

CITY OF ENCINITAS DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP SMALL WIRELESS FACILITIES

On August 21, 2019, the City of Encinitas City Council adopted Urgency Ordinance No. 2019-12 and Resolution No. 2019-66 creating new City Council Policy No. C035 to regulate small wireless facilities and other infrastructure deployments in the public rights-of-way. Both documents are available on the City's website in the Small Wireless Facilities webpage.

The purpose of the Policy is to establish reasonable and comprehensive standards and procedures, including but not limited to the facilities' siting, aesthetics, construction, operation, modification, and removal, for the permitting of small cells and other infrastructure deployments within the City. The Policy aims to promote the community's interest of protecting the City of Encinitas' visual character, consistent with recent FCC regulations preempting local zoning discretion.

The City Council directed staff to conduct a public workshop to provide the community and stakeholders an opportunity to give input regarding small wireless facilities. The goal of the workshop is to identify opportunities to enhance the City's Ordinance (EMC Chapter 9.70) and Small Wireless Facilities Policy No. C035, to provide the maximum degree of protection for the community within the confines of federal and state laws.

Please mark your calendars accordingly. All interested parties are invited to attend the public workshop.

MEETING DETAILS:

WHEN: Monday, September 23, 2019, 5:00pm – 7:00pm

WHERE: Encinitas Community Center, Banquet Room

1140 Oakcrest Park Drive Encinitas, CA 92024

Policy No. C035 is available in a digital word format that allows an interested party to provide redline comments to the City in advance of or at the workshop. For more information about the workshop or to provide comments in advance of the workshop, please contact **Roy Sapa'u**, **City Planner** at (760) 633-2734 or by email at rsapau@encinitasca.gov, or contact the Development Services Department, 505 South Vulcan Avenue, Encinitas, CA 92024 at (760) 633-2710 or by email at planning@encinitasca.gov.