



### **Heavy Rainfall Prediction from the National Weather Service!**

The National Weather Service has predicted significant rainfall between Thursday evening, January 3<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday, January 6<sup>th</sup> across central and southern California. This series of storms is expected to bring significant rainfall and strong winds through Sunday and could result in the most significant rainfall across the Southland since January 2005.

In preparation of this weather system, the following safety tips listed below are preventive measures you can take to prepare before and during the rainfall:

#### **Before the Storm**

- Look for potential storm-water drainage or ground assessment near your home or business
- Develop your own emergency escape plan for your home or business
- Obtain sandbags to provide for water or mud diversion from the El Segundo Fire Department at Fire Stations #1 and #2 or the Public Works Maintenance Yard
- Clear trash and debris from drainage areas to avoid clogging

#### **During the Storm**

- Listen to local radio and TV reports for heavy rainfall areas
- Be aware of your surroundings, listen for unusual sounds , such as breaking trees or signs of debris

**Sand Bags can be obtained at the El Segundo Fire Station #1, located at 314 Main Street, or Fire Station #2 at 2161 El Segundo Blvd. or the Public Works Maintenance Yard at 150 Illinois Street.**