

## CITY OF IMPERIAL BEACH

The City of Imperial Beach is a coastal city located in southern San Diego County. Imperial Beach is bordered by the City of Coronado and the San Diego Bay to the north; the City of San Diego to the north and east; the US/Mexico international border to the south; and the Pacific Ocean to the west.

Approximately 40% of Imperial Beach's incorporated territory is designated as Open Space or Public Lands, including portions of the Tijuana River Estuary, the Tijuana Slough National Wildlife Refuge, the Border Field State Park, and the Imperial Beach Naval Air Station.

As of 2014, the City of Imperial Beach has an estimated population of 26,675, which is projected to increase to 36,198 by 2050 (SANDAG Regional Growth Forecast, 2010).

The City of Imperial Beach is governed by a five-member City Council consisting of a directly-elected Mayor and four Councilmembers elected at-large.

The City Council also acts as the City's Planning Commission, Redevelopment Agency, Financing Authority and Personnel Board.

The adopted Sphere of Influence for the City of Imperial Beach is coterminous with the City's incorporated boundary.

The City of Imperial Beach provides fire protection and wastewater collection services city-wide. Police service is provided by contract with the County of San Diego Sheriff. Water service is provided by contract with the private Cal-American Water Company. Trash hauling and disposal services are provided by contract with EDCO Disposal.

### CITY CHARACTERISTICS

**Incorporation Date:** July 18, 1956

**Population:** 26,675 (SANDAG, 2014)

**Land Area:** 4.4 sq. miles

**Governance:** General Law City; Elected at large

**City Council Meetings:** 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

**Planning Commission:** Same as City Council

**Sphere of Influence:** Coterminous

**Sphere Adopted:** July 12, 1999

**Sphere Reaffirmed:** May 5, 2014

**General Plan Adoption Date:** 2010

**Primary Service Providers:** City of Imperial Beach (Fire Protection and Wastewater Services); County of San Diego Sheriff (police protection); San Diego Unified Port District; and EDCO DISPOSAL (trash hauling and disposal services); and Cal-American Water Company (water services).

### Contact Information

**Address:** 825 Imperial Beach Blvd.  
Imperial Beach, CA 91932

**City Hall Phone:** 619/423-8301

**Police Department (Non Emergencies):** 619/423-8223

**Fire Department (Non Emergencies):** 619/423-8223

**Planning Department:** 619/628-1356

**Website:** <http://www.imperialbeachca.gov>

**Email:** N/A