

MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 29, 2014
TO: City Council
FROM: John Pietig, City Manager
SUBJECT: WEEKLY UPDATES

Coast Highway Emergency Construction – There is a 16” gas line within Coast Highway in South Laguna that is in need of emergency repair based on a recent inspection by the Gas Company. The work will begin Friday, May 30, and will likely cause traffic delays for southbound traffic through South Laguna. The work will be in the southbound left turn pocket at Third Avenue and in the southbound number one lane just north of Third Avenue. The Gas Company expects the work to take up to three weeks, but it could be done sooner, depending on what is discovered when they expose the pipe. Working hours are initially planned to be between 7:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. The travel lanes will be open during non-working hours.

Transit Survey – The City sent out a transit survey to all residents through a mail house on May 16, and the due date indicated on the mailed survey was May 23. Because of delays in the mailing between the mail house and the Post Office, most people did not receive the survey until the day after the due date. The due date has been extended to June 6 by notices on the City website, a press release, and a half page advertisement in the Coastline Pilot that will be published on May 30. As of this date, slightly over 800 surveys have been completed and returned to the City.

Tuesday, June 10 Mobility and Transit Community Workshop - A public workshop is scheduled on June 10, 2014, at the Laguna Beach Community & Susi Q Center from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. to obtain community input on preliminary ideas for two plans, the Enhanced Mobility and Complete Streets Transition Plan and the Transit Program Service Analysis. The outreach effort will be led by the same person who led the public outreach for the Parking Management Plan. (Attachment)

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Laguna Beach Mobility and Transit Community Workshop



Tuesday, June 10th

6:00 to 8:00 pm

**Laguna Beach Community & Susi Q Center
380 Third Street**



The City of Laguna Beach is working on exciting plans to create a city-wide transportation network that is pedestrian and bicycle friendly, reduces traffic congestion, and provides frequent and reliable transit service between home, workplace, school, recreation and shopping for residents and visitors.

The City is hosting a workshop to obtain community input on preliminary ideas for two plans, the *Enhanced Mobility and Complete Streets Transition Plan* and the *Transit Program Service Analysis*. This workshop is your opportunity to learn about the plans, meet the project team, and share your thoughts for the future of Laguna Beach transportation options!

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