Parks and Recreation Commission
Regular Meeting Amended[1] Agenda

Tuesday, September 15, 2026
6:30 P.M.
Malibu City Hall, Multipurpose Room

Call to Order

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda

Report on Posting of Agenda – August 27, 2026; *Amended Agenda posted September 11, 2026*

1. Ceremonial/Presentations

None.

2. Written and Oral Communications from the Public and Commissioners

A. Communications from the public concerning matters which are not on the agenda but for which the Commission has subject matter jurisdiction. The Commission may not act on these matters at this meeting.

3. Consent Calendar

A. Previously Discussed Items

None.

B. New Items[1]

1. *Approval of Minutes*

Recommended Action: Approve the minutes for the April 21, 2026 Parks and Recreation Commission Regular meeting.

Staff Contact: Management Analyst Saleaumua, 456-2489 ext. 349

4. Old Business

None.

[1]*See the addition Amended Agenda Items Item Nos. 3.A., 3.B.1., 5.B., and 5.C.*

5. New Business

A. Malibu Surf Legend Award

Recommended Action: 1) Review and discuss the nominees for the 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award; and 2) Recommend an individual for City Council approval.

Staff Contact: Community Services Deputy Director Manisco, 456-2489 ext. 363

B. Legacy Park Enhancement Donation

Recommended Action: 1) Approve the Legacy Park proposed enhancements from the Wallis Annenberg Foundation as part of the Park Enhancement and Donation Program; and 2) Recommend the enhancements for City Council approval.

Staff Contact: Community Services Director Riesgo, 456-2489 ext. 350

C. Santa Monica Mountains Fund Native Plant Nursery Pilot Program

Recommended Action: 1) Review and provide feedback on the proposed Santa Monica Mountains Fund native plant nursery pilot program at Legacy Park; and 2) Provide a recommendation for City Council consideration regarding the pilot program.

Staff Contact: Recreation Manager Orosz, 456-2489 ext. 337

6. Staff Updates

7. Commissioner Reports, Comments and Inquiries

Future Agenda Items

Adjournment

Future Meetings

Tuesday, October 20, 2026	6:30 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multipurpose Room
Tuesday, November 17, 2026	6:30 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multipurpose Room
Tuesday, December 15, 2026	6:30 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multipurpose Room

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Old Business *items have appeared on previous agendas but have either been continued or tabled to this meeting with no final action having been taken. Public comment shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.*

Items in New Business *are items which are appearing for the first time for formal action. Public comment shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.*

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Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Parks and Recreation Commission Agenda Report

Parks and Recreation
Regular Meeting
09-15-26
Item 3.B.1.

To: Chair Villablanca and Members of the Parks and Recreation Commission

Prepared by: Brittany Saleaumua, Management Analyst

Approved by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: September 10, 2026 Meeting date: September 15, 2026

Subject: Approval of Minutes

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve the minutes for the April 21, 2026 Parks and Recreation Commission Regular meeting.

DISCUSSION: Staff has prepared draft minutes for the April 21, 2026 Parks and Recreation Commission Regular meeting.

ATTACHMENTS: April 21, 2026 Regular meeting minutes

MINUTES
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 21, 2026
MULTIPURPOSE ROOM
6:30 P.M.

MEETING CALL TO ORDER

Chair Villablanca called the meeting to order at 6:38 p.m.

ROLL CALL

The following persons were recorded in attendance by the Recording Secretary:

PRESENT: Chair Judy Villablanca; Vice Chair Jake Lingo; and Commissioner Dane Skophammer

ABSENT: Commissioner Georgia Goldfarb

ALSO PRESENT: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director; Kate Manisco, Community Services Deputy Director; Chris Orosz, Recreation Manager; and Brittany Saleaumua, Management Analyst

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chair Villablanca led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION Commissioner Skophammer moved, and Vice Chair Lingo seconded a motion to approve the agenda. The question was called, and the motion carried 3-0; Commissioner Goldfarb absent.

FRIENDLY AMENDMENT

Chair Villablanca made a friendly amendment to reorder the agenda, moving Item 1.A. after Item 5.A. Commissioner Skophammer accepted the amendment.

MOTION Vice Chair Lingo moved, and Chair Villablanca seconded a motion to approve the amended motion. The question was called, and the motion carried 3-0; Commissioner Goldfarb absent.

REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA

Management Analyst Saleaumua reported that the agenda for the meeting was posted on April 15, 2026.

ITEM 2 WRITTEN AND ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

None.

ITEM 3 CONSENT CALENDAR

MOTION Vice Chair Lingo moved, and Commissioner Skophammer seconded a motion to approve the consent calendar. The question was called, and the motion carried 3-0; Commissioner Goldfarb absent.

The Consent Calendar consisted of the following items:

A. Previously Discussed Items
None.

B. New Items

1. Approval of Minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the minutes for the January 20, 2026 Parks and Recreation Commission Regular meeting.

ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS

A. Jake Kuredjian Citizenship Award
Recommended Action: 1) Review and discuss the nominees for the 2026 Jake Kuredjian Citizenship Award; and 2) Recommend an individual(s) or organization for City Council approval.

Community Services Deputy Director Manisco presented the staff report.

Speakers: Cici Lee and Ell Conrad

Chair Villablanca supported giving the Jake Kuredjian Citizenship Award to multiple people.

Commissioner Skophammer stated that it was important to limit the number of award recipients. He stated Alicia Peak should be considered as an award recipient. He recommended giving the award to Trancas Riders and Ropers or to the equestrian community.

Vice Chair Lingo stated he valued Malibu's equestrian history and supported giving the award to the equestrian community.

Chair Villablanca stated written correspondence included Beth Cadwaller as a nominee.

Commissioner Skophammer stated Ms. Cadwaller should be considered.

MOTION Chair Villablanca moved, and Commissioner Skophammer seconded a motion to recommend the equestrian nominees, including Beth Cadwaller, for the 2026 Jake

Kuredjian Citizenship Award recipients. The question was called, and the motion carried 3-0; Commissioner Goldfarb absent.

In response to Community Services Director Riesgo, Management Analyst Saleaumua clarified that the equestrian nominees were Bonnie Decker, Denise DeGarmo, Larry and Lori Gray, Talley Hutcherson, Gina McCloskey, Erin Sinclair, and Beth Cadwaller.

ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS

A. Malibu Surf Legend Award
Recommended Action: Discuss the nomination process for the 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award.

Community Services Deputy Director Manisco presented the staff report.

Speaker: Sid Conrad

Commissioner Skophammer stated he wanted the public to provide nominations. He stated the 2025 recipient was selected without a vetting process and he preferred reviewing community nominations.

Vice Chair Lingo indicated agreement with Commissioner Skophammer.

Chair Villablanca stated an example of a Malibu Surf Legend was Jean Pierre Pereat.

MOTION Vice Chair Lingo moved, and Chair Villablanca seconded a motion to open the public nomination period for 6 to 8 weeks for the 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award. The question was called, and the motion carried 3-0; Commissioner Goldfarb absent.

Community Services Deputy Director Manisco stated the nominator for Jean Pierre Pereat would be contacted to submit a nomination.

ITEM 1 CEREMONIAL/PRESENTATIONS

A. Election of Chair and Vice Chair

Chair Villablanca stated that the election of Chair and Vice Chair would be continued to the next Regular meeting, since Commissioner Goldfarb was absent.

ITEM 6 STAFF UPDATES

Community Services Deputy Director Manisco provided an update on spring break day camps, Summer program registration, Skate Park programs, and Senior Center programs.

Recreation Manager Orosz provided an update on outdoor recreation programs at Charmlee Wilderness Park and the pollinator garden at Malibu Bluffs Park.

Community Services Director Riesgo provided an update on the Las Flores Creek Park restoration project, Malibu Bluffs Park Enhancement Project, the Parks Foundation, and the Community Lands Project.

ITEM 7 COMMISSIONER REPORTS, COMMENTS AND INQUIRIES

Vice Chair Lingo thanked staff for their efforts during the Malibu Little League (MLL) season. He stated MLL applied for the City's General Fund Grant program to fund field improvements. He stated the work done on the field drainage made an impact during the season. He requested monthly updates on the Snack Shack, Parks Foundation, and Community Lands.

Chair Villablanca stated she attended the Chumash Day Powwow and participated in the community mural project at the event. She inquired if the Commission could have a joint meeting with the Harry Barovsky Memorial Youth Commission.

In response to Chair Villablanca, Recreation Manager Orosz stated establishing a City docent program was a Department goal; however, due to a staffing shortage and other priorities, it would not be addressed this year.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Villablanca adjourned the meeting at 7:44 p.m.

Approved and adopted by the Parks and Recreation Commission of the City of Malibu on September 15, 2026.

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JAKE LINGO, Vice Chair

ATTEST:

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KRISTIN RIESGO, Community Services Director

Parks and Recreation Commission Agenda Report

Parks and Recreation
Regular Meeting
09-15-26
Item 5.A.

To: Chair Villablanca and Members of the Parks and Recreation Commission

Prepared by: Kate Manisco, Community Services Deputy Director

Approved by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: August 19, 2026 Meeting date: September 15, 2026

Subject: Malibu Surf Legend Award

RECOMMENDED ACTION: 1) Review and discuss the nominees for the 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award; and 2) Recommend an individual for City Council approval.

DISCUSSION: At the October 13, 2025 City Council Regular meeting, Council approved the Parks and Recreation Commission's award criteria for the Malibu Surf Legend Award. The inaugural 2025 Award recipient was Randall "Crawdaddy" Miod. He was selected for being a beloved figure in the local surf community, known for his daily presence at Surfrider Beach, and for embodying the spirit of surfing both in and out of the water.

At the April 13, 2026 Regular meeting, the Commission discussed the nomination process and, by consensus, decided to open public nominations. The open nomination period was publicized on the City's website, social media channels, and in the *Malibu Times*. The City received fourteen nominations by the July 10, 2026 deadline. Staff reached out to the nominees. Those who accepted the nominations include, John Baker, Tim Dion, Soleil Errico, Leo Harrington, Darryn Keaster, Terry Lucoff, Dustan "Dusty" Peak, Chris Rodgers, and Jefferson Wagner (Attachment 1). Nominees, Lance Carson and Haylynn Conrad choose to withdraw from consideration. Staff were unable to confirm nomination acceptance from three individuals (or remaining family members) including Duke Kahanamoku, Darlene Dubray, and Dimitri Papavassiliou.

The Malibu Surf Legend is awarded annually to one individual. The recipient must also meet the following criteria,

- Demonstrate Excellence in Surfing: the recipient must have a long-standing record in surfing, which may include notable achievement in competitions, contributions, or influence in the sport

- Positive Representation of the Surf Community: the recipient must uphold strong values of sportsmanship, integrity, and community spirit, serving as a positive role model for current and future generations
- Significant Contribution to Local Surf Culture: the recipient must have made a meaningful impact on the local surf scene through mentorship, education, community involvement, or by promoting ocean safety and environmental awareness
- Connection to the City: the recipient must be connected to the City by being a resident or employed in Malibu, a local business owner, a student residing in Malibu, or attending school in Malibu, or a non-profit organization that benefits Malibu residents

The Commission is asked to review and discuss the nominees for the 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award and recommended a recipient by a majority vote. The final recommendation will be provided to Council for approval at a future meeting.

ATTACHMENTS: 2026 Public Nomination Applications

From: noreply@civicplus.com
To: Kate Manisco; Brittany Saleaumua
Subject: Online Form Submittal: 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form
Date: Monday, June 8, 2026 4:46:10 PM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

The Malibu Surf Legend Award will be presented annually to honor an individual or group who has demonstrated excellence in surfing, serves as a positive representative of the surf community, has made a significant contribution to local surf culture, and maintains a meaningful connection to Malibu.

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Additional Information — Malibu Surf Legend Award

Nomination Dates

Completed nomination forms are due by Friday, July 10, 2026, at 11:59 PM, and must be submitted by completing an online form. All nominations will be considered at a Regular Meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting.

Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	John Baker
Affiliated Organization(s)	LA County lifeguard
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Fred Roberts

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	pro surfer / lifeguard
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	has set a fine example for a lot of kids to follow to become Los Angeles County fire lifeguards
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	A great family, man and surfing icon
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Fred Roberts
Date	June 8, 2026

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From: noreply@civicplus.com
To: Kate Manisco; Brittany Saleaumua
Subject: Online Form Submittal: 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form
Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2026 11:10:48 AM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Lance Carson
Affiliated Organization(s)	*Field not completed.*
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	John Mazza

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Long time Malibu surfing legend and surfboard shaper since the 1960's. Name used in Apocalypse Now and inspiration for the character Matt Johnson in Big Wednesday. Famed for nose riding and super casual style. World famous .See contribution to culture and connection below.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Lance has been a very low key part of the Malibu surfing community for many years and has been noted for his help to others and lack of self promotion. His surfboards are collected widely .
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Surfer Lance Carson was born in 1943 in Santa Monica, California. Carson was raised in Pacific Palisades, California. Afflicted with spina bifida as a baby, Lance's parents were advised by doctors that water exercise would help promote bone growth, so at the tender age of four years old Carson was introduced to surfing at Malibu on a four-foot-long balsa belly board made by his father. Carson soon established himself as one of the top surfers in Malibu, California. Well known for his expert ability at riding the nose of waves, Lance was ranked at #2 in a list of the world's ten best noserider surfers that was published in a 1965 issue of Surfer magazine. Carson initially worked as a salesman for Jacobs Surfboards in Hermosa Beach, California before eventually becoming a surfboard shaper for the same company. Jacobs introduced the popular Lance Carson signature model surfboard in 1965. After about a decade of struggling with alcoholism, Lance managed to get his life back in order in 1976 by founding the Lance Carson Surfboards label and began selling longboards to surf shops in the Santa Monica area. Moreover, in 1984 Carson became an early environmentalist on the surfing scene: He not only spearheaded a local effort to clean up the polluted Malibu Lagoon, but also helped launch the non-profit organization Surfrider Foundation that's dedicated to protecting and preserving the world's oceans, waves, and beaches. Lance was inducted into the International Surfing Hall

	of Fame in 1991.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	John Mazza
Date	June 2,2026

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From: noreply@civicplus.com
To: Kate Manisco; Brittany Saleaumua
Subject: Online Form Submittal: 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form
Date: Friday, June 26, 2026 7:10:30 PM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

The Malibu Surf Legend Award will be presented annually to honor an individual or group who has demonstrated excellence in surfing, serves as a positive representative of the surf community, has made a significant contribution to local surf culture, and maintains a meaningful connection to Malibu.

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

Nomination Dates

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Haylynn Conrad
Affiliated Organization(s)	City Council
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Marshall Coben

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Haylynn Conrad has surfed in more places in the world than most professional surfers. She is a dedicated surfer who taught herself to Surf later in life and became one of the craziest barrel chargers I have ever seen at Surf Ranch.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Haylynn Conrad fights to defend our beaches,, and is a great promoter of Surf artists and craftsman. She actively promotes beach cleanups.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Haylynn is a popular local fixture at her local brakes. When she lived in the Malibu Colony, she and her husband and son were favorites to hang with in the water there. Now, if you want a little time with our city council woman paddle out to Point Dume and join in the conversation. Hard to get a word in edgewise as she knows everyone in the water there, whether you are surfing the rock or outers everyone knows her name and is so generous with her time.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Marshall coben
Date	June 26

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To: Kate Manisco; Brittany Saleaumua
Subject: Online Form Submittal: 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form
Date: Saturday, June 13, 2026 4:23:06 PM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Tim Dion
Affiliated Organization(s)	*Field not completed.*
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Becky Rickley

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Tim has surfed all over the world, including massive waves. He has designed and built boards. He even designed light outfits to night surf. He was the manager at Becker and spread his love and knowledge of surfing to advanced and beginning surfers alike. Tim is a gentleman in and out of the water, well know by many, and humble to all.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Tim is old school. He loves and respects surfing, the environment, and his fellow surfers.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	At heart, Tim is a teacher. He has guided untold numbers of people to surfing with his infectious love of the water, the challenge, the art, the patience, the physical ability, and striving to the next challenge. Tim surfs daily along side his wife and daughter. It is his zen moment that grounds, completes, and defines in large part who he is. Rarely do you find someone who combines Tim's extraordinary talent, with such genuine sportsmanship, and a passion for sharing what he loves with others. Whether evaluated on his competitive achievements, technical contributions to the sport, mentorship of fellow surfers, or roll as a goodwill ambassador of surfing, Tim consistently exemplifies the very best of the sport. His character, dedication, and positive influence make him an outstanding representative of surfing and a deserving recipient of this recognition.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Becky Rickley
Date	6/13/2026

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Additional Information — Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Darlene Dubrey
Affiliated Organization(s)	R.I.P Flower Girl
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Cody Pendergrass

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	93021
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	World renowned surfer traveled the world, surfing competitions. She was an amazing woman taught me everything I know about surfing in the ocean. And many other people will respected in the community she died around Christmas 2026 Rest in peace my girl we miss you!!
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Gentle soul carried about everybody, respected everybody and everybody respected her. I was fortunate to be able to ride her tails anybody that knew Darlene respected her and she respected them. She was a positive light lit up the ocean every time she was in it. Taught me a lot about the water and the respect you must have for it open my eyes to a lot taught me the ins and outs the do's and don'ts mad respect for her. She died too soon way too young right before she passed she gave me her three short boards that she toured the world with winning competitions these boards of legendary they've been around everywherehave a lot of history behind them and she wanted them to give two of them to my daughters. They're hanging on my ceiling will keep them forever.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Anybody that knows Malibu and surfing knows the name Darlene Dubrey it's a fact she got nothing but mad respect out there in the Water if she's on the way you get off it that's just how it works and not a negative way she was full of light full of energy lit up the sky where she went and knew how to surf anyway you throughout her long board short board matter, respect that female could serve better than anybody I've ever known and she was just a stealthy quiet but silently loud, beautiful person that was happy and had nothing but positive energy and would light up the water anytime she was in it you could feel her presence anytime you're in the water, especially in Malibu. She was a huge advocate for the community. Malibu donating our time energy. She's a big part of the community she will be missed.
Signature	

Signature of Nominator	Cody Pendergrass
Date	06/01/2026

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To: Kate Manisco; Brittany Saleaumua
Subject: Online Form Submittal: 2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form
Date: Friday, July 3, 2026 9:43:53 PM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Soleil Errico
Affiliated Organization(s)	Thera Surf
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

(Section Break)

Name of Nominator	Athena Errico

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	WSL 3 time world champ. Won two world titles at Surfrider beach in Malibu.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Member of the Thera Surf and A Walk on Water organizations taking handi cap kids surfing.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Pre school teach at the cool school in Malibu. World traveled surf ambassador representing the Malibu community.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Athena Errico
Date	7/3/2026

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	LEO HARRINGTON
Affiliated Organization(s)	THERASURF
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	EAMON HARRINGTON

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Leo has surfed every break in Malibu for over 25 years. A true waterman, his reputation throughout the surf community here is unparaelled. He began surfing as a young boy, studying with Mitch from Becker before school. A Malibu Makos instructor, he went on to become a California State lifeguard upon graduating from high school. He has surfed the north shores of Oahu and Kawaii, Bali, Fiji, San Sebastián, Ireland, Brazil, Tahiti and a dozen other famous breaks around the world. Leo's style is immediately recognizable, and his reputation as a surf instructor in Malibu for over 15 years is of the absolute highest grade. Celebrities seek him out for lessons, along with returning visitors year after year.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Leo has been the President and CEO of Theresurf for the past decade. Therasurf's reputation as the leading charitable surf organization in California is widely known, bringing kids with special needs into the water here in Malibu as well as in Mexico and other countries. Leo and his team of local Malibu surfers bring hundreds of kids into the water each year, giving them a tandem surf experience they would never have otherwise. Having helped hundreds of families over the years, Therasurf is one of the great gifts Malibu offers to families with special needs kids.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Same as above. But beyond Therasurf, Leo works as a California State Lifeguard and is an active member of IATSE, the Marine Union that provides water support and safety to all film and television projects being shot in and around the LA area. leo's company, Westward Marine & Surf, has provided marine support for dozens of commercial sim and TV projects over the past decade.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Eamon Harrington
Date	6/16/2026

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2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

The Malibu Surf Legend Award will be presented annually to honor an individual or group who has demonstrated excellence in surfing, serves as a positive representative of the surf community, has made a significant contribution to local surf culture, and maintains a meaningful connection to Malibu.

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Duke Kahanamoku
Affiliated Organization(s)	*Field not completed.*
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Pamela Conley Ulich

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

Detailed Information

Excellence in Surfing	Few individuals have had a greater influence on the history of surfing—or on Malibu's place in that history—than Duke Paoa Kahanamoku. Revered as the "Father of Modern Surfing," Duke transformed surfing from a Hawaiian cultural tradition into a global sport while embodying the values of aloha, humility, sportsmanship, and community that continue to define the Malibu surfing experience. Although Duke was born and raised in Hawai‘i, his legacy is inseparable from Malibu. Every generation of Malibu surfers stands on the foundation he created. Malibu's world-renowned point break became one of the places where Duke's vision of surfing as a joyful, inclusive, and respectful pursuit flourished. Excellence in Surfing Duke Kahanamoku is universally recognized as one of the greatest watermen in history. His accomplishments include: • Five Olympic medals in swimming, including three gold medals. • World ambassador for the sport of surfing. • Demonstrated extraordinary surfing ability that inspired generations. • Introduced surfing exhibitions around the world, including Australia, New Zealand, and the continental United States. • Helped transform surfing into an internationally respected sport. His athletic excellence extended beyond competition—he became surfing's first global ambassador.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Duke's greatest legacy may be his character. He exemplified: • humility • generosity • sportsmanship • respect for the ocean • inclusion • aloha spirit He welcomed newcomers into surfing and viewed the ocean as

	something to be shared rather than possessed. More than fifty years after his passing, surfers throughout the world continue to regard Duke as the sport's highest example of integrity and grace.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Malibu is one of the most iconic surf breaks in the world. That reputation exists because surfing evolved into an international culture—and no individual contributed more to that evolution than Duke Kahanamoku. The Malibu surfing tradition celebrates: • style • respect • community • wave etiquette • stewardship • the joy of riding waves Those values reflect the philosophy Duke championed throughout his life. Every surfer who paddles out at Surfrider Beach benefits from the worldwide surfing culture Duke helped create. Meaningful Connection to Malibu Although Duke was not a Malibu resident, his connection to Malibu is profound. Malibu became one of the world's legendary surf destinations during the golden era of modern surfing—a movement that traces directly back to Duke's pioneering efforts. Generations of Malibu surfers have looked to Duke as the sport's founding ambassador. His influence is reflected in: • Malibu's surfing traditions • surf instruction • wave etiquette • longboard culture • international recognition of Surfrider Beach • Malibu's identity as one of surfing's most historic locations His legacy lives on every day in Malibu's lineup. Legacy Duke Kahanamoku believed: "The ocean is for everyone." That simple philosophy continues to define Malibu's surfing community. His life reminds us that surfing is more than athletic achievement—it is a way of living with respect, humility, generosity, and gratitude. Those values have shaped Malibu's surfing culture for generations.
Signature	

Signature of Nominator	Pamela Conley Ulich
Date	July 10, 2026

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2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Darryn Keaster
Affiliated Organization(s)	M.U.D., Malibu Labor Exchange
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	91361
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Will Morstad

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	91361
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Darryn has been surfing and fishing here in the Malibu area for over 40 years. He has volunteered his time to help clean up with Heal the Bay organized by the Surfrider Foundation. He worked in the 80's at the Hughes Family Markets located in the Colony and also worked at the Fresh Faire Ralphs in the late 90's as a butcher cutting award winning meat for the Malibu Chili Cook Off. He is a Native Californian born in Canoga Park. In 2015 he experienced a near-fatal heart attack while surfing and fishing a wave back to shore. He currently resides in Westlake Village.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	In 2018 he was a surf instructor for the Surf Shack in Malibu. He has a positive attitude and outlook before and now after he has survived a heart attack on the water.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Darryn resided as a member of the "Van Community" there in Malibu from 2015 through 2021 helping to feed the community with fresh fish he was catching while he surfed. He also helped those in need specifically when a fellow surfer was robbed and needed a ride to his home in Marina Del Rey. He was always there to offer a leash, fin or even a board to ride for those in need.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Will Morstad
Date	7/8/2026

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2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Terry Lucoff
Affiliated Organization(s)	Natural progression surfboard
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Gwen Lucoff

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Terry owned one of the first surf shops in Malibu and supported many surfers who surfed at the many breaks in Malibu by Natural Progression Surfboards were synonymous with Malibu and Point Dume and was the most elite boards you could own Terry started living in Malibu in the 60's in hs van And then at Topanga Beach, aka BAJA mMalibu. He opened his first store in Malibu in the 70's And surfed there as well as the Hollistrr Ranch He bought his first house in Malibu pArk in 1976, and now owns many properties that he tries to make available to malibu residents Terry has sponsored many Malibu surf contests over the years and still donates to the Malibu surfing association
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Terry doesn't surf much anymore but continues to financially support many Malibu surfers and surfing events in Malibu
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Opened one of the first surf shops in Malibu Created many iconic Malibu surf logos and boards and clothing Natural Progression Surfboards were the #1 boards of most of Malibu surfers and celebrities
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Gwen Lucoff
Date	June 1 2026

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2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Dimitri Papavassiliou
Affiliated Organization(s)	*Field not completed.*
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	*Field not completed.*
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Randi Little

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	*Field not completed.*
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Dimitri, a Malibu native and founder of Malibu Surf School, has competed internationally representing his home country of Greece. His dedication to the craft extends well beyond the water- training and coaching daily with an enthusiasm that is as consistent as it is contagious.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Dimitri is the founder of Malibu Surf School, offering lessons for surfers of all ages and skill levels. His teaching approach makes surfing genuinely accessible and enjoyable, while his deep respect for beach etiquette keeps him in good standing with local lifeguards and the broader beach community.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Dimitri is the founder of Malibu Surf School, offering affordable private and group lessons for surfers of all ages and skill levels. A Malibu native and familiar face along the coastline, he has built a reputation for making every person feel welcome and included. Dimitri is a true steward of Malibu's rich surf heritage- honoring its unique history while opening the sport up to beginners and newcomers alike, both through his teaching and his friendship.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Randi Little
Date	06/01/2026

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2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

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Nominee Information

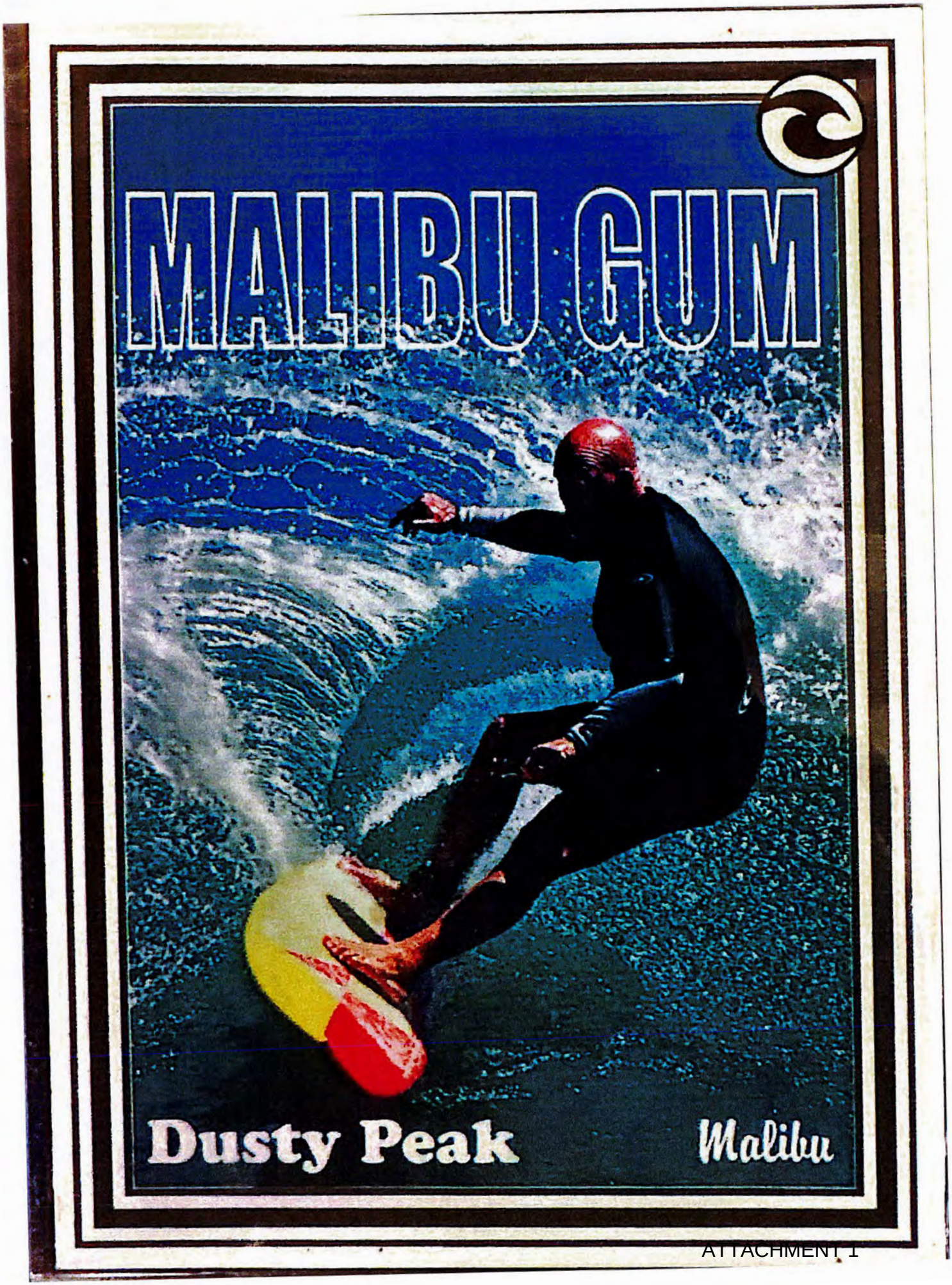
Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Dustan "Dusty" Peak
Affiliated Organization(s)	Peak Power Electric
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

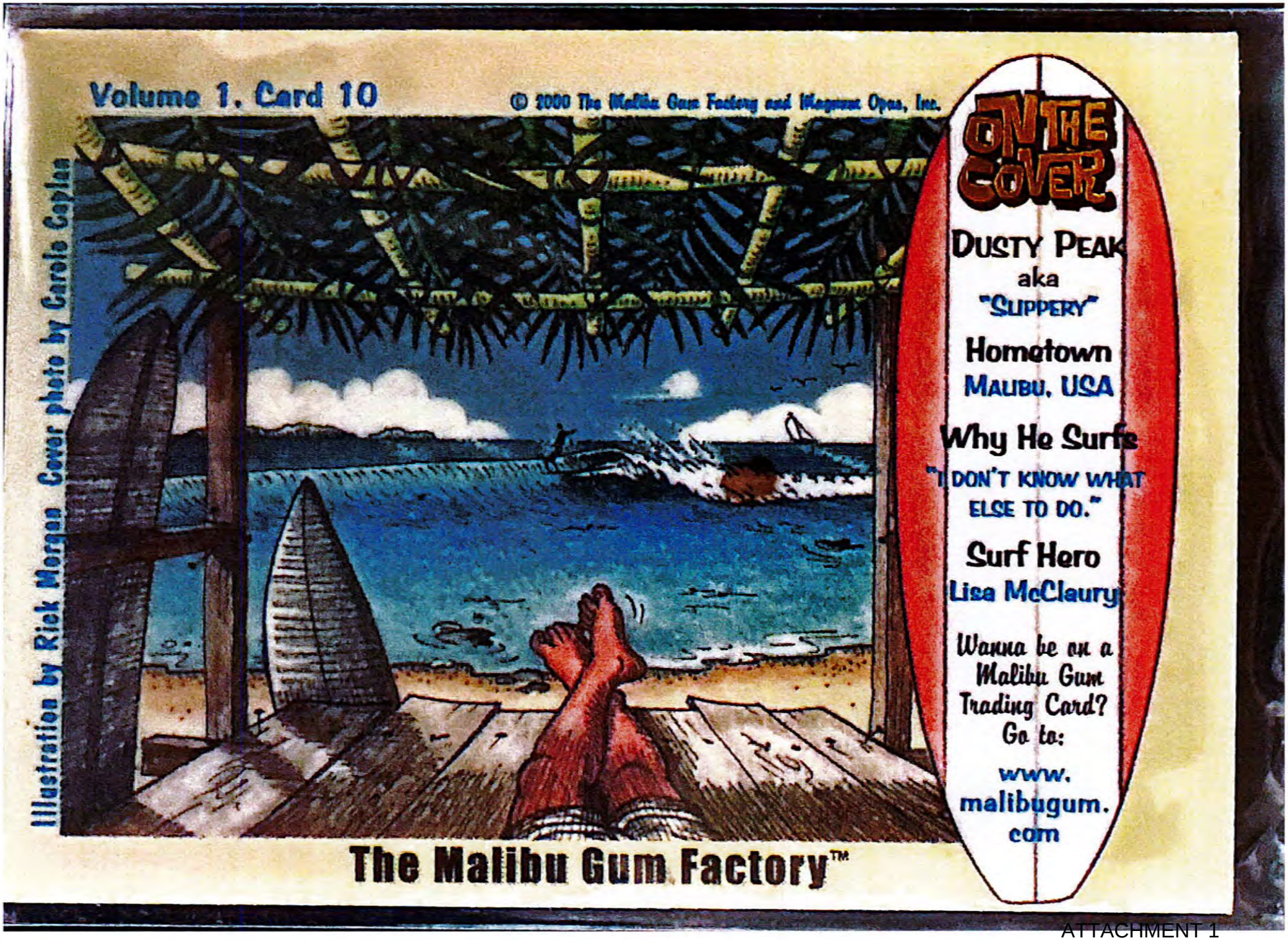
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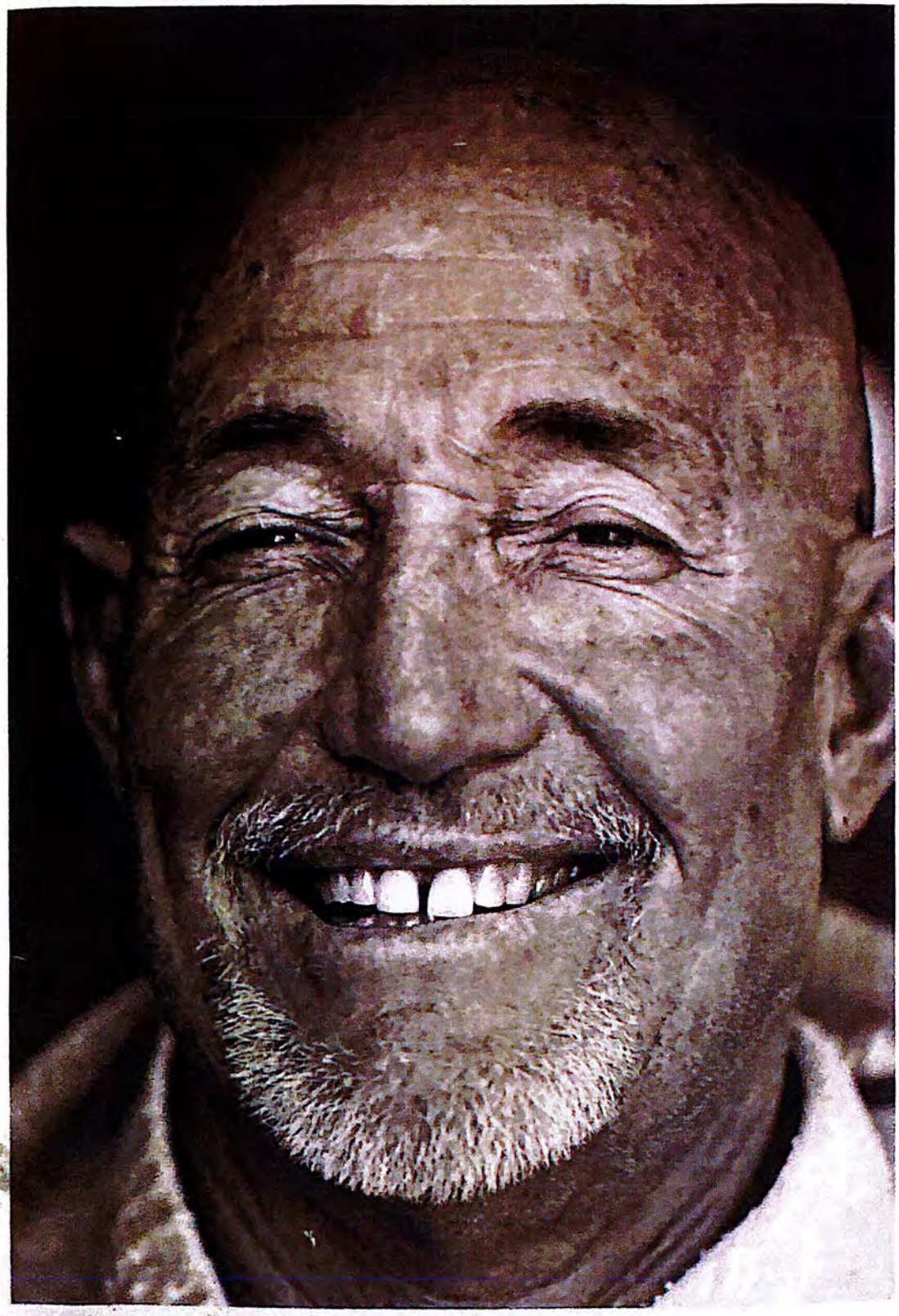
Name of Nominator	Denise Peak

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Dusty was a founding member of Malibu Board Riders Club where he had a tremendous influence on the community and was directly responsible for excelling our youth's surfing skills. Dusty served on the board for Malibu Riviera 2 on Point Dume in many capacities, striving to make the beach a better place for future generations.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	He was a true icon of Malibu and lived his whole life in this beloved town. His humor, devotion, and boisterous laugh will never be forgotten. As the owner of Peak Power Electric for over 30 years, Dusty knew how to bring light to any situation. His favorite quote was "There is a beautiful thing in life, you are either a participant or a spectator - you make the choice!", a mantra that would follow his whole life to protect Malibu's beautiful environment.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	He was the keeper of Little Dume and pioneered the preservation of the Point Dume tide pool environment. He spoke at many city council meetings to preserve the ravines leading into the ocean. Beyond the many people he influenced, his son Skylar followed his footsteps as a great surfer and being politically involved which later on lead him to become Mayor of Malibu, not once, but twice. His everlasting influence will be felt in Malibu for decades to come. (Fun fact: his paddle out was the biggest Malibu has ever seen according to Laird Hamildon.) In honor of his service, Westward Beach was completely shut down with over 1,000 people attending. Him and his son are also featured on the Malibu Gum Card (an equivilant to legendary baseball cards) instilling him as a legendary surfer of Malibu.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	DP
Date	07072026

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ATTACHMENT 1

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Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2026 10:33:01 AM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

Background

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Chris Rodgers
Affiliated Organization(s)	Malibu Skate Board Park
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Cheryl A. Spurlock

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Chris is an excellent short board surfer, though he can surf almost any wave. He is very fast. However he is not aggressive toward other surfers. He is also very helpful to young surfers. He is a great skate boarder too.
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Chris has worked with the Boys & Girls Club, helping kids to learn to surf & skate board. He has been paid to teach, but often offers his assistance free to young people who ask. The kids admire him, and watch him surf.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	See above.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Cheryl A. Spurlock
Date	6/2/2026

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To: Kate Manisco; Brittany Saleaumua
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2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

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Additional Information	Malibu Surf Legend Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Jefferson Wagner
Affiliated Organization(s)	Zuma Jay Surfboards and Malibu City Council
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Bonnie Lockrem

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	professional surfer with decades of experience - teaching and role modelling for youth and adults
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Commitment to Malibu Community, socially, politically and financially. He offers residents and tourists expert care and guidance for surf equipment, clothing and lessons.
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Jay is a fine role model for youth and adults of all ages as a surfer and man of fine character. His love of Malibu shines through his calm and respectful demeanor - personally, and through his employees. His storefront and presence in the community are consistently reassuring and supportive. Our daughter purchased a surfboard about 30 years ago and received care and guidance from Jay. She, and we, continue to be grateful for his kindness. His contribution to the community through his service on the city council was exemplary with meaningful and creative ideas for development as well as concern for stable growth His humility is impressive and unwavering.
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Bonnie J Lockrem
Date	6-4-2026

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Date: Friday, June 5, 2026 1:49:18 PM

2026 Malibu Surf Legend Award Nomination Form

About the Award

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee (Individual Being Nominated)	Jefferson Wagner
Affiliated Organization(s)	*Field not completed.*
Nominee's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominee's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominee's E-Mail Address	[redacted]

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Name of Nominator	Steven Ravaglioli

(Individual Submitting Form)	
Nominator's Primary Telephone	[redacted]
Nominator's Residential Zip Code	90265
Nominator's E-Mail Address	[redacted]
Detailed Information	
Excellence in Surfing	Owns Zuma Jays Surf Shop. Local Malibuite. Teaches and volunteers
Positive Representative of the Surf Community	Teaces and volunteers in the community
Contribution to Culture and Connection:	Teaces and volunteers in the community
Signature	
Signature of Nominator	Steven E. Ravaglioli
Date	6-5-2026

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Parks and Recreation Commission Agenda Report

Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting
09-15-26
Item 5.B.

To: Chair Villablanca and Members of the Parks and Recreation Commission

Prepared by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: September 10, 2026 Meeting date: September 15, 2026

Subject: Legacy Park Enhancement Donation

RECOMMENDED ACTION: 1) Approve the Legacy Park proposed enhancements from the Wallis Annenberg Legacy Foundation as part of the Park Enhancement and Donation Program; and 2) Recommend the enhancements for City Council approval.

DISCUSSION: At the February 9, 2026 Regular meeting, Council approved the Commission's recommendation to revise the Park Enhancement and Donation Program (Program) for City parks and facilities (Attachment 1). The Program includes guidelines for the acceptance of private donations as well as options for the public to purchase memorial benches, memorial rocks, and trees to be placed in various City parks.

The Program lists the number of allowable memorial items and enhancements at each City park. It also allows the Parks and Recreation Commission to review special requests for parks that either reach enhancement capacity or special requests.

In May 2026, staff was approached by the Wallis Annenberg Legacy Foundation who were interested in funding an expansion of the native pollinator garden at Legacy Park in addition to adding a new bench near the park's retention basin (Attachment 2). The Foundation has provided a $50,000 donation to the City for the park enhancements, which will include the cost for new plants, signage, bench, materials, and labor.

The Program does not allow new enhancements at Legacy Park, so the Commission must approve the Foundation's proposal. If the Commission recommends the Legacy Park enhancements, the recommendation will be provided to Council for final approval.

ATTACHMENTS: 1) Park Enhancement and Donation Program Guidelines
2) Proposed Legacy Park Enhancements and Locations

City of Malibu

Community Services Department

Park Enhancement and Donation Program

Community organizations and individuals may donate money and needed equipment to the City of Malibu for park enhancements and beautification projects. The City accepts enhancements, such as native plants, trees, or other items, earmarked for a specific project at City parks or facilities.

All donations become the property of the City of Malibu, which will oversee, maintain, and manage them. Over time, a park may be redesigned or renovated, requiring the removal or relocation of a donated item. The City will determine how to manage a donation, with no guarantee of retaining the item for any length of time. The City will make every effort to notify the donor if the item is removed, relocated, replaced, altered, or otherwise changed. It is the donor's responsibility to notify the City if their contact information has changed.

The following must be approved by the Community Services Director:

- The need for the item or equipment
- The make, model, and type of item or equipment
- The installation location of the item or equipment
- Donor recognition

All park enhancement and donation requests will be reviewed by the Parks and Recreation Commission at a Regular meeting. The Commission will make a recommendation to approve or deny applicants, based on the factors outlined in the Program. A limited amount of memorial items and donations are permitted at each park. Once the park reaches the maximum capacity for items, additional items will not be accepted unless it is recommended by the Parks and Recreation Commission and approved by City Council.

Location	**Total Items/Enhancements**
Charmlee Wilderness Park	4
Las Flores Creek Park	4
Malibu Bluffs Park	20 general items; 12 picnic table plaques
Malibu Skate Park	4
Trancas Canyon Park	4
Legacy Park	0

Once a memorial item or donation is approved, costs are determined, payment is received, and the donation agreement is signed, Community Services Department staff will order the item or equipment and install it at the identified facility. Ongoing maintenance and upkeep of the equipment or materials shall become the City's responsibility.

Modifications to existing facilities that result in a significant visual, functional, or land use change may require special permits and must be approved by the City of Malibu's Community Development Department.

POLICY

A. General Provisions for Donated Items

1. A donation must be consistent with the needs of City parks and facilities.

2. A donation must provide benefit to the City and the community.

3. A cost analysis will be performed prior to the acceptance of the donation to ensure the cost associated with the item does not outweigh the value to the City. The City retains the right to refuse a donation if the cost exceeds the community benefit.

4. Donated items must be in safe, durable, and usable condition.

5. Donated items intended for an exclusive user group or that are associated with a specific group will require approval before a donation can be made.

6. Once a donated item has been accepted, it becomes City property. The City may replace or dispose of the item as it deems appropriate.

7. Facility naming rights must follow City Council Policy #52 and will be approved by City Council.

B. Facility Donation Items

1. The donation must fit the style or current aesthetic plan of the facility.

2. Permanent modifications to facilities will be approved by City Council.

3. The City reserves the right to limit or deny donations based on the need and available space.

C. Acknowledgment of Donor

1. Donor acknowledgment requests that will be permanently displayed with or on the donated item will be considered under the guidelines:
    a. The plaque or plate will be placed on the item or near it at the City's discretion
    b. The plaque or plate will not be obtrusive or detract from the donated item
    c. The message on the plaque or plate will be limited to name, date, and a short phrase

d. The City will approve the written message on the plaque or plate. A plaque will be maintained by the City for a total length of 7 years. If the plaque is damaged or missing after 7 years, the City retains the right to remove it without a replacement
e. After the initial seven (7) year term, the donor may renew the donation for an additional seven-year period(s) by paying a renewal fee equal to 50% of the original donation amount. If the renewal fee is not paid, the City reserves the right to remove the plaque or donated item
f. In the event a location for a plaque or plate is not feasible, City staff will work with the donor to determine alternative recognition options.

D. Payments and Processing

The City requires full payment for all donations. The minimum cost for a plaque or memorial item is $2,000, with additional charges potentially applied for materials, installation, and maintenance. No items will be ordered until full payment has been received and processed. The City will issue the donor an invoice along with a Tax Identification number. Installation will be completed within 6 months.

Donation renewals, following the initial seven (7) year period, must be paid within thirty (30) days of City notification (reference C.1.e.).

CITY FACILITIES, PARKS, AND NEEDS

The City will accept donations for the facilities and parks listed below. The items listed for the facility are the highest-priority or most requested donation options. The City restricts the number of memorial donations at each location. Memorial and recognition plaques will be placed on existing benches or picnic tables. The list will be updated on an ongoing basis.

Charmlee Wilderness Park - 2577 Encinal Canyon Road
Maximum Memorial Donations: 4

1. Tree donation (no plaque)
2. Native plant donation (no plaque)
3. Memorial or recognition plaque

Las Flores Creek Park - 3805 Las Flores Canyon Road
Maximum Memorial Donations: 4

1. Native plant donation
2. Tree donation
3. Memorial or recognition plaque

Malibu Bluffs Park - 24250 Pacific Coast Highway
Maximum Memorial Donations: 20
Maximum Picnic Table Plaques: 12

1. Native plant donation
2. Sports field upgrades
3. Equipment for community recreation programs
4. Upgrades to the Michael Landon Center / monetary donations
5. Memorial or recognition plaque

Malibu Equestrian Park - 6225 Merritt Drive

1. Picnic tables
2. Arena care and upkeep / monetary donation

Malibu Senior Center - 23825 Stuart Ranch Road (located in Malibu City Hall)

1. Equipment (computers, books, games, printers)
2. Educational materials
3. Kitchen items (serving platters, utensils, etc.)

Malibu Skate Park - 24250 Pacific Coast Highway
Maximum Memorial Donations: 4

1. Native plant donation
2. Memorial or recognition plaque

Trancas Canyon Park - 6050 Trancas Canyon Road
Maximum Memorial Donations: 4

1. Native plant donation
2. Tree donation
3. Memorial or recognition plaque

Wallis Annenberg Legacy Foundation
Legacy Park Enhancement Donation
September 2026

Park Bench

- New park bench with footings and decomposed granite base
- Recognition Plaque

Park Enhancement

- Pollinator Garden expansion including new native plantings
- Landscape Maintenance: space preparation, remove existing plants, add new organic soil and ground cover
- Park Signs: Educational signs and Recognition Plaque

Park Bench Location

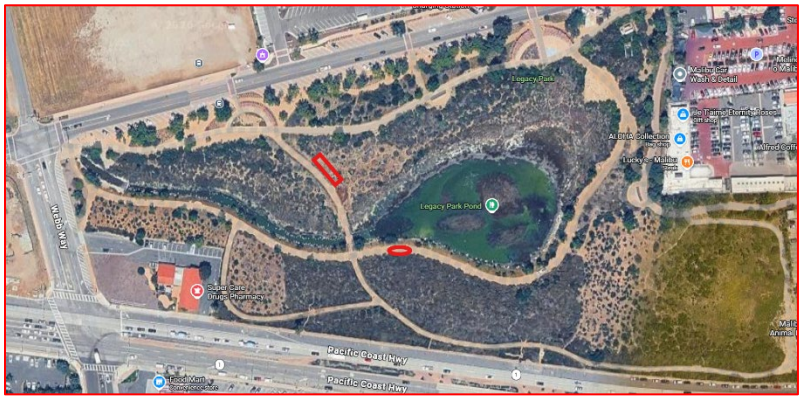




Butterfly Garden Location/Expansion



Park Enhancement Map
Butterfly Garden (square)
New Bench (circle)



ATTACHMENT 2

Parks and Recreation Commission Agenda Report

Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting 09-15-26
Item 5.C.

To: Chair Villablanca and Members of the Parks and Recreation Commission

Prepared by: Chris Orosz, Recreation Manager

Approved by: Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Director

Date prepared: September 10, 2026 Meeting date: September 15, 2026

Subject: Santa Monica Mountains Fund Native Plant Nursery Pilot Program

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: 1) Review and provide feedback on the proposed Santa Monica Mountains Fund native plant nursery pilot program at Legacy Park; and 2) Provide a recommendation for City Council consideration regarding the pilot program.

DISCUSSION: At the January 28, 2026 Regular meeting, Council directed the staff to work with the Public Parks and Property Ad Hoc Committee to explore options for a native plant nursery with the Santa Monica Mountains (SAMO) Fund and a potential communal garden. The directive was provided following an update on the Community Lands Project with the option to add the nursery to a vacant parcel.

Since early 2026, City staff has worked with SAMO Fund staff to discuss nursery requirements including water resources, climate conditions, access, and acreage. City parcels in review included Charmlee Wilderness Park, Trancas Field, the Ioki Property, and Legacy Park. Following analysis of each property, it was determined that Legacy Park would be the best fit for the nursery.

Proposed Nursery

SAMO Fund has requested one (1) acre of land at Legacy Park parallel to Pacific Coast Highway (Attachment 1). The site within the park was designed as a leech field when the park opened but was abandoned once the sewer system was installed. The City conducts bi-annual weed abatement in the area and regular removal of non-native species. Additionally, the area that is monitored for unhoused encampments.

The SAMO Fund has proposed revitalizing the site into a native plant nursery. No plants will be installed in the ground instead, the nursery will have tables and elevated surfaces, and all plants will be potted. The organization will install a six-foot chain-link fence around the perimeter and water access will be available from an existing mainline. The SAMO Fund will follow the City's Earth Friendly Management Policy and will be responsible for maintaining the vegetation in the designated space. Added services include two portable restrooms (one ADA accessible) and a locking lid dumpster.

The SAMO Fund has experience maintaining a native plant nursery, providing education programs, and conducting community outreach. The organization has run a successful program in Newbury Park for eight years with continued growth. The Newbury Park Nursery is located on National Park property.

SAMO Fund Commitments
The following will be provided by the SAMO Fund:

- Onsite education programs at Legacy Park
- Volunteer opportunities at the nursery
- Vegetation maintenance inside the nursery
- Access to locally grown native plants for City parks and medians (no cost to the City)
- Options for local commercial retailers to purchase native locally grown plants
- Free or reduced-cost plant give-a-ways
- Continued habitat restoration work

City Commitments
The following will be provided by the City:

- A one-acre parcel at Legacy Park
    - Minimal cost for the SAMO Fund to use the land
- Water access
- Environmental and habitat education programming partnership with the SAMO Fund
- Program marketing in Community Services Department publications, social media, and the City's website

Permitting
The permitting requirements include an Administrative Plan Review through the City's Community Development Department. The permit will be completed by the Community Services Department with SAMO Fund assistance. The permit duration will be 18 months with an option to extend the use for an additional term. The City and the SAMO Fund will enter a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), which will include conditions, requirements, and maintenance responsibilities.

Next Steps
Following the Parks and Recreation Commission's review, the Public Parks and Property Ad Hoc Committee (Councilmembers Conrad and Riggins) will discuss the proposed use.

Council will review the Ad Hoc and Commission's recommendations and provide direction to staff at a future Council meeting.

ATTACHMENTS: 1) Santa Monica Mountains Fund Proposed Native Plant Nursery Site Pilot Program
2) Santa Monica Mountains Fund Newbury Park Plant Nursery

Santa Monica Mountains Fund
Proposed Native Plant Nursery Site
Pilot Program



Attachment 1

Santa Monica Mountains Fund
Newbury Park Plant Nursery





Attachment 2







