

# COUNCIL WEEKLY UPDATE

March 7, 2024

## PLANNING

**General Plan Update (GPU) Phase 2** – The Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) for the project is currently being reviewed by City staff. The project team seeks to release the DEIR for public review in early April. All project components will be appended to the DEIR (i.e. six new/updated General Plan elements, Smart and Sustainable Corridors Plan, updated Climate Action Plan). City Council briefings regarding the General Plan Update Program are in the process of being scheduled by staff.

**Planning Commission** – The March 11 Planning Commission meeting is cancelled. The next regularly scheduled meeting is Monday, March 25 at 6:00 p.m.

## ENGINEERING

**Buena Vista Audubon Society Crosswalk Feasibility Study (CIP23-00019)** – Staff is in the data collection phase of this study. Staff performed field work this week reviewing sight distances.

**City Wide Fiber Optic Projects** –The high-speed fiber construction projects are progressing as follows:

### **SiFi Networks**

- A Stop Work Order was issued on February 28. Since then, staff and SiFi representatives have had several discussions on the City's expectations regarding the quality of construction and storm water management. The order is anticipated to be lifted this week.
- Work to continue in the Marlado Highlands, Airport, and North Valley area neighborhoods.
- March 11 - 15: Morning View Dr./ Spindlewood Ct./Crestwood Dr./ Towkish Dr; Shadow Tree Dr./ New Branch Ct./Redwing Dr.; Chimney Dr/ Rivertree Dr./Big Sky Dr./ Toopal Dr.; Huula Dr.
- March 18 - 22: Wala Dr./ Huula Dr./ Tukmal Dr./Fern Ridge Ct; Shadow Tree Dr./ Rainwood Ct; Hallowtree Dr.; Chimney Dr.; Valley Crest Dr./Big Sky Dr.; Rivertree Dr./Spindrif Ct/Shadow Tree Dr.

### **Ubiquity**

- This week work continued in the Mira Costa area neighborhood.
- March 11 - 15: Shenandoah Dr; Pauline Way
- March 18 - 22: Bedford Ave.; Pauline Way

**Cleveland Storm Drain** – Staff is continuing work to expedite the construction of the project to the greatest extent feasible. An amendment to the design consultants' contract to revise the plans and specifications for project bidding purposes is scheduled for the March 27 City Council meeting agenda. Staff is meeting this week to consider a temporary storm drain connection option to facilitate a design change and preparation of the bid documents.

**College Blvd. Widening (Barnard Dr./Waring Rd. to Old Grove Rd.)** – Staff is completing review of comments received on the proposed storm water improvements, which include changes to the existing storm drain system. Staff met with the design consultant to continue review of the Public Outreach Plan and considered options for additional ways to maintain open communication with nearby residents and businesses. The project design schedule is being updated to accommodate recent design changes. A traffic control plan is under design for use during the upcoming geotechnical investigations along College Blvd.

**Pier View Bridge & Lifeguard Headquarters and Beachfront Phase II Projects** – The consultant team continues to work on the two scoped preliminary design concept options (15% level) and necessary CEQA-related historical analysis and documentation component for the PEIR.

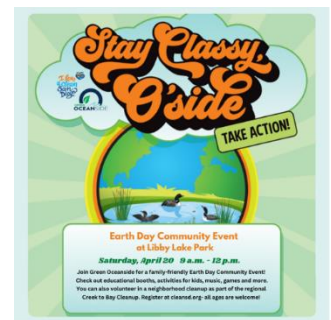
**Road Slurry Seal & Overlay Project** – ([Work Area Map](#)):

- Project on hold due to unfavorable weather.
- Paving work at Peacock Hills (Groups 4D, 4E, 4F) will resume on March 11.
- Utility adjustments and roadway markings will follow upon street pavement completion in Peacock Hills.

## **WATER UTILITIES**

**\$451,008 CalRecycle SB 1383 Local Assistance Grant Awarded** - The City received award notification from CalRecycle regarding the next cycle of CalRecycle’s SB 1383 Local Assistance Grant Program. The City is being awarded \$451,008 which is more than CalRecycle’s original \$298,679 estimate. These funds will be used by the Water Utilities Department, in conjunction with Library, Neighborhood Services, and Parks and Recreation for edible food recovery education and outreach to businesses, and to purchase supporting equipment and supplies to increase the recovery of edible food. Items to be purchased include refrigerators, a van, food warmers, milk coolers, shelving, and a food dehydrator. This will result in the recovery of additional edible food for consumption by Oceanside residents who are food insecure.

**Earth Day Community Event April 20** – The Green Oceanside team is hosting a fun, family-friendly Earth Day celebration on Saturday, April 20 from 9:00 a.m. to noon at Libby Lake Park. Check out educational booths, activities for kids, music, games, and more. Participants can also volunteer for a neighborhood cleanup event as part of the regional Creek to Bay cleanup that day. Visit [cleansd.org](http://cleansd.org) to register in advance and [greenoceanside.org](http://greenoceanside.org) to check out more information on how to make every day Earth Day. All ages are welcome!



## **COMMISSION / COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

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| <b>Mar 7</b>  | <del>Postponed to Mar. 19. Manufactured Home Fair Practices Commission.</del> |
| <b>Mar 11</b> | <del>Cancelled. Planning Commission. 6:00 p.m.</del>                          |
| <b>Mar 12</b> | Water/Sewer Committee. 3:30 p.m.  |
| <b>Mar 14</b> | Parks & Recreation Commission. 6:00 p.m.                                      |

- Mar 19** Utilities Commission. 3:30 p.m.
- Mar 19** Manufactured Home Fair Practices Commission. 6:00 p.m.
- Mar 21** Measure X Citizen Oversight Committee. 2:30 p.m.
- Mar 21** Police and Fire Commission. 4:00 p.m.
- Mar 25** Planning Commission. 6:00 p.m.
- Mar 26** Library Board of Trustees. 2:00 p.m.
- Mar 26** Housing Commission. 6:15 p.m.
- Mar 27** Downtown Advisory Committee Special Meeting. 9:00 a.m.
- Apr 2** Community Relations Commission. 6:00 p.m.

## **COMMUNITY MEETINGS / EVENTS**

- Mar 9** Pet Palooza Fair. 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. John Landes Park.
- Mar 14** Eastside Mural Project Community Meeting. 6:00 p.m. Balderrama Recreation Center.
- Mar 21** Green Oceanside Community Cleanup. Airport Road. 3:00 p.m. [Info](#)
- Mar 21** Oceanside Chamber of Commerce’s “Meet the City” event. El Corazon Conference and Events Center. 5:00-7:00 p.m.
- Mar 14** Eastside Mural Project Community Meeting. 6:00 p.m. Balderrama Recreation Center.
- Mar 23** Chamorro Cultural Festival. Pier Amphitheater. All day.
- Mar 30** Parks and Recreation Spring Egg Hunt. Buchanon Park. 8:45 a.m. – noon. [Info](#)
- Mar 30** Balderrama Park Egg Hunt. 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.
- Mar 30** Landes Park Egg Hunt. 10:00 a.m. – noon.
- Apr 5-6** IRONMAN 70.3 Oceanside. [Info](#)
- Apr 13** Heritage Park Day. Noon to 4:00 p.m. [Info and Registration](#)
- Apr 20** Earth Day Event and Waterway Cleanups. Libby Lake Park. 9:00 a.m. – noon. [Info](#)
- April 20** Mainstreet Oceanside’s “Taste of Spring.” [Info](#)