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### **COUNCILMEMBER DONCHAK TO LEAD TWILIGHT HIKE TO SAN CLEMENTE SUMMIT**

#### ***Residents encouraged to participate in the hike and enter the photo contest***

November 21, 2016...San Clemente, California....The community is invited to join Councilmember Lori Donchak for a twilight hike to the San Clemente Summit on Friday, December 9, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. Sunset is at 4:43 p.m.

This represents the first twilight hike led by Councilmember Lori Donchak but the third annual hike to San Clemente Summit, which serves as the highest elevation in town. San Clemente Summit is located on the northern portion of the Cristianitos Trail up from the trail access point at Avenida Talega and has an elevation of 1,008 feet. Meet and park at the end of Avenida Talega. Participants are advised to wear closed-toe hiking shoes, and bring a water bottle for the approximate three-mile round-trip hike. Dogs on leash are welcome but the trail is not suitable for strollers. Flashlights are a good idea too.

In connection with the hike, the City will host a photo contest and asks residents to submit their pictures they have taken or will take during the twilight hike to San Clemente Summit that captures the feeling and beauty from atop this highest point. Photos must be emailed by January 3, 2017 to [FergusonL@san-clemente.org](mailto:FergusonL@san-clemente.org). The first, second and third place winners of the photo contest will be announced at the City Council meeting on January 17, 2017 and will receive a prize.

For more information, call the City's Public Information Officer at (949) 361-8254 or email [FergusonL@san-clemente.org](mailto:FergusonL@san-clemente.org).

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