



Date: January 5, 2010

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Councilmember Patrick O'Donnell, Fourth District
Councilmember Tonia Reyes Uranga, Seventh District

Subject: Long Beach Airport Project Labor Agreement

Across our region, Construction Project Labor Agreements (PLAs) have been implemented in an effort to better identify total construction project costs and ensure on-time construction project completion. PLAs have recently been entered into for several large-scale projects throughout Southern California. The Port of Long Beach recently entered into a PLA for its upcoming Middle Harbor Redevelopment Project.

The Long Beach Airport will soon begin work on a large-scale Terminal Improvement Project, aimed at improving the experience of LGB for travelers. It is appropriate at this time immediately initiate the necessary steps to evaluate a PLA for this upcoming construction project.

Recommendation: Request City Manager to take appropriate steps to evaluate a Project Labor Agreement for the Long Beach Airport Terminal Improvement Project and report back to the Council in sixty (60) days.