

RESOLUTION NO. RES-15-0044

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY  
MANAGER TO PARTICIPATE IN A JOINT LAND USE  
STUDY WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
THE NAVY

WHEREAS, the United States Department of the Navy has nominated  
Naval Weapons Station Seal Beach for a Joint Land Use Study (JLUS) to coordinate  
future planning efforts by surrounding local governments with its operations; and

WHEREAS, a JLUS is a community-driven, cooperative land use planning  
effort between a military installation and the surrounding communities undertaken to  
ensure that civilian growth and development is compatible with the training and  
operational mission of the installation and to reduce operational impacts on surrounding  
communities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach recognizes that its participation in the  
preparation of the Naval Weapons Seal Beach JLUS will benefit the health, safety, and  
welfare of the residents of Long Beach, specifically by studying the Long Beach  
Breakwater in East San Pedro Bay; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach, working with the United States Army  
Corps of Engineers, completed the East San Pedro Bay, CA Reconnaissance Study,  
905(b) Report, and the Corps of Engineers determined that there is federal interest in  
moving forward with a Feasibility Study of the East San Pedro Bay Ecosystem; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach believes that the JLUS and the Army  
Corps of Engineers' Feasibility Study of the East San Pedro Bay Ecosystem complement  
each other; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach remains vested in evaluating the Long

1 Beach Breakwater in the East San Pedro Bay for avenues to provide ecosystem  
2 restoration, increase recreational opportunities, and improve recreational water quality  
3 within East San Pedro Bay;

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

6 Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated  
7 herein by this reference.

8 Section 2. The City Manager of the City is hereby authorized to  
9 participate in and partner with the City of Seal Beach in the development of the Naval  
10 Weapons Station Seal Beach JLUS. Additionally, the City Manager, or designee, shall  
11 appoint a representative to the Naval Weapons Station Seal Beach JLUS policy  
12 committee, and work with the City of Seal Beach to determine members of the policy  
13 committee.

14 Section 3. The City agrees to consider funding, through in-kind support,  
15 its local matching share of the required 10 percent (10%) non-federal contribution to the  
16 cost of the JLUS once determined by the policy committee.

17 Section 4. The City agrees to consider implementation of the Naval  
18 Weapons Seal Beach JLUS to ensure compatible land use and development in the areas  
19 surrounding Naval Weapons Station Seal Beach and the Long Beach Breakwater.

20 Section 5. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption  
21 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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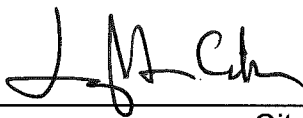
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I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of April 7, 2015 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Gonzalez, Price, Mungo, Andrews,  
Uranga, Austin, Richardson.

Noes: Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: Lowenthal.

  
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City Clerk