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## **Open Houses for South Beach Peninsula Transportation Improvements**

The City of Newport is developing plans for street improvements along Marine Science Drive in conjunction with the arrival of NOAA's Marine Operations Center. This includes the realignment of intersections at Pacific Way, Ferry Slip Road, and 25th Street; a roundabout at the entrance to the marina, HMSC and NOAA properties; and the construction of a detached multi-use bike and pedestrian path. A trail connection under the Highway 101 Bridge to the Jetty Road is also planned. The work implements recommendations contained in the South Beach Peninsula Transportation Refinement Plan that was completed in February.

Two open houses have been scheduled at which the public is invited to provide feedback on the design of these improvements. They will be held:

**Wednesday  
August 18, 2010**

**AND**

**Thursday  
September 9, 2010**

**6:30 pm to 8:00 pm  
Community Room  
OCCC Central Campus  
400 SE College Way**

At the first open house, the City will be soliciting feedback on its designs for the proposed improvements. The second open house is an opportunity for the public to see how their comments have been addressed and to share thoughts on any final adjustments that may be needed. After the last open house, the City will finalize its designs in anticipation of putting the project out for bid with construction beginning by the end of the year.

Please join us at the open houses to share your views on this important project. For more information contact:

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