

Environment 3rd Quarter 2016

JULY

7/03- SD BEACH CROWDS – 2:00

For the July 4th holiday weekend, hundreds of thousands of people packed San Diego beaches. We talked to lifeguards about their efforts to keep it safe.

7/05 – SUNSET CLIFFS DEATH – 2:00

After another deadly fall of Sunset Cliffs, people who live in the area are calling for more safety measures. We talked to lifeguards, and residents, about the effort to prevent people from falling off the cliffs.

7/13 – Del Mar bluff collapse – TRT 1:30

A popular short cut to the beach in Del Mar turned dangerous this morning when part of the bluff gave way. It's in an area near 10th street along the train tracks.

7/17 – ENCINITAS DEAD WHALE – 1:30

Crews were attempting to move a dead whale that washed ashore in Encinitas. It floated south from Los Angeles, creating a stench at the coast.

7/18– Global Warming Breakthrough – TRT: 0:20

Local scientists at the Scripps Institute of Oceanography say they have determined a way to differentiate between global warming caused by the environment and other warming caused by human activity.

7/19 – Plastic Ban Proposal – TRT :17

Today -- San Diegans will hold a rally at city hall -- for a ban on plastic bags.

7/22 – Extreme Heat – 1:30

Live in Santee where temperatures topped 100 degrees to warn people and the increase fire risk and risks to their health.

AUGUST

8/04 – Ocean Beach Torrey Pines tree cut down – TRT 1:30

A fight over an historic tree. Should it stay or should it go? A group of neighbors say keep it but the city says it's unsafe.

8/10 – Southern California Air Pollution – TRT: 0:30

The air quality in San Diego and Carlsbad is the 12th worst out of the nation's top 30 cities according to a new report from the American Thoracic Society.

8/13 – SAN DIEGO BEACH CROWDS AND RESCUE – 1:30

Lifeguards pulled a man out of the water in Mission Beach, after he was found face down, this as thousands flocked to local beaches to cool off from the heat.

8/13- Save Starlight Clean Up TRT: 1:15

Community activists are trying to revive a piece of history at Balboa Park.

A local non-profit organized a clean-up event in an effort to bring back musical performances.

8/15- Heat Wave TRT: 1:30

Hotter than normal weather in San Diego. A heat advisory causes concerns in the East County.

8/17- Spring Valley Fire- TRT: 1:39

A terrifying situation for families in Spring Valley as a brush fire explodes close to homes. Families and residents rushed to evacuate but firefighters saved all homes from burning.

8/17 – Red Flag Warning Readiness– 1:45

Fox 5 was live in Rancho San Diego at Cal Fire Headquarters with what is being done to keep San Diego County safe during wildfire season and the red flag warning the county was under.

8/23—Ocean Beach Gas Leak—TRT 2:00

200 residents were forced out of their homes for almost a day after crews found a gas leak.

8/24 – Coronado sewage spill –TRT :20

Parts of Glorietta bay in Coronado are closed this morning as crews try to clean up a sewage spill.

SEPTEMBER

9/01- Miramar Road Water Main Break- TRT: 1:13

Water was shut off for one local neighborhood, after a 12 inch water main pipe burst underneath Miramar Road. It flooded the road and caused major traffic problems.

9/02 – Red Flag Warning – 1:30

An update on Cal Fire's effort to protect San Diego during a Red Flag Warning

9/04– TROPICAL STORM HERMINE – :45

The tropical storm made its way up the east coast after causing havoc from Florida to Virginia over the course of two days.

9/04- North Dakota Pipeline Protest TRT: 30

Scare tactics are being used by Native American groups to stop construction on a North Dakota access pipeline project.

9/06- Senate Zika Vote—TRT 0:25

The Senate fails to vote on a bill that would put money towards fighting Zika.

9/06 – Hurricane Newton heads for Baja California TRT :20

14,000 tourists are stranded in Mexico, as Hurricane Newton makes landfall. Newton's winds have been clocked at 90 miles per hour.

9/07- Zika Spraying Normal Heights TRT: 1:05

Another travel related Zika case confirmed in San Diego this time in Normal Heights.

Crews will spray the area to get rid of possible contaminated mosquitoes.

9/09 – Zika Virus Mosquito Spraying – TRT: 1:30

A third neighborhood is being sprayed today to kill mosquitos capable of carrying the Zika Virus after a man in Normal Heights contracted the virus while traveling.

9/14- TAIWAN TYPHOON TRT 0:20 SEC

9/15 – Obama creates national monument in Atlantic Ocean – TRT :15

Today-- President Obama is expected to announce the first Atlantic marine national monument.

9/19– Thunderstorms and lightning in San Diego – TRT 1:30

It was a spectacular sight across San Diego skies. Rare thunder and lightning was seen and heard across the county overnight so can we expect more of this.