

2017 Q3 ISSUES/PROGRAMS REPORT

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ISSUES: ENVIRONMENT, WATER & GOVERNMENT

July 6th

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

July 7th

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

Water Crisis in Davenport: Who Will Pay for Repairs?

Davenport is on the verge of running out of water. At issue is who should pay for repairs to the main water pipeline that serves the small community north of Santa Cruz: the cement plant that owns the town's water infrastructure or residents.

Quotes from:

- Santa Cruz County Supervisor Ryan Coonerty
- Annie Parker, Davenport resident

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ISSUES: SPORTS & HISTORY

July 7th

All Things Considered

3:04pm, 4:04pm and 5:04pm

July 8th

Weekend Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

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Ocean Farewell for Surfing Legend Jack O'Neill

Surfers in Santa Cruz and around the world will honor the life of Jack O'Neill with a paddle out this Sunday, July 9th. The surfing legend and wetsuit pioneer died last month. He was 94. The paddle out to honor Jack O'Neill is expected to be so big it's taken a month to plan.

Quotes from:

- Brian Kilpatrick, Vice President of Marketing Communications at O'Neill
- Kristin Seagraves, Surfer

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ISSUES: MILITARY

July 10th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 3:45

Proposed Settlement Would Shut Down CEMEX Sand Mine in Marina

Since the day it opened last year, the Central Coast Veterans Cemetery has been a cemetery that lacked in-ground burials. Right now, it only has space for cremated remains. But that will change with a new infusion of funds.

Quotes from:

- Cliff Guinn, Veteran
- Rich Garza, Central Coast Veterans Cemetery Foundation
- Candace Ingram, Central Coast Veterans Cemetery Foundation

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ISSUES: ENVIRONMENT

July 14th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

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From Gunfire to Campfire: Camping Ahead for Fort Ord Dunes State Park

A new campground is coming to a former Fort Ord firing range. The California Coastal Commission approved a permit for California State Parks to build the campground in Fort Ord Dunes State Park. The park, west of Highway 1, is close to 1,000 acres in size. It stretches along the coast between the cities of Marina and Sand City.

Quotes from:

- Brent Marshall, Monterey District Superintendent for State Parks
- Jack Ainsworth, Coastal Commission Executive Director
- Tyler Potter, State Park's lead environmental consultant on the project

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ISSUES: ENVIRONMENT, BUSINESS & GOVERNMENT

July 14th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 3:15

Unanimous Vote Sets Date For CEMEX Sand Mine Closure

The nation's last coastal sand mining operation will close. Thursday the California Coastal Commission approved an agreement with CEMEX to end its operations on the beach in Marina. The sand mine will stop operations by the end of 2020. During that time CEMEX, the mine's owner, has agreed to limit the amount of sand it takes off the beach.

Quotes from:

- Mary Shallenberger, California Coastal Commissioner
- Jerae Carlson, CEMEX's Vice President of Sustainability and Public Affairs.
- Katherine O'Dea, Executive Director of Save Our Shores
- Ed Thornton, Oceanographer and retired Naval Postgraduate School professor

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ISSUES: MILITARY, POLITICS & GOVERNMENT

July 14th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 5:30

As Pentagon Pushes Base Closures, Monterey Ready to Fight

The Pentagon is pushing Congress to shut down more military bases. The objective is to save money, just as it was 20 years ago when Fort Ord closed. Many lawmakers don't like the idea because it means cutting jobs in their communities. So Congress has fought base closure for more than a decade. Military communities like Monterey, have used that time to get ready.

Quotes from:

- Fred Meurer, retired Army Colonel and former Monterey City Manager
- John Murphy, BRAC Consultant
- Hans Uslar, Monterey Assistant City Manager

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ISSUES: SCIENCE, POLITICS & GOVERNMENT

July 25th

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

July 26th

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

Last Chance To Speak Up On Trump's Ocean Energy Exploration Executive Order

Wednesday is the last day to submit a public comment on a Presidential Executive Order on ocean energy exploration, which includes a review of part of the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary. President Trump signed his America First Offshore Energy Executive Order back in April. The move, in part, starts the process to open up the Arctic for energy exploration.

Quotes from:

- Congressman Jimmy Panetta

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ISSUES: NATURAL DISASTER, TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE

July 28th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 3:15

Big Sur's Esalen Reopens After Record Long Closure

Areas of Big Sur that have been nearly impossible to access are opening up. Adding to the growing list of businesses and State Parks, you can now visit the Esalen Institute. It reopened Friday after the longest closure in its history.

Quotes from:

- Jon Karst, Esalen Groundskeeper
- Terence Gilbey, General Manager
- Katie Crone, Esalen Events Coordinator

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ISSUES: NATURAL DISASTER, TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE

August 2nd

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

August 3rd

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

CalTrans Will Build Road On Top Of Big Sur's Massive Landslide

The plan to clear a massive landslide that fell on Highway 1 in Big Sur earlier this year is to not clear it. Instead CalTrans will build a road on top of it. The slide at Mud Creek is the largest ever on the Big Sur coast. It dumped 5 million cubic yards of rock and dirt onto the highway and into the ocean back in May.

Quotes from:

- Jim Shivers, CalTrans Spokesman

2017 Q3 ISSUES/PROGRAMS REPORT

ISSUES: MILITARY, VETERANS & HEALTH

August 3rd

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

August 4th

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

New Health Clinic Combines Services For Veterans and Active Duty

A new health clinic opening on the former Fort Ord will serve both active duty military and veterans. It's an early effort by the Department of Defense and Veterans Affairs to work together on health care. On Thursday, over 500 people came out to celebrate the opening of the new VA-DoD clinic.

Quotes from:

- Dr. Mary Roberts, Medical Director
- Kirk Johnson, Veteran

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ISSUES: NATURAL DISASTER, TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE

August 9th

All Things Considered

4:44pm

August 10th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

trt 3:45

No Longer Moving Mountains, CalTrans Works With Massive Big Sur Slide

By the end of this month, we should know how much long it's going to take to repair Highway 1 at Mud Creek and how much it's going to cost. CalTrans has decided to build a road over the massive landslide. KAZU's Krista Almanzan visited the work site just north of Hearst Castle to find out how this became the solution.

Quotes from:

- Joe Erwin, CalTrans Project Manager
- Jim Ramey, Owner Ragged Point Inn and Resort

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ISSUES: ARTS & NATURAL DISASTER

August 17th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 4:00

Henry Miller Library Looks To Second Location To Reduce Commercialization Of Big Sur

The Henry Miller Library is an iconic Big Sur destination. But a bridge failure and landslides left it stranded without tourists to support it. So the Library moved north and set up temporary shop in Carmel. Now its Executive Director is finding reason to make that temporary location permanent.

Quotes from:

- Magnus Toren, Executive Director of The Henry Miller Library

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ISSUES: SCIENCE

August 21st

Weekend Edition

7:04am and 8:04am

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

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Solar Eclipse: What You'll See In The Monterey Bay Area

If you haven't hit the road by now, then you probably aren't planning to see Monday's solar eclipse in totality. The closest states to view it are Idaho and Oregon. But locally you still can see a partial eclipse, as long as morning clouds and fog don't block your view.

Quotes from:

- Brian Skiff, Research Scientist at the Lowell Observatory in Arizona

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ISSUES: ENVIRONMENT, INFRASTRUCTURE & GOVERNMENT

August 24th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 4:50

Pacific Grove Ordered To Think Beyond The Seawall

Seawalls have been the most common response to coastal erosion in California over the last 50 years. And when they break, they are usually repaired. But organizations like the Surfrider Foundation say these little fixes are becoming a big problem in the face of sea level rise.

Quotes from:

- Isebel Ramis and Eulalia Duran, tourists from Spain
- Ben Harvey, Pacific Grove City Manager
- Jennifer Savage, California Policy Manager for the Surfrider Foundation.
- Gary Griggs, UC Santa Cruz Professor

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ISSUES: MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT

August 25th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

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Michael Nesmith's Sand City Roots Run Deep

Tonight the West End Celebration will kick off with a talk by Michael Nesmith. The annual arts gathering in Sand City continues through the weekend. Nesmith, who was a member of the 1960s pop band The Monkees, also has deep roots in the Sand City art scene and still has a studio there.

Quotes from:

- Michael Nesmith, Author and Musician

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ISSUES: LAW ENFORCEMENT, GOVERNMENT & HOUSING

August 29th

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

August 30th

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

Homeless Campers Told To Move On

A Monterey County road on the outskirts of Marina that has grown into a homeless community is getting new restrictions. The road is called Lapis Road and it runs parallel to Highway 1. As you drive by, you can see a long row of RVs and cars parked there. According to the Monterey County Sheriff's Office, the number of homeless people living there has spiked over the last year.

Quotes from:

- John Mineau, Monterey County Undersheriff
- Bella Maddox, homeless person
- Jane Parker, Monterey County Supervisor

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ISSUES: LAW ENFORCEMENT & CRIME

August 30th

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

August 31st

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

You Can Now Text To 911 In The Monterey Bay Area

You can now text 911 to reach emergency responders in Monterey, Santa Cruz and San Benito counties. This region is one of the first in California to get the service as it rolls out across the state.

Quotes from:

- Donny Harris, deaf person glad to have text 911
- Dennis Kidd, Santa Cruz Regional 911.
- Vicki Runyon, dispatcher for Monterey County Emergency Communications

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ISSUES: AGRICULTURE & ECONOMY

September 1st

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 4:47

End Of Local Begonias Means End of Capitola Begonia Festival

Summer festivals often reflect the harvest of a region. Watsonville has the Strawberry Festival. For Gilroy, it's garlic. And Capitola hosts the annual Begonia Festival. But after 65 years, that event will have its final run this weekend. That's because the last local Begonia grower is closing up shop.

Quotes from:

- Worth Brown, Sales Manager at Golden State Bulb Growers
- Laurie Hill, President of the Begonia Festival
- Nels Westman, float builder

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ISSUES: IMMIGRATION, LAW ENFORCEMENT, GOVERNMENT & EDUCATION

September 5th

All Things Considered

5:04pm and 6:04pm

September 6th

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

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All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 4:00

End Of DACA Raises Fears And Hopes Among Local DREAMers

President Trump's decision to end the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program, or DACA, inspired protests throughout the Monterey Bay Area Tuesday. It also raised fears among some local DACA recipients who crossed the border illegally as children.

Quotes from:

- Bronwyn Moreno, Mi Casa at Hartnell Community College
- Adriana Gonzalez, DACA recipient
- Deb Clifford, Pro-DACA Protestor
- Congressman Jimmy Panetta

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ISSUES: MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT

September 14th

Morning Edition

6:45am, 7:45am and 8:45am

All Things Considered

4:44pm

trt 4:00

Monterey Jazz Festival Turns 60 This Weekend

When the Monterey Jazz Festival kicks off tomorrow, it will be celebrating 60 years of the event. KAZU's Dylan Music spoke with Tim Jackson, the artistic director at the Jazz Festival, which supports KAZU.

Quotes from:

- Tim Jackson, Artistic Director at the Monterey Jazz Festival

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ISSUES: NATURAL DISASTER, INFRASTRUCTURE & TRANSPORTATION

September 20th

All Things Considered

4:04pm and 5:04pm

September 21st

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

Crews Near Final Phase Of Big Sur Bridge Rebuild

A new bridge is taking shape 100 feet above Pfeiffer Canyon in Big Sur. It has been seven months since winter storms damaged the old one beyond repair and left part of the community stranded.

Quotes from:

- Bob Riggins, MNS Engineers
- Miles McBreen, Big Sur Resident

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ISSUES: HOUSING & GOVERNMENT

September 21st

All Things Considered

4:04pm and 5:04pm

September 22nd

Morning Edition

6:04am, 7:04am and 8:04am

trt 1:40

Transformation Coming To Salinas' Chinatown

A transformation is coming to Salinas' Chinatown. A new affordable housing development will soon break ground.

Quotes from:

- Betsy Wilson, MidPen Housing
- Joe Gunter, Salinas Mayor