

RESOLUTION NO. C-

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF LONG BEACH URGING THE CALIFORNIA STATE
LEGISLATURE TO ENACT ASSEMBLY BILL 2043

WHEREAS, Harbor Departments of the Cities of Los Angeles and Long
Beach predict that truck traffic to and from the ports of San Pedro Bay will more than
double in the next 20 years from roughly 35,000 trucks to nearly 83,000 trucks per day;
and

WHEREAS, approximately 35% of United States imports and exports
handled by ship travel through the ports of San Pedro Bay; and

WHEREAS, AB 2043 would establish the Maritime Port Strategic Master
Plan Task Force to compile data and submit findings to the legislature on port
congestion, port management, environmental impacts, and other issues.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves
as follows:

Section 1. That the City Council supports AB 2043 and urges the
legislature to enact the bill.

Sec. 2. That the City Clerk is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution
to the Governor, to the members of the California Legislature representing the Long
Beach and Los Angeles areas, and any other officials, agencies, entities, and
individuals as may be deemed appropriate.

Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by
the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify to the vote adopting this resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City

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1 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____, 2004, by the following
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Ayes: Councilmembers: _____

Noes: Councilmembers: _____

Absent: Councilmembers: _____

City Clerk

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