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February 15, 2011

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the attached Resolution authorizing the temporary closure of certain streets, alleys, walkways, the Promenade, and the downtown shoreline bike path in the City of Long Beach in connection with the conduct of the 2011 Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach. (District 2)

DISCUSSION

On April 15, 16, and 17, 2011, the 37th Annual Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach will be held on the streets of Long Beach. This event will attract over 250,000 people to the city and receive national and international media coverage. In order to allow for the staging of this event, a Resolution has been prepared that provides for the temporary closure of certain streets, alleys, walkways, the Promenade, and the downtown shoreline bike path so that the race may be held on city streets.

Included in the attached Resolution is the proposed schedule for temporary closure of certain streets, alleys, walkways, the Promenade, and downtown shoreline bike path. The bike path, beginning at Seaside Way and Chestnut Place, and continuing to a point approximately 400 feet east of the beach parking, must be closed during the race to allow fire trucks and medical vehicles continual access to the back side of the bleachers situated on the north and south sides of Shoreline Drive. The Departments of Fire, Gas and Oil, Water, Police, Public Works, Financial Management, Development Services, Health and Human Services, and Parks, Recreation and Marine, as well as Long Beach Transit, have reviewed this schedule.

Traffic management and signage plans shall be forwarded to newspapers serving the greater Long Beach area asking for their cooperation to publicize these plans as a public service during the weeks prior to the race.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Richard Anthony on January 19, 2011, and Budget Management Officer Victoria Bell on January 24, 2011.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council approval is requested on February 15, 2011, in order to expedite the execution of the Resolution. Construction for the 2011 Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach begins on February 14, 2011.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact or local job impact associated with the recommended action.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,


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Attachment: Resolution

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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE AND REMOVE FROM PUBLIC USE CERTAIN STREETS, ALLEYS, WALKWAYS, THE PROMENADE AND DOWNTOWN SHORELINE BIKE PATH IN THE CITY OF LONG BEACH IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONDUCT OF THE 2011 TOYOTA GRAND PRIX OF LONG BEACH

The City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Long Beach finds and determines that the conduct of the 2011 Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach on the streets of the City of Long Beach and the coverage thereof by the media provides a unique opportunity for the City of Long Beach to publicize and call attention to the City, its natural advantage, resources, enterprises, attractions, climate and facilities.

Section 2. For the conduct of the 2011 Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach, the following streets will hereby have temporary lane reductions for the periods stated:

A. From February 14, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. to May 14, 2011 at 11:59 p.m., Shoreline Drive westbound from Ocean Boulevard to Long Beach Arena service road (reduce existing three lanes to two lanes).

B. From February 14, 2011 at 7:00 a.m. to May 14, 2011 at 11:59 p.m., Shoreline Drive eastbound from Linden Avenue to Ocean Boulevard (reduce existing three lanes to two lanes).

C. From February 21, 2011 at 7:00 a.m. to May 6, 2011 at 11:59 p.m., Seaside Way, from Pine Avenue to Linden Avenue (reduce existing

1 two lanes to one lane in each direction, with placement of temporary stop
2 signs at Seaside Way/Locust Avenue, Seaside Way/Collins Way, Seaside
3 Way/Hart Place and Seaside Way/Linden Avenue. Intersection signage to
4 be placed by City).

5 D. From February 28, 2011 at 7:00 a.m. to May 3, 2011 at 11:59
6 p.m., Pine Avenue from Ocean Boulevard south to Upper Esplanade
7 (reduce existing five lanes to three lanes).

8 Section 3. For the conduct of the 2011 Toyota Grand Prix of Long
9 Beach, the following streets, alleys, promenade, walkways, and bike path are hereby
10 temporarily closed for the periods stated:

11 A. On April 5, 2011, from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Shoreline Drive
12 eastbound from Broadway off-ramp to Ocean Boulevard, Shoreline Village
13 Drive to Shoreline Drive eastbound and westbound, Shoreline Drive
14 westbound from Ocean Boulevard to Chestnut Place northbound.

15 B. On April 5, 2011, from 4:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Golden Shore
16 on-ramp to Shoreline Drive eastbound, Chestnut Place, northbound and
17 southbound from Seaside Way to Queensway Bridge, Seaside Way from
18 Pine Avenue to eastern end of Seaside Way, Aquarium Way from Shoreline
19 Drive to Chestnut Avenue, Hart Place from Seaside Way to Ocean
20 Boulevard, Collins Way from Seaside Way to Ocean Boulevard, Cedar
21 Avenue at Shoreline Drive, Linden Avenue from Ocean Boulevard to
22 Shoreline Drive, Bay Street at Pine Avenue and The Paseo at Pine Avenue.

23 C. On April 5, 2011, from 9:45 a.m. to 10:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m. to
24 11:15 a.m., 1:15 p.m. to 1:45 p.m., and 2:15 p.m. to 2:45 p.m., Pine Avenue
25 from Ocean Boulevard to Upper Esplanade, Linden Avenue from Ocean
26 Boulevard to Shoreline Drive. Seaside Way from Linden Avenue to Marina
27 Way (eastern end).

28 D. From April 13, 2011, at 5:00 a.m. to April 18, 2011 at 5:00

1 p.m., Seaside Way from Pine Avenue to eastern end of Seaside Way,
2 Linden Avenue from Ocean Boulevard to Seaside Way, Marine Way from
3 Locust Avenue to Collins Way, Atlantic Way from Ocean Boulevard to
4 Seaside Way, Marine Way from Hart Place to eastern end, Linden Avenue,
5 northbound and southbound from Shoreline Drive to Marina Parking lot,
6 Locust Avenue from Ocean Boulevard to Seaside Way, Cedar Avenue at
7 Shoreline Drive, Bay Street at Pine Avenue, The Paseo at Pine Avenue and
8 Aquarium Way from Shoreline Drive to Chestnut Avenue.

9 E. From April 13, 2011, at 7:00 a.m. to April 18, 2011, at 5:00
10 p.m., Shoreline Drive westbound from Ocean Boulevard and Alamitos
11 intersection to 3rd Street on-ramp northbound, Chestnut Avenue
12 southbound and northbound from Seaside Way to Queensway Bridge,
13 Aquarium Way from Shoreline Drive to Chestnut Place, and Cedar Avenue
14 at Shoreline Drive.

15 F. From April 13, 2011, at 3:00 p.m. to April 18, 2011, at 5:00
16 p.m., Shoreline Drive eastbound from Broadway off-ramp to Ocean
17 Boulevard and Alamitos intersection, Golden Shore on-ramp to Shoreline
18 Drive eastbound, Shoreline Village Drive from Marina Parking lot to
19 Shoreline Drive.

20 G. On April 15, 16, and 17, 2011, from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.,
21 Pine Avenue from Ocean Boulevard to Upper Esplanade.

22 H. On April 15, 16, and 17, 2011, from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.,
23 Promenade South from Seaside Way to Shoreline Drive Terminus.

24 I. On April 15, 16, and 17, 2011, from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.,
25 walkway off of Seaside Way from Hart Place to the east end of Seaside
26 Way.

27 J. From April 13, 2011, at 7:00 a.m. to April 18, 2011, at 11:59
28 p.m., the Bike Path beginning at Seaside Way and Chestnut Avenue east to

1 a point approximately four hundred feet (400') east of the permanent
2 concession stand behind the Villa Riviera.

3 K. From February 22, 2011 through April 29, 2011, Shoreline
4 Drive from Ocean Boulevard to Shoreline Village Drive, Aquarium Way
5 between Shoreline Drive and Chestnut Place, and Pine Avenue between
6 Seaside Way and Shoreline Drive, intermittently at the discretion of the City
7 Manager, or his designee, in order to allow for pedestrian bridge placement
8 and removal, but only during the hours from 12:01 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

9 Section 4. The temporary closing of the above streets, alleys, walkways,
10 promenade and bike path for the times herein provided is necessary for the safety and
11 protection of the participants and spectators in the 2011 Toyota Grand Prix of Long
12 Beach and qualifying events to be held from April 15, 2011 through April 17, 2011,
13 utilizing the streets described herein.

14 Section 5. For the period of 4:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on April 5, 2011, the
15 streets and alleys described in Sections 3.A. through 3.C. are hereby withdrawn and
16 removed from public use.

17 Section 6. For the period April 13, 2011, at 5:00 a.m. to April 18, 2011, at
18 5:00 p.m., the streets and alleys described in Section 3.D. are hereby withdrawn and
19 removed from public use.

20 Section 7. For the period April 13, 2011, at 7:00 a.m. to April 18, 2011, at
21 5:00 p.m., the streets and alleys described in Section 3.E. are hereby withdrawn and
22 removed from public use.

23 Section 8. For the period April 13, 2011, at 3:00 p.m. to April 18, 2011, at
24 5:00 p.m., the streets and alleys described in Section 3.F. are hereby withdrawn and
25 removed from public use.

26 Section 9. On April 15, 16, and 17, 2011, from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., the
27 streets, promenade and alleys described in Sections 3.G. through Section 3.I. are hereby
28 withdrawn and removed from public use.

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1 Section 10. For the period April 13, 2011, at 6:00 a.m. to April 18, 2011, at
2 11:59 p.m., the promenade, walkway and bike path described in Section 3.J. are hereby
3 withdrawn and removed from public use.

4 Section 11. From February 22, 2011 through April 29, 2011, the streets
5 and alleys described in Section 3.K. are hereby intermittently withdrawn and removed
6 from public use at the discretion of the City Manager, or his designee, in order to allow for
7 pedestrian bridge placement and removal.

8 Section 12. The City Manager, or his designee, is authorized and directed
9 to post notices of the intent to temporarily reduce lanes, close the streets, alleys,
10 walkways and portions of the promenade described in Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
11 and 11 above at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the closure thereof.

12 Section 13. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
13 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

14 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City
15 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____, 2011 by the
16 following vote:

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18 Ayes: Councilmembers: _____

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22 Noes: Councilmembers: _____

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24 Absent: Councilmembers: _____

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City Clerk