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**Monthly Newsletter**

**May 2017**

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- **June 3. Cattle Drive. 7:30 - 9 AM** Starts at Ruocco Park, down Harbor to Pedestrian Bridge, back to 5th, up 5th to Market, west on Market to Harbor then return to Ruocco Park. Celebrates start of County Fair.
- **June 4. Rock n Roll Marathon.** Minimal street closures should be finished with closures by 10 AM. **Finish line at Waterfront Park.**
- **June 5 Convention Center Expansion.** City Council vote on special election.
- **July 19-23 Comicon.** Plan ahead.

**Community News**

- **Port Master Plan Update.** Master review continues.
- **Port North Embarcadero.** Review continues.
- **Port Summer shuttle.** Now running through Sept 4. \$3 per person. Route Harbor Drive Pedestrian Bridge to Sheraton Hotel Harbor Island with many stops between. Approx every 20 minutes.
- **Manchester Pacific Gateway** (NBComplex). Demolition continues. The Navy Building NW corner of Pacific Highway and G St will be built first, Navy move in, remainder of site demoed. Expect construction on the site to continue through 2020.
- **Council District Three.** Brian Elliot, [belliott@saniego.gov](mailto:belliott@saniego.gov), is the new rep for Downtown replacing Roberto Alcantar.
- **Homeless.** Downtown has at least 859 Supportive Housing units and over 1400 shelter beds. The majority of all those in the City. Your Board believes that the areas outside of Downtown should share in the solutions to homeless issues by accepting additional housing. The petition below urges our civic leaders to consider adding two beds outside of Downtown for each additional bed/unit added to Downtown. Please read and sign the petition at this link

[https://www.change.org/p/city-of-san-diego-provide-homeless-services-throughout-the-san-diego-region?recruiter=707933036&utm\\_source=share\\_petition&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=share\\_email\\_responsive](https://www.change.org/p/city-of-san-diego-provide-homeless-services-throughout-the-san-diego-region?recruiter=707933036&utm_source=share_petition&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=share_email_responsive)

**DCPC May 17, 2017**

**Info:** Manchester Pacific Gateway. Luther Tower Project..Project Updates..

**Consent:** 7th&A Amendment adding units, SRI Condo Map.

**Action:** DCPC Officer Election. Subcommittee appointments. Children’s Park, Marina, Front/First/Island/Harbor. Discussed final schematic design.

Removes Cedars on Front and First and replaces with street trees improving visibility into park. Removes some interior trees and installs more lighting. Adds concession building with restrooms and attendant. Adds children’s play area in NW quadrant neat New Children’s Museum. Adds adult fitness area at NE corner with fenced dog park between this area and concession building. Discussion of maintenance, security, restrooms, etc. Recommended Civic board and Park and Rec Board proceed to detailed construction drawing phase.

The Downtown Community Planning Council (**DCPC**) is the recognized planning group for Downtown. They make recommendations to the CivicSD Board, San Diego City Council, Port Commissioners and County Supervisors on issues and projects within Downtown. [www.dcpccd.com](http://www.dcpccd.com)

**DCPC Meets** at 5:15PM on the 4th Floor at 401 B St on Wednesdays. June 21, July 19,

**New Permits:** To receive Public notices of permits, visit [CivicSD.com](http://CivicSD.com)

**Building:** 800 Broadway, EV, N side Bway/8/9th, 41 story, 384 apts. 7k sqft retail. 13th/Park/C, EV, 36 Story, 301 apts. Bahia View, EV, S side Market/14/15th 22 stories 101 condos.

6th/A, Core, 43 story 389 apts. Contour, W side of Col. Hawthorne/Ivy,LI, 6 story, 17 apts. 5k office.

**SideWalkCafe/Conditioal Use Permits:** SideWalkCafe: SWC Conditional Use Permit: CUP Neighborhood Use Permit:NUP SWC/CUP/Outside Use. QuartyardII, 1301 Market. EV. Relocating from Park/Market. CUP Pacific Hts 430 15th EV Surface Parking Lot. CUP Penury Hotel. GQ, Ent for six spaces.

**Important Phone Numbers**  
**Clean & Safe**, 619.234.8900 <http://www.downtownsandiego.org/clean-and-safe/>

**Police** 619.531.2000 and 858.484.3154 **and** if don’t have time to hold: <http://www.sandiego.gov/police/> Citizens online police reporting system. **An incident not reported is an incident that didn’t happen.**

If you feel threatened, call 911, if you don’t have time to hold on the non emergency line, use the form on the

police web site above. Police are assigned based on incidents. Please report any incidents you are involved in or observe.

Don’t forget the GET IT DONE San Diego App. Snap a pic and report things that need to be taken care of by someone.

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Board Meetings Mondays 6 PM at the Sofia Hotel  
 June 12, July 17, Aug 14