonBeachca.gov/RACES</a>

## SENIOR HOME INSPECTION PROGRAM (PROJECT SHIP)

Did you know that senior citizens can have a free fire safety home inspection? Project SHIP, the Senior Home Inspection Program, is sponsored by the Huntington Beach Fire Department in coalition with Seniors' Outreach. SHIP volunteers conduct free home fire safety inspections for seniors who are at least 60 years old and a resident of Huntington Beach. The fire safety inspection includes installation of a free smoke detector and a carbon monoxide detector (while supplies last). Volunteers are provided a solid knowledge on identifying and eliminating home safety hazards as well as a basic education in issues pertaining to seniors with special needs.

For information about Project SHIP, please leave a voicemail message at 714-375-1615 or go to www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/departments/fire/fire prevention code enforcement/ship/.

### **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

# **Huntington Gateway Approved by the City**



The redevelopment of 30 acres at the northeast corner of Bolsa Chica Street and Bolsa Avenue was approved by the City last week. The project will be developed and owned by the Sares-Regis Group, and consists of over 600,000 square feet of new flexible office, warehouse and industrial space. Demolition of the former Boeing 8-story office building has already occurred with site work currently underway. Project construction is expected to start this fall. The developer is projecting that the project will result in over 500 construction jobs and 1,300 operations jobs in the City of Huntington Beach.



## OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT (OBD)



#### **Boeing Awarded Navy Contract**

Boeing, CO. was recently awarded \$10,849,103 in contract funds by the Naval Sea Systems Command for engineering services in support of their Extra Large Unmanned Vehicle program. Specific services that will be covered under this contract include further development and study of additional capabilities, payloads,

operational uses, and deployment scenarios. All the proposed work will take place in Huntington Beach with an anticipated completion by September 2020.

#### Kathy May's Licensing

Kathy May's Restaurant has been operating in Central Park, adjacent to Lake Huntington, since 2011. Kathy May had been providing classic American cuisine to her patrons until her untimely passing in 2018. One of Kathy May's visions was to serve beer and wine as part of her menu options. In early 2018, Councilmember Brenden directed staff to investigate code amendments to allow the sale of beer and wine at full service restaurants within Central Park. The Planning Commission approved a Zoning Text Amendment which was approved by the City Council on May 7, 2018.

In 2019, the Zoning Administrator approved a Conditional Use Permit approving the application for beer and wine sales. As the final step, OBD staff renegotiated a new lease with Kathy May's Restaurant Inc. to allow the sale of beer and wine on the premises. In August, the State's Alcohol Beverage Control Department issued a Type 41 License approving the sale of beer and wine as part of dining options.



### **Huntington Beach Hosts BMX Pro Finals**

On September 15, the Vans skate park in Huntington Beach hosted the Vans BMX Pro Cup World Championship after a four-nation tour that included Mexico, Australia, and Germany. The co-ed competition showcased competition from 70 BMX riders that included hundreds of spectators over the course of three days. Winners of the competition were given monetary prizes with the top winner earning up to \$12,500.



#### OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

#### "Backyard" opens at Bella Terra

DJM recently completed the redesign of more than 1 million square feet of mixed-use open space that will include open air shopping, dining, residential lifestyle center, and entertainment. The two-year project, also known as The Green & Garden outdoor space, has generated plenty of interest and has already signed five new leases to anchor the area. Updates to the areas include modern design elements, renovation of the garden area into an al fresco space with top retailers, restaurants, and open space for performances and gatherings.

New tenants include Comebuy Tea, HB Hot by Four Sons, Silverlake Ramen, and Somi Somi. You can learn more about Bella Terra and its various businesses by visiting <a href="http://www.djmcapital.com/bella-terra">http://www.djmcapital.com/bella-terra</a>.



### **INFORMATION SERVICES**

Did you know you can get an online estimate of building permit construction fees based on your project valuation on the City Website? To find a quick link to this **Fee Calculator** online application, click on the Services navigation tab and then click on Planning and Construction.

A link to the Fee Calculator will be on the Planning and Construction page.

http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/departments/building\_safety/ permit\_center/fee\_schedule\_information.cfm

#### LIBRARY SERVICES



# An Evening with J.A. Jance Monday, September 30, at 7 pm

Friends of the Huntington Beach Library presents New York Times best-selling author, J.A. Jance. She has written more than 50 novels spread across four different mystery series, as well as a collection of poetry and essays.

Her latest novel, <u>The A List</u>, was published in April and is the 17th in the Ali Reynolds series. Born Judith Ann Jance in South Dakota, she became known simply as J.A. Jance at the urging of the publisher of her first novel in 1985 who convinced to use a gender-neutral pen name because she was writing mystery novels about a male detective. She is a graduate of

the University of Arizona. Before becoming a novelist, she worked as a school librarian, a teacher and an insurance agent.

The event will take place at the Central Library in the theater; doors will open at 6:30 p.m. Event fee is \$12 member \$15 non-member

- Pay online: www.fotlhb.com Under Programs & Special Events
- Pay at Friends Gift Shop: Cash or Check For information: 714-375-8429
- Mail-In Reservations: FOTL J.A. Jance Event, 7111 Talbert Ave., Huntington Beach, CA 92648

#### LIBRARY SERVICES

#### **Oak View Branch Library**

Fall at the Library means lots of activities and the Oak View Library has plenty of them in store. Children up to four years old and their parents are invited to the next **Bilingual Storytime** (in English/Spanish) on **Friday, September 27, at 10:00 am**.

Join Miss Amy at the Oak View branch library to hear two fun stories-In Autumm/En Otoño and The Busy Little Squirrel by Nancy Tafuri, as well as delightful music, fingerplays and more --followed by an easy craft with a fall theme. Also on hand is Mr. Kevin, who will provide the musical accompaniment for the songs! Older children are welcome to attend as well.



Later that same day, school-aged kids are welcome to the **After-noon Stories and Crafts** session with Miss Maribel. Starting **at 2:00 pm**, she will take those in attendance on an adventure to the Circus, and the kids will get to make a clown puppet to take home!

For those students more inclined to games of logic, the **Oak View Chess Club** has resumed activity. On **Friday, September 27, and Friday, October 4**, school-aged kids interested in learning how to play chess and/or who just want to practice and improve their skills, can meet at the Oak View library **at 3:30 pm** for over an hour

Spanish/English
BILINGUAL STORY TIME

boy
book
girl
iño
libro
niña

of fun! Those new to the game can also attend the first Friday of the month meeting, October 4, which is especially for beginners.

For those who would enjoy teaching and/or playing chess with elementary and middle school students, the branch is looking for individuals who are motivated, patient and friendly to volunteer with the Friday afternoon Chess Club. Volunteers must have a knowledge of and love for chess, have strong leadership and teaching skills, and be responsible and reliable. The club meets on Fridays from 3:30pm to 4:45pm.

For more information, please contact Oak View Branch Library staff at (714) 375-5068 or e-mail <a href="mailto:lockec@hbpl.org">lockec@hbpl.org</a>. The Oak View Branch can be found at 17251 Oak Lane in Huntington Beach.

#### LIBRARY SERVICES

### **Main Street Branch Library**

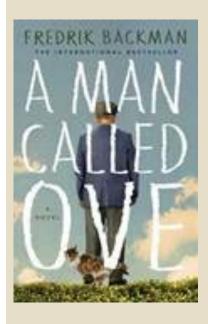
Attention all members (new and old) of the **Main Street Book Club** – this month's meeting is coming up on **Thursday, October 10, 2019.** Attendees are in for a real treat! Join other like-minded bibliophiles for some Scandinavian goodies at **5:30 p.m.** before book club leader Ms. Andrea starts a lively discussion of **A Man Called Ove,** by Fredrik Backman beginning at 5:45 p.m.

Adults ages 18 and up are invited to discover the life of Ove, a cranky old man with a mischievous cat whose contempt for the unexpected or unusual has earned him the moniker "the bitter neighbor from hell." This comical and heartwarming tale opens as his newly arrived neighbors plow their U-Haul smack into his mailbox, flattening it. The chatty young couple, with two chatty young daughters, soon come face to face with cranky Ove, whose life is full of staunch principles, strict routines, and a short fuse!

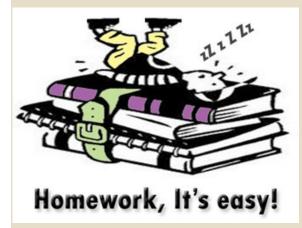
#### Eventually, Ove's sad

story shows through his cranky exterior, and an unforeseen friendship develops between the unlikely neighbors. This book, written by a #1 New York Times bestselling author, is slated to be remade into an American release major motion picture starring Tom Hanks in 2020.

The Main Street Library is located at 525 Main Street in downtown Huntington Beach and can be reached by calling (714) 375-5071.



#### LIBRARY SERVICES



## Homework Help is available.

If you have a student who needs help with their homework, send them our way. We offer Homework Club and Math Club at the Central Library on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays in the Talbert Room. Homework Club is for students' grades 1-8, from 3:30-5:00. Math Club is for students in grades 6-12. Math club meets from 4:00-5:30. For more information call Melissa Ronning at 714-374-5330.

Oak View Library also has the **Oak View Homework Club** on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday from 2:00-5:00, and on Wednesday from 12:30-4:30. *Spanish speaking helpers are available*. Sign up is required by completing a Parent/Student Agreement form available at the Oak View Branch. Simply turn the form in to the program coordinator. For more information or questions, visit the library at 17251 Oak Lane or call (714) 375-5068.

# Star Wars Reads Week Oct. 6-12 "Roll into Reading"

If you love all things Star Wars than you will not want to miss out on all of the fun activities we have planned for the week of October 6-11.

Oct. 6-12 – Star Wars Fan Art Competition Voting.

- Sunday, Oct. 6 Fan Favorite Star Wars Film Afternoon.
- Monday, Oct. 7 Star Kids Crafternoon.
- Tuesday, Oct. 8 Star Wars Trivia Night for adults.\*
- Wednesday, Oct. 9 Star Wars Lego Night for tweens (8-12 year olds) and teens.\*
- Thursday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> Star Wars Teens and Adults Escape Room.\*
- Friday, Oct. 11 Star Wars Scavenger Hunt & Crafts.

See full program details by visiting the online calendar at <a href="https://html.nibcal.com">https://html.nibcal.com</a> \*Registration required. To register, visit us online at <a href="https://html.nibcal.com">https://html.nibcal.com</a>



### POLICE DEPARTMENT

# Important Notice City of Huntington Beach Alarm Program

In an effort to reduce false alarms within the City of Huntington Beach, the city updated its alarm ordinance and partnered with PMAM Corporation to implement and administer the Alarm Program and provide educational training for our citizens. PMAM is a national company with expertise in this area and will be responsible for our alarm registration, false alarm billing features and share in providing excellent customer service.

The goal of the **Alarm Program** is to reduce the number of false alarm activations requiring a response by the Police Department, which will free up police resources. A website has been established to assist the City of Huntington Beach citizens at <a href="https://www.famspermit.com/huntingtonbeach">www.famspermit.com/huntingtonbeach</a>.

The citizens can accomplish the following via the web-site:

- Register and pay for alarm permits
- Pay renewal invoices, false alarm fines etc.
- Update their contact and alarm information
- View City's Alarm Ordinance
- Learn about how to reduce false alarms

Alternatively, citizens can mail-in their registrations and payments to:

**City of Huntington Beach Alarm Program** 

P.O. Box 142915 Irving, TX 75014

The City's Ordinance requires all residential and commercial locations to register their alarm system and pay an annual fee listed below.

Residential location: \$41.00Commercial locations: \$41.00

Senior/Low Income/Disabled\*: \$20.50

#### \*documentation required

Failure to register your alarm systems with the City of Huntington Beach Alarm Program will result in additional penalties.

Please visit the website at www.famspermit.com/huntingtonbeach or contact PMAM at 1-888-509-9397, Monday to Friday, 8:30 AM to 5:30 PM Central, for questions related to your account or the City's Alarm Ordinance.

### **POLICE DEPARTMENT**



# **ALARM FAQ'S**



#### Why does my alarm need to be registered?

Registering your alarm with the Police Department allows us immediate access to the responsible party and emergency contact information. This information assists first responders in promptly notifying residents and/or businesses should a property be unlawfully entered. Registration also ensures alarm users are in compliance with the City's ordinance.

#### What are the most common causes of false alarms?

Common causes include improper training on how the alarm works, improper installation, not securing doors or windows prior to setting alarm, improper settings for alarm properties with pets, improper use of panic buttons and forgotten cancel codes.

#### If I received a renewal notice in the mail, can I renew online?

Yes! The link to renew online is active.

# Do I have to renew online? What if I do not have a computer or use online services?

Permits and payments can be sent to City of Huntington Beach Alarm Program, P.O. Box 142915, Irving, TX 75014. They can also be dropped at the Police Department front counter.

# What if I have already paid for my permit and my information is current? Thank you! A renewal notice will be sent 3-4 weeks before your permit expires.

### Why am I receiving a notice if I do not have an alarm?

Adding a notice to the water billing statements was the easiest way to notify all residents and business of the change. We have also found many of our citizens are unaware an alarm permit is necessary.

## Why are false alarms a problem?

The City spends a significant amount of personnel, time and money responding to false alarms. The system users are also inconvenienced and will be assessed extra fees. False alarms may delay police officers from responding to emergencies, lead neighbors to ignore your alarm when it activates, cause user to become reluctant to arm system which exposes home or business to undetected theft or damage

### Who do I talk to if I have more questions?

We have set up a toll free number, 1-888-509-9397, for questions regarding your alarm account. The call center is open Monday thru Friday from 8:30am to 5:30pm Central time.

#### **POLICE DEPARTMENT**

# October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month HB Supports #PinkPatchProject



October is rapidly approaching, and that means it's time to start showing your support for **Breast Cancer Awareness month**! If you don't have your Huntington Beach Police Department pink swag, head over to the front desk of the police department at 2000 Main Street to pick some up. This year, we have t-shirts (\$20), coins (\$15), pink patches (\$10), lapel pins (\$5), and bracelets (\$1) for sale. These are all available with cash only at the front desk, and also when we have our **Pink Patch fundraisers** at California Pizza Kitchen at Bella Terra later next month.

So mark your calendars for Tuesday, October 8, and Wednesday, October 9, and plan to come see us then! We will be at CPK from 10:30am-1:30pm and again from 5pm-7:30pm. In addition to buying these items for cash, you can also go to the City of Hope website and purchase our Pink Patch, t-shirt and challenge coins online from them.

All proceeds from the sales of our Pink Patch fundraiser go to the City of Hope and Michelle's Place. We hope to see you supporting our breast cancer warriors throughout the month of October!



### **PUBLIC WORKS**

# 2019 Annual Coastal and Inter-Coastal Cleanup Day was a success!



In the partnership with the California Coastal Commission and Orange County Coastkeeper, the City of Huntington Beach hosted 35<sup>th</sup> Annual California Coastal/Inner Coastal Clean-up day, the world's largest trash pick-up day on Saturday, September 21, 2019.

Over 300+ volunteers came out to two locations in Huntington Beach — Huntington City Beach at Beach Blvd & PCH and Bartlett Park and had a fun, meaningful half-day removing trash, beautifying our coastline and neighborhood park, and protecting the environment!

For more info at www.coastkeeper.org/ccd. Stay tuned for next coastal clean-up day!

@SurfCity @HuntingtonBeach @CoastalCleanUp @BeachCleanUp @Volunteer

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARMENT**

# Participate in H.B.'s Public Art Master Plan! Help create a unified vision for public art in our City!

The Huntington Beach Community Services Department is seeking community input to help create a unified vision for public art in our City! A key part of the development of our **Public Art Master Plan** is initiating a community-wide survey to engage the public. We hope that you are able to take just a few minutes complete the survey **here**.

Please feel free to spread the word to neighbors, friends, and/or organizations you think may be interested in providing valuable input. The survey will be live until October 18.

#### Why a Public Art Master Plan?

- Develop a unified vision/mission, quiding principles, and goals for public art in Huntington Beach,
- Identify places and spaces for future public art projects,
- Create policies & procedures for call for artist projects in parks and public right of way,
- Establish policies and procedures for approval of public art,
- Evaluate the current developer-based public art program and approval processes and make recommendations for modifications where needed,
- Evaluate the type of volunteer-based working group that would be needed to ensure the future success of the plan.

We will continue to update our City website during this process and that page can be found under the Community Services page here: **huntingtonbeachca.gov/publicart**. If you have any more thoughts you would like to share that came to mind, we have set up this special email address for additional input: <u>pub-lic.art@surfcity-hb.org</u>.

This is for input only and the emails will not be responded to. If you have additional questions about the process, they can be sent to Kate Hoffman at khoffman@surfcity-hb.org.

We greatly appreciate your time in assistance with developing a unified vision, guiding principles, and goals for public art in Huntington Beach!

# HUNTINGTON BEACH

public art master plan



Help Create a Unified Vision for Public Art In Our City

take the survey!



https://survey.zohopublic.com/zs/5yCsLT



If you would like to provide further input on the Public Art Master Plan, please email public.art@surfcity-hb.org. This email address is only intended to receive and process public input regarding the Public Art Master Plan, so a response will not be sent. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Kate Hoffman at khoffman@surfcity-hb.org.

# Why a Public Art Master Plan?

- I. Develop a unified vision/mission, guiding principles, & goals for public art in Huntington Beach,
- 2. Identify places & spaces for future public art projects,
- 3. Create policies & procedures for call for artist projects in parks and public right of way,
- 4. Establish policies and procedures for approval of public art,
- 5. Evaluate the current developer-based public art program and approval processes and make recommendations for modifications where needed,
- 6. Evaluate the type of volunteer-based working group that would be needed to ensure the future success of the plan.

Check back for updates!

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARMENT**

# THE EDGE OF LIGHT:

# HISTORIC AND CONTEMPORARY PERSPECTIVES ON CALIFORNIA ABSTRACTION

September 21- October 26, 2019

Members and Patrons Reception: **September 28** | 5:30-6:30pm

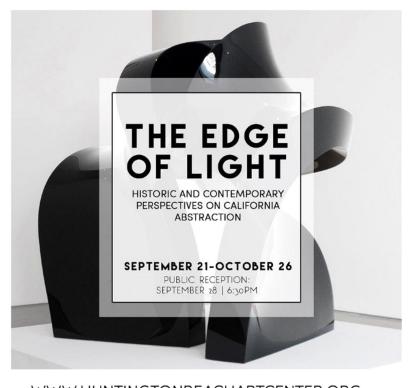
Public Reception: **September 28** | 6:30-9pm Surf City Arts Fest: **October 13** | 11am-4pm

Art for Lunch with Exhibition Tour: October 17 | 6:30-8:30pm

Film Night, Kusama Infinity: October 24 | 6:30-8:30pm

Join us at the Huntington Beach Art Center on September 28 beginning at 6:30pm in celebration of *The Edge of Light*: Historic and Contemporary Perspectives on California Abstraction. This exhibition surveys California abstraction from mid-century to the present featuring both historic and contemporary artists including Lita Albuquerque, Peter Alexander, Stephanie Bachiero, Larry Bell, Mary Corse, Tony Delap, Joe Goode, Scot Heywood, John M. Miller, Cole Sternberg, De Wain Valentine, and others. With many important California artists receiving longoverdue recognition for their influential practices in recent years, The Edge of Light is certainly a show you will not want to miss.

The Huntington Beach Art Center also hosts free events throughout the calendar



WWW.HUNTINGTONBEACHARTCENTER.ORG

year for the public and HBAC members and patrons. On Thursday, October 17, curator Peter Blake will tour the exhibition with guests during the popular Art for Lunch series at the Art Center. The Huntington Beach Art Center Foundation invites the public to have their lunch at the Art Center and learn more about the current exhibition.

Complimentary drinks and desserts provided courtesy of the Huntington Beach Art Center Foundation.

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARMENT**

# 49th Annual HB City Surf Contest was a success!

The 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Huntington Beach City Surf Contest, sponsored by the City of Huntington Beach Community Services Department, Huntington Surf & Sport, and Duke's, was held September 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> on the South side of the HB Pier. This locals-only contest included over 150 registered participants of all ages who surfed over the weekend to compete for prizes and bragging rights.



Congratulations to all of our competitors and thanks again to our wonderful sponsors. The weather was great and the waves were good. It was a great weekend in Huntington Beach!

# 9-11 Tribute

The Guns and Hoses Softball tournament group recently held their Annual September tournament at the Central Park Sports Complex. Consisting of Police, Fire and Military Service personnel, the teams get together for this annual tournament to honor the fallen from the 9-11 attacks on the World Trade Center, Pentagon and in the crash in Pennsylvania.



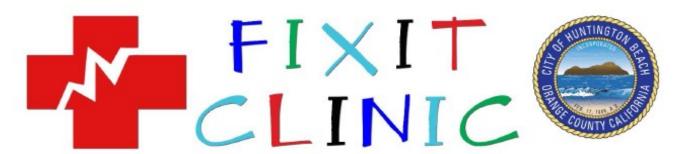
Everyone in attendance observed a 60-second moment of silence to pay tribute to all of the Public Safety First Responders and civilians that lost their lives on September 11, 2001. After the Moment of Silence concluded, one of the players rallied everyone in a huddle, spoke some very moving words about all of the players being brethren as First Responders. He then led the players in a chant on the count of three...1...2... 3 "U.S.A."!!! It was very moving moment for all in attendance to be a part of this special tribute.

The Guns and Hoses organization holds this annual tournament as a tribute to all that have been affected by the 9-11 terror attacks.

#### Wine & Words

An elegant evening to support HBPL Literacy Volunteers





Guided Do-it-Yourself disassembly, troubleshooting and repair.

Open it up. See how it worked. Hopefully fix it.

# Fix Your Broken Stuff!!

Saturday, November 16, 1:00-3:00pm

HB Central Library – Maddy Room 7111 Talbert Ave, Huntington Beach, CA

## This is a FREE family-friendly event

(Children age 6 and up are welcome when accompanied by responsible adult)

#### BRING:

- your broken or non-working electronics, small appliances, toys, bikes, clothing, etc. (carry-in only – no stoves, refrigerators, washing machines or other oversize items)
- accessories, parts, and tools you already own that might be helpful (e.g. phillips head screwdriver, small pliers, new parts)
- any knowledge or advance research you've done on the issue
- boxes, bags and/or small containers to organize (and carry away) parts.

Questions? Contact trashinfo@surfcity-hb.org or (714) 375-5010







### CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA

# **City Hall Directory**

City Attorney	(714) 536-5555
City Clerk	(714) 536-5227
Passports	(714) 374-1600
City Council	(714) 536-5553
City Manager	(714) 536-5202
Community Services	(714) 536-5486
Beach Operations	(714) 536-5281
Business Development	(714) 536-5582
Finance Department	(714) 536-5630
Business Licenses	(714) 536-5267
Fire Department	(714) 536-5411
Human Resources	(714) 536-5492
Information Services	(714) 536-5515
Library Services	(714) 842-4481
Community Development	(714) 536-5271
Code Enforcement	(714) 375-5155
Police Department	(714) 960-8811
Public Works	(714) 536-5431
Graffiti Removal	(714) 960-8861



Dave Kiff Interim City Manager www.huntingtonbeachca.gov

