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BY THE SEA

## Local beaches on track to add sand

Redondo Beach, Manhattan Beach part of plan to replenish eroding shorelines

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A new program to replenish beach sand at five local shorelines recently received approval from the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors — and is now headed to the California Coastal Commission.

Several agencies will have to review and approve the plan before work can begin.

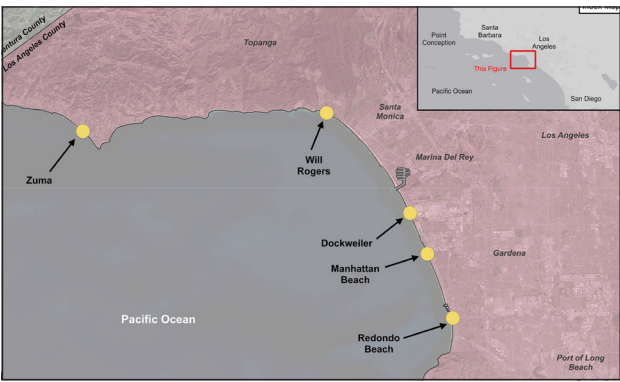
But the hope is that the commission will consider the overall plan before the end of the year, said Nicole Mooradian, spokesperson for the Los Angeles County Department of Beaches & Harbors.

The targeted beaches are Zuma in Malibu, Will Rogers State in Pacific Palisades, Dockweiler State in Playa del Rey, and Manhattan and Redondo in the South Bay.

The approvals provide permission in advance from the various agencies, Mooradian said, clarifying that “it’s a plan, not (yet) a project.”

But those approvals will allow

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Map shows beach sand replenishment sites approved by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. **COURTESY OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF BEACHES & HARBORS**

VOLLEYBALL

## MB Open winners bask in sun and spray



Chase Budinger, right, and Miles Evans pop the champagne after winning the AVP Manhattan Beach Open on Sunday. It was a first MBO championship victory for the duo. **PHOTOS BY HOWARD FRESHMAN**

Budinger, Evans are men’s champs; Nuss, Brasher defend women’s title

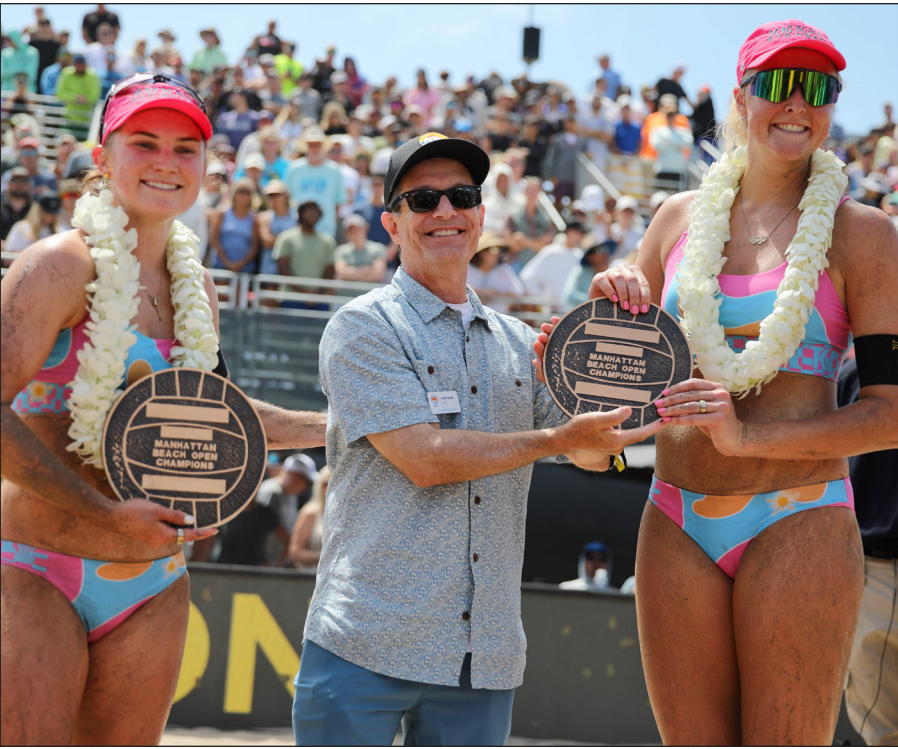
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Chase Budinger and Miles Evans will always have a link to the Manhattan Beach pier.

The duo claimed their first AVP Manhattan Beach Open title Sunday afternoon, sweeping both sets from Phil Dalhausser and Trevor Crabb — who have won the event 11 times combined — and having their championship plaque mounted on the pier along with all of the other past winners. Top-seeded Kristen Nuss and Taryn Brasher became the first women’s team to successfully defended their title on the sand at Manhattan Beach, edging Terese Cannon and Megan Kraft in three sets on Sunday.

The Manhattan Beach Open is regarded as the largest beach volleyball tournament in the U.S., in terms of both size and prestige, and is also the longest-running professional beach volleyball tournament in the country.

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Kristen Nuss, left, and Taryn Brasher receive their championship plaques from Manhattan Beach Mayor David Lesser after winning the AVP Manhattan Beach Open on Sunday.

WASHINGTON SUMMIT

## Europe, Ukraine to meet Trump

Leaders say they want to show support and united front in Oval Office conference today

By Samya Kullab and John Leicester  
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KYIV, Ukraine — European and NATO leaders announced Sunday they will join President Volodymyr Zelenskyy in Washington to present a united front in talks with President Donald Trump on ending Russia’s war in Ukraine and firming up U.S. security guarantees now on the negotiating table.

Leaders from Britain, France, Germany, Italy and

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WEATHER

## Having a heat wave this week in SoCal

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The most significant heat wave of the summer is moving into Southern California this week, forecasters say, along with heightened wildfire dangers in some areas.

The National Weather Service predicts high temperatures near or above 100 degrees across much of the region by Thursday.

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## Dodgers add to lead with Padres sweep

**INSIDE:** The Dodgers defeated the Padres 5-4 Sunday to extend their NL West lead to two games. **SPORTS B1**



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