

City Manager's Report

CITY OF HUNTINGTON
BEACH

September 19, 2017

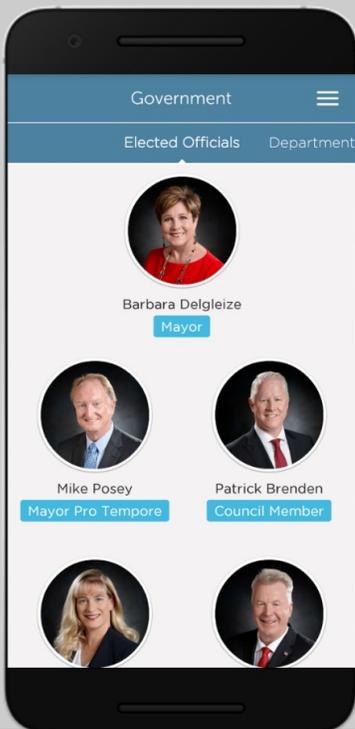


City Launches "MyHB" Mobile App

Download the City's free MyHB App to start engaging on the go with a mobile connection to the City of Huntington Beach. The free mobile app is designed to provide residents, businesses, and visitors the opportunity to access City Hall from anywhere, 24/7. The MyHB App gives citizens instant access online or offline to City information.

To download the free app, visit the [App Store](#) (iPhone and iPad) or [Google Play](#) (Android). Search for "MyHB App" or "City of Huntington Beach"

Become engaged with your city like never before by downloading the official app. With features like Government, Beach Information, Experience HB, City News, Upcoming Events, and Services you'll find it easier than ever to stay connected with the City of Huntington Beach with just a few taps on your mobile device.



Find parks, facilities, and points-of-interest along with information, phone numbers, maps and directions. Stay informed and up-to-date on the latest happenings and upcoming events through the City News and Upcoming Events sections.

Additional features and functions will be regularly added to current mobile app offerings.

- Air Show Next Week
- Disaster Preparedness Month
- Fall Library Fun
- New Tot Lot at Edison Community Park
- Fix It Clinic Coming Oct. 21
- Street Light LED Retrofit

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COMMUNITY SERVICES

NEXT WEEK!!

Get ready for the incredible sights and sounds of the 2nd Annual Breitling Huntington Beach Airshow!

The Breitling Huntington Beach Air Show is held over the beautiful Pacific Ocean on **September 29, 30, and October 1** from approximately noon to 4pm.

Familiarization flights will take place over the city on **Thursday, September 28**.

***Please be aware that you will likely see and hear jet-plane activity from various locations in Huntington Beach and surrounding areas for the duration of the weekend. If your pets are sensitive to noise, please make arrangements in advance for them.*

For more information, visit www.hbairshow.com

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

The Planning Commission meeting scheduled for September 26, 2017 has been cancelled.



2017 BREITLING
HUNTINGTON BEACH
AIRSHOW

SEPT 29 30 OCT 01
12.00pm - 4.00pm

Beach Viewing is FREE and Open to the Public!
Aviator Beach Club VIP Tickets start at \$139

www.hbairshow.com

Spanning over two miles with 'show center' at Pacific Coast Highway and Huntington Street, this year's Airshow will be one of the biggest in the USA! Featuring the U.S. Navy Blue Angels and Canadian Forces Snowbirds, aerobatic performers, warbirds and more!



COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Pilates in Pink 2.0

October is all about ghouls, goblins, and breast cancer awareness. HB Pilates & Fitness will be hosting a set of donation-based classes on **Saturday, October 7, 2017** from **10:00AM to 1:00PM** at the **Senior Center in Central Park** in order to raise money for breast cancer research. 100% of class donations will go towards supporting The Breast Cancer Research Foundation where you'll be helping some of the world's best researchers discover how to prevent and cure breast cancer. In addition, because 91 cents of each dollar spent by BCRF goes directly to research and awareness programs, you can be sure your money is making a difference. Anyone may come to participate and there is no minimum or maximum donation amount to join in on a class. Whether you bring \$1 or \$100, come spend the morning exercising for a good cause. Donations are accepted in person or online at: <https://give.bcrfcure.org/pilatesinpink>.

For more info, contact HB Pilates at info@hbpilates.com or at (714) 309-0136.



Schedule of Classes

- 10AM Pilates Chair*
- 10AM Yoga for All
- 11AM Pilates Mat*
- 11AM Lean & Fit**
- 12PM PILOXING**

Bring a mat, towel, & water to all classes

*Grip socks required

**Athletic shoes required



COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Edison Community Park Tot Lot

On August 17, a new play unit was installed in the tot lot at Edison Community Park as part of the approved 16/17 CIP. Funds for the project came from the Park Acquisition and Development fund and the new unit was installed to replace an aging unit that had to be removed for safety reasons. Rubber surfacing was also installed to comply with ADA and safety standards. The new unit is designed for the 5-12 year old age group and includes features such as a tube and spiral slide, and a spiral and arch climber. The tot lot is conveniently located near the Edison Community Park picnic shelters making it the perfect location for your next event!



47th Annual HB City Surf Contest

The 47th 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 16 and 17 on the South side of the HB Pier. This "locals-only" contest included 150 registered participants of all ages who surfed over the weekend to compete for prizes and bragging rights.

The overall winner of Sunday's "Super Heat" was Shayne Nelson. Congratulations to all of our competitors and thanks again to our wonderful sponsors – it was a great weekend in Huntington Beach!



COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Looming Spaces

Public Opening Reception: September 23 | 6:30 – 9 pm

Image Credit: Annette Heully, *Body + Landscape*, detail, 2015; hand-woven cotton and vinyl thread, dimensions variable. Photo credit: Stefan Meyer.

The Huntington Beach Art Center is celebrating women in the arts with three exhibitions that showcase locally, nationally, and internationally recognized female artists. *Looming Spaces* is the third, and final, exhibition in this series. It explores weaving through the vision of four contemporary fiber artists whose artwork addresses contemporary, cultural, and environmental issues. Featured artists are Ashley Blalock, Dawn Ertl, Annette Heully, and Consuelo Jimenez Underwood.



OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Free Fair Housing Walk In Counseling September 25

A Fair Housing Foundation counselor will be available on September 25, from 10 a.m. to noon on the Fifth Floor of City Hall in the Office of Business Development. The Counselor is 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 counselors are also available by phone Monday through Friday at (800) 446-3247 or on a walk-in basis at their offices in Anaheim and Long Beach. Visit www.fhfca.org for more information on workshops, office locations and other walk-in counseling dates.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Street Light LED Retrofit Project

The City has recently purchased approximately 11,000 street lights from Southern California Edison and will implement a plan to replace the lights with new LED street lights which will provide a cost savings to the City over the life of the new lights. City's maintenance contractor, Siemens, will install the new, power efficient LED lights starting this week in Southeast Huntington Beach. Work will not start before 7:30 a.m. and is scheduled to end by 4 p.m. each day. Anyone with questions or concerns regarding Siemens' work activity should contact them through their standard dispatch center at 1-800-229-6090 or contact Public Works Department at 714-536-5431.

Public Works Construction – CIP Paving Projects FY 16/17

The following arterial projects have been completed:

Warner Avenue – Beach Blvd to Newland Street; Edinger Avenue – Graham to Springdale Avenue; Edinger Widening – Marriott Hotel to Beach Blvd; Indianapolis Avenue – Beach Blvd to Magnolia Avenue; Atlanta Avenue – Beach Blvd to Magnolia Avenue; and Adams Avenue – Beach Blvd to Newland Avenue.

The following residential paving project has been completed:

Operetta Drive – Overlay, Hardscape and Trees.

The following arterial paving projects are currently in progress:

Heil Avenue – Springdale Avenue to Edwards Avenue; and Main Street – Delaware Avenue to Beach Blvd.

The following residential paving project is currently in progress: Zone 10 – Trinidad Island and side streets around the harbor.

Orange County Sanitation District Information

OCSO currently has two projects in construction at the Huntington Beach facility and another one starting later this year. One project is enhancing the wastewater solids treatment process which will result in reduced hauling costs of treated organic matter, recovered through the treatment of wastewater. Additional odor control scrubbers are also being installed to help reduce odor.

Another project will demolish facilities and structures that are no longer needed to make room for future improvements. Some of the materials from the demolition will be recycled and used on-site, resulting in fewer truck trips on the roadway. The third project, which will begin later this year, will commence the rehab of two major pipelines adjacent to the Santa Ana River bike trail. The project will have minimal impacts to the bike path.

Sign up for a tour of the Huntington Beach facility and learn about the Sanitation District's process by calling 714.593.7135 or via email forinformation@ocsd.com

Tour Dates:

Friday, September 22, at 1:30 PM

Friday, October 13, at 1:30 PM

Friday, November 17, at 9:30 AM

POLICE DEPARTMENT

*Time is critical in these incidents...
help us help you and your loved ones*

www.hbpd.org/return-home-registry



Did you know police officers frequently respond to calls from citizens with requests for assistance in locating loved ones?

In an effort to help officers in finding lost or wandering persons when they go missing from their home or caregiver, the Huntington Beach Police Department has started a new program called "Return Home Registry." This voluntary program is offered at no expense to participants.

Caregivers can register persons suffering from debilitating illnesses including, but not limited to, Alzheimer's, autism, cerebral palsy, down syndrome or children with special needs. We will have a searchable database to help officers with the vital information they need to try to locate and return your family members.

To add information to our database, please call HBPD Records at 714-536-5656. You can also enroll online at www.hbpd.org/return-home-registry.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

HBPD Open House Success!

Last Saturday, September 16, the Huntington Beach Police Department held its annual Open House. Approximately 400 people joined us to tour the station and jail, meet officers and ask questions, and look at several displays from our department. We had representatives from SWAT, our Mounted Unit, K9's, motor officers, HBPD Command Post, Know Your Limit, and our Search and Rescue program. In addition, several local businesses set up booths to promote self-defense and safety in our community. We appreciate everyone who helped make the day a success, and thank you to everyone who came out to support our police department."



CITY MANAGERS OFFICE



October 5

The 2nd annual nationwide campaign to promote the benefits of energy efficiency

WHAT IS ENERGY EFFICIENCY DAY?

Energy Efficiency Day is a collaborative effort between regional and national organizations, business, utilities, and individual working to promote energy efficiency by reducing consumer bills and reduce pollution.]

Energy Efficient Day Goals include:

- Raising awareness about energy issues and what can we do to fix them
- Saving money through education on efficiency techniques
- Uniting people who are passionate about cutting energy waster and conserving resources



Take Action!

Join the thousands of people & businesses across the U.S. taking action to save energy and money today.

October 5, 2017

It's #EEDay2017



Save energy. Save money.

[energyefficiencyday.org](http://www.energyefficiencyday.org)

<http://www.energyefficiencyday.org/>

 <https://twitter.com/EEDay2017>

LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Get Ready for Fall and Back to School at the Library!

Storytime is back in session at the Central Library and all the branches! The storytellers have recharged during their two-week "Storytime Vacation" and are ready to kick-off the Fall season at the library with their regular storytime schedule. See the schedule at <http://hbpl.libguides.com/kids/storytime>.

For school-aged kids needing help with their homework, the first day of the **Homework Club** tutoring for children in grades K-8 is on **Monday, September 18**, and will continue on **Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:30 to 5 p.m.** Registration is required in the **Maddy Room**, before the start of homework club.

Also available is the new **Math Club**, for students in 6-12th grade, which begins the following day on **Tuesday, September 19**. Math tutors are available on a first come, first-served basis on **Tuesdays & Thursdays in the Maddy Room between 4 - 7 p.m.** Students must sign up at the door the day-of to get a half-hour of one-on-one tutoring in the order of the list, as time allows. For more information on the different homework assistance provided by the library or to download a registration form for Homework Club, please visit <https://hbpl.libguides.com/kids/homework>.



Tickets for the upcoming **Halloween Magic Show** go on sale **September 22**. Tickets for the October 24 show will be available for \$4 per person at the Children's Information Desk beginning at 9 a.m.

For those interested in reading to small children in a library setting, the next **S.T.A.R. (Storytelling and Reading) Volunteer Workshop** will take place on **Wednesday, September 27, at 3 p.m.** in Room B at the Central Library. Volunteer readers of all ages are welcome to attend and will learn about this valuable program that shares the love of reading with our littlest library patrons! In addition to meeting other fellow readers already in the S.T.A.R. program, new members can discover the different resources available to use during their storytime shifts, which usually last around an hour a week, and also get information on how to sign up.

Finally, children in Pre-K to 8th grade are invited to participate in the **Annual Writing and Illustrating Contest**, sponsored by the Friends of the Children's Library. Starting on **October 2, entry forms will be available** online at www.fotcl.org, or at the Central Library's Children's Information Desk 714 375-5107. The program will run until December 23, and winners will be announced at next year's Authors Festival in January. For more information on these and other events in the Children's Library, please visit <https://hbpl.libguides.com/kids/home>.

LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Bilingual Books for Children Available at the Library



The Huntington Beach Public Library has received \$3,500 in grant funding from the California State Library to buy bilingual books for children.

This grant is part of the California Immigrant Alliance Project, funded through the Library Services and Technology Act, a federal program administered by the Institute for Museum and Library Services.

The Immigrant Alliance Project was created to support libraries as they create, enhance and extend services to immigrants and their families. A robust children's bilingual books collection promotes family reading, literacy, and English language skills, and encourages ESL families to visit and use their library.

HBPL was able to purchase over 250 books that are printed in both English and Spanish, including some classic titles such as *The Cat in the Hat*; *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*; *Goodnight Moon*; and *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?* The books will be added to the existing bilingual children's book collections at **Central Library and Oak View Branch Library**.

Wine and Words: Fundraiser for Literacy!

You are invited to a spectacular, inspirational event! Literacy Volunteers is hosting our 5th Annual **Wine & Words** fundraiser, which will be held on October 27, from 7 to 10 p.m., at Meadowlark Golf Club. Listen to literacy participants share their encouraging stories, enjoy delicious appetizers and sample wines, and bid on auction items.

Our keynote speaker, Jami Goldman Marseilles, will share her story of tragedy and triumph and sign copies of her outstanding book *Up and Running*. Take this opportunity to support Literacy Volunteers at the Library—register today!

Fifth Annual Literacy Volunteers - HBPL Wine & Words Fundraiser

Friday, October 27, 2017
7-10 pm
Meadowlark Golf Club
Huntington Beach

Register at HBwineandwords.com

For more information please contact
Literacy office at (714) 375-5102







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FIRE DEPARTMENT

National Preparedness Month – Get a Kit and Make a Plan

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 "Get a Kit" and "Make a Plan".

GET A KIT

Local officials and relief workers will be on-scene after a disaster, but cannot reach everyone immediately. You may need to survive on your own after an emergency. This means assembling emergency supply kits that include enough food, water, and other supplies to last for at least three days. In addition, basic services such as electricity, gas, water, sewage treatment, and telephones may be cut-off for an extended period of time.

There are several different types of kits that are essential to being prepared. These kits are a collection of basic items a family would need to stay safe and be comfortable during the early onset of a disaster.

The following are examples of some of the basic supplies for emergency kits:

72 hour Disaster Supply Kit

Supplies:

- ◆ Flashlight, AM/FM radio, batteries, first aid kit, matches, light sticks
- ◆ Can opener, dish pan, disposable dishes and utensils

Food/Water:

- ◆ Store a minimum of three days supplies of non-perishable canned/dried food, but it is recommended to have a two week supply
- ◆ One gallon of water per person, per day

Bedding:

- ◆ Sleeping bag, blankets and tent

Clothing:

- ◆ One change of seasonal clothing per person and comfortable shoes

Personal Supplies:

- ◆ Personal hygiene products, toilet paper, medications and glasses

Tools:

- ◆ Ax, shovel, bucket, wrench or pliers to turn off utilities, whistle, gloves, dust mask, plastic bag liners for sanitation and small tool kit

Other:

- ◆ Water purification tablets, liquid chlorine/bleach, eye dropper, water purification instructions and cell phone with charger

Pet Supplies:

- ◆ Food, water and carrier

NOTE: Do not store liquids (water, bleach, etc.) inside the disaster kit as it can leak. Store water off the ground as concrete can contaminate the contents of the container. Water should be changed every six months.

RESOURCES:

www.ReadyOC.org

www.Ready.gov

www.AlertOC.org

www.HuntingtonBeachca.gov/CERT

www.ShakeOut.org

FIRE DEPARTMENT

A Grab-n-Go Bag

Each member of your family should have a grab-n-go bag that can be carried in the event of an evacuation. Examples of some of the basic supplies that should be included in the Grab-n-go Bags are:

Supplies:

Flashlight, AM/FM radio, batteries, first aid kit, matches, whistle, pocket knife, paper/pencil, zip-lock bags/plastic bags, work gloves and dust mask

Personal Items:

Eyewear, keys, medications, emergency contact list, hygiene products, sunscreen, small bills and coins

Food/Water:

Emergency food, bottled water and purification tablets (also for pets if applicable)

Special Considerations:

For seniors - dietary needs, hearing aid batteries, wheelchair, walker, cane, supplies such as oxygen and catheters

For infants – diapers, wipes, instant baby cereal, bowl and spoon, at least two change of clothes, light jacket, electrolyte replacement solution, toys, books, stuffed animals, etc.

Personal documents:

Photocopies of identification, credit cards and other essential documents like insurance policies and bank account records

Family Car Kit

In addition to all of the supplies listed above for the grab-n-go bags, other considerations include:

Jackets, blankets, flares, fire extinguisher, glow or light sticks, screwdriver, pliers, wire, rope, scissors, maps of the most often traveled areas. Visit www.ReadyOC.org for more details on emergency kits.

MAKE A PLAN

Your family may not be together when disaster strikes, so it is important to plan in advance:

- ◆ how will you contact one another
- ◆ how will you get back together
- ◆ what to do in different situations

Emergency plan templates are available at www.ReadyOC.org including:

- ◆ Family Emergency Plan
- ◆ Pet Emergency Plan
- ◆ Senior Emergency Plan
- ◆ Evacuation Plan

Regardless of the type of disaster, there are things you can do to prepare. Contact your local Red Cross chapter or visit the FEMA Website to be aware of the potential for natural disasters in your community. After identifying the types of disasters that could strike where you live, create a family emergency disaster plan. Make it simple so everyone can remember the details.

- ◆ Discuss what to do in an evacuation. When told by officials, go immediately to a shelter as instructed or to the home of a family friend or relative who lives out of the area. Find out about your local shelters beforehand.
- ◆ Know evacuation routes. Pre-establish several different routes in case certain roads are blocked or closed.
- ◆ Family members can become separated during an emergency. Be prepared by creating a plan for how to reach one another. Establish an out-of-area contact (such as a relative or family friend) who can coordinate family members' locations and information should you become separated. Make sure children learn the phone numbers and addresses, and know the emergency plans.
- ◆ Post emergency phone numbers by the phone
- ◆ Assemble a family disaster supplies kit and keep a small one in the trunk of your vehicle

For preparedness questions specifically for the City of Huntington Beach, contact:

Brevyn Mettler, Emergency Services Coordinator
Emergency Management & Homeland Security Office
714-374-1565

bmettler@surfcity-hb.org



Fix Your Broken Stuff!!

(or at least learn more about disassembling it)

Bring your broken electronics, small appliances, computers, toys, bikes, etc. for assessment, disassembly, and possible repair.



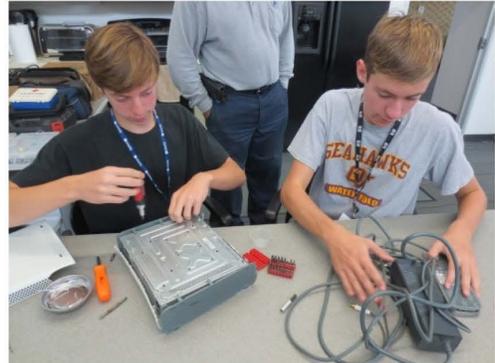
CLOTHING

Learn how to hem, patch, and mend.



BIKES

Repair flat tires, chains, and brakes.



ELECTRONICS

Assess, disassemble, and possible repair.

Saturday, October 21, 1:00-3:00pm

Huntington Beach Central Library

7111 Talbert Ave, Huntington Beach, CA

Register at www.fixitclinic.org or call (714) 375-5010



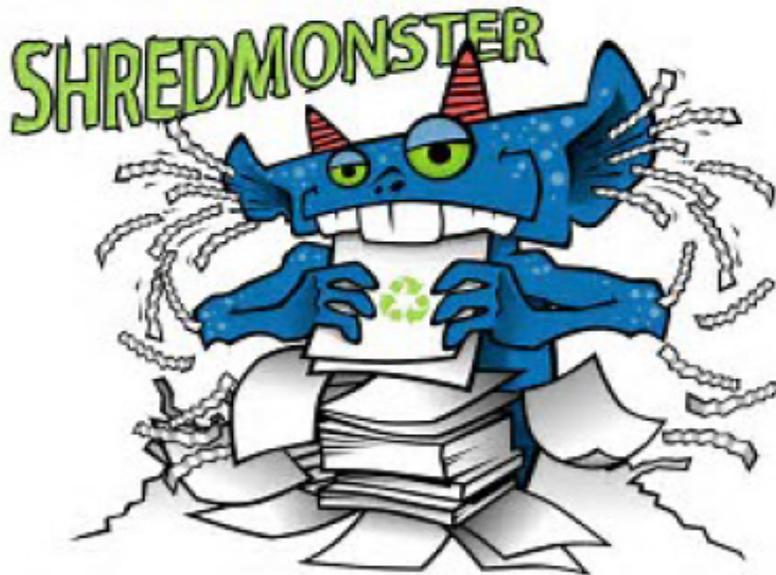
CITY CLERKS OFFICE

Ready To Clean House?

A SHRED EVENT has been scheduled to assist you with removing unwanted, out-of-retention paper files in your work area.

Wednesday, September 27 -- Time TBD

Location: Lower Level Loading Dock



Questions about the SHRED EVENT should be directed to Gloria Harper in the City Clerk's Office at x5209. Questions regarding disposition/ destruction of department records should be directed to your records liaison.

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Surf City
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SHUTTLE

HUNTINGTON BEACH

◦ COMPLIMENTARY HUNTINGTON BEACH TRANSPORTATION ◦

**Stops throughout Huntington Beach
on the new City and Coastal Loops**

Additional service for Fourth of July
and US Open of Surfing weekends

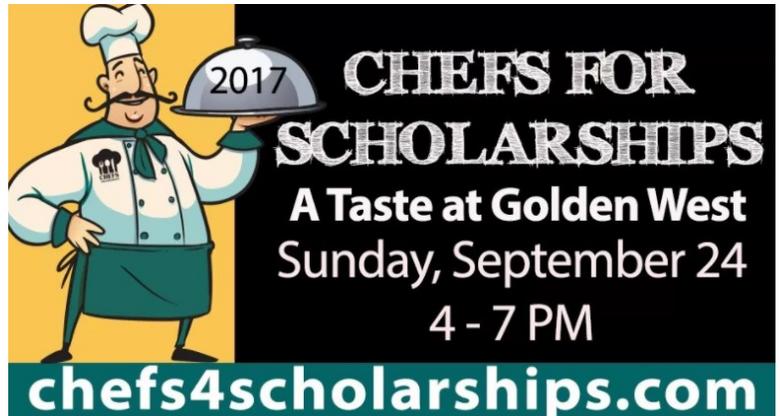
FOR THE SHUTTLE SCHEDULE AND LIVE GPS TRACKING VISIT
SURFCITYUSASHUTTLE.COM

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UPCOMING EVENTS

September 2017

- ◆ September 24—**Goldenwest College Chefs for Scholarships.** www.goldenwestcollege.edu/chefs-for-scholarships/
- ◆ September 29 to October 1—**2nd Annual Airshow** www.hbairshow.com



October 2017

- ◆ October 7 —**Dumpsters on Parade.** 10am Downtown Main Street. www.hbpublicart.org/
- ◆ October 14 — **HBFD Open House at the Gothard Station.** 10am to 2pm. Free www.surfcity-hb.org/announcements/announcement.cfm?id=1160
- ◆ October 14 — **Miss Huntington Beach Scholarship Program.** 4pm at Central Library. www.misshb.us/home.html
- ◆ October 21—**Fix It Clinic at Central Library.** 1 to 3pm. www.fixitclinic.com FREE.



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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