A Word from Chief Monaghan on Uvalde School Shooting

Like so many of you, my staff and I are saddened and incensed by the tragic elementary school shooting in Uvalde, Texas. In my professional capacity and as the father of a child in elementary school, I cannot make any sense of something so senseless.

The Tiburon Police Department recognizes these acts of violence can happen anywhere and although there are no known threats to any of our Tiburon schools, TPD is acting in an abundance of caution. We have partnered with Belvedere PD to increase patrols of all our Tiburon schools. We have also been in contact with our school officials and are maintaining open lines of communication with them. We have participated in safety assessments of the Reed Union School District schools and have designated police liaisons with all our schools, including St. Hilary.

We will continue to work closely with our schools to discuss and plan for worst-case scenarios. You will continue to notice an increased police presence around the schools for the next few weeks.

Chief Ryan Monaghan

Town Council to Consider FY 2022-23 Budget and Capital Improvement Program on June 1

On June 1, 2022, the Tiburon Town Council will hold a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Municipal Budget and Capital Improvement Program. This hearing is your opportunity to provide feedback about the Town's budget and planned capital improvements for the coming year.

The hearing will take place at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 1, 2022 on Zoom. The Zoom link, meeting agenda, and a copy of the draft Municipal Budget and Capital Improvement Program are available on Town’s website.

Anyone wishing to make comments to the Council on the draft Municipal Budget and
Tiburon Boulevard Median Planting Project Complete

On Tuesday, May 24, volunteers from Tiburon's GreenTeam worked with the assistance of the Department of Public Works staff to completely replant the median at Tiburon Boulevard and Mar West Street. The median was recently lengthened due to the Library Expansion Project frontage reconfiguration.

We would also like to extend a special thanks to Jim Wood and his daughter, Molly, for coordinating the project and for choosing such a beautiful combination of drought tolerant and native plants for the space.

Firearm Disposal Opportunities & Free Gun Locks at Tiburon PD

On Saturday, June 4, there will be a Gun Buy Back event at the Marin County Sheriff's Office. Gun buy back events allow those with unwanted firearms in their possession to safely remove them from their homes in exchange for cash.

The event will be on June 4, 2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Marin County Sheriff's Office (1600 Los Gamos Road, San Rafael). The event will offer $100 for handguns, rifles, and shotguns, and $200 for assault weapons. Firearms must be functional for buyback. Limit 3 firearms per person. The event is drive-up only, and participants should deliver firearms unloaded in the trunk of their cars. Boxed ammunition will
also be accepted for disposal, but not buyback.

If you can't make it to the Buy Back event, the Tiburon Police Department will accept unwanted firearms for destruction. To make arrangements, please call the Tiburon Police Department at (415) 789-2801. If you bring the firearm to the Police Station yourself, please leave it in the trunk of your car and an officer will remove it from the vehicle. Please do not carry it into the Police Station.

The Tiburon Police Department also has gun locks (pictured) available at no charge to anyone who wants or needs to secure any firearms. You can have as many as you need.

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June 7 Primary is Marin's First Election with New Vote Centers

The upcoming primary election will be Marin County's first election with voting based on the State's new voting model. Read on to make sure you know how to cast your vote in June.

The Voter's Choice Act is a new law that offers voters more choices for how, when, and where to vote. What changed? Now, all active registered voters are automatically mailed a ballot, early voting is expanded for more days, and voters may vote in-person at a regional vote center.

How Does It Work?

All active registered voters will automatically be mailed a ballot and have three ways to return it:

- By mail (no stamp needed)
- At an official ballot drop box (List of drop box locations)
- At a vote center

What is a Vote Center?

Voters may vote in-person at ANY vote center in Marin County. Assigned, neighborhood polling places are replaced by regional vote centers that open at least 3 days before Election Day. At a vote center, voters can also register to vote, replace a lost or damaged ballot, vote early, vote with an accessible voting machine, or request help.

The closest vote center to Tiburon will be the Westminster Presbyterian Church, which will be open for voting June 4 - June 7, but Tiburon voters can vote at any vote center. Review the list of all vote centers available to Marin County residents here.

To register to vote, or to check your registration status, visit RegisterToVote.ca.gov.

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Register for AlertMarin Emergency Notification System

Where will you be when an emergency strikes? At the grocery store, at work in another county, driving home, at the playground or hiking on Mt. Tam? If you are not near your landline or no longer have one, you’ll miss the critical call, text or email from local police and fire with important instructions that could affect you or a loved one’s safety.
If you live, work, or go to school in Marin County, please sign up for AlertMarin. Emergency officials use the AlertMarin emergency notification system to deliver incident-specific information and potentially life-saving instruction about natural disasters (like tsunami or wildfire), public safety incidents (crimes) that impact your neighborhood, or post-disaster information about seeking shelter or supplies.

Register now to receive emergency alerts by call, SMS text, or email.

Upcoming Community Meetings

**Town Council**  
Next Regular Meeting: Wednesday, June 1, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.

**Diversity Inclusion Task Force (A Standing Committee of the Town Council)**  
Next Regular Meeting: Wednesday, June 8, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.

**Planning Commission**  
Next Regular Meeting: Wednesday, June 8, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

**Design Review Board**  
Next Regular Meeting: Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

**Parks, Open Space and Trails Commission**  
Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, July 19, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.

**Heritage & Arts Commission**  
Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

**Public Art Selection Panel (A Standing Committee of the Heritage & Arts Commission)**  
Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

**Belvedere-Tiburon Disaster Advisory Council**  
Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, July 19, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.

**Belvedere-Tiburon Library Agency Board of Trustees**  
Next Regular Meeting: Monday, June 20, 2022 at 6:15 p.m.

**Belvedere-Tiburon Joint Recreation (“The Ranch”) Committee**  
Next Regular Meeting: Monday, July 18, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

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