COUNCIL WEEKLY UPDATE

December 27, 2007

Development Productivity and Fee Study

The Development Services Department has prepared a Request for Proposals for a Development Productivity and Fee Study. This study was directed by the City Council in December at the time fee increases for development services were approved. The study will be focused on Planning, Engineering, Building and Fire Prevention. It is anticipated that the Economic Development Commission will be involved in phases of the study.

The RFP has been sent to 26 consulting firms. Proposals are due back to the City on February 11, 2008. Once a contract has been awarded, it is anticipated that the consultant's work will take approximately 150 days to complete.

City/Women's Resource Center Grant Award

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development announced the next round of Continuum of Care grants to support transitional and supportive housing for homeless individuals and families. San Diego County will receive \$5,292,129 for 25 projects, including \$146,702 for the Women's Resource Center in Oceanside. The City of San Diego will receive \$8,807,253 for 22 projects. This is the most the region has ever received in the annual Continuum of Care process; last year's amount was just over \$13 million. Both the City and the County had their applications fully funded with both agencies receiving slightly more than the requested amount because of increases in allowable rents in the Shelter Plus Care Program, a housing assistance program for the chronically homeless.

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WEEKLY OCEANSIDE EVENTS LISTING

The following events listing is a compilation of items sent to the Oceanside City Manager's Office as of December 21, 2007, by various City departments and divisions and area agencies and organizations. Any errors of fact or omission are the responsibility of the individual or organization providing the information. If you wish to have information included in this listing please call Linda Pruss, 435-3075 or fax to 435-6061 or e-mail her at LPruss@ci.oceanside.ca.us.

DECEMBER

Dec 28 CITY HALL CLOSED.

Dec 28 SPRINTER Light Rail Line Grand Opening. www.gonctd.com.

 $\underline{\text{Dec } 29}$ **Kids Fun Zone Crafts.** 11:00 am - 2:00 pm. Mission Marketplace. (760) 630-5092.

<u>Dec 30 – Jan 1</u> **New Year's Eve 12-step Retreat.** 6:00 pm. Mission San Luis Rey. (760) 757-3659 or www.sanluisrey.org.

<u>Dec 31</u> **"Happy Wanderers"** Senior Day Trip **News Year's Eve Day Party**. RSVP (760) 435-5250.

JANUARY 2008

<u>Jan 1</u> City Hall Closed in Observance of New Years' Day.

<u>Jan 2</u> **Paws to Read.** Grades 2-5. 3:00 – 4:00 pm. Civic Center Library. 330 N. Coast Highway, (760) 435-5590.

Jan 3 Lynx Grand Arrival. 3:00 pm. Harbor. (866) 446-5969. See Features Section

Jan 3-13 Tall Ships Tours and Re-enactments. Harbor. (866) 446-5969.

<u>Jan 3</u> **Booklinks – Magic School Bus.** Grades 4-6. 4:00 – 5:00 pm. Community Computer Center Training Room, 321 N. Nevada Street, (760) 435-5590.

<u>Jan 5-6</u> **Interscholastic Surfing Federation.** 7:00 am – 4:00 pm. South side of Pier. (760) 931-1450.