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From: Megan Barnes <mbarnes@rpvca.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2020 6:12 PM
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Request to Allow South Bay Businesses to Reopen Under State and County Phase 3
Attachments: PeninsulaMayorsLettertoSupHahnMay26_FINAL.pdf

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Good Evening,

Please see the attached letter to L.A. County Supervisor Janice Hahn from the Palos Verdes Peninsula cities requesting the County of Los Angeles, along with the State of California, allow businesses throughout the South Bay to open within Phase 3 guidelines while following State and County safety protocols.

Thank you,

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From: Holly McPeak <hmcpeak@aol.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2020 3:32 PM
To: Richard Montgomery; Steve Napolitano; Nancy Hersman; Suzanne Hadley; List - City Council; Hildy Stern; fourthdistrict@bos.lacounty.gov
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Argument for allowance of organized Beach volleyball training on the beach...

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Attached is a short video from the 3 Head Coaches/Owners of Elite Beach Volleyball club...
Please strongly consider allowing us to get bak to work as soon as possible! Thank you.

<https://youtu.be/Uc17RMhSejw>

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From: Pamela James <laz.lowe@verizon.net>
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2020 11:37 AM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] City Council re the Dog Parks

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Dear City Council Members,

This is a plea to you to consider opening the Manhattan Beach Dog Parks sooner rather than later. As I am sure most of you are aware, dogs are very social creatures, and those of them that are lucky to go to dog parks on a regular basis absolutely love it.

My dog and I frequent the Live Oak Dog Park on a regular basis. Though it is a small area and well used, it is never so crowded at one time that we are not able to social distance. In fact, before we were closed down, we were successfully practicing social distancing. In addition, we now all have masks which we will wear (make it mandatory) while distancing in the future. Also, may I remind you, we are outside while doing all of this. Please do not continue to punish our dogs by keeping the dog parks closed.

You can trust us, myself and my many dog park using friends, to do the right thing to keep us all safe.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best,
Pamela James
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From: Tristan Patterson <tpat44@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2020 8:55 AM
To: List - City Council; City Manager
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Manhattan Beach Volleyball

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Good morning,

Thank you for your work navigating many difficult decisions over the last few months. I just want to reach out to express support for allowing 2-on-2 beach volleyball in Manhattan Beach. It's a form of exercise that affords a safe distance for participants and certainly falls within the current stage of reopening. Allowing the activity without putting up the LA County volleyball nets would help restore an essential part of Manhattan Beach without encouraging reckless behavior or large gatherings. The volleyball community is core to Manhattan Beach and widely supports the responsible return at this time. I understand these decisions are tough and there are vocal opponents to resuming certain activities; for that reason, it's important to make it known that, although less vocal, the vast majority of our community supports restoring the soul of Manhattan Beach--2-on-2 beach volleyball.

Best,
Tristan Patterson

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From: The Yoga Center D <dianetheyogacenter@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2020 8:46 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Please read this and consider declaring a non emergency in Manhattan Beach

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<http://ronpaulinstitute.org/archives/featured-articles/2020/may/24/the-cdc-confirms-remarkably-low-coronavirus-death-rate-where-is-the-media/?fbclid=IwAR1uKiuMx8KM8Pi4jLmGJQgWcPb1lj717M1rfdQcRYhMq5WLJjsKK1vuteM>

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From: The Yoga Center D <dianetheyogacenter@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2020 8:27 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] A study on infectivity of asymptomatic SARS-CoV-2 carriers

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<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC7219423/>

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From: Launi Nathan <launirun@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2020 6:54 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Outdoor pools

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We'd love to see our out door pools open for swim.

Please consider.

Launi Nathan

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From: Lee Tunila <leetunila@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2020 6:01 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] MB City Council - request to open city pools soon

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Dear City Council of Manhattan Beach -

Please consider re-opening our pools. Our community has taken the COVID pandemic seriously and generally followed prescriptive measures to prevent the future spread of the virus. As we begin re-opening services and businesses with a structured social distancing set of guidelines, I strongly believe we can do the same in our pool system.

I am a mother of two who are avid swimmers and water polo players. One is in 9th grade at Costa and the other is an 8th grader at MBMS. Pre-quarantine, both spent hours during the week practicing in our local pools. Since the pools have closed, it is glaringly obvious to me that the pool time is terribly missed in our household. It is not just a crucial physical activity for them, it keeps them strong mentally and emotionally.

Our pool system is an essential component to not only my boys, but thousands of local children for exercise, community and sense of general well-being.

Thank you,
Lee Tunila
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From: Heath Gregory <heath@monkepop.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2020 6:00 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support of Full Reopening

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Dear Council,

My family and I live in Manhattan Beach, where we are investors in several small businesses and landlord to a number of others. I am writing to support a FULL reopening of our small businesses. At this point, the intent of avoiding a medical system collapse has been averted and the stated goals have been achieved. In light of the extremely low infection (.4%) and death rates (.02%), the longer our businesses remain closed, the higher the probability many of them will fail. I can attest, first-hand, many of them are not equipped to handle losing a few months of income. While I know this decision is not yours alone, the lag in data showing the massive unforeseen costs, is still yet to come. It is time to limit the damage and give these devoted entrepreneurs a chance to succeed.

Your job of informing the public of the risks and best practices to limit the spread of the disease has been done. Now, it is time entrust your constituency with their constitutionally given freedoms to decide what is best for them, their family and community.

Thank you for your service.

All the Best,
Heath Gregory

Agenda Item: eComments for E. PUBLIC COMMENTS (3 MINUTES PER PERSON)

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Each speaker may speak for up to 3 minutes.

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- 1) eComment at <http://www.citymb.info/ecomment>;
- 2) email to cityclerk@citymb.info; or
- 3) telephone message recorded at (310) 802-5030.

All of your comments provided by the deadlines above will be available to the City Council and the public prior to the meeting.

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If you wish to speak on any item on the agenda, please register in advance by clicking the following link:
<https://citymb.seamlessdocs.com/f/publiccomment>

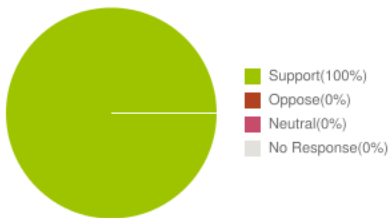
- 1) Join Zoom Meeting via the internet:
Direct URL: <https://zoom.us/j/94059646394>, Meeting ID: 940-5964-6394

During the meeting you will need to use the "raise hand" button through Zoom at the time the Mayor invites the public to provide comments.

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Phone Number: (669) 900-6833, Meeting ID: 940-5964-6394

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Overall Sentiment



Shelly Huber

Location:

Submitted At: 4:46am 05-28-20

Can you PLEASE open the batting cages at Dorsey and/or Premier Fields? Both of those cages can be accessed without the fields having to be opened. A player has to bring their own equipment such as helmet, bat and balls anyway so there is no sharing. There is only the pitcher and batter so social distancing is automatic. If the tennis courts can be open why can't the batting cages. Open grass areas are great but not safe for hitting baseballs. PLEASE thoughtfully consider my request. Thank you!