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COASTAL SURVEY IN PROGRESS!

On 16-17 August 2022 you might see a boat operated by Coastal Resources Management Inc. off the east Cove of Topanga Beach. The research team will be using side scan sonar and underwater video to survey the seafloor and map the habitat. This information will be used as baseline documentation of nearshore conditions that will be included in the environmental document for the Topanga Lagoon Restoration planning process.

The research dive team will return on 30-31 Aug and use SCUBA to visually document any sensitive underwater resources and document invertebrate and fish species present, as well as verify algal species observed during the previous surveys.

The vessel will fly a Diver Down sign and the Captain will continuously be monitoring Channel 16 and have direct radio access to the U. S. Coast Guard.

Results of these surveys will be made available to the public during the environmental review process.

For more information about the Topanga Lagoon Restoration Project, and to sign up to get updates as the project evolves, please visit our website at <https://www.rcdsmm.org/resources/topanga-lagoon-restoration/ur>

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