

Proclamation

- Whereas,* National Preparedness Month creates an important opportunity for residents of Manhattan Beach to review how to be prepared for any type of emergency where they live, work, and play; and
- Whereas,* taking steps toward personal preparedness and ensuring that our households, workplaces, schools, houses of worship, and community-based organizations are prepared for any disaster which can reduce fatalities and economic devastation following a major crisis; and
- Whereas,* educating our community will increase awareness for all citizens and visitors of Manhattan Beach, and help build an understanding of the types of disasters that could happen in our community; and
- Whereas,* our citizens will know what to do to be safe and mitigate damage through participation in community resiliency planning; and
- Whereas,* all residents of the City of Manhattan Beach are encouraged to participate in the Alert SouthBay notification system, which allows Police, Fire, Emergency Management, and partner cities to deliver critical information to our community; and
- Whereas,* emergency preparedness is the responsibility of every citizen of Manhattan Beach and all citizens are urged to make preparedness a priority and work together to ensure that individuals, families, and communities are ready for disasters and emergencies of any type.
- Whereas,* by fostering a culture of preparedness, we can enhance our collective ability to respond to and recover from emergencies, building a safer and more resilient city.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that I, David Lesser, Mayor of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, on behalf of the City Council and the residents of Manhattan Beach, do hereby proclaim the day of September 2025 as

National Preparedness Month

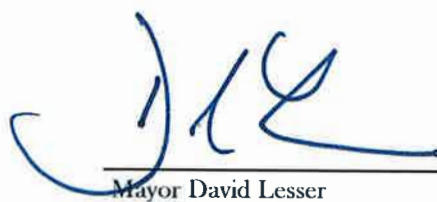
and encourages all citizens and organizations to take action to become prepared for any disaster or emergency.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 2025.

ATTEST:



City Clerk Liza Tamura



Mayor David Lesser

