CITY COUNCIL WEEKLY UPDATE May 22, 2014

Planning Division

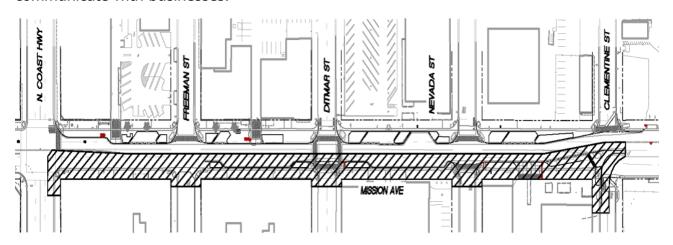
The Planning Commission meeting for May 19, 2014 was cancelled.

Development Services

Mission Avenue Improvement Project

Construction: Construction Stage 3 and Construction Stage 4 (from Clementine to Coast Highway) are both currently under construction (as shown below). This week (May 19-23), asphalt was placed from Clementine to Ditmar. Storm drain installation continued from Ditmar to Coast Highway. Curb and gutter and colored crosswalks were placed on the northwest corner of Coast Highway and Mission Avenue. Next week (May 26-30), intersection work on the northwest corner of Coast Highway and Mission will continue. The remaining sidewalk (pedestrian access) from Clementine to Ditmar will be removed and replaced. While this happens, temporary wooden bridges will be placed at business fronts for pedestrian access from Nevada to Ditmar. Storm drain installation will continue between Ditmar and Coast Highway. Landscaping will begin on the north side of Mission Avenue. Pedestrian access to businesses will remain open at all times.

Business Relations: Main Street Oceanside, Arcadis and City staff continue to communicate with businesses.



Neighborhood Services

The Crown Heights Annual Community Festival - **May 31 from 11-2 pm** at Crown Heights Resource Center on 1210 Division Street. Division Street will be closed on May 31 to host 18 resource tables, food vendors, entertainment groups, Ballet Folklorico, Zumba instruction, individual youth performances, K-9 demonstration, etc.

Virtual Counseling Network and Virtual Empowerment Center Kiosk - Housing Opportunities Collaborative (HOC) is partnering with the City of Oceanside to be the first city in Southern California to join the Virtual Counseling Network (VCN) and host a Virtual Empowerment Center kiosk at the Libby Lake Community Center at 4700 North River Road. Neighborhood Services Department staff and HOC personnel will be conducting a soft launch to train Housing staff, as well as key partners located at the Libby Lake Community Center on accessing the VCN as a tool for community assistance. Staff is planning to hold an official grand opening and media event on June 24, 2014. Details to be confirmed for June event.

Water Utilities

California Friendly Plant Fair and Sale - May 31 at Home Depot at 5755 Mission Ave. Join the City of Oceanside Green Team along with local plant experts at Home Depot for a funfilled morning focused on low water-use plants. There will be guidance on plant selection and design. Selected California friendly plants will be up to 50% off, for one day only. Lots of prizes, giveaways and children's activities. Free to the public. Flyer

Save the Date: June 24, 10 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Southern California Household Hazardous Waste Information Exchange (Civic Center Community Rooms)

The City of Oceanside Solid Waste and Recycling Program will be hosting the Southern California Household Hazardous Waste Information Exchange event in partnership with CalRecycle (State of California Department of Resources, Recycling, and Recovery). The workshop will feature presentations on waste and recycling, used oil recycling, hazardous waste disposal, pollution prevention, and social media outreach. Workshop fee is \$20, and will include a continental breakfast and lunch. Please RSVP by June 9.

Community Events:

<u>May 28</u> **Special Olympics Torch Run.** 9:20 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Coast Highway. (760) 801-1921.

<u>May 30-June 1</u> **Surfing America Prime.** 7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Harbor North Jetty. (949) 391-1010.

May 31 4th Annual Gala - Outrageous LGBTQ Fundraiser. 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. OMA. (760) 994-1690.

<u>June 6-14</u> **Race Across America.** 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Starting line and Expo. Junior Seau Amphitheater. (920) 381-6053.

<u>June 7</u> **Surfrider Beach Cleanup.** 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. North side of pier.

<u>June 7</u> **13th Annual Filipino American Cultural Celebration.** 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Civic Center Plaza and Library. (760) 435-5600.

<u>June 7</u> **U.S. Open Elite Taekwondo Championship**. 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Junior Seau Pier Amphitheater and Recreation Center. (760) 712-6154.

<u>June 14-15</u> **San Luis Rey Tribal Pow Wow.** 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Mission San Luis Rey. (760) 724-0585.