
**PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF DANA POINT
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Traffic Improvement Subcommittee of the City of Dana Point will be holding a public meeting to discuss the consideration of posting Street Sweeping Signs citywide.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The City of Dana Point has been sweeping streets in the City since incorporation. Currently, the City sweeps all public streets weekly, but only restricts parking for that purpose during street sweeping hours in the Lantern Village and Town Center areas.

The City has invested significant resources over the years on public outreach and education, in an effort to encourage voluntary compliance. Upon review of the effectiveness of voluntary compliance, it has been determined that the public generally does not comply. This leads to dirty streets and more pollutants carried to Dana Point beaches through the storm drain systems.

It is recognized that moving cars for sweeping streets can be an imposition on residents who routinely park in the street. However, Police Services indicates that the need to move the vehicle on a weekly basis greatly reduces the number of abandoned or inoperable vehicles left on the street as well as those parked in front of neighbors for long periods of time, exceeding the 72-hour ordinance limit. In areas where posting exists today, Street Sweeping periods are posted for two hours to four hours on sweeping days, including an alternate side, alternate day method, limiting the inconvenience to residents.

The Traffic Improvement Subcommittee will consider restricting parking during street sweeping in other areas of the City by posting Street Sweeping Signs to allow the sweeper to improve cleanliness directly proven to improve water quality.

The public is encouraged to attend and express their concerns either in writing or orally.

Meeting Date: August 19, 2009

Meeting Time: 3:00 p.m.

Meeting Location: 33282 Golden Lantern, Suite 210, Dana Point, California 92629

For further information or if you have questions or comments, please contact the City Engineer by phone, e-mail or in writing at the following:

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