



The Backbone



Go Paperless

As a Department that promotes sustainability and as we continue to build our readership, our goal is to eventually distribute the newsletter electronically only. We encourage you to subscribe to the following link and opt-in by selecting the Public Works Newsletter for the electronic version. The electronic newsletters allow the City to share more information while reducing paper production. www.beverlyhills.org/enotice

Earth Day Celebration

Earth Day Celebration The City of Beverly Hills will be celebrating the 20th Annual Earth Day event at the Farmer's Market on Sunday, April 23rd. The Public Works Department will have informative booths, including information about the City's sustainability efforts; a free compost giveaway, free shredding services and, for the first time, a repair clinic, for the community take part in on that day. For more information visit beverlyhills.org/earthday.



Metro's Station Naming

Would you like to help Metro name the Wilshire/Rodeo station? You are encouraged to submit station name candidates! Please take the station naming survey by March 31, 2023. Please submit your suggestions via this link: bit.ly/3KHqNgs. Please copy and paste the link on your web browser.



The city is inviting community members to test a proposed fixed-route transit shuttle service scheduled on Thursday, March 2, 2023, from 9 AM to 4 PM. For more information, visit beverlyhills.org/transit.



Green Business Program

Do you want to save money and become a green business? Check Out the California Green Business Program at beverlyhills.org/greenbusiness or by calling us at (310) 285-2467.

The program provides FREE consultation service for a small to medium sized business to save money by implementing actionable practices.

Fix-A-Leak Week

In honor of Fix-A-Leak week (March 20-26), please check for leaks around your property.

Running or leaking toilets are the number one cause of water leaks in homes. Did you know that one leaky toilet can waste up to 200 gallons an hour? To see if your toilet has a leak, put a drop or two of food coloring in the back of your toilet tank (the City also provides free toilet dye tabs upon request). Wait fifteen minutes to see if the dye color appears in your toilet bowl. If it does, you have a leak, probably a flapper that is not sealing well, which should be fixed. Flush the dye after the test to avoid potential staining of the toilet tank or bowl.

Keep an eye out for water waste at your property, by signing up to the City's FREE Water Tracker program and get alerted about leaks and high usage issues.

water.beverlyhills.org



1 RUNNING TOILET can waste enough water to fill a pool in 4 days



We're in Drought, Please Help Out
Visit BHSaves.org

2023 Transportation Safety Campaign

We watch out for each other!

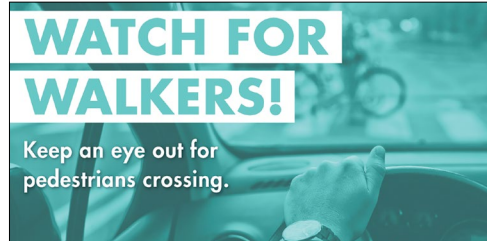
The City reminds drivers to, **“Look before you open.”** When parking your car on the street, look back to your left before you open your car door to check for people biking, walking, or driving. Only open your car door when you have confirmed that the “door zone” is clear of people and vehicles. Do not leave your doors open that face the road or stand next to a car door and talk to drivers.

As April is National Distracted Driving Awareness Month, the April campaign theme is distracted traveling. The City reminds drivers, **“It can wait! Keep your phone off the road.”** People driving should secure their phones, devices, and any other items that can be distracting in a place that will not interfere

with their ability to focus on the road. Regardless of travel mode, people traveling should stay alert to help all road users arrive at their destinations safely.

In California, you cannot use a cell phone or similar electronic communication device while holding it in your hand. You can only use it in a hands-free manner, such as speaker phone or voice commands, but never while holding it.

Stay tuned for additional safety tips over the remainder of 2023!



To explore career opportunities and complete an online application, please visit: [beverlyhills.org/jobs](https://www.beverlyhills.org/jobs).

S.A.F.E. CENTERS: PERMANENT COLLECTION CENTERS FOR LOS ANGELES COUNTY RESIDENTS

Solvents/Automotive/Flammables/Electronics

S.A.F.E CENTERS are permanent collection sites that are open every weekend for residents to drop off their Household Hazardous Waste (e.g. paint and chemicals), e-waste (Saturdays only), and used oil. The closest S.A.F.E CENTER near you is:

UCLA S.A.F.E. Center - 550 Charles E. Young Drive West, Los Angeles, CA 90095

Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays - 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM



UPCOMING Meetings

Purple Line Extension

Outreach Meeting

Wednesday, March 1, 2023 | 12:00 PM
▶ Municipal Gallery

Traffic and Parking Commission

Regular Meeting

Thursday, March 2, 2023 | 9:00 AM
▶ City Hall Room 280A

Public Works Commission Meeting

Thursday, March 3, 2023 | 8:00 AM
▶ City Hall Room 280A

City Council Meeting Formal Session

Tuesday, March 7, 2023 | 7:00 PM
▶ City Hall Council Chambers

Live with Lili

Monday, March 14, 2023 | 7:00 PM
▶ Municipal Gallery

City Council Meeting

Formal Session

Tuesday, March 21, 2023 | 7:00 PM
▶ City Hall Council Chambers

Council Installation

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 | 7:00 PM
▶ TBD

Purple Line Extension

Outreach Meeting

Wednesday, April 5, 2023 | 12:00 PM
▶ Municipal Gallery

Traffic and Parking Commission

Regular Meeting

Thursday, April 6, 2023 | 9:00 AM
▶ City Hall Room 280A

Public Works Commission Meeting

Thursday, April 13, 2023 | 8:00 AM
▶ City Hall Room 280A

City Council Meeting Formal Session

Tuesday, April 18, 2023 7:00 PM
▶ City Hall Council Chambers

Earth Day Celebration

Sunday, April 23, 2023 | 9:00 AM
▶ Farmer's Market

To View City Council Meetings please visit
www.beverlyhills.org/councilmeetings

To View Purple Line Outreach Meetings please visit
www.beverlyhills.org/purpleline

RESOURCES

Helpful Links:

Public Works Website:

www.beverlyhills.org/publicworks

Link to sign up for the bi-monthly Newsletter:

www.beverlyhills.org/enotice

Water Tracker:

www.beverlyhills.org/watertracker

Water Conservation:

www.bhsaves.org
www.beverlyhills.org/rebates

Public Works Customer Service:

📧 AskPW@beverlyhills.org

🗨 AskBev: www.beverlyhills.org/askbev

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