

SURFCREST CORPORATION HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

Landscape Newsletter

We were hoping for more rain but Mother Nature has not cooperated. We are keeping our fingers crossed that we don't have to go back to the severe water restrictions from 2016. We have only been planting drought resistant plants that can take the watering reduction but our grass requires watering 3 times a week to stay healthy and look good. Right now we are experiencing an increase in damaged areas on the grassy areas from doggie visits. There are over 50 dogs that live here in Surfcrest and we continue to ask for your consideration in helping to keep Surfcrest looking the best it can. The majority of the doggie owners are doing a great job and keeping their pets off the grass and it is greatly appreciated. It only takes a few repetitive doggie visits to the grass to do significant damage that effects us all. Just for clarification both urine and feces are considered waste products. As feces can be mostly cleaned up urine cannot. It leaves yellow patches on the grass that kills the grass. Inside Surfcrest we have over a mile of planter areas that dogs can easily use and if you go out our gates the area is endless. Thank you for your consideration.

The planting at the front entrance to the pool is completed and now we will continue to work our way down Surf Dr along the pool iron fence. The planters that are in the parking spaces area will get refreshed and new color will be added. The large circle near the pool entrance will get new annual color also. The Cyclamen flowers at both gate entrances are still looking great and will be replaced when they begin to age.

Surf 1 will be replacing the remaining garage plants in Surfviews Alleyway. A large section was replaced 4 years ago and now there will be consistency throughout the alleyway. Plant additions will continue to individual areas as needed as well as mulching.

Surf 2 has finished planting the area facing Surflanding where it meets Surfwave. It looks great to finally have the 24 year old hedges gone. We will be replacing the Scaviola purple flowers in our rounded planters as soon as the last gasp of purple color is gone. We will start working on removing the old hedges on the right side of the pedestrian gate on Palm. We will be replacing new plants there in stages as budget allows. We will also be adding mulch to several different planted areas around Surf 2.

As cute and whimsical as they may look please remember not to put any decorations or additional plants in the areas outside your patio pillars or garage area. Our Architectural Standards do not allow it. Thank you for your cooperation. On Surfcrest's Hoa's website under FORMS is a Landscape application if you would like to pay and have our landscaper plant additional color or plants near your home.

Landscape Committee

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Surf 2. Linda Janesick and Susan Manson

