CITY OF CORONADO

The City of Coronado, also known as Coronado Island, is a coastal city located in southern San Diego County directly west of the City of San Diego. As of 2014, the City of Coronado has an estimated population of 23,419, which is projected to increase to 27,937 by 2050 (SANDAG Regional Growth Forecast, 2010).

The City of Coronado lies on a peninsula that is surrounded by the Pacific Ocean on the west and the San Diego Bay on three sides and is connected to the mainland on the south by a 10-mile strip of land called the Silver Strand. The Coronado Bridge connects Coronado and the City of San Diego across San Diego Bay.

The City of Coronado's incorporated territory also includes submerged lands under the Pacific Ocean and the San Diego Bay that borders adjacent submerged incorporated territory of the Cities of Chula Vista, Imperial Beach, National City, and San Diego.

The City of Coronado is governed by a five-member City Council consisting of an elected Mayor and four elected council members.

Coronado’s adopted Sphere of Influence is larger than the City’s boundary and includes portions of the North Island Naval Station and submerged San Diego Bay/Pacific Ocean lands that are located within the incorporated territory of the City of San Diego.

The City of Coronado provides fire protection, police, and wastewater services city-wide. Trash hauling and disposal services are provided by contract with EDCO Disposal. Water services are provided by contract with the private Cal-American Water Company.

CITY CHARACTERISTICS

Incorporation Date: 1890  
Population: 23,419 (SANDAG, 2014)  
Land Area: 14.0 Sq. miles

Governance: General Law City; Council elected at large  
Council Meetings: 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 4:00 p.m.  
Planning Commission: 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m.

Sphere of Influence: Larger than City  
Sphere Adopted: March 2, 1987  
Sphere Reaffirmed: May 5, 2014  
General Plan Adoption Date: 2013

Primary Service Providers: City of Coronado (Fire Protection, Police, and Wastewater Services); EDCO Disposal (Trash Hauling and Disposal), and Cal-American Water Company (Water Service).

Contact Information

Address: 1825 Strand Way, Coronado, CA 92118  
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