



GO FOURTH! FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

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Thank you for taking the time to read our weekly newsletter. Every Friday afternoon at 1:30 pm, we distribute this publication to provide updates on past and future events throughout our council district. Please encourage your neighbors to sign up for the Go Fourth! Friday newsletter by filling out the form at this [link](#).

- Councilman Daryl Supernaw



Past and Ongoing Events

FY 2023 Proposed Budget Hearings Continue

The Proposed Fiscal Year 2023 (FY 23) Budget Hearings continued this week with presentations from Public Works and the Health Department. Prior to the city council meeting, the Budget Oversight Committee received an updated presentation from Public Works on the five-year Measure A Infrastructure Investment Plan. The plan shows the proposed street repaves of major corridors in CD4 including Wardlow, Studebaker and Clark. We are sharing that information with one caveat: everything is contingent on city council's final approval of the proposed budget. That is scheduled to occur at the September 6th or 13th meeting.

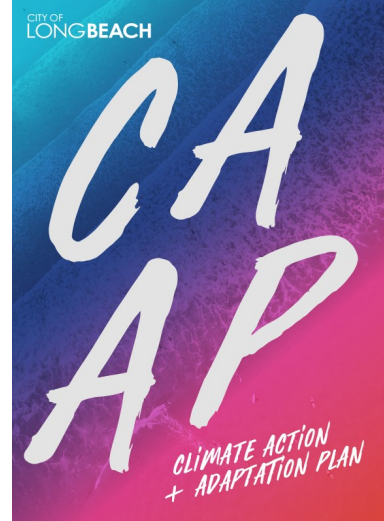


Long Beach Adopts New Climate Action Plan

On Tuesday night, Long Beach City Council adopted the Climate Action Adaptation Plan (CAAP). The CAAP lays out a framework to achieve these important objectives:

- Reduce emissions to 40% below 1990 levels by 2030 and minimize the LB's contributions to global greenhouse gas.
- Adapt to the impacts of climate change while maintaining quality of life, prosperity, and equity for all residents.

The CAAP calls for increased reliance on clean energy sources, investment in walkable communities and public transit, reductions in oil production and changes to commercial waste programs to implement green-waste practices. The plan also establishes a Climate Action Office that will report to the City Manager and be responsible for implementing the CAAP. For more information, visit this [link](#).



Spring Street Bike Lane Construction Started

Construction on the much anticipated Spring Street Bikeway has begun with the removal of the existing traffic lanes. Orange lines mark where the curbs (not bollards) will be installed to mark the bike lane wide enough to accommodate a full-size street sweeper. Phase 1 of the project will create bike lanes along Spring St. from Studebaker to the Nature Center. Construction is expected to be completed on September 9th, just in time for Beach Streets. For more information, please call Public Works at [\(562\) 570-6331](tel:562-570-6331) or read the construction notice at this [link](#).



Upcoming Events

Knyght Ryder Concert in El Do Park TONIGHT!

August 19th | 6:30 pm - 8 pm | 2800 N Studebaker Rd

Back by popular demand! 80's tribute band, Knyght Ryder, is continuing the long-time tradition of their summer concert in El Dorado Park West. The location will be where the LB Municipal Band hosts their concerts. The Knyght Ryder concert will take place on Friday, August 19, from 6:30 - 8 pm. Join us for an evening filled with live entertainment, children's activities, food and family fun! Admission is free. For more information, contact the CD4 Office at (562) 570-4444 or District4@longbeach.gov.



Join Councilman Daryl Supernaw at a **COMMUNITY CONCERT!**

Friday, August 19, 2022

Event produced in partnership with



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6:30 PM @ El Dorado Park West

WITH
KNYGHY RYDER

World Mosquito Day August 20th

Tomorrow, August 20th, is World Mosquito Day (WMD). They may not be Weapons of Mass Destruction, but these tiny insects kill more than 700,000 people worldwide every year. They are the world's deadliest animal and account for 17% of the estimated global burden of infectious diseases. The Long Beach Department of Health & Human Services has tips on how to prevent the spread of mosquito-borne diseases. Remember to remove standing water, use EPA-registered insect repellent and clean bird baths and pet water bowls. Additional information is available on the LBDHHS Vector Control Program [website](#).



Puvungna Poetry Night This Saturday

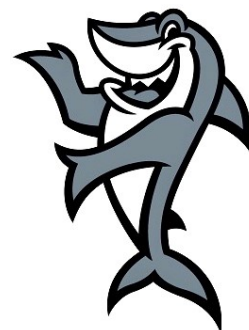
August 20th | 5 - 7 pm | Adjacent to Lot G2 at CSULB

Join Friends of Puvungna for a night of poetry at the sacred site of Puvungna. All are welcome to attend this event. Bring a blanket or chair to sit on while speakers recite their poems. Food will be provided, but it is encouraged to bring food to share with the community. If you would like to share your poetry at this event, sign up at this [link](#). The following day, Sunday, Friends of Puvungna will have care baskets with fresh produce from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. More information at [@protectpuvungna](#) on Instagram.



CSULB Fall Classes Start Monday

CSULB's fall semester has begun, and the first day of classes is this Monday, August 22nd. Please be extra cautious when driving, walking or biking near the campus, as traffic congestion will increase over the next two weeks. Please be aware that Palo Verde Ave. at the Anaheim Rd. intersection has been reduced from four to two lanes. Many students will be encountering the change for the first time, so be careful out there. Go Beach! and Go Fourth!



Final Virtual Community Budget Meeting

August 22nd | Register here: longbeach.gov/FY23

Earlier this year, the City hosted virtual community meetings to offer Long Beach residents an opportunity to provide feedback at an earlier phase of the FY 23 Budget development process. The City has hosted additional virtual community meetings in August to educate community members about the Proposed FY 23 Budget to garner community feedback. City residents are invited to attend the final August meeting next Monday, August 22nd from 6:30 to 8:00 pm.

For more information and to register, visit longbeach.gov/fy23. Advanced registration is required in order to receive the link to the Zoom meeting. Interpretation services will be available. Those who require interpretation services may call [562.570.6465](tel:562.570.6465) 72 hours in advance of the meeting.



Refuse and Recycling Rates Public Hearing

August 23rd | 4 pm | 411 W. Ocean Blvd.

The City of Long Beach, Department of Public Works (PW), will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, August 23rd at 4:00 pm in the City Council Chambers to consider adopting rate increases to the City's solid waste and recycling rates for the next two years. If approved, these rates would take effect on September 1, 2022, and on January 1, 2023. The public hearing will be held to consider all oral testimony and written protests too, and the adoption of the proposed rate increases. You can read the July 7th memo from the Director of Public Works on the proposed rate increase at this [link](#).



Next on the City Council Agenda

August 23rd | 5:00 pm | Virtual & In-Person

The City Council "hybrid" meeting will begin at 5:00 pm. The civic chambers will be open, but the public can also call in to provide comments on agenda items. Instructions to join the meeting virtually can be found at the top of the agenda linked below.

Comments can also be submitted by email to: CityClerk@longbeach.gov. Items on Tuesday's council meeting agenda include:



- CBH-14: Recommendation to conduct a Budget Hearing to receive and discuss an overview of the Proposed Fiscal Year 2023 Budget for the departments of Library Services, Development Services, Economic Development, and Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Communications. (Citywide)
- R-17: Recommendation to increase appropriations in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department by \$2,000, offset by \$1,000 in the Third Council District One-Time District Priority Funds, and \$1,000 in the Fourth Council District One-Time District Priority Funds transferred from the Citywide Activities Department to provide a contribution to the Long Beach Public Library Foundation for their Grape Expectations event.
- R-28: Recommendation to receive and file the Considerations and Recommendations Report prepared by Lisa Wise Consulting, Inc., regarding the City's existing food truck regulations; and Request City Attorney to prepare ordinance to update the Long Beach Municipal Code (LBMC) to comply with the most recently enacted State and federal legislation regarding the food trucks; to consolidate, where feasible, provisions of the LBMC relating to the regulation and enforcement of food trucks and similar operations into one ordinance; and, in consultation with City Manager, or designee, repeal provisions of the LBMC which are obsolete, no longer applicable, or no longer enforced related to food trucks and similar operations. (Citywide)

The entire agenda can be found [here](#). To see the schedule and agenda for all upcoming city meetings, click [here](#).

Nature Center Outdoor Concert

August 25th | 6:30 pm to 8 pm | 7550 E Spring St.

The El Dorado Nature Center outdoor concerts will open for picnicking at 6:30 pm with a music performance featuring JP McDermott and Western Bop. The performance will take place from 7 to 8 pm. Friends of El Dorado Nature Center members can enter early at 6 pm. Bring an eco-friendly dinner and low chairs. For more information, please call (562) 570-1745.



Final Movie in the Park for 2022 - Luca

August 26th | 8 pm | El Dorado Park

Parks and Recreation, Signal Hill Petroleum and Partners of the Parks have partnered to present Movies in the Park throughout the summer months. Movies begin promptly at dusk. “Luca” at El Dorado West on Friday, August 26th will be the final Movie in the Park for the 2022 season. Hope to see you there! If not, we’ll see you next season. For more information, visit lbparks.org or call (562) 570-3226



MWD Asks for 15-Day Watering Restrictions

An emergency repair to a pipeline bringing water to Southern California has led to a regional call for significant water use reduction for up to 15 days starting Sept. 6. Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, or MWD, the agency that provides imported water to much of the region, needs to repair a leaking pipeline that brings water from the Colorado River to the region. About 30 percent of Long Beach Water is purchased from MWD, with the rest coming from local groundwater wells and reclaimed water facilities. You can read LBWD memo at this [link](#).



Beach Streets University Returns to CD4

September 17th | 10 am - 4 pm | Atherton - Bellflower - LCD - Spring

Beach Streets University is returning to Council District 4 on Saturday, September 17th from 10 am to 4 pm. The same route used from the previous Beach Streets: Atherton, Bellflower, Los Coyotes Diagonal and Spring St. Stay tuned for more information as the date approaches.





And Finally....

Female Firefighter Career Workshop Registration Deadline Today 8/19

August 21st | 9 am - 1 pm | [Register Here](#)

LBFD is hosting a workshop this Sunday for potential female firefighter applicants. It takes place at the Capt. David Rosa Training Center in CD4 and features an introduction to the hiring process, including lessons on fitness challenges, how to file an application, and preparing for the interview process. To participate, registration is open [here](#) and participants must fill out an [interest form here](#). All genders are welcome to attend. If you'd like to see what the female applicants go through, check out the 1-minute video below from last year's workshop.



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