

City Manager's Report

CITY OF HUNTINGTON
BEACH

June 13, 2017



**OFFICIAL
ATTEMPT**



Huntington Beach Attempts to Set a Third Guinness World Record Tuesday, June 20, with Largest Paddle Out!

The "Surfing Circle of Honor" celebrates the debut of surfing in the 2020 Summer Games, International Surfing Day, in Surf City USA in Support of the International Surfing Museum

What: "Surfing Circle of Honor, Celebrating Surfing in the Summer Games" intends to attempt to set another HB Guinness World Record for the largest recorded paddle out in the world. On June 20, more than 500+ surfers will parade down Main Street in HB, then head out north side of the iconic Huntington Beach Pier to form a Surfing Circle of Honor – a circle of solidarity – that is two football fields in length, to honor International Surfing Day.

Who: Legendary watermen and waterwomen, as well as locals ages from eight to 80 years young will participate in the event – and maybe a few well known celebrities!

When: **Media Day - Wednesday, June 14, at 10am** at the International Surfing Museum, 411 Olive in Huntington Beach. Hear from top surfers participating in the upcoming event on how they will do this!
Surfing Circle of Honor --Tuesday, June 20: Parade down Main Street in HB at 8:30am; followed by Paddle Out from 9:30am to 11am on North Side of HB Pier.
Party at the Paséa – Tuesday, June 20: The Surfing Circle of Honor Celebration at the beautiful oceanfront Paséa Hotel is open to the public from 3 to 8 p.m. Tickets are available at: www.surfingmuseum.org. Tickets are 100% tax deductible



International Surfing Museum, Huntington Beach, is a 501c3 non-profit, whose mission is to preserve the history, culture, and future of surfing through strong community bonds in Surf City USA and around the world. We want to create a bright future for our next generation "Groms" with focus on our healthy surfing playgrounds, and highlight our iconic legends & pros while supporting our local businesses. Our Vision is to become the premier world class surfing museum and tourist destination embodying the Surf City USA spirit of surfing, community, and sustainable beach lifestyles.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Edinger Avenue Widening Project

The Edinger Ave. Widening Project began this month. It consists of widening the south side of Edinger Ave., between Parkside Ln. and Beach Blvd., in order to extend the existing eastbound right-turn lane. The scope of work includes: removal of concrete curb, gutter, sidewalk, driveway aprons, and landscaping; construction of asphalt pavement, concrete curb, gutter, sidewalk, driveway aprons; installation of new street lighting; relocation of existing utilities and Wells Fargo monument sign; reconstruction of private, on-site planter areas and replacement of landscaping; signing and striping. The project required acquisition of 1,050 sq. ft. and 168 sq. ft. of additional public right-of-way from the adjacent Wells Fargo bank and Arby's restaurant, respectively. The project is being coordinated with the Marriott hotel currently under construction at the southeast corner of Edinger Ave. and Parkside Ln. Eastbound traffic impacts will vary as utility and roadway adjustments are made during construction.

Edinger Avenue Bridge (Orange County Public Works Project)

Located near Huntington Harbour at the west end of Edinger Avenue, the bridge spans over the Bolsa Chica Channel between the cities of Seal Beach and Huntington Beach. The contractor, Kiewit Construction, will replace the existing timber bridge over the Bolsa Chica Channel with a new bridge. It will be accomplished in five phases starting this month and completing within 24 months. The new bridge will span 340 feet and will be 48.5 feet wide, accommodating two 12-foot travel lanes, two eight-foot shoulders, and a five-foot wide sidewalk on the south side of the bridge. The profile of the bridge will be raised approximately six feet. Decorative lighting will be installed along the south bridge barrier railing to enhance nighttime safety. Rock material will be placed at the west bridge abutment for channel/slope protection along with drainage improvements to intercept water runoff from the bridge. The bridge will remain accessible 24/7 during all phases of construction. The new bridge will have a life expectancy of 75 years.



Main Street Paving

Main Street was paved from PCH to Acacia in two phases. The first phase included Main Street, from PCH to Acacia. The second phase included the continuation from Acacia to Adams Ave. After the cold milling, new asphalt was then placed, followed by new striping.



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

2017 City Drinking Water Quality Report Now Available

Have you ever wondered what is in your glass of water or where it comes from? Well that information and more is included in the 2017 City of Huntington Beach Drinking Water Quality Report, which is now available. As in previous years, the City water system continually meets or exceeds all State and Federal standards on drinking water. Regulations require water agencies to prepare an annual water quality report, sometimes called a Consumer Confidence Report, and distribute it by July 1. The City has completed the 2017 Report and is currently mailing it to all residential and commercial water users throughout City of Huntington Beach. Hard-copies will also be available at public counters at City Hall, City Libraries, and the Senior Center in Central Park. An electronic copy is also available on the City’s website at: http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/Government/Departments/Public_Works/utilities/. For further information please contact the Public Works Utilities Office at (714) 536-5921.

Independence Day Trash and Street Sweeping Schedule

Trash Collection

Trash will be collected per regular schedule Monday, July 3. There will be no trash collection on Independence Day, so trash collection Tuesday through Friday will be delayed one day. Residents on Tuesday’s route should place their trash for collection on Wednesday and so on for the rest of the week. Friday’s route is collected on Saturday.

2017 Independence Day Trash Schedule					
Regular Collection Day	Mon 7/3	Tues 7/4	Wed 7/5	Thurs 7/6	Fri 7/7
Holiday Schedule	Unaffected	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat

Magic of Composting Seminar on Saturday, June 17, at Shipley Nature Center

Shipley Nature Center is hosting a seminar on backyard composting and food composting with worms on **Saturday, June 17 at 9:30 a.m.** Approximately 90 minutes in length, the lecture covers the various techniques for reducing waste and creating rich compost for gardens, flowerbeds, and lawns. The cost is \$10 per person. Register in advance to reserve your seat at www.shipleynature.org/magic-composting-2017/.

The seminar is held at Shipley Nature Center, 17851 Goldenwest St., Huntington Beach 92647 (in Huntington Central Park). Huntington Beach residents attending the lecture will receive a \$50 voucher that can be used toward the purchase of a backyard composting unit or complete worm composting kit. This lecture series is sponsored by the Department of Public Works, Enrecos, and Friends of Shipley Nature. For more information visit www.shipleynature.org.

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT



Pee Wee & Junior Basketball

The City Gym & Pool and Murdy Park are offering a Pee Wee and Junior Basketball program for young athletes this summer! The Pee Wee program is a non-competitive clinic for children from 3-5 years old, while the Junior program is a semi-competitive clinic for players from 6-8 years old. Both programs strive to introduce the FUNDamentals of basketball through game-based drills and supervised scrimmages. Each player will receive an HB recreation jersey and end-of-season certificate. The days/times of the program are as follows:

Pee Wee Basketball

City Gym & Pool

Sa 9:30-10:20am 7/1-8/5

Sa 10:30-11:20am 7/1-8/5

Murdy Community Center

Sa 9:30-10:20am 7/1-8/5

Sa 10:30-11:20am 7/1-8/5

Junior Basketball

City Gym & Pool

Sa 11:30-12:20am 7/1-8/5

Murdy Community Center

Sa 11:30-12:20am 7/1-8/5

For more information call the City Gym & Pool at 714-960-8884 or visit HBSands.org.

HYP-Natique Yoga

This summer the City Gym & Pool is offering a brand new class, Aqua Tone Fitness: HYP-Natique Yoga. The class includes intense water yoga, which helps with body balance and muscle strength. You will experience some aggressive fast pace movements both on and off the board. The HYP-Natique board has many uses for beginner to advanced learners. You will notice improved stability/balance and see results fast. Classes are on Friday from 6:45-7:30 p.m. and are offered for individuals ages 16 and up. Register at HBSands.org or call City Gym at 714-960-8884 for more information.



LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Finch Robots are Coming to the Library!



Children ages 8-12 are invited to learn how to program a robot with the **Finch Coding and Robotics** program at the Central Library. These finch robots are on loan as part of a program designed to inspire young programmers in the community. This unique coding experience will be held on Tuesdays between June 27

and August 1, with an Orientation Meeting on June 27 from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Tabby Theater. After that, regular meetings will take place on July 11, 18, 25, and August 1 from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Tabby Theater. Participation in this program is free, but space is limited and those interested are encouraged to sign up early.

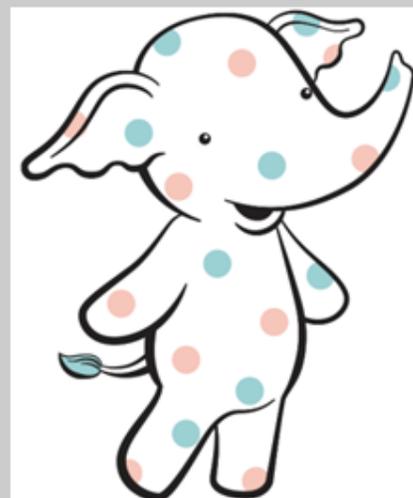
Register online at hbpl.libcal.com/calendar/childrens (Look for June 27 on the calendar).

For more information, call 714 375-5107.

Summer Reading is BIG FUN at the Children's Library!

The theme for this year's **Summer Reading Program** in the Children's department is "**Summer Reading is Big Fun**". This program is intended for kids up to age 12, and will run from **Saturday, June 24, through Saturday, August 5**.

Those interested in participating in the Summer Reading Program are encouraged to pre-register online by visiting hbpl.beanstack.com/reader365 and following instructions from there (either by signing up for the first time in Beanstack or simply pre-registering for the Summer program). Keep in mind, it will not be possible to add to the reading log until the program actually starts on June 24. After that, kids can earn a point for every book or 20 minutes read, and win a prize for every 10 points earned! The summer goal is to collect 60 points during the program.



Plus -- to celebrate the beginning of the Summer Reading Program, the Friends of the Children's Library are hosting a **Summer Kick-off Carnival** in front of the Central Library on **Saturday, June 24, from 11-3 p.m.**

There will be crafts, games, balloons, face painting, and special shows. Enjoy a free performance by the HB Singers at 11:00 am in the Tabby Theater. The clown duo "Flappy and Buttons" will perform at 1 p.m., also in the Tabby Theater. Tickets for the "Flappy and Buttons" show are \$4 per person and are now available at the Central Library Children's desk. Carnival tickets for the different games and other activities are sold the day of the event and are .50 each or 11 for \$5. Food will also be available for cash purchase.

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

67th Annual HB Pier Swim

Over 180 participants entered the water on Saturday, June 10, for the 67th Annual HB Pier Swim.

Hayden Hemmens was the fastest swimmer of the day with a time of 10 minutes and 3 seconds. Awards were given in 16 different divisions and the Gene Belshe Memorial Perpetual Trophy, presented to the swim team with the highest combined scores, went to Swim Long Beach.

Beach Lifeguards were stationed in the water, on the beach, and on the pier to make sure that everyone made it around safely. Both swimmers and spectators agreed that it was a great way to spend a Saturday morning in Huntington Beach!



INFORMATION SERVICES

Did you know that residents can report suspected violations or eyesores on private property to the Code Enforcement Division from the City website online at:

<http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/services/forms-applications/code-enforcement-complaint.cfm>

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

TUNE IN JUNE 21 TO SEE MASTERCHEF IN ACTION IN SURF CITY!

Surf City and its first-class Marine Safety team will be prominently featured on the June 21 broadcast of Masterchef on FOX TV. On August 31, 2016, the entire cast and crew created an impressive, surf-themed makeshift kitchen on the sand to conduct the first field challenge for its Season 8 contestants under the watchful eyes of hosts Gordon Ramsay, Chrisina Tosi and Aaron Sanchez. This isn't the first time Masterchef has come to the City, but it certainly was a far more elaborate setup than in previous seasons, and the production team was very happy with their experience.



The City's filming program, greatly enhanced by the addition of the online application and approval process in 2016, has continued to garner the reputation of being a film-friendly community. This has, in turn, attracted scores of high-quality productions to Huntington Beach first when considering locations.

FREE HOUSING COUNSELING FOR TENANTS AND LANDLORDS JUNE 19, 2017

The Fair Housing Foundation will hold a monthly walk-in clinic at City Hall on Monday, June 19, from 10 a.m. to noon on the Fifth Floor, Office of Business Development. A counselor will be available on a first-come, first served basis to discuss any rental housing issues, tenant/landlord disputes and to ask questions about Fair Housing Laws. No appointment or RSVP is necessary.

The City partners with the Fair Housing Foundation to provide services to the community related to fair housing issues and is also available by phone Monday through Friday at (800) 446-3247 or on a walk-in basis at their offices in Santa Ana and Long Beach. More information is available at www.fhfca.org.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT



Huntington Beach General Plan Update

Project Schedule

**Planning Commission
Study Sessions**

June 13 & 27

July 11 & 25

5:15 P.M.

*City Council Chambers –
City Hall – Lower Level*

**Planning Commission
public hearing**

August 15

7 P.M.

*City Council Chambers –
City Hall – Lower Level*

**City Council public
hearing**

September 18

6 P.M.

*City Council Chambers –
City Hall – Lower Level*

Huntington Beach General Plan Update

The draft General Plan Update (GPU) and draft Program Environmental Impact Report (EIR) is currently available for a 45-day public review and comment period **through July 7, 2017**. Comments should be provided in writing to Jennifer Villasenor, City of Huntington Beach Community Development Department, 2000 Main Street, Huntington Beach, CA 92648 or via email at jvillasenor@surfcity-hb.org. The Planning Commission will also hold a series of study sessions in June and July to discuss the draft General Plan Update and EIR prior to the Public Hearings in August/September.



Visit the Website

The draft GPU, EIR and all project documents that have been prepared to date including technical reports, meeting agendas, and presentations are available on the General Plan Update website: www.HBthenextwave.org. The draft GPU, EIR and Notice of Availability are also available for review on the City's website at the following link: <http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/departments/planning/major/major-projects-view.cfm?ID=46>

About the General Plan The City of Huntington Beach General Plan Update establishes an overall development capacity for the City and serves as a policy guide for determining the appropriate physical development and character of Huntington Beach over an approximate 25-year planning horizon (to 2040).

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Planning Commission

On Tuesday, June 13, at 5:15 p.m. in the Council Chambers the Planning Commission will review the following items:

ZONING TEXT AMENDMENT NO. 17-003 (SMALL CELL SITES): To amend the Huntington Beach Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance (HBZSO) Section 230.96, Wireless Communication Facilities, to establish a Wireless Permit approval process for Small Cell Sites citywide that comply with Public Works' design standards, Citywide. Please contact Nicolle Bourgeois, Planning Aide, for more information.

GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT NO. 14-002/ ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT NO. 14-001 (GENERAL PLAN UPDATE): To update the comprehensive General Plan. Please contact Jennifer Villasenor, Planning Manager, for more information.

A copy of the agenda is available on the City's website at <http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/Government/Departments/Planning/PJB/zal/ZAAgendas.cfm>. Please contact the Planning Division, at (714) 536-5271, with any questions.

FIRE DEPARTMENT



JULY 4TH 2017 - HBPD Fireworks Hotline!

CALL THIS NUMBER

714-536-LOUD (5683)

to report **SEEING ILLEGAL FIREWORKS**
in the City of Huntington Beach
DO NOT CALL 911 to report fireworks!



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POLICE DEPARTMENT

1st Veterans “Operation Surf” in Huntington Beach a Success!

The life-changing, global program helps Vets overcome emotional/physical wounds, as well as brings healing through surf, came to HB for the first time June 6 -12

Last week, the City participated in Operation Surf — a recreational, rehabilitative surf clinic that provided an epic, life-changing experience to 15 men and women who were injured while serving in various branches of the U.S. military. The week kicked off when the wounded heroes arrived at the airport and were welcomed by a contingent of the Huntington Beach Police Department who provided an official escort for their journey to their hotel in Huntington Beach. The heroes were welcomed at the Paséa Hotel and Spa by local volunteers and supporters with a brief ceremony. In addition, many of our officers volunteered throughout the week.



Following the opening, the week-long clinic on the beach included special surf instruction from some of Amazing Surf Adventure’s elite team of adaptive athlete world class coaches in partnership with local Huntington Beach’s Bill Sharp Surf School. The week concluded with the group of Vets taking home memories that will last a lifetime!

MADD Honors HBPD Officers

On June 2, 2017, many of our officers were recognized by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) for their outstanding efforts in combating drunk and impaired drivers. These officers had a combined total of 484 DUI arrests last year.

The following is a list of the officers and the number of their individual arrests. This Monday, June 19, at 6 p.m. at the City Council meeting, a representative from MADD will be presenting the Deuce Awards and the LER Awards to our officers.

Law Enforcement Recognition (LER) Award (100 or more DUI arrests)

Officer Doug Demetre – 215 arrests
Officer Tai Huynh – 143 arrests

MADD Deuce Award (25 – 99 DUI arrests)

Officer Bryn Feddersen – 35 arrests
Officer Grant Hasselbach – 34 arrests
Officer Stefani Williams – 32 arrests
Officer Steven Tennant – 25 arrests



**Literacy Volunteers HBPL
Invites you to a Fundraiser at:**

STACKED: Food Well Built

STACKED is an innovative full service casual dining concept that allows the guests to customize and control their experience!
Our menu features Breakfast, Burgers, Salads, Mac N Cheese and amazing Desserts!

Please bring in this flyer
STACKED will donate 20%
of the entire bill to
Literacy Services

STACKED: Food Well Built
Edinger Plaza
7490 Edinger Ave
Huntington Beach, CA 92647

Monday, June 19th

8:00 am – 10:00 pm

Valid for Dine-in and Takeout Orders

Call Ahead (657) 845-2100 if you would like to put
your name on the waiting list before you leave home!

www.stacked.com

Thanks for your support!

Donation amount excludes proceeds from tax and gratuity



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UPCOMING EVENTS

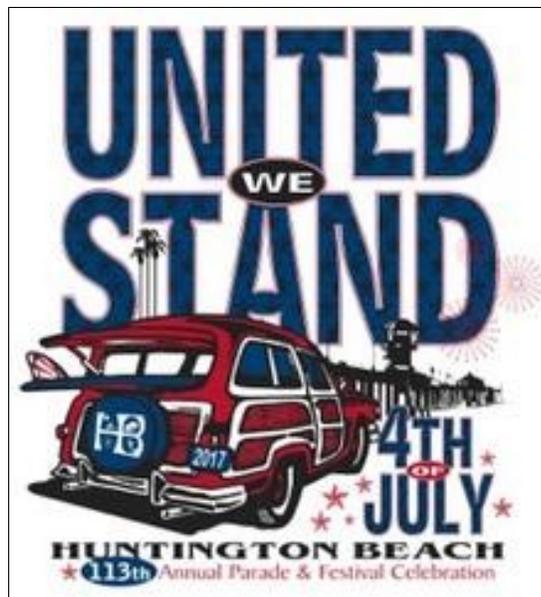
June 2017

- ◆ June 18 — **Chili at the Beach**, www.hbdowntown.com/chili-at-the-beach.html
- ◆ June 20 — **Surfing Circle of Honor**, 9am attempt to break Guinness World Record for Largest Number of Surfers in a Paddle Out. www.surfingmuseum.org/assets/circle_of_honor_schedule.png
- ◆ June 25 — **Wags N Wine Fundraiser** at the Paséa Hotel <http://www.wagsnwine.com/>



July 2017

- ◆ July 2 to 4 — **Annual 4th of July Parade and Festival! (Parade on the 4th)** <http://www.hb4thofjuly.org/festival.html>
- ◆ July 8— **Celebrating One Year of Success! Senior Center Open House**. Noon. \$5 donation
- ◆ July 22 to 31—**US Open of Surfing**
- ◆ July 29 — **Senior Center in Central Park Gala**, 6pm. \$125 www.hbcoa.org



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) 536-5542
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



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