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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

Bye Bye Barbara

It is with very mixed emotions we announce that our Chief of Staff, Barbara Moore, will be leaving for another opportunity. We are so happy for her that she is going to a great new job at Google, and nobody could be more deserving. However, we are saddened by the loss of an incredibly talented individual who has run our office for the past six years. Barbara is respected and well-liked by everyone at City Hall, and her expertise included knowing how every department functioned. Moreover, the constituents also greatly appreciated her kind manner and attention to detail with their issues. As we used to say, “when you call the 4th district office, you don’t get less, you get Moore”. Google is very fortunate to be getting Moore. Thank you, Barbara!

Restoration Award for Park Estates Home

Yesterday, Long Beach Heritage presented homeowners Jeff Anderson and Torey Carrick with the 2022 Restoration Award. Their beautiful home in Park Estates, designed by Paul Tay, was recognized for the
diligently extensive renewal and return to its original look inside and out. The project was overseen by the late architect, and former LBH Preservationist of the Year, Jon Glasgow. Congratulation to Jeff and Torey for this well-deserved honor. Back in 2019, another District 4 mid-century modern home was recognized by Long Beach Heritage. Blake and Melissa Nicolai took the Restoration Award for their remarkable job in preserving the McWilliams residence in Los Altos. Go Fourth!

Vote By Mail Drop Boxes Through June 7th

The Office of the City Clerk has partnered with the Los Angeles Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk to bring the Vote By Mail Drop-Off Program to Long Beach. Vote by Mail ballots may be returned by mail (no postage required), in person at any Vote Center or at any Vote by Mail drop box. Long Beach voters have 24-hour access to drop boxes at participating locations across LA County. There are 17 drop box locations throughout Long Beach, and Council District 4 locations include El Dorado Park and Stearns Park. Click here to find a drop box location in Long Beach.

Parks & Rec Summer Class Registration

Registration for summer classes and activities is now open! Long Beach Parks, Recreation & Marine (PRM) will offer a variety of new and existing classes and camps. More than 700 activities in art, music, nature, fitness, special interest subjects, adult sports leagues and aquatics will begin in June and continue throughout the summer months. To browse summer classes visit LBParks.org.

Nature Kids Summer Camp Registration

Registration for the Nature Kids Summer Camp at El Dorado Nature
Center is now open. Children will experience nature through investigation, hands-on activities, games and crafts. The 2-hour sessions will take place in June, July and August 2022. Preschool sessions (3-5 years) run from 10am-12pm, and youth sessions (5-8 years) are held at the same time on alternate weeks. For more information, call (562) 570-1745 or visit www.lblands.org

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**Upcoming Events**

**Party at the Beach TONIGHT!**  
**May 20th | 5 pm - 9 pm | West end of Horn Center building**

CSULB will be showcasing the expansive new arts complex TONIGHT. There will be live DJ sets, friendly lawn games in the gardens and surprise entertainment features. The party will include Vibrant exhibitions by Linda Besemer, Anabel Juárez, Carolyn Campagna Kleefeld and Cal State Long Beach School of Art students! This event is free and open to the public, but attendees must have registered by May 19. For more information, please click on this [link](#).

**Marine Bureau Boat Auction**  
**May 21st | 8 am | 205 Marina Drive**

The Marine Bureau Boat Auction is **TOMORROW** at 205 Marina Drive. The viewing begins at 8 am, and bidding starts at 9 am. Boat Auction rules and a list of items for auction can be found [here](#). For more information please call **562-570-3215**. For future auction notification, sign up for [LinkLB](#).

**El Dorado Frontier Special Event w/ Bob Gurr**  
**May 21st | El Dorado Park | 7550 East Spring Street**

El Dorado Frontier will be hosting Disney Legend Bob Gurr for a special meet and greet experience. Imagineer Bob Gurr designed most of the Disneyland attractions ride vehicles including Autopia, The Haunted Mansion, the Disneyland Monorail, the Submarine Voyage and the Matterhorn Bobsleds. Tickets are on sale for $20 and include admission to the Frontier and unlimited train and carousel rides. For more information click [here](#).

**Fire Recruit Graduation Ceremony**  
**May 21st | 11 am | 2249 Argonne Ave**

Tomorrow, Saturday, May 21st, the LBFD will conduct its 2022A Fire Recruit Graduation at the Captain David Rosa Regional Training Center in CD4. The ceremony will also be honoring the 2020A class who graduated December 2020 but did not receive an official ceremony due to COVID. Tucker School and adjacent streets will be used for parking. The ceremony begins at 11:00 am and will include “live burn” demonstrations. We apologize for any neighborhood inconvenience and thank you for your consideration.
Next on the City Council Agenda
May 24th | 5:00 pm | 411 W. Ocean Blvd.

The City Council meeting will start at 5 pm in the Bob Foster Civic Chambers on the ground floor of City Hall, located at 411 W. Ocean Blvd. City council meetings are broadcast live online and are also available on Channel 3 for Charter cable subscribers and Channel 21 for FIOS subscribers. Here are some topics that appear on next Tuesday's agenda:

- R22: Recommendation to request City Manager to prepare an update on the temporary parklet program and return to council prior to the June 30 sunset date for the program.

- R28: Recommendation to adopt Specifications No. RFP ED22-023 and award a contract to Fund for Guaranteed Income, of El Segundo, CA, to implement and administer the Long Beach Guaranteed Income Pilot Program, in a total amount not to exceed $460,915 for a period of two years, with the option to renew for three additional one-year periods, at the discretion of the City Manager; and, authorize City Manager, or designee, to execute all documents necessary to enter into the contract, including any necessary subsequent amendments. (Citywide)

- R32: Recommendation to adopt resolution approving a list of projects citywide for repaving and resurfacing that are proposed to receive Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account funding in a total estimated amount of $10,661,747 in the Fiscal Year 2023 Paving Program. (Citywide)

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

Rancho Los Alamitos Cottonwood Awards
May 26th | 11:00 am - 1:00 pm | 6400 E Bixby Hill Road

The 10th Annual Cottonwood Awards Luncheon takes place next Thursday, May 26th. It is the signature RLA event and its biggest fundraiser of the year raising funds that support the educational mission. The presenting sponsors include: Marlene Temple and the Don Temple Family Trust, the Port of Long Beach and Signal Hill Petroleum. With RLA now in the CD4, it will be my first opportunity to serve as an honorary co-chair of the event.

For more information, please visit this link.

Los Altos Library Kinetic Sculpting Class
May 26th | 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm | 5614 E. Britton Dr.

Join the kinetic sculpting class at the Los Altos Library next Thursday, May 26th at 3:30 pm. Using art and physics, participants will create kinetic sculptures and learn how to find balance in their unique creations using a variety of materials. This class is for ages 13+.

Toddler Storytime at El Dorado Library
May 26th | 10:00 am - 11:15 am | 2900 Studebaker Rd.

Toddler storytime features stories, songs, and activities for youth ages 9 months to 3 years old. Advance registration is NOT required but is first come, first served, and space is limited. Due to popular demand, please choose to attend either the 10 am session or the 11:15 am session. For more information please click [here](#).

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**The Go Fourth! Harbor Tour is Back!**

June 30th | 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm | RSVP LIST COMING SOON

We’re back after three years! Join “Skipper” Daryl Supernaw and the Port of Long Beach for a Long Beach Harbor Boat Tour on Thursday, June 30th from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. There will be complimentary refreshments and a light snack. Please dress to be out on the water and wear comfortable shoes. Space is limited, and you must RSVP to reserve your spot. Stay tuned for the RSVP link as reservations will be taken on a first come, first served basis. This event is free of charge and includes three hours complimentary parking. Ship ahoy!

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**And Finally....**

**Lakewood Blvd. (aka) CA State Route 19**

Last week, we mentioned Lakewood Blvd. lost its designation as CA State Route 19 many years ago, but there is still “19” signage located in Council District 4. We asked for emails from anyone who knew the locations. Congratulations to Emilio Paerels who correctly identified the Caltrans sign at 4511 E. PCH near the Carl’s Jr. driveway. Unlike the 405 Freeway signs that include “Lakewood Blvd” with “19”, the sign near the traffic circle only indicates “19”. The other location is on northbound Lakewood Blvd. as you exit the airport tunnel. It is a stand-alone sign that simply indicates that you are driving on CA State Route 19.

CA 19 within the City of Long Beach was relinquished as a State Highway pursuant to terms of a cooperative agreement between the City and the California Transportation Commission. The relinquishment of CA 19 in Long Beach was authorized by Assembly Bill 2132, Chapter 877 on September 26th, 1998. The City of Long Beach does not appear to be held to a stipulation to maintain the signage. That being said, I’m all for nostalgia, and I’d like to see the signs remain.
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