

# Sustainability Summit 2010

Climate. Oceans. Community.

*Working Together to Protect Our Planet*

**Goal:** A South Bay focused summit to educate the residents, businesses, and local government on the actions that will lead us toward sustainability. The sessions will focus on Energy Efficiency and Water Conservation through Efficient Landscape Design.

Potential Local Government Partners: SBCCOG, SBESC, Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach, El Segundo, Congresswoman Harman's Office, Supervisor Knabe's Office, Ted Lieu's office.

Utility Partners: Edison, West Basin, MWD, Water Replenishment District

NGO Partners: Manhattan Beach Botanical Garden, VOICE, EPN, Surfrider, Heal the Bay

Others: CLCA, solar companies, Netafim

Date: Day long events to be scheduled Oct 10, 2010 (10-10-10)

Logistics: Event to be hosted by the City of Manhattan Beach and Enviroscap. Need CNG Dial-a-ride bus, or school bus to shuttle people to eco tours. Arrange free parking at Northrop.

Possible Session Topics	Speakers
<b>Morning Sessions (9:30am – 12:30pm; 4 sessions, with 1 concurrent session at MBBG)</b>	
Sustainability Overview/Intro (20 minutes) <b>9: 30 – 9:50 AM</b>	Mayor, Sona, Guest Speaker (Bob Perry – ecology and landscape design)
Energy Efficiency (40 minutes) <b>10:00 – 10:40 AM</b>	South Bay COG (SBESC); Edison
Class on Native Planting & Ocean Friendly Gardens (45 minutes) <b>10:45 – 11:30 AM</b>	Manhattan Beach Botanical Garden
Rainwater Harvesting—moving beyond rainwater barrels (45 minutes) <b>11:45 AM – 12:30 PM</b>	Mike Garcia, Enviroscap
Class on Drip Irrigation <b>(2 classes: 1:25PM and 3:10PM, 20 minutes each)</b>	Netafim rep (at MB Botanical Garden)
<b>Afternoon Eco-Tours (90-minute tours, from 1 – 4:30 PM)</b>	
Eco-tours: shuttles to take people from City Hall, to MBBG, to Mike Garcia's house <b>(Depart at 1PM and 2:45PM)</b>	Tour docents: Mike Garcia, John York,

