



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

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

## SEPTEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

### UTILITY RATE CPI INCREASE

On August 20, 2015 the District Board of Directors authorized Consumer Price Index (CPI) increases to all three utilities spread over five years beginning in 2015. This is to cover the cost of providing services and offset the effects of inflation. This year the cost of living increase will be 3%. New rates take effect with September's usage and will be billed out in October.

### GENERAL LABORER JOB AVAILABLE

Hourly rate: \$14.77 - \$24.47, with benefits. Full-time, 40 hours/week. Minimum qualifications:

Must have one-year experience general construction work or equivalent. Must have graduated high school or its equivalent. Must be computer literate. Must reside within one hour of the Shelter Cove area.

Application period: Open until filled. Final applicant must have a valid CA DMV issued driver's license and be able to pass a pre-employment physical and drug screening. If you are interested in applying, please stop by our office to pick up a job description and an application form or visit our website for the documents.

### PAMPAS REMOVAL VOLUNTEER PROJECT

Pampas Grass seed heads are pink right now, so this is the best time to remove them before they start to disburse. Lost Coast Interpretive Center and BLM will pay 25 cents per pink seed head collected. Special disposal bags have to be used for the cut plumes and they can be obtained from the Shelter Cove Library and at the RID office. Pick up day is on September 21<sup>st</sup>. Contact Sandy Miles for a pickup or if you have any questions at (707) 986-5415 or email her at [smiles@blm.gov](mailto:smiles@blm.gov). Payments will be made on a first come first served basis and until funds are used up.

### **Holiday Announcement:**

The District offices will close on Monday, October 14th in observance of Columbus Day.

### ALEXANDER VON HUMBOLDT DAY

At their July 30th meeting the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors declared September 14th as Alexander Von Humboldt Day. To celebrate the day there will be a celebration in the form of a Planet Humboldt Ideas Summit: A Summit of Inspiration for Community and a Vital Earth. The event will be held on Saturday, September 14th between 10:00 a.m. – 10 p.m. at the Sequoia Conference Center, Eureka, CA. A Fire of Life Awards Reception will be held from 7.30 to 10 pm to honor those who embody the Planet Humboldt mission and guiding principles. Admission for this event will be \$35 and proceeds will benefit the Humboldt Fire Safe Council and Rotary Disaster Relief Fund.

For more information contact Event Coordinator, Andy Barnett- 707 223-1626

HYPERLINK "mailto:andy@planethumboldt.org" \handy@planethumboldt.org or visit the following link for more details.

<https://kymkemp.com/2019/08/09/september-14th-will-now-be-alexander-von-humboldt-day-per-humboldt-bos/>

### FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

#### **CAL FIRE SUSPENDS ALL OUTSIDE BURNING:**

Cal Fire has announced the closure of the burning season so **NO RESIDENTIAL OUTSIDE BURNING** will be allowed until further notice. We have already experienced a few fires this season and want to stress how dry conditions are. Please be fire safe.

### CHIPPER DAYS

The 6th Chipper Day was held on Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> concentrating mostly on Zoo and the Toth area of the Cove.

The next Chipper Day is scheduled for September 28<sup>th</sup>.

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

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After Hours Utility Emergencies: 223-1225 [www.sheltercove-ca.gov](http://www.sheltercove-ca.gov)



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