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## What Redistricting Means for District 6

Starting in December 2012, District 6 will look vastly different than it has for the past ten years.

The San Diego Redistricting Commission has finished drawing the new boundaries for all council districts based on the results of the 2010 Census. Each District is required to have an approximately equal number of residents. In addition, Commissioners had to create a new 9th Council District based on a 2010 voter-approved ballot initiative.

No changes will be made to the current boundaries until a new councilmember is elected to represent District 9 in November 2012.



The New District 6 Boundaries

After the 2012 election, the new District 6 will include the communities of Clairemont Mesa

(east of Tecolote Canyon), Kearny Mesa (north of Aero Drive), MCAS Miramar (west of I-15), Mira Mesa and the southern portion of Rancho Peñasquitos.

The current District 6 communities of Bay Ho, Bay Park, West Clairemont, Morena, USD and Mission Bay will become part of District 2, represented by Council President Pro-Tem Kevin Faulconer.

Linda Vista, Mission Valley, Fashion Valley, Serra Mesa and Kearny Mesa (south of Aero Drive) will be moved into District 7. Residents who live in those communities will have the chance to elect a new councilmember in November 2012.

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## 9,680 Pounds of Trash Removed from San Diego River

Over the course of three days volunteers from Councilmember Zapf's office, Alpha Project and the San Diego River Park Foundation removed almost five tons of trash and debris from the San Diego River in Mission Valley.

The cleanup uncovered a number of illegal dump sites where everything from industrial rolls of carpet, propane tanks and Porta-

potties had been left in the riverbed.

"I want to thank everyone who was involved with making this project such a success. We still have a lot more work to do at the river, and I'm hoping to be able to coordinate more cleanup events like this in the future", said Councilmember Zapf.

This project did more than protect and restore San Diego's environmental resources. It brought together government agencies, local businesses and nonprofits to address a community need. It made the river, and the beaches and bays downstream, a cleaner, safer, healthier place for everyone to enjoy.

# Possible New Rules for Oversized Vehicles & RVs

Councilmember Kevin Faulconer has been working on an ordinance that would change the rules for oversized vehicles in parts of San Diego. These vehicles include RVs and trailers.

The draft ordinance would authorize a pilot program in the beach and bay communities, including Mission Bay and Morena, that will address the problem with oversized vehicles.

section, where they can block visibility. It would also establish a RV parking program for San Diego residents and their guests.

Councilmember Zapf supports the pilot program which, if successful, may be expanded citywide.

"I know that we're never going to make everyone happy, but we do need to come up with something that's fair to both the RV owners and the residents," Zapf said.

"I have been working with Councilmembers Faulconer and DeMaio to ensure everyone is getting brought up to speed on the issues and needs of our new communities."



The draft, expected to be made public this fall, includes provisions to increase traffic safety and prohibit oversized vehicles from parking within 50 feet of an inter-

A RV parked on the street near Mission Bay.

## Redistricting (continued)

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The current representative, Councilmember Emerald, will not be running for reelection in District 7.

The redistricting process has personally affected many of the Councilmembers, including Lorie. After the transition her Bay Ho home will be located in District 2. However, she will continue to represent Dis-

trict 6 until her term ends in 2014. She is committed to making the transition as smooth as possible for her new communities as well as the people who elected her into office.

"I have been working with Councilmembers Faulconer and DeMaio to ensure everyone is getting brought up to speed on the issues and needs of our new communities,"

said Councilmember Zapf. "I will also offer my support to the councilmember that is elected to represent my communities that will be in the new District 7".

If you have questions about redistricting, contact your community representative or call Councilmember Zapf's office.

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# You Stay Classy, District 6

District 6 is home to some amazing people and organizations. Get to know about your neighbors:

## San Diego River Park Foundation Wins National Award

The Foundation accepted the 2011 "Take Pride in America" winner for outstanding partner at an awards ceremony held at the White House this summer. It was presented on the Foundation's 10th anniversary. In the past ten

years, the San Diego River Park Foundation, with the help of hundreds of San Diegans, has removed 1.3 million pounds of trash and debris from the San Diego River. The Take Pride in America program is administered by the US. Department of Interior.

## Senior Research Scientist at Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute Receives International Award

Dr. Brent Stewart has been se-

lected as a recipient of the 2011 Lowell Thomas Award from the famed Explorers Club in recognition of "his decades of cutting-edge and pioneering research" on whale shark and other marine species. He has traveled to some of the world's most remote locations including polar, temperate and tropical seas and also the ocean abyssal floor.



Dr. Brent Stewart, a Senior Research Scientist at Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute and winner of the prestigious Lowell Thomas Award.

# Upcoming Community Events

## SeaWorld Cares E-Recycling Event

September 10th, 8 a.m.—12p.m.  
Bring unwanted electronics to SeaWorld's East Parking Lot & get a 50% off general admission coupon to SeaWorld [seaworldsandiego.com](http://seaworldsandiego.com)

## Freedom Walk 2011

September 11th  
9/11 Memorial walk  
Registration at 7:30 a.m.

[Operationhomefront.net/socal](http://Operationhomefront.net/socal)

## 46th Annual San Diego Bay-fair

September 16—18  
Thunderboat racing on Mission Bay. Free to active duty military. [sandiegobayfair.org](http://sandiegobayfair.org)

## Restaurant Week

September 18—23  
Support San Diego's local restaurants!  
[Sandiegorestaurantweek.com](http://Sandiegorestaurantweek.com)

## Miramar Airshow

September 30—October 2  
MCAS Miramar  
Free admission  
[miramarairshow.com](http://miramarairshow.com)

## Military and Veteran's Appreciation Day

Food & fun for the whole family  
October 8th  
10:00 a.m.— 4:00 p.m.  
4271 Clairemont Mesa Blvd



The San Diego River Park Foundation accepts the national Take Pride in America Award at the White House.

# This September, Honor Public Safety Workers

Every day thousands of men and women put their lives on the line to ensure the safety of the rest of us. They deserve our thanks and appreciation every day, but even more so this September.

This month marks the 10th anniversary of the September 11th attacks. That day changed America, and the world, forever. I am honored to participate in a ribbon cutting to dedicate a monument honoring the men and women who serve our country and everyone who serves our community to keep our families safe.

The monument is a project of the Linda Vista Planning Group and will be located at the American Legion Post 731 at 7245 Linda Vista Road.

From our first responders, like police officers and paramedics, to the members of our military and veterans, I extend my deepest, sincerest thanks for the sacrifices you make on a daily basis.

This month, when you see one of these individuals, please take a moment to thank them for their service.

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*Joni*

# Community Spotlight



Lorie spent a day with the San Diego Lifeguards learning firsthand what they do for our beaches and bays.

A generous donation from Walmart helped supply a Portable Pool and free children’s swimming lessons in Linda Vista.



Visiting with members of the Clairemont community during the 2011 Clairemont Family Day.

## Connect with Lorie

Keep tabs on how Lorie is working for you— Be her friend on Facebook at [facebook.com/CouncilmemberZapf](https://www.facebook.com/CouncilmemberZapf) or follow her on Twitter at [twitter.com/LorieZapfD6](https://twitter.com/LorieZapfD6).

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