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SEAL BEACH TO IMPLEMENT APPROVED BEACH PARKING RATE ADJUSTMENT

Seal Beach, CA – Beginning July 1, 2025, parking rates at Seal Beach's three public beach lots will be adjusted to \$3.00 per hour, with a \$15.00 daily maximum, following approval from the California Coastal Commission. The \$4.00 flat fee after 6 p.m. will remain unchanged.

This modest rate adjustment – the first since 2015 – was approved unanimously by the Coastal Commission at its May 7, 2025, meeting. The increase is designed to help close a growing gap between maintenance costs and revenues dedicated to the city's restricted Tidelands Fund, which supports vital public safety functions. The increase only pertains to the 1st, 8th, and 10th Street beach parking lots.

The City worked closely with the California Coastal Commission staff for over a year to ensure the rate changes balance public access with the need for fiscal sustainability.

For more information, please visit https://www.sealbeachca.gov/Departments/Parking or email parking@sealbeachca.gov.

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