

March 8, 2019

CITY NOTES

City Council Meeting

Monday, March 11, 2019

Monday, March 25, 2019

Planning Commission Meeting

Monday, March 18, 2019

City Council and Commission Meetings are held in the Council Chambers at Seal Beach City Hall, 211 8th Street. Visit www.sealbeachca.gov for a complete list of meetings and events.

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Sailors and Staff Help Clean Up Beach

Approximately 20 sailors from the USS Bunker Hill volunteered to help clean the beach alongside City Staff on Tuesday, March 6th. The sailors are stationed briefly at the Seal Beach Naval Weapons Station and chose to volunteer during their R&R time. After the cleanup, Assistant City Manager Patrick Gallegos gave the group a tour of City Hall. The City of Seal Beach commends and thanks them for their service!

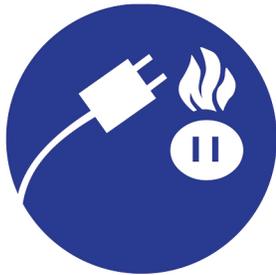


Base Paving Repairs in Leisure World

The Seal Beach Water Department recently base paved the past leak on Thunderbird Lane in Leisure World. After a water line breaks, the Water Department temporarily paves the site to allow for the subgrade to dry out before base paving takes place. Base paving then makes repairs to any nearby pavement impacted by the leaks. Work included 22 tons of hot mix asphalt materials delivered to the site, placed and spread with the skip loader, and rolled smooth with a rented roller to meet compaction requirements.



ELECTRICAL FIRE SAFETY



Inspections by qualified electricians reduce fire risk and are required by many home insurance policies.



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Fire Authority**

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Home electrical fires are responsible for an estimated 51,000 fires and \$1.3 billion in property damage each year (Electrical Safety Foundation International, 2015). Protect your family and your home by following these electrical safety tips.

Appliances

- Always plug major appliances directly into wall outlets.
- Unplug small appliances when they are not in use.
- Check electrical cords on all appliances regularly. Replace any cracked, damaged, or loose cords. Never try to fix them yourself.
- Place lamps on level surfaces, away from things that can burn. Always use bulbs that match the recommended wattage for each lamp or fixture.

Outlets

- Never overload wall outlets.
- Insert plugs fully into sockets.
- Install tamper-resistant electrical outlets if you have young children.

Extension Cords, Power Strips, and Surge Protectors

- Replace worn, old, or damaged extension cords right away.
- Extension cords are meant for short-term use only. If necessary, have a qualified electrician add more outlets to prevent long-term use.
- Do not run electrical cords across doorways or under carpets.
- Do not overload power strips.
- Use surge protectors, not power strips, with electrical devices that require a lot of electricity to operate.

Electrical Fire Warning Signs

- Frequent problems with blowing fuses or tripping circuit breakers
- A tingling feeling when you touch an electrical appliance
- Discolored or warm wall outlets
- A burning or rubbery odor coming from an appliance
- Flickering lights
- Sparks from an outlet