



April 8, 2024

Status updates on items of interest in San Clemente!

San Clemente Shoreline Sand Replenishment Project

The sand replenishment project started on December 21, 2023 and was paused on January 9, 2024 due to sediment quality issues. At its March 19, 2024 meeting, the City Council unanimously approved a modification to the project to support the use of an alternate “borrow site” (source of sand). With this modification, the US Army Corps of Engineers will direct the contractor to return to San Clemente in mid to late April to complete the beach sand project following completion of beach sand projects in Solana Beach & Encinitas in San Diego County. www.san-clemente.org/beachsand

OCTA Coastal Rail Resiliency Study

The Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) recently initiated the Coastal Rail Resiliency Study (CRRS). The CRRS is exploring solutions to protect approximately seven miles of coastal railroad (including through San Clemente) in place for up to 30 years. To learn more about the study and provide input, visit www.octa.net/crrs and/or attend a virtual or in-person meeting:

Public Meeting #1 (Virtual)

Thursday, April 11, 2024, 5:00pm-6:30pm
Zoom Link: <https://bit.ly/CRRS-PublicMtg1>
Webinar ID: 871 3383 6211
Call-in: +1 (669) 900-6833

Public Meeting #2 (In Person)

Thursday, May 30, 2024, 5:00pm-6:30pm
San Clemente City Hall, Council Chambers
910 Calle Negocio, San Clemente, CA 92673

Traffic Changes in San Clemente

City Council recently approved two changes to traffic that you can expect to see soon:

- 1) Westbound Avenida Palizada at El Camino Real: Striping will allow a second left hand turn lane onto Southbound El Camino Real
- 2) El Camino Real at Esplanade: Traffic delineator posts will be removed from El Camino Real

Celebrate Earth Day & Arbor Day with the City of San Clemente

Earth Day – April 20, 2024 at 9:00am

Participate in a beach clean-up at the San Clemente Pier beginning at 9:00am!

Arbor Day – April 27, 2024, 9:00am-12:00pm

Plant trees with the City at Jim Johnson Memorial Sports Park! All tools will be provided.