



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

FEBRUARY 2024 NEWSLETTER

RID'S 2023 VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR



At the January RID Board meeting the Board of Directors formally recognized Cheryl Antony as Volunteer of the Year for 2023. Cheryl is truly a force of nature, enthusiastically giving her time and energy to MANY volunteer enterprises over the years, including, but not limited to, crocheting hats for babies in the pediatric ward at St. Joseph's Hospital, spearheading and cooking delicious senior lunches and Thanksgiving dinner at Chapel by the Sea, being instrumental in the construction of our wonderful playground, delivering meals for CASO, serving on the leadership team of CERT, adopting her alter ego, Mrs. Claus, for the children's Christmas party for more years than we can count, volunteering with Shelter Cove Fire and Rescue for over 22 years and MUCH, MUCH more! Our heartfelt gratitude, Cheryl! You make Shelter Cove a better place to live!

HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

The district offices will close on Monday, February 19th, 2024 in honor of President's Day.

RAIN RAIN RAIN

The rainfall amount recorded at the RID Water Plant for the month of January was a soggy 26.6 inches! More to come!

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Water/Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator:

Full-time 40 hrs/week. Plant monitoring on weekends. \$25.44 to \$31.77 BOE. Paid vacation, sick, holiday, PERS retirement, medical, dental, vision and life insurance.

Must possess valid Water/Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator Certificates issued by California SWRCB. Position is responsible for water and wastewater treatment plant operations, including the formulation and implementation of treatment plant operation methods.

Apprentice, Power Distribution and Journeyman,

Power Distribution:

Full-time 40 hrs/week.

Apprentice: \$27.44-\$51.36 per hour BOE.

Journeyman: \$57.07-\$61.46 per hour BOE.

Under general supervision, perform work in the construction and maintenance of overhead and underground electrical lines and electrical distribution system, and perform related duties.

High school degree or its equivalent. Apprentice must have completed an accredited 4-year apprenticeship program, and the Journeyman must have 4 years Journeyman line experience.

Applications and full job descriptions available on the District's website: www.sheltercove-ca.gov and at the District's office.

Successful Applicants must be able to pass a pre-employment drug, alcohol screen and physical test and live within one hour travel time of Shelter Cove/District boundaries.

DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

Each Board meeting is held on the third Thursday of the month at the RID Fire Hall. February's Board meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15th, 2024, starting at 9 am. Everyone is welcome. This is a great way to stay informed and be involved in your community. To join the meeting remotely: Go to sheltercove-ca.gov. and find the "Go to Meeting" link under the BOARD button.



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UTILITY EMERGENCIES

If you experience reduced water pressure, lose water entirely, hear or see unusual water running, or experience power or sewer issues after normal RID work hours (8am to Noon & 1pm to 4pm, M-F) please call the District's **on call phone number: 707-223-1225**. While RID is dedicated to providing uninterrupted utility service to our community, we cannot absolutely guarantee power during severe winter storms. Please be prepared for heavy rains, high winds, gigantic swells, snow and downed trees and prepare your homes accordingly. You may want to consider purchasing a small generator to power appliances in your home in the event of extended power outages.

DOWNED TREES & POWER LINES



If you encounter fallen trees or power lines on the roads in your winter weather travels, please **call 911** immediately so they can be dealt with safely. Stay away from a downed power line and assume that it is energized. Don't touch anything that is touching the downed power line, such as trees, vehicles, fences or pipes. If a power line falls on or near your car, stay in the vehicle until emergency services arrive. Do not drive over the line or attempt to move it.

COMMENTS: We want to hear from YOU! Please include your comments on your bill stub, or write to: info@sheltercove-ca.gov

ROADSIDE CLEARING



Eel River Conservation Camp crews have been hard at work on the roadsides in the Cove, clearing ditches and drain inlets. The RID collaborated with Humboldt County Roads to enable this work, which will hopefully help prevent potential problems in the future for both agencies.

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.

FRIENDS OF THE LOST COAST

Sunday, February 25th, Join Friends of the Lost Coast and BLM for a day of service at Black Sands Beach in Shelter Cove from 10a.m to 1p.m. weeding and planting in the native plant gardens at the national monument site, plus invasive plant removal in the larger Black Sands Beach area. Meet at 10am at the west end of the Black Sands Beach parking area – 856 Beach Rd in Shelter Cove. To RSVP or register for a youth stipend, email: justin@lostcoast.org.