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MAYOR JERRY SANDERS FACT SHEET

CITY COUNCIL PASSES MAYOR'S INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN *Provides \$25 million in funding for new fire station, libraries, sea wall and streets*

The San Diego City Council today voted in favor of Mayor Sanders' plan to fund a variety of city projects, including a new fire station in Mission Valley and a new multi-story library in the Mission Hills-Hillcrest area.

Taking advantage of historically low interest rates and construction costs, the Council approved issuing a \$25 million General Fund Capital Improvement bond. This will go toward six different projects, including three libraries, a fire station, sea wall repairs and street resurfacing.

“These projects, combined with the expansion of hours at our libraries and recreation centers, are yet another sign that our city is back on track,” Mayor Sanders said. “I commend the City Council for moving forward on this important plan.”

Firefighters at the Mission Valley Fire Station #45 are currently working out of a trailer in the Qualcomm Stadium Parking Lot. This funding will provide them with a permanent building on the north side of Friars Road that is expected to improve response times.

In addition to the Mission Hills-Hillcrest Library, these will be used to complete a 15,000 square foot expansion to the Skyline Library and nearly complete funding for a new San Ysidro Library.

This plan will also support the Mission Beach Sea Wall project, and resurface approximately 20 more miles of San Diego roadway.

The bond's funding breakdown is as follows:

Skyline Library:	\$5.0 million
Mission Hills-Hillcrest Library:	2.0 million
San Ysidro Library:	3.0 million

Mission Valley Fire Station #45:	3.7 million
Mission Beach Bulkhead:	1.4 million
Streets:	<u>9.9 million</u>
	\$25 million

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