

## MARINA COAST WATER DISTRICT CONSTRUCTION UPDATE Traffic Impacts Due To Paving

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Marina, Calif.— The Marina Coast Water District (MCWD) continues construction on the Regional Urban Water Augmentation Project (RUWAP), a recycled water transmission and distribution system. Beginning July 18th, road paving will be underway and will likely impact normal traffic flows. The dates and locations are:

7/18	California Ave – Reindollar Ave to Imjin Parkway
7/19	Reindollar Ave –Vaughn Ave California Ave
7/20	Vaughn Ave – Carmel to Reindollar & Reservation/Crescent Intersection
7/23	Crescent Ave – Reservation to Carmel
7/24	Carmel Ave – Crescent to Vaughn and the Reservation/Crescent Intersection
7/25	Crescent Ave – North of Reservation Rd

One-way traffic will be accommodated in all instances but drivers should expect and may experience delays. The work on this segment of the project is anticipated to be completed in late July. Motorists are advised to be on the look out for signage and flaggers weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to help with traffic flow.

"Our team is working hard to minimize any possible disruption as we complete this critical pipeline for our long-term water supply," said Keith Van Der Maaten, General Manager of MCWD. "We appreciate the community's support and patience as we embark on the next phase of RUWAP."

Throughout the construction process, Mountain Cascade and MCWD will keep the community informed on progress and potential traffic impacts with neighborhood door hangers and posted construction alerts on the MCWD website (www.mcwd.org).

The goal of the RUWAP Recycled Water Project is to provide 1,427 acre feet per year of water from sources other than groundwater within the District. The 10-mile long pipeline will initially deliver 600 acre feet of advance treated water to MCWD customers in Marina and the Ord Community. This water will be of higher quality than tertiary treated and disinfected recycled water, and may be used for urban landscape irrigation reducing the District's reliance on groundwater. Along with building the pipeline, MCWD has approved plans to construct a storage reservoir – The Blackhorse Recycled Water Reservoir – and distribution pipes to deliver advanced treated water to existing and planned urban irrigation facilities.

## **Project Funding**

Funding for this project has been provided in full or in part through an agreement with the State Water Resources Control Board. California's Clean Water State Revolving Fund is capitalized through a variety of funding sources, including grants from the United States Environmental Protection Agency and state bond proceeds. The contents of this document do not necessarily reflect the views and policies of the foregoing, nor does mention of trade names or commercial products constitute endorsement or recommendation for use.

## About the Marina Coast Water District

The Marina Coast Water District serves more than 30,000 customers in the Monterey Peninsula's fastest growing and most diverse communities – the City of Marina and the Ord Community. They are dedicated to providing high quality water, wastewater and recycled water services through management, conservation and development of future resources at reasonable costs. For more information please visit <a href="https://www.mcwd.org">www.mcwd.org</a>.