



CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

333 West Ocean Boulevard • Long Beach, CA 90802

September 20, 2005

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize a Public Walkways Occupancy Permit for sidewalk dining at Panama Joe's Restaurant located at 5100 East Second Street. (District 3)

DISCUSSION

The owner of Panama Joe's restaurant, located at 5100 East Second Street, requested a permit to temporarily occupy part of the adjoining sidewalk for the purpose of sidewalk dining. This restaurant's previous permit expired June 2001, and was never renewed. The proposed permit area and a list of furnishings and accessories to be placed in the permit area are shown on the attached Exhibit A. Approval of this permit is based on the conditions and standards of Chapter 14.14 of the Long Beach Municipal Code, which describes temporary uses of public rights-of-way.

The width of the sidewalk at this location is 13.5 feet. A minimum clearance of 5 feet shall be maintained between the proposed permit area and the street tree adjacent to the restaurant. This permit request was reviewed and approved by the Long Beach Fire Department on July 11, 2005.

The subject permit was prepared by Deputy City Attorney Lisa Peskay Malmsten on August 8, 2005.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action on this matter is not time critical.

FISCAL IMPACT

A permit-processing fee of \$500 was deposited to the General Fund (GP) in the Department of Public Works (PW).

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SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachment

APPROVED:



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CITY MANAGER