IVRPD COVID-19 Update • July 23, 2020

To help prevent community spread of COVID-19, the Isla Vista Recreation & Park District has modified its operations as follows until further notice.

Office Administration
Our office continues to provide essential services but remains closed to the general public. If you wish to make an inquiry, please reach out to staff via email or phone at (805) 968 – 2017 between 9AM-5PM, Monday to Friday and we would be happy to assist you. Staff extensions and email addresses can be found at http://www.ivparks.org/contact/

Recreation & Adopt-A-Block
District parks, trails, picnic tables, disc golf courses, the Estero bicycle pump-track and all basketball courts* are open for public use, subject to compliance with state and local health orders concerning face coverings, social distancing and hygiene best practices. Bilingual (English and Spanish) signage has been posted at all District parks and facilities encouraging park users to practice social distancing and wash their hands before and after using recreational park amenities. *Basketball courts are open for low and medium risk activity; please see court signage for details.

District playgrounds, volleyball courts, the Trigo-Pasado rock-wall, Sueno Bark Park, Recreation programs and Adopt-A-Block volunteer operations remain closed until further notice.

Grounds & Facilities
Grounds staff continues to perform essential routine and deferred maintenance duties. COVID-19 and general hygiene best practices bilingual signage from the CDC has been posted at all District facilities, including our main office, Anisq’Oyo’ and Estero Park restrooms, Children’s Park and the Community Gardens at Estero Park. The Free Box has been temporarily removed to ensure there is no transmission of COVID-19 to vulnerable communities. All Community Gardens remain open.

The public restroom facility in Anisq’Oyo Park (AO) remains closed until further notice; Marborg portable restrooms – including ADA compliant wheelchair accessible units – are available in both AO and Estero Park as an alternative and are being serviced daily. Handwashing stations are currently available at the following parks: AO, Estero and Perfect.

Board Meetings
Board Meetings and other essential public meetings continue to be conducted via teleconference pursuant to the provisions of the Governor’s Executive Orders N-25-20, N-29-20, and N-33-20 and Santa Barbara County Health Officer orders. For information on remote participation please contact the District by phone (805) 968 – 2017 or email at ivrd@ivparks.org

For the most recent information about COVID-19, please reference the following resources:

Santa Barbara County Public Health Dept. – (833) 688-5551 | https://publichealthsbc.org/
CA Public Health Dept. – (833) 422-4255 | https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/Immunization/nCoV2019.aspx#

We appreciate your understanding and flexibility during this rapidly evolving situation, as we work to ensure the health and safety of the general public, our volunteers, and staff. In keeping with guidelines established by health officials, these measures are intended to promote social distancing which will help our District protect public health and slow the spread of COVID-19.