A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING A WAIVER OF PERMIT FEES FOR WORK TO REPAIR OR CORRECT FLOOD AND STORM RELATED DAMAGE ON ARLINGTON STREET FROM RIVER AVENUE TO HESPERIAN AVENUE

RESOLUTION NO. RES-09-0017

WHEREAS, during the weekend of February 7, 2009, the City of Long Beach experienced an unusual amount of rainfall during a short period of time, which rainfall event led to flooding in certain areas of the City causing storm and flood related damage to homes and properties primarily located in the 2300 block of West Arlington Street; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach has been granted authority by the State of California to provide for the health, safety, welfare, comfort and convenience of the City and the inhabitants thereof, and for the protection of property therein; and

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

Section 1. Notwithstanding the fees otherwise specified in Resolution No.
RES 09-0007 ("the Master Fee Resolution"), the City Council authorizes the City
Manager, or designee, to waive fees, including Building Permit Fees, Electrical Permit
Fees, Mechanical Permit Fees, Plumbing Permit Fees, Combined Building Permit Fees,
NPDES Fees, Plan Check Fees, Grading Fees, Demolition Fees, and applicable
Surcharge Fees for work applied for to repair, correct, or replace flood and storm related
damage to properties identified as flood and storm damaged properties.

Section 2. That this waiver of fees shall only apply to such flood and storm
related damages and properties as determined by the City Manager or designee that are

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located in the City of Long Beach on Arlington Street from River Street to Hesperian Avenue.

Section 3. That said fees may be waived for an applicant who is rebuilding. repairing, or replacing legally built structures which have been damaged or destroyed by flood and/or storm. The fee waiver shall not apply to any portion of a new structure which exceeds the square footage of the structure being replaced, and shall only be applied to permits applied for on or before July 1, 2009, unless said date is otherwise extended by the City Council by resolution.

Section 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of <u>March 3</u>, 20 09 by the following vote:

Ayes:	Councilmembers:	S. Lowenthal, DeLong, O'Donnell, Schipske,
		Andrews, Reyes Uranga, Gabelich, Lerch.
Noes:	Councilmembers:	None.
Absent:	Councilmembers:	None.
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