



City of Capitola
NEWS RELEASE

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**NOBEL GULCH PIPE REPAIRS CONTINUE
RESIDENTS ADVISED TO MONITOR
LATEST WEATHER FORECASTS**

CAPITOLA—The City worked through the night yesterday. All pipe has been delivered and engineers and construction crews are removing water from the culvert in preparation of pipe installation. Construction activity will continue around the clock with every effort to install pipe prior to the arrival of Saturday's forecasted precipitation. No firm estimate is available at this time of when pipe repairs will be completed.

A significant cooling trend is in store this weekend as a cold front sweeps across and ushers in much cooler air. Winds are forecasted to pick up into the 20-30 kt range. In light of recent rainfall there is concern it could lead to the toppling of some trees or power lines. Rain appears minimal with this system; almost all of the moisture is forecasted to stay to the North of the Monterey Bay. The best chance of any sprinkles will be over the North Bay Area Mountains and the Sonoma Coast. However, people are advised to monitor the latest weather forecasts as any change in weather and precipitation combined with saturated soil conditions and damaged drainage infrastructure could have a significant flood impact to Pacific Cove Mobile Home Park and the Capitola Village.

Sand bags and sand has been positioned behind City Hall in Pacific Cove Parking Lot and are available for public use. People are advised to bring their own shovel.

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