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Subject: Item 6 comment for 4/23
Date: Tuesday, April 23, 2024 1:10:39 PM

From: Mary Green <marygreensprout@att.net>
Sent: Monday, April 22, 2024 10:47 PM
To: Communications <communications@carlsbadca.gov>
Subject: Re: Reminder: South Carlsbad climate adaptation project at City Council

Please do NOT ruin our coastal highway and bikeway!!! It's the only lovely part remaining in north county where we can ride and see our coastline up so close. Restore the beach instead, like Solana Brach
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On Apr 21, 2024, at 6:30 PM, City of Carlsbad <communications-carlsbadca.gov@shared1.ccsend.com> wrote:

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The Carlsbad City Council will receive [a report](#) on an adaptive management plan as part of the [South Carlsbad Boulevard climate adaptation project](#) on Tuesday, April 23, 5 p.m.

The report is about how a 1-mile segment of south Carlsbad Boulevard could be managed to protect people, the environment and infrastructure from the effects of anticipated sea level rise.

Tuesday, April 23

[Agenda, staff report](#)

5 p.m.

[Watch online](#)

Carlsbad City Hall

1200 Carlsbad Village Drive

How to participate

Community members may attend this public meeting and provide comments.

Email clerk@carlsbadca.gov

In person at City Hall, April 23, 5 p.m.



Next steps:

- The grant project and funding ended on Feb. 28, 2024.
- Staff will continue to pursue related grant funding opportunities.
- Staff plan to request funds during the fiscal year 2024-25 budget development process to initiate the studies needed to create a

final scope of work and a funding strategy for the 1-mile segment between Manzano Drive and Island Way.

- At this time, the City Council has not directed staff to proceed with the next steps of the larger 3-mile segment to La Costa Avenue.

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From: Kristen Duncan <kristenduncan805@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2024 11:40 AM
To: City Clerk
Cc: Council Internet Email
Subject: Item #6, Carlsbad Blvd - please support Retreat Now

Honorable Mayor and City Council,

Thank you for your leadership on this important coastal adaptation project. As a frequent user of Carlsbad's beaches, I urge you to show leadership on this item and officially record your support of "Retreat Now" as the preferred project alternative.

By prioritizing "Retreat Now," you can direct staff to aggressively pursue current state and federal funding opportunities with the greater vision in mind. Saving the beach is just as important as moving the threatened road, which already floods and will suffer more damage and inundation as sea levels rise. There is no need to wait for more triggers. We need a beach with safe access and towel space, not an inaccessible beach lined with dangerous rock revetments.

A protected bike and pedestrian lane can be put anywhere, but a beach cannot. Preserving coastal resources, and our access to them, is of paramount concern. Meanwhile, the preferred design for the realigned roadway incorporates a "Complete Streets" design, featuring wide bike and pedestrian lanes.

Since staff is not asking for any further City Council action at this time, please follow the example of your Beach Preservation Commission and make a motion to support "Retreat Now" as the preferred concept.

Thank you for your leadership.

Kristen Duncan

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