



RESORT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT No. 1
SHELTER COVE, HUMBOLDT COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
*Electric, Water, Sewer, Fire Protection, Search & Rescue,
Airport, Golf Links, Recreation*

SEPTEMBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

**SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL
PREPAREDNESS MONTH –
PROTECT YOUR FAMILY & SHELTER COVE
BY PREPARING FOR WILDFIRE & PUBLIC
SAFETY POWER SHUTOFFS**

The District is encouraging all residents to be ready in advance to the threat of wildfires and public safety power shutoffs. Check your Go Bag to ensure that you and your family are ready to evacuate.

Don't have a Go Bag? Or maybe you would like some help getting your Go Bag together. Visit www.readyforwildfire.org - it's a great website to help you prepare to take action in case of a wildfire. All residents are welcome to contact our Fire Chief or a Duty Officer to help you get your Go Bag in order. Call Shelter Cove Fire – 986-7507 or email: scfd@sheltercove-ca.gov to set up an appointment.

Be prepared for the potential of Public Safety Power Shutoffs (PSPS). PSPS are implemented to protect life and property during times of prolonged dry, windy, and wildfire prone (red flag warning) weather by de-energizing electrical lines to specific areas in Shelter Cove. The District will make every effort to contact customers affected in advance of implementing a PSPS. **Please make sure we have your most updated contact information including cell numbers and email addresses.**

Keep our roads (evacuation routes) clear and free from obstructions. Please relocate all vehicles, boats, and construction materials from Shelter Cove roadways.

Sign up for Humboldt Alert at:
<https://humboldt.gov/2014/Emergency-Notifications/alerts>
Humboldt ALERT allows the Office of Emergency Services to contact residents in minutes, so you can find out about an emergency right away via email, phone, and/or text message.

ZONE HAVEN – Online Evacuation Information

The District would also like to encourage residents and businesses to become familiar with Zone Haven – a web based evacuation communication tool where users can see evacuation warnings and orders in real time at the specific locations where the warnings/orders apply.

Check out: <https://community.zonehaven.com/>
There are five (5) separate evacuation zones for Shelter Cove (HUM-E209, HUM-E210, HUM-E211, HUM-E212, and HUM-E213). Locate your residence on Zone Haven and be sure to familiarize yourself with our signed wildfire evacuation routes in Shelter Cove.

CAL FIRE BURN BAN

All outdoor burning has been suspended. Report all suspected wildfires by calling 911.

CHIPPER DAYS!!

The next Chipper Day will be in late September. Please take advantage of chipping days by moving your branches to the roadside's edge with cut ends facing out. Please do not stack limbs over 3ft high, just start a new pile. Tree trunks over 6" in diameter, stumps, rocks, and garbage will not be chipped. Please fill in the Chipper Form: https://0201.nccdn.net/1_2/000/000/10a/967/chipper-request-scfd.pdf and contact Shelter Cove Fire at 986-7507 when your pile is ready.

SEPTEMBER'S DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

September's Board of Director's meeting will be held on Thursday, September 15, 2022 starting at 9AM.

Please join this meeting in person or from your computer, tablet, or smartphone:
<https://meet.goto.com/614557301>

This month's meeting will include the presentation of a District staff report on the construction of a sports courts complex (basketball/pickleball) adjacent to the community clubhouse on Upper Pacific Drive.

All are welcome to attend.



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2022 PIONEER PHONE BOOK

The 2022 Pioneer Shelter Cove Phone book is here! They will be available at the RID office for a \$10 donation to the Pioneers.

HUMBOLDT COUNTY ROAD REPAIRS

Humboldt County Public Works will continue to replace culverts on Shelter Cove Road between Whitethorn Construction and Chemise Mountain Road.

Telegraph Creek Road at Puma Drive is closed to all traffic at this time (and is estimated to be closed through mid-September).

Shelter Cove Community Events

Check out the enclosed Community Calendar to see the many events and activities scheduled at the Community Clubhouse for next month. Below are a couple of other local outdoor events.

Sat, Sept 24 - National Public Lands Day – Friends of the Lost Coast and BLM King Range National Conservation Area invite all for a day of stewardship and camaraderie. Meet 10am at Mal Coombs Park to break into groups to work at 3 project site locations, Mal Coombs Park, Black Sands Beach, and the Low Gap Trail. Event time is 10am to 1pm with a free shirt and lunch for volunteers at the end of the event. Email info@lostcoast.org to RSVP.

Sun, Oct 2 - Lost Coast Trail Stewards workday. 10am to 2pm - trail location TBA. Email justin@lostcoast.org for info.

COMMENTS: We encourage your comments, please use your bill stub, or write to: gm@sheltercove-ca.gov



CHILDREN'S GARDEN



The District and Shelter Cove Arts and Recreation Foundation (SCARF) invite all residents to come down to the Clubhouse to check out the new Children's Garden. Individuals and families interested in helping with planning and planting activities at the garden are encouraged to contact Mark Mitchell at 986-7120 or by email, mmitchelltravelor@yahoo.com

BEARS! OH MY! LET'S KEEP 'EM WILD



Shelter Cove is an area rich in a diversity of wildlife and encounters with our wild neighbors are inevitable.

- Always keep trash, recycling, compost, and pet food in secure bins.
- DO NOT FEED BEARS OR OTHER WILDLIFE! It is against the law.
- Close windows on vehicles at night.
- Pick ripe fruit off trees and promptly collect fruit that falls off trees.
- Install motion-activated lights, or alarms.
- Alert your neighbors to bear activity.