

C.E.R.T. TRAINING IS COMING TO <u>HERMOSA BEACH</u> SIGN UP NOW! FREE!

The **City of Hermosa Beach** and the **Los Angeles County Fire Department** are proud to present this training to the public.

Following a major disaster, police, fire, and medical personnel may not be able to fully meet the demand. <u>People will have to rely on each other</u> to meet immediate life saving and life sustaining needs. Developed through FEMA, the **L.A. County Fire Department's** Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) program provides basic training in safety and life saving skills for the public.

At the completion of the basic CERT training, students that are Hermosa Beach residents may join the Hermosa Beach Community Emergency Response Team program (HbCERT). HbCERT is a volunteer group comprised of Hermosa Beach residents authorized to provide relief to victims of disaster, assisting the City in preparing for, responding to, and recovering from emergencies.

The course curriculum covers the following modules:

Saturday,	July 22	Sunday, July 23	Wednesday, July 26	Thursday, July 27
 Disaster Preparedness Fire Safety and Utility Controls Disaster Medical Ops 1 		 4. Disaster Medical Ops 2 5. Light Search and Rescue Ops 6. CERT Organization 7. Disaster Psychology 	8. Terrorism and CERT	9. Course Review, Final Exam, and Disaster Simulation

The training course will be a series of four classes on:

July 22 and 23, 9 A.M.-6 P.M.

AND July 26 and 27, 6:30 P.M.-9:30 P.M.

City of Hermosa Beach 710 Pier Avenue, Hermosa Beach, CA 90254 In the Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

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Register on-line WWW.FIRE.LACOUNTY.GOV/CERT

Or contact Hermosa Beach Emergency Management Coordinator, Brandy Villanueva, at <u>OEM@HERMOSABCH.ORG</u> or (310) 318-0340 Please include your name, phone number, and email address

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Class size is limited. Sign up today to reserve your seat.

CERT Class information is also posted on the Hermosa Beach CERT website: <u>WWW.HBCERT.ORG</u> *Students must complete all hours of the course to receive a certificate of completion. If you must miss any units, you can make them up anywhere CERT is taught to receive your certificate.