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# Pointer

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## It's Time!!

We are kicking off our summer, our Friday Night gatherings at the Bay Beach, and of course our membership renewal. Your membership renewal form is inside this edition of the Pointer. As you renew your membership with the BPPA, please keep in mind that we have a sister association, the Community Foundation of the Balboa Peninsula Point that quietly does a lot of heavy lifting for the peninsula residents including funding for summer security as well as artistic enhancements up and down the peninsula.



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*The Pointer is also distributed via email to all BPPA members. If you are not receiving it via email but would like to, please contact Bob Yant at [byant@aol.com](mailto:byant@aol.com) or 949.673.8474.*

## COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF BALBOA PENINSULA POINT (CFBPP)

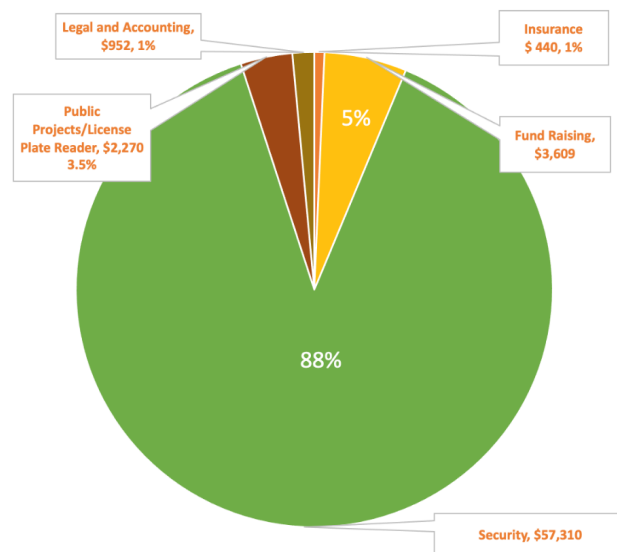
CFBPP was founded in 2006 to provide enhanced quality of life programs for residents of Balboa Peninsula Point (BPP). We work closely with Balboa Peninsula Point Association (BPPA) whose primary role is to promote community involvement in programs and activities that it sponsors throughout the year. For more information on this collaboration, see “What’s The Difference” article on our respective websites (<https://cfbpp.org> or [www.bppa.nb.com](http://www.bppa.nb.com)).

Since its inception, CFBPP has funded a variety of programs including the installation and monitoring of a License Plate Reader (LPR), periodic nightly security patrols, lighting of G Street Island, Tot Lot on Miramar and landscaping of I Street Island to name a few. In recent years, neighborhood security has become an increasingly higher priority with our residents, and we are currently funding nightly patrols 7 days per week through September. The data from the City of Newport Beach Neighborhood Watch Program shows that BPP currently has among the lowest number of property crimes in the city, and we are being encouraged to expand to year-round coverage.

Community Foundation of Balboa  
Peninsula Point  
**USE OF FUNDS**  
2022  
**\$64,582**

As shown on the funding summary above, CFBPP spent 92% of its 2022 operating expenses on Security related programs. To fund a year-round security patrol, CFBPP needs additional annual contributions of \$20,000 to \$30,000.

Please consider this objective when determining your annual support of CFBPP.



**Your volunteer CFBPP Board of Directors and the residents of BPP appreciate your financial support via check or direct transfer as follows:**

CFBPP, PO Box 4322, Balboa, CA 92661 or Zelle to [cfbpp11@gmail.com](mailto:cfbpp11@gmail.com)

Thank you for your continuing support of CFBPP’s mission to enhance the quality of life of BPP!

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As we all know, the last few years have been difficult. Our peninsula as well as the entire world was impacted. Only at the beginning of 2023 did most of begin to feel like our lives were beginning to get back to “normal”. We each negotiated through the pandemic in our own way but nearly all of missed some of those most special of events, those events that make us human - weddings, anniversaries, retirements and memorial services.

The peninsula is a special place full of special people. Though varied in so many ways, we have a few common ties. This is a community about the water, the outdoor lifestyle but mostly about enjoying other people’s company. We have lost some of our dearest friends over the past many months and want to commemorate their impact on our lives.

Richard Stonehouse  
Bruce Asper  
Ron Norton  
Joe Resko  
Diane Craig

Frank Beaz  
Barbara Todd  
Donna Reed  
Glenn Reed

Florine Blick  
Suzy Gruber  
Bill Peck  
Marilyn Thompson

*If you know someone in the community that we have lost and want to share their name in the Pointer, please contact Kathy Enriquez at: 949.673.1987.*

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BOARD MEETINGS

Board meetings are conducted on the second Thursday of each month, except for August and December when there are no meetings. The meetings are held at 7:00PM at the Peninsula Point Racquet Club.

Meetings are open to all BPPA members.



*“Twenty years from now, you will be more disappointed by the things you didn’t do than those you did. So throw off your bow lines. Sail away from safe harbor. Catch the wind in your sails. Explore, Dream. Discover.”*

- Mark Twain