



YOURPORT

Community Newsletter

Holiday Bridge Detour Reminder



If you are heading out to the Queen Mary area this holiday week, please note there will be a temporary closure and detour due to bridge construction from July 4 -7.

The four-day closure, needed so crews can demolish an overpass as part of the new bridge project at the Port of Long Beach, will affect three routes:

Southbound Harbor Scenic Drive, one of the main roads from the southbound 710 Freeway to the Queen Mary and nearby hotels and restaurants. Follow detour signs to the Queen Mary.

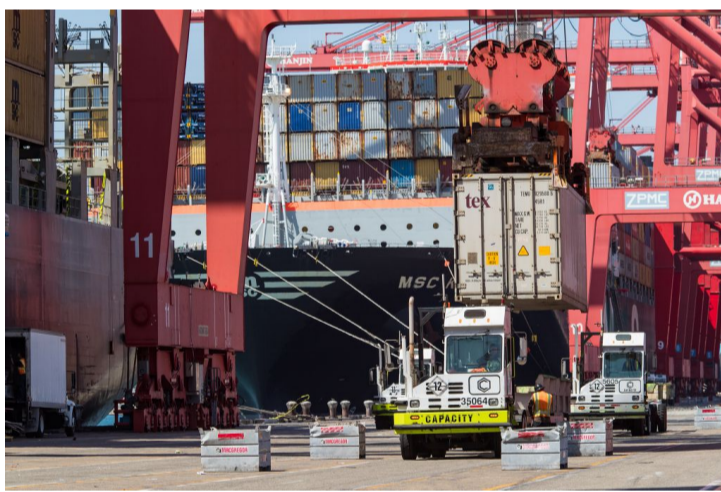
Eastbound Ocean Boulevard, leaving San Pedro and Terminal Island heading into downtown Long Beach. The current detour for this route will be temporarily closed at the on-ramp from Pico Avenue at Pier E. You will need to head north on Pico to Ninth Street, turn right, continue to 10th Street, then take the downtown ramp of the 710 Freeway onto Shoreline Drive.

Westbound Ocean Boulevard, leaving downtown Long Beach heading toward San Pedro. This route will be closed at Golden Shore and you will need to get on the northbound 710 Freeway at Golden Shore.

[For English and Spanish fact sheets on the July 4-7 detours, click here.](#)

[For a short video explaining the detours, click here.](#)

New Grant Supports the Port's Zero-Emissions Future



The Port has been the recipient of several grants recently that are enabling us to test zero-emissions equipment and vehicles and the infrastructure needed to support them that does not currently exist. We recently shared news of the [nation's largest pilot project for zero-emissions cranes and other cargo-handling equipment for seaports.](#)

We're excited to announce that we are moving forward with yet another \$16.8 million zero-emissions project partially funded by an \$8 million grant from the California Energy Commission. The Port Advanced Vehicle Electrification Project (PAVE) will design and build the infrastructure needed to support electric-powered, zero-emissions cargo-handling equipment and demonstrate the world's first heavy-duty, off-road, direct current fast-charging system in a seaport environment. Direct current offers more power, is more efficient and reduces cost as opposed to alternating current. Watch this [quick video](#) to learn more about the difference between direct current and alternating current.

If testing is successful, the PAVE Project could increase the battery capacity of electric vehicles and eliminate the need for on-board equipment chargers. This project will also give the Port more knowledge about the electrical grid impacts associated with increasing use of electric vehicles and equipment.

Demonstrations of the project should begin early in 2021, and is scheduled to be complete by March 2022.

[You can read more about the PAVE project here.](#)

Upcoming Events

Municipal Band Concerts

Tuesday - Friday
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Parks throughout Long Beach
[Click on link for dates and other details](#)

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — The Goonies

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Tuesday, July 3
Granada Beach
5101 E. Ocean Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90803

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — Top Gun

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Wednesday, July 5
Alamitos Beach
700 E. Shoreline Dr.
Long Beach, CA 90802

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — The Little Mermaid

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Tuesday, July 10
Granada Beach
5101 E. Ocean Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90803

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — Overboard

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Thursday, July 12
Cherry Beach
1 Junipero Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90803

Port Unicorn Bike Unveiling and Bike-In Movie - Pee Wee's Big Adventure

6 - 10 p.m.
Saturday, July 14
Bixby Park (Corner of Ocean and Junipero)
130 Cherry Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90802

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — The Incredibles

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Tuesday, July 17
Granada Beach
5101 E. Ocean Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90803

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — Elf (social media winner)

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Thursday, July 19
Cherry Beach
1 Junipero Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90803

Mid-Summer Concert in the Park

2 - 5 p.m.
Saturday, July 21
Cesar Chavez Park Amphitheater
401 Golden Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90802

SLAM Concert

5 - 8 p.m.
Sunday, July 22
Cesar Chavez Park Amphitheater
401 Golden Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90802

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — Coco

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Tuesday, July 24
Granada Beach
5101 E. Ocean Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90803

Fourth Fridays on Fourth Street

6 - 9 p.m.
Friday, July 27
2300 E. 4th St.
Long Beach, CA 90814

MassKara Festival

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Saturday, July 28
Recreation Park
4900 E. 7th St.
Long Beach, CA 90804

Summer Concert Movie Night — Coco

6:30 - 9 p.m.
Monday, July 30
Admiral Kidd Park
2125 Santa Fe Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90810

Moonlight Movies on the Beach — Jaws

6 - 10 p.m. (Movie begins at dusk)
Tuesday, July 31
Granada Beach
5101 E. Ocean Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90803

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