



# City of Grover Beach

## NEWS RELEASE

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## Time Capsules to be Unveiled at Grover Beach City Council Meeting

GROVER BEACH, CA – On July 15, 2019, the contents of 25-year time capsules buried by community leaders in 1994 will be unveiled in a special ceremony at the Grover Beach City Council meeting. The time capsules were initiated by a citizens committee led by then-Council Member Peter Keith as a way to celebrate the legacy of Grover Beach and document events, activities, businesses, individual, and City government from 1994 as the City is celebrating its 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2019.

Numerous items of memorabilia were placed into three large secure canisters and buried at Ramona Garden Park. The canisters were undisturbed for 25 years until they were unearthed this spring by City maintenance workers in preparation for this ceremony. The belongings were well-preserved and include children's artwork, special event banners and shirts, business directories, newspapers at the time, the City's first official flag, and campaign materials from the voter-approved measure to change the city's name from Grover City to Grover Beach.

"These time capsules are a glimpse into our past and underscore the strength of community spirit in Grover Beach," said Mayor Jeff Lee. "We look forward to unveiling contents from these capsules to celebrate our past as part of this year's recognition of our 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a city."

Examples of the time capsule contents will be displayed at the beginning of the City Council meeting at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at Grover Beach City Hall located at 154 S. 8<sup>th</sup> Street. The public will also have an opportunity to provide comments during this presentation.

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*You are cordially invited to the City of Grover Beach's  
Diamond Jubilee Kick-off Celebrating 60 Years of Incorporation*



# Time Capsule Reveal

*In 1994 City Officials Buried 3 Time Capsules  
Please Join Us as We Unveil the Treasures from Yesteryear*

*During the City Council Meeting on*

## Monday, July 15, 2019

### 6:00 p.m.

## City Council Chamber

### Join Us as We Celebrate Throughout the Year

- *Enjoy Our Signature Ice Cream flavor created by Doc Burnstein's Ice Cream Lab:  
"Groovy Grover Crunch"*
- *Special 60's themed Sizzlin' Summer Concert on July 28th featuring:  
Unfinished Business*
- *Awesome Grover Beach Anniversary Swag*
- *Volunteer to Participate in the Diamond Jubilee Celebration Planning Committee by calling the Parks & Recreation Department at 805-473-4580.*
- *Original Grover Beach City Flag Display*
- *Enjoy the Summer Movies in the Park Events, including 1959 era short films*
- *Opportunities to share Grover Beach's uniqueness on Social Media using:  
#GB60 & #groverbeach60*
- *Participate in our Social Media Groovy Grover Tuesday Trivia & Throwback Picture Thursdays*
- *Celebrate at our Holiday Parade—this year's theme:  
Diamond Jubilee Holiday Sparkle*
- *Grand Finale Celebration during at our City Council meeting in December*

**For additional information, please contact the City Manager's Office**

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