

City Council's Stated Priorities

- *Further reduce crime, particularly violent crime*
- *Enhance neighborhood economic development efforts, particularly on the commercial corridors*
- *Improve environmental conditions in the City of Long Beach*
- *Improve the quality of life in the neighborhoods*
- *Expand the community's involvement in the workings of Long Beach government*
- *Promote workforce and business development efforts so as to create new jobs; ensure Long Beach becomes more business friendly*
- *Support programs which encourage the public's health and well being*
- *Promote quality housing development; improve home ownership opportunities for Long Beach residents*
- *Improve the transportation system to efficiently and effectively move goods and people through the city without negatively impacting the neighborhoods*
- *Adopt an annual budget that is structurally balanced*