



Speak Up Newport

Wednesday, July 8, 2009

Monthly Membership Meeting

Newport Harbor Dredging - Where are we? What is next?



Please join us to hear a presentation by Councilmember Leslie Daigle. She is a member of the Bay Issues Committee.

The City is working with the Corps of Engineers to take the necessary steps in planning for a Lower Bay dredging project. Before materials may be dredged, there needs to be a disposal solution for the various sediments. Some material is contaminated and not suitable for ocean disposal. The City has completed a study to evaluate the possible alternatives for the contaminated sediment disposal.

The City's report has recommended a Confined Aquatic Disposal (CAD) site. A CAD site is a location in the harbor where a large hole is created underwater so the contaminated material can be dumped inside. Then, a cap of clean sand is placed on top, therefore entombing the material. This operation is similar to a dredging project. Questions and answers will follow the presentation.

Reception: 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. **(with appetizers and a cash bar)**

Program: 6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Please bring your neighbors and friends. Guests are always welcome.

Information (949) 224-2266

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**We meet at the Newport Beach Yacht Club
downstairs in the Commodores' Room.**

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(Bayside Drive and Jamboree Blvd.)**

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