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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

Preferential Parking District Permit Renewals

Renewal notices have been mailed out for PPD permits. Each household is allowed up to three residential and one guest permit per year. The annual fee for each residential or guest permit is \$34. If you would like to pay online or if have not received your renewal notice, visit the [Parking Permits website](#) and click "Parking Permits Portal" to purchase your new PPD permits for 2025. You will need your username and password for this online portal. If you do not remember your username and/or password, please call (562) 570-6822 for assistance. The green colored permits expire on 12/31/24.



CSULB Overflow Lot Permits for Spring 2025

CSULB announced a new, Premium Overflow Lot and permit option will be available across the street from the campus in the

Foundation Building (FND) parking lot for the Spring 2025 semester. The permits are now available for purchase for \$259/semester (discount not available due to the preferred parking location). Due to the limited number of permits offered, Overflow Permits cannot be refunded after January 21, 2025. For more information, please click [here](#).



CSULB Spring Parking Permits Available

CSULB Spring Semester parking permits are now on sale. In June 2021, a 5-year fee increase schedule was proposed and approved to create a sustainable parking operating budget. This schedule creates an incremental increase in fees each year from 2021 to 2026 to cover parking infrastructure repairs, fund programs like the campus shuttles, and staff for parking operations and event services. Spring 2025 is within the fourth year of the increase schedule. The student semester fee from 1/21/25 to 5/23/25 is \$259. More information at this [link](#).



Chick-fil-A Traffic Circle Extends Hours

Monday-Saturday 6:30 am - 11 pm | 4401 E Pacific Coast Hwy

Back by popular demand, Chick-fil-A at the Traffic Circle has extended their dinner hours until 11 pm. The Traffic Circle location will be open Monday - Saturday 6:30 am to 11 pm.



Rainy Day Refuse & Recycle Cart Procedures

With the National Weather Service predicting more rain, below is the rainy day cart procedures and other rain related information. To report street flooding, downed trees or inquire about street sweeping, please call 562-570-2700. Visit the Department of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Communications' [website](#) for more information on [Preparing for Severe Weather](#).

Make Way for Rain

- Park **6 to 10** in. from the curb to maintain a clear path for rain water.

If your carts are out on a rainy day, place them:

- **3 to 5** ft. from curb, and
- at least **2** ft away from objects and each other

This helps rain water flow to storm drains and prevent carts from floating away.



Storm Season Street Sweeping Reminders

Street sweeping is conducted weekly by the Department of Public Works to improve the cleanliness, health and safety of the city. Street sweepers remove debris from our streets and prevent it from entering our storm drains and ocean. Here are a few friendly reminders to ensure street sweepers can do their job as effectively as possible:

- Avoid raking or blowing leaves into the street or gutter: Leaves and lawn clippings are too large for street sweepers to collect. Instead, sweep them up and place them in your refuse bin or consider composting them for a sustainable option.
- Keep gutters and streets clear: By preventing leaves and debris from entering the storm drain system, we can protect our waterways from pollution. Remember, placing leaves or debris in the street, alley or gutter is a violation of federal law.
- Dispose of litter properly: Litter in gutters and alleys contributes to blockages and pollution.
- Keep streets dry on street sweeping days: Wet streets reduce the effectiveness of street sweepers, so try to keep the area in front of your home dry.
- Never pour oil, antifreeze or any other hazardous materials in the street, gutter, alley or on the ground. Residents may call (562) 570-2890 for information on proper disposal of these materials.

For more information, including a holiday schedule, visit lbcity.info/StreetSweeping.



Treecycle Your Christmas Tree

Now until January 10th | Various times & locations

Now through January 10, 2025, you can drop off your Christmas tree for recycling at one of 12 special locations. Your nearest CD4 location may be at Stearns Park (corner of 23rd St. and Roycroft), El Dorado Park (2760 Studebaker) or the Environmental Services Bureau (2929 E. Willow St.). If your trash/recycling is collected by the City's refuse and recycling service, you qualify for a FREE pick-up at your home on Saturday, January 11th. Please ensure your tree is out before 7 am where you normally leave your carts. If your tree is over 12 ft. tall, make sure to cut it in half. Visit the LB Recycles [website](http://lbcity.info/Recycles) for drop-off times and more information.



New California DMV Laws for 2025

The California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) issues a press release each December highlighting new laws for 2025. Find the press release [here](#). As part of the new laws, Governor Newsom “borrowed” an idea from Long Beach and has signed into law a statewide ban on Street Racing Takeovers. Council District 4 brought this item to City Council a couple of years ago where it won unanimous support. State law will now enable police officers to cite both spectators and participants.



Register Your New Bicycle

The City of Long Beach has partnered with 529 Garage, the premier online bike registry, to easily pass along information in case of theft. Long Beach residents are encouraged to register their bikes at www.project529.com/garage or through the [529 Garage App](#). More information is available at this [link](#).



Upcoming Events

1st Saturday Stewards El Dorado Nature Center

January 4th | 10 am - 12 pm | 7550 E Spring St.

Join the 1st Saturday Stewards in preserving the beauty of El Dorado Nature Center! Volunteer activities include stream clean-up, weed removal, trail clearing, and mulch spreading. Please wear sturdy shoes. Pre-registration is required by calling 562-570-1745. Event may be canceled in case of rain.



Upcoming LBACS Low-Cost Vaccine Clinics

January 6th & 10th | 10 am - 2:30 pm | 7700 E Spring St.

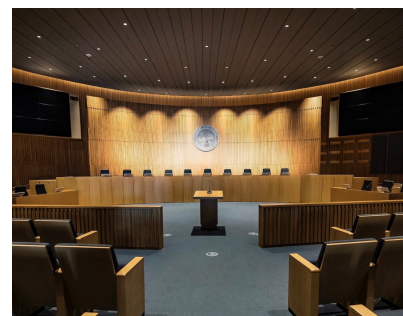
Long Beach Animal Care Services and Camp Clinics is hosting a low-cost vaccine clinic on Monday, January 6th and Friday, January 10th from 10 am to 2:30 pm. No appointment is necessary, but only the first 60 pets will be accepted. For a vaccine price list and important tips to expedite your visit, please visit this [link](#). Click [here](#) for future vaccine clinics at LBACS.



Next on the City Council Agenda

January 7th | 5:00 pm | 411 W Ocean Blvd.

The City Council meeting will start at 5:00 pm in the Civic Chambers on the ground floor of City Hall, located at 411 W. Ocean Blvd. City council meetings are broadcast live online at: LBTV3.com and on Channel 3 for Charter cable subscribers and Channel 21 for FIOS subscribers. Comments can be submitted by email to: CityClerk@longbeach.gov. Items on Tuesday's meeting agenda include:



- [C-21](#): Recommendation to receive and file the application of Noypitz Bar & Grill LLC, dba The Noypitz Bar and Grill, for an original application of an Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) License, at 7591 Carson Boulevard, submit a Public Notice of Protest to ABC, and direct City Manager to withdraw the protest if a Conditional Use Permit Exemption (CUPEX) is granted. (District 4)
- [R-25](#): Recommendation to strengthen the Long Beach's Values Act and reaffirm the City's commitment to protecting its local diverse immigrant communities by requesting that each separate appointing authority including; the Harbor Department, Utilities Department, City Clerk, Police Oversight, and the elected offices of the City Prosecutor, City Auditor, City Attorney, and Legislative Department to formally commit to the Long Beach Values Act via a letter to the City Council; (the entire agenda item can be viewed at this [link](#))
- [R-27](#): Recommendation to receive a presentation to evaluate options for modernizing existing wage rates for Long Beach Airport and Long Beach Convention Center concession workers and request City Attorney to prepare ordinance amending Long Beach Municipal Code, Chapter 16.60, Payment of Living Wage to Workers at the Airport and the Long Beach Convention Center, based on direction from the City Council. (Districts 1, 4, 5)
- [O-28](#): Recommendation to declare ordinance amending the Long Beach Municipal Code by amending Chapter 5.77 relating to short term rentals, read the first time and laid over to the next regular meeting of the City Council for final reading. (Citywide)

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

HHW & E-Waste Recycling Event at EDCO

January 11th | 9 am - 2 pm | 2755 California Ave.

The City of Long Beach hosts FREE Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) & Electronic Waste Collection Events every 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month at EDCO Recycling & Transfer Center in Signal Hill. The next collection event is next Saturday, January 11th. Drop off your hazardous household items, old electronics, and used tires safely. Learn more [here](#). Reserve a spot for the event at this [link](#).



Save the Date: Feb 3 - Budget Meeting

February 3rd | 6 - 7:30 pm | Cornerstone Church, 1000 Studebaker

The City is kicking off the Fiscal Year 2026 (FY 26) Budget development process, preparing for the fiscal year starting October 2025 through September 2026. In early 2025, the City will host one virtual and five in-person citywide community meetings. One meeting will take place in Council District 4 on February 3rd from 6-7 pm at Cornerstone Church (1000 Studebaker Rd). Residents will have the opportunity to share their priorities on City services and engage with the City Manager, Financial Management staff, and other City departments. An online budget priority survey will be available from January 3rd to February 4th. For more details, visit longbeach.gov/FY26

Join the City of Long Beach
FY 2026 Budget Conversation



And Finally...

The Duck Pond's Christmas Tree

Thanks to our Parks Maintenance Team for making sure we had an LED illuminated tree placed in a highly visible location this year on the Studebaker side of the El Dorado Duck Pond. A little over a month ago, our office asked the PRM Department if we could get a floating Christmas tree placed on the pond as was done years ago. Unfortunately, there were safety challenges with

bringing electrical power to the location, so an alternative plan was developed to locate the tree on dry land. That turned out to be an excellent alternative with the tree being far more visible from the street. Next year, we'll have solar-powered lighting that will enable the tree to be placed on the water. Happy Holidays!



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