

To the Los Angeles Angels Baseball Organization:

We represent a diverse group of people, organizations and businesses from across Long Beach who all agree that our Downtown is the perfect new home for the Los Angeles Angels. Long Beach is booming with billions of dollars in private investment. More than 5,000 new homes are currently in development along with new hotels, restaurants and other amenities that will complement the already vibrant downtown. You could not pick a more beautiful spot or a better city for your team.

It is the only urban core whose waterfront is located on the Pacific between San Francisco and San Diego. The proposed location for the ballpark provides spectacular views of the Southern California coastline and amazing amenities. It will immediately become the most beautiful ballpark in Major League Baseball.

Long Beach is ideally located adjacent to Orange County and with easy access to the rest of LA County via three freeways and the Metro Blue Line. It is considered the most pedestrian and bicycle friendly city in Southern California and is ranked in the top 10 nationally. The proposed site provides easy access to shopping, entertainment, nightlife and more than 130 quality restaurants serving cuisines from around the world. The vibrant blending of urban amenities with the welcoming atmosphere of a seaside community makes this a perfect home for the Angels.

But Long Beach offers much more than just its Downtown. It is the second largest city in the county and larger than 11 cities that currently house a major league baseball franchise including Kansas City, Miami, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Cincinnati, and Minneapolis. Long Beach is already a major city and prepared to work with the entire organization to make this your home for the 21st Century.

We stand ready to assist with your relocation and welcome you home to Long Beach.

Sincerely,

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