



# CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION & MARINE



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## MEMBERS OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

City of Long Beach

California

### RECOMMENDATION:

Recommend to the City Manager the approval of playground equipment as an improvement for public recreation at Jenni Rivera Memorial Park, which meets a recreational need within the City. (District 6)

### DISCUSSION

The Jenni Rivera Playground Equipment Project (Project) will install playground equipment at the existing Jenni Rivera Memorial Park located at 2001 Walnut Avenue. This is one of several new playgrounds in the City being implemented with Measure A funds. The Project will be located across from the mural dedicated to the late Jenni Rivera, adjacent to a residential community. The Project will be accessible from multiple neighborhood access points, including Orange and Walnut Avenues and 21<sup>st</sup> Street, East Wesley Drive, and E Smith Place by the existing bike and pedestrian path that runs the length of Jenni Rivera Memorial Park (Attachment 1).

The Project includes site preparation and installation of play equipment, swings, and climbing pieces, along with rubberized safety surfacing. The playground equipment is designed for children of various age groups and will feature bright colors to complement the vibrant mural across the Park (Attachment 2).

The Parks and Recreation Commission (Commission) recommends to the City Manager plans for the development, beautification and maintenance of public-park and recreational areas, so Commission support of the proposed improvements is requested.

### FISCAL IMPACT

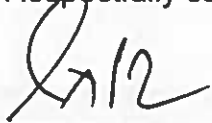
The Project will use \$250,000 in Measure A funds and \$10,000 in "Divide-by-Nine" funds from District 6, totaling \$260,000, which will be sufficient to cover project design and construction. Funds are budgeted in the Capital Projects Fund (CP) in the Public Works Department (PW).

The Parks, Recreation and Marine Department will be responsible for maintenance of the of this new amenity. Funding for this cost has not been identified, and will be requested as part of the annual budget process.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve Recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



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ATT: 1 – Aerial of Jenni Rivera Memorial Park  
2 – Playground Equipment



## ATTACHMENT 1

### JENNI RIVERA PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT PROJECT AERIAL

★ Project Location

□ Jenni Rivera Memorial Park



**ATTACHMENT 2 – JENNI RIVERA MEMORIAL PARK  
PROPOSED PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT**

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