



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

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

## JUNE 2019 NEWSLETTER

### TEMPORARY AIRPORT CLOSURES

The RID will close the airport between June 10th and June 14th to allow for surface treatment on the taxiway and runway approaches. Treatment includes manually pulling weeds and applying crack sealant to the cracks. Other closures will occur towards the end of June and in August for the slurry seal and painting of stripes on the treated areas. A Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) will be issued to inform pilots of the closures. No unauthorized pedestrians will be allowed on the airport, including the taxiway, while work is being performed.

### **Annual Water Quality Report:**

We regularly test our drinking water quality for many constituents as required by State and Federal regulations and the enclosed report shows the results of our monitoring for the period of: **January 1 – December 31, 2018.**

### **Appropriations Limit Calculation:**

Annually, the District determines the maximum limit of how much money the District can receive via Humboldt County from property taxes collected. The appropriations limit calculations for fiscal year 2019/2020 are available for public review at the District office and will be placed on the June 20th Board Meeting Agenda for board approval.

### NEW JOB OPPORTUNITY

The following specialized full-time position is open:  
Full-time Electrical Superintendent \$37.06/hr starting.  
A pre-employment physical and drug screen is required.  
Salary commensurate with experience. Job application, description and requirements are posted on the District's website: [www.sheltercove-ca.gov](http://www.sheltercove-ca.gov) or are available at the District office. Resumes are encouraged, but will not be accepted in lieu of a completed application. Vacancies are open until filled. Please contact the RID if you have any questions.

**COMMENTS:** We encourage your comments, so please use your bill stub to provide feedback regarding matters within the District's control.

### CHIPPER DAY UPDATE

The 3rd Chipper Day was held on May 28<sup>th</sup> and the crew concentrated mostly on the Zoo area of the Cove. The SCFD volunteers chipped all day and again processed a massive amount of cut branches and brush. The next Chipper Day will be held on Sat, June 29<sup>th</sup>.

### **Firework Safety:**

Please be extra safe with fireworks this year as our area has experienced tremendous vegetation growth due to a wet spring. The Fire Department is trying something new this year by making available an area away from activities on Shelter Cove Beach. An hour before sunset, a designated family/kids area, adjacent the Clubhouse, will be available for safe and sane fireworks.

As an alternative to staying in Shelter Cove to celebrate, there is a large organized annual firework display on July 4<sup>th</sup> at the Benbow Lake State Park, just south of Garberville. The show starts at 9:30 p.m. but arrive early as parking is on a first come first served basis.

### **Shelter Cove Fire Fighters Association and CERT 4th July BBQ and Firewise Event:**

The Shelter Cove Fire Fighters Association and CERT will be holding a July 4<sup>th</sup> BBQ at Marina Motel parking lot at 11 a.m. until the food is gone. There will also be a Firewise community information booth for homeowners with educational material regarding fire hazard abatement.

### **Holiday Announcement:**

The District offices will close on Thursday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day.

### **Fire Extinguisher Recharge:**

The community may bring their fire extinguishers to the Fire House or District office on the morning of Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, for recharging by Eureka-Humboldt Fire Extinguisher. If you have any questions, please call them - Their phone number is 822-2517. The cost of this service will depend on the unit size. One time use only extinguishers cannot be recharged.



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Dear Residents and Property Owners –

I hope you all have enjoyed the lovely Spring weather these past few weeks. At RID we've enjoyed a great start to the construction season. Work continues on replacing water tanks at Kennedy (Beach & Shelter Cove Rd junction), Bud (Wolverine Way) and Jeff (Heather Court) sites. RID will be completing maintenance on the airport taxiway surface and later this month we'll be installing three new emergency wildfire sirens to complement our emergency tsunami siren system.

This past month RID has also been actively coordinating with Humboldt County Department of Public Works on road maintenance projects including culvert replacement and roadside clearing of overgrown brush and with the Sheriff's Department on securing more law enforcement presence in the cove.

Work also continues on RID's Utility Rate Study and 5-Year Capital Improvement Plan. Dan Bergmann of IGService will return to Shelter Cove on Thursday June 20<sup>th</sup> to present his complete RID Utility Rate Study and his Rate Recommendations (Electric, Sewer, Water) to the RID Board of Directors at the regularly scheduled Board Meeting. At the June 20<sup>th</sup> Board meeting, copies of IGService's utility rate study, rate recommendations and accompanying power point presentation will be made available and copies will be posted for review on RID's website: [www.sheltercove-ca.gov](http://www.sheltercove-ca.gov) following the meeting.

As Spring gives way to Summer, RID and Shelter Cove Fire encourages all residents and neighbors to work together to prepare for wildfire season. Each month we will continue to have a Chipper Day whereas residents and property owners can move cut limbs and brush to the roadside's edge (with butts facing out, piled no more than three feet high and without stumps and garbage) to have brush/limb piles chipped by our Fire Department. Next Chipper Day is Saturday June 29<sup>th</sup>.

I want to share a huge thanks for the members of our volunteer Fire Department and all the incredible work that they do for our community and for our visitors. Help the Fire Department to be able to help you...Please make sure that your house number is clearly displayed at the street level. Clear vegetation from around your home, off of your decks and from your gutters.

To help make your home fire safe and to learn more from Cal Fire please visit: [http://calfire.ca.gov/communications/downloads/fact\\_sheets/Checklist.pdf](http://calfire.ca.gov/communications/downloads/fact_sheets/Checklist.pdf)

Next Board Meeting is Thursday June 20<sup>th</sup> at 9AM at the RID offices. Hope to see you there.

Justin