



RESORT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT No. 1 SHELTER COVE, HUMBOLDT COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

*Electric, Water, Sewer, Fire Protection, Search & Rescue,
Airport, Golf Links, Recreation*

MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER

BOARD PASSES ELECTRIC RATE INCREASE

At a Regular Board meeting on April 20, 2023, the RID Board of Directors voted unanimously to adopt changes to be incorporated into the Electric Utility Rate Ordinance No. 71 and increase the fixed monthly service charge rate by \$25 for all customers. This increase was deemed necessary due to unforeseen increased wholesale electric costs. See attached utility rate tables.

INTERIM GENERAL MANAGER

General Manager, Justin Robbins has resigned early, effective: April 21, 2023. Jack Hargrave has stepped into the position of interim General Manager until the RID Board of Directors hires a new, permanent GM.

JOB OPENING

The Resort Improvement District is accepting applications for the position of General Manager. Salary Range: \$90,000-\$130,000 (FLSA Exempt). Position includes full benefits package (CalPERS retirement, Healthcare coverage, Paid holidays, vacation, and sick leave).

Application deadline: Position is open until filled.

Apply: at the RID Main office located at 9126 Shelter Cove Road, Whitethorn, CA 95589 or email Sue Sack sue@sheltercove-ca.gov 707-986-7447 ext.120

Application is available at www.sheltercove-ca.gov . Please include a resume.

MAY DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

Each Board meeting is held on the third Thursday of the month and May's Board meeting will be held on Thursday, May 18, 2023, starting at 9AM.

To join the meeting remotely: Go to: www.sheltercove-ca.gov

Find the "Online meeting link" under the **BOARD** button. Then click Minutes, Reports, Forms, Notices.

CLOSURE OF BURN SEASON IMMINENT

Please take advantage of current cool conditions to abate fire hazards on your property. Please go to www.ncuaqmd.org to obtain a burn permit (Shelter Cove is Zone 1) and have it on-site while burning. Please follow permit instructions carefully. Keep your burn piles small with plenty of water at hand, never leave fires unattended and make sure the fire is dead out before you leave for the day. Although it may be an AQMD "burn-day", the wind may well make it unsafe to burn locally.

GREASE IS THE WORD

Pouring fats, oils, and grease (FOG) down kitchen drains accumulates inside **sewer pipes**. As the FOG builds up, it restricts the flow in the pipe and can cause untreated wastewater to back up into homes and businesses, resulting in high costs for cleanup and restoration of the sewer system and private septic systems.

Don't dump FOG down your sink!



HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

RID District offices will be closed on Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day.



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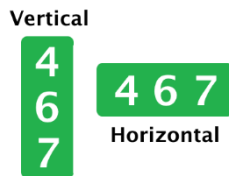
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CAN YOU DIG IT?

The District’s underground utilities can be located well inside property lines so to avoid a potential mishap while digging on your lot please call 811 or USA North @ 1-800-277-2600 at least TWO working days before you dig. A District representative will contact you and mark out the location of any underground utilities.

GIVE ME A SIGN!

The Shelter Cove Fire Department requests that all house numbers be highly visible from the street. In emergency situations precious time is lost trying to identify the location of homes. CERT will have a table at the Tuesday farmer’s market at Mario’s Marina from 11am to 1pm. You can fill out a reflective street sign order form and get other emergency preparedness information. You may also fill out a form at the RID office and we will pass them on to CERT. The signs are FREE and remember, the fire department can’t help you if they can’t find you!



FIRE EXTINGUISHER RECHARGE

The community may bring their fire extinguishers to the Fire House or District office on the morning of Thursday, June 15th, for recharging by Eureka-Humboldt Fire Extinguisher. If you have any questions, please call them at 822-2517. The cost of this service depends on unit size. One time use only extinguishers cannot be recharged.

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

CHIPPER DAYS AHEAD!

When Burn Season is suspended, Humboldt County Fire Safe Council’s Spring 2023 Chipper Days will resume! This service is FREE to help residents dispose of debris generated from fuels reduction work around their homes. See the enclosed flyer!

EMERGENCY 911 CALLS

Please don’t be afraid to use the 911 system if you need emergency help from our fire department. It is the fastest way to get the relevant emergency services to you. When calling 911 from your cell phone, please remember to indicate your location in Humboldt County, as we are not the only “Shelter Cove” in California. Please do not call firefighters at home.

SHELTER COVE COMMUNITY EVENTS

Check out the enclosed Community Calendar to see the many events and activities scheduled at the Community Clubhouse for June. Here are some other community happenings in May:

Friends of the Lost Coast (FOLC): Shelter Cove Workday at Black Sands Beach, Sunday, May 21, 2023 10am -1pm.

Shelter Cove Arts & Recreation Foundation (SCARF): Artist in Residence, Kid’s Art Class at the Clubhouse, Saturday, May 27, 12 to 3p.m.

SOHUM HEALTH MOBILE VAN

The Mobile Medical Clinic will be serving Shelter Cove on Thursday, May 25th from 10:00am-3:00pm at the RID Community Clubhouse. To schedule an appointment, call (707) 923-3921 x1221