

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Approve the Belmont Pool
Date: Wednesday, January 8, 2020 8:30:16 AM
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From: JoyLuck RAM [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2020 8:28 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Approve the Belmont Pool

Dear City Council-
Please approve the pool. So we can
keep winning Olympic medals in
aquatics.
Love,

Leonor

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:54:21 AM

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From: Patricia Powers [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 5:37 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont

I support the new Belmont Pool concept. Please, let's get this done and built. Learning to swim saves lives.

Patricia F. Powers

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPad

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:53:49 AM
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From: Wilfred Diaz [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 10:18 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

Dear City Council-

I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW
BELMONT POOL.

Thank you,

Wilfred Diaz

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Gracie [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 7:12 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I strongly support the new Belmont Pool

Grace Malay

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: grpenilla [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 6:42 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Councilman Kinsey.

I am strongly in support of our new Belmont Pool. Your continued support is great appreciated.

Thank you,

Gustavo Penilla

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Tina Weidenkeller [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 6:09 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

I'm an avid swimmer & am strongly in favor of the new Belmont Pool. The plans look amazing!

Thank you!

Tina

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

<http://support.challengedathletes.org/goto/50KforCAF>

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
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From: Andrew Peek [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:36 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Scott

I just wanted to take a minute to express my support for the new Belmont Pool project. Seems like a great addition to our community and I 100% love the idea.

Andy Peek
FLW

:Sent on the go from my phone:

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Michael Daley [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:33 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council-
I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW
BELMONT POOL.
Thank you,
Mike

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Scott Brunner [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:12 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear Scott,

My family and I have been swimming at the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool since 1991. I swim on the Swim Long Beach Masters team 3 days per week throughout the year.

We also attend swim meets and Wilson High School water polo games there.

We are very much in favor of the new pool design and bringing this first class aquatic center back to the place it has been since 1968.

Please convey my support for the project to the decision makers in the city government and other regulatory agencies.

This project, with it's bike, walking, car, and boat accessibility (the pier is right there!), will make this facility easily available to all Long Beach residents and visitors.

Thank you.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:37:25 AM
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Here come a wave of emails for the pool, I'll forward each one to you...

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From: Azura Jorda [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:01 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

I am in support of the Belmont Pool and have swam there for multiple years since I was a kid. I would like to continue on the tradition my parents gifted me by continuing the trend. As I have practiced at the Belmont pool and take my camp kids there it would benefit us and the community to upgrade the current pool. Thank you!

All the best,
Azura Jorda

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 10:32:29 AM
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From: Megan Duffy [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 10:11 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council and Mr. Kinsey,

Please approve the new pool designs and build the pool! It will be used by many and is very needed. Swim teams and water polo teams as well as divers will come from far and wide to use it. Citizens will be healthier and water aerobics classes will take place. There is a huge demand for pool space in Southern California. Many Long Beach residents and those from surrounding cities currently regularly drive to Norco and Lake Elsinore to watch their kids play. A permanent pool in our area will be enjoyed and appreciated by all ages and abilities.

Thank you for your consideration,
Megan Sorenson

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Denise Hall [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 8:54 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council member,

Please approve the new Belmont pool. Our city of Long Beach is filled with a love for aquatics and a new facility will help us to continue to promote this love for many years to come.

Sincerely,

Denise Hall

Denise Hall

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 8:20:05 AM
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From: Jake Jeffery [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 8:03 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

Please bring back the Belmont Pool so that my children along with the rest of the Long Beach youth can continue with the rich history of being world class swimmers, divers, and water polo players. The people against this project act like the landmark was never there in the first place. It belongs right where it once sat for all of Long Beach to utilize and enjoy. The new plans look amazing and I look forward to seeing this project underway.

Thank you,
Lifetime Long Beach resident,
Jake Jeffery

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 2:32:24 PM

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From: Gmail [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 11:04 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Please approve the pool. So we can keep winning Olympic medals in aquatics and provide the best facilities for our up and coming athletes and the community at large

From a mom of two Long Beach high school aquatic athletes of which one was a DI water polo student athlete

Karen Sheldon
[REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Plans
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 4:34:22 PM
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From: Daron Sepko [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 3:48 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Plans

Dear City Council,

I strongly support the new Belmont Pool. Please approve the project so that Long Beach continues its long tradition and heritage in aquatics sports and once again claims its place as the aquatics capital of California. The new Belmont Pool would bring plenty of State, National and International events to our city with all their athletes, companions, coaches and other staff visiting, lodging, dining and shopping in our city,

Please vote YES to approve and begin the construction of the Belmont Pool.

Thank You,

Daron Sepko



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Rebuild
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 2:33:03 PM
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From: Debby McCormick [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 12:13 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>; Council District 8 <District8@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Rebuild

Dear Scott and the City Council,

I definitely support the Belmont pool rebuild. There have been so many delays and there are so many that will be thrilled to finally see this project move forward in spite of those who continually protest EVERYTHING that benefits so many.

I coach diving in Long Beach and have fought for over 7 years to have the pool rebuilt. Please let this FINALLY move forward!

Sincerely,

Debby McCormick
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Thursday, January 9, 2020 7:40:34 AM
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From: Clayton Snyder [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, January 09, 2020 5:13 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council-

I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW BELMONT POOL.

Thank you,
Clayton Snyder
[REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Shore pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:53:28 AM
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From: Rollin White [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 8:26 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Shore pool

Dear City Council,

I am excited by the proposed design for the new pool facilities. I strongly support the plan and hope you will approve it.

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Build THE POOL!!!
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 4:33:53 PM
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From: Raylene Zuanich [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 3:20 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Raylene Zuanich <Raylene.Zuanich@SSAMarine.com>
Subject: Build THE POOL!!!

Dear City Council-

*I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW
BELMONT POOL.*

Thank you,

Raylene Zuanich



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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Strongly Support Belmont Pool Design.
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:51:54 AM

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From: Zaya miller [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 7:02 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Strongly Support Belmont Pool Design.

I strongly support the new Belmont pool design!

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: It's time for a new Belmont Pool
Date: Wednesday, January 8, 2020 11:57:48 AM
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From: Diane Jacobus [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2020 11:42 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: It's time for a new Belmont Pool

Dear City Council Members:

I am in strong support of a new Belmont Pool - not only for use by our residents, but participants in future Summer Olympic Games in the USA., Los Angeles/Long Beach.

Please approve the pool so we can keep winning Olympic medals in aquatics!

Sincerely,

Diane K. Jacobus
Third District,
City of Long Beach

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Plaza Pool Support
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:41:28 AM

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From: Tracy [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:06 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Plaza Pool Support

Dear City Council - I grew up swimming in the old Belmont Plaza Pool, swam for Wilson and Beach and was a LB Lifeguard at Bayshore.

My mother and I strongly support the new Belmont Plaza pool design and construction. Building a new facility where the old facility was located makes complete sense and the design looks great.

Let's keep Long Beach one of the premier swimming locations in the US!

Sincerely,
Tracy & Marcia Myers

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: NEW BELMONT POOL
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From: tpopp [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 7:01 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: NEW BELMONT POOL

Dear City Council,

I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW BELMONT POOL.

Thank you.

Regards,

Thomas A. Popp

"is sloppiness in speech caused by ignorance or apathy? I don't know and I don't care." ~William Safire

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:44:30 AM
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From: Avery E Crenshaw [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:52 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

I strongly support the new Belmont Pool.

Sincerely,

Avery Crenshaw
2019 Wilson High School Graduate & 2018 Girl's Water Polo CIF Champion

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:56:00 AM
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From: Cecilia Dominguez [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 7:51 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,
I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW BELMONT POOL.
Thank you,

Cecilia Dominguez

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:42:59 AM

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From: Emily [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:41 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New pool

Dear City Council:

I am strongly in support of the new Belmont pool!

Sincerely,
Emily Kreger

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Olympic traditions
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:52:40 AM

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From: Sara Maples [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 7:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>; Council District 5 <District5@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Olympic traditions

I strongly support the new Belmont pool. Thank you for continuing to promote aquatics in Long Beach. We know our neighbors in OC are building aquatic complexes as well. Happy to see it still moving forward in Long Beach with our strong Olympic heritage.

Sara Maples

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Paradise on the Beach
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From: Reggie Akpata [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 7:40 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Paradise on the Beach

Dear Scott,

When we bought our home 6 blocks from the old Belmont in 1999 we were happy with the local facilities and it was nice to have a public pool nearby.

From those humble beginnings we've seen the old pool demolished, the Myrtha Pool installed and now we see these progressive and exciting plans to center this 22nd century town around some outdoor fresh water swimming facilities, on the beach no less.

A picture is worth a thousand words so I'll refer you to the Instagram hashtag #BelmontPlazaPool to say thank you for making Long Beach a global destination for fun, sun and exciting civic facilities:

Just one sample of the great - paradigm shifting - work you're doing:



Thanks,

Reggie Akpata
[REDACTED]

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Thanks,

Reggie Akpata
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From: Drew Dinsick [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 11:03 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Please Approve New Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

As a swimmer and a Belmont Shore resident since 2006, this project is of significant personal importance. The plans for the new Belmont are spectacular and the community desperately needs this new complex approved. We appreciate all the time put into this project and look forward to this being a fantastic success.

Thank you for all the hard work.

Regards,
Drew

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Please support the NEW Belmont Pool
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From: John Salcedo [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:19 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Please support the NEW Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

I am a military veteran that depends on daily aquatic therapy. We need to be a leader within the international aquatic community. **Please support the new Belmont Pool.**

Regards,

John Salcedo

[REDACTED]
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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:50:19 AM
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From: Kelli Tunncliff [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 6:38 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Pool

I strongly support the new belmont pool. Thank you for continuing to promote aquatics in Long Beach. We know our neighbors in OC are building as well. Happy to see it still moving forward in Long Beach with our strong Olympic heritage.

Kelli

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for new Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:49:59 AM
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From: Suzanne Margerum [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 6:35 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for new Belmont Pool

Dear Scott:

I'm sending this e-mail to communicate my strong support for the new Belmont Pool. This new pool helps maintain Long Beach title as "aquatics capital" and will attract recreational and competitive swimmers to the facility. It will also help to attract more people to the beachfront and other beachfront activities.

Thank you!
Suzanne

Suzanne Margerum
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: support for new Belmont Pool complex
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 10:43:42 AM
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From: Lyle Nalli [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 07, 2020 10:38 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: support for new Belmont Pool complex

Hello Mr Kinsey

I am strongly in favor of the new Belmont aquatic complex. We sorely need one.
Thank you for all your efforts.

If you have any questions or concerns please let me know.

Swimmingly yours

Lyle Nalli

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for new Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:53:07 AM
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From: Shelly Williams [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 7:45 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for new Belmont Pool

Dear City Council-

I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW BELMONT POOL. Please vote YES on the new pool.

Thank you.

Shelly Williams

Recreational swimmer, Masters swim, and triathlete

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: The Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 7:44:55 AM

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From: Jeff Wheeler [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 06, 2020 5:57 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: The Belmont Pool

To the Long Beach City Council:

We're pleased to see the new designs to replace the Belmont Pool. The work that you have done on this is outstanding. The community sorely misses what was one of the world's finest aquatic facilities. The new proposal nicely balances a desire to serve the local community, an effort to host the world aquatic community, and to acknowledge the realities of a rising ocean.

Congratulations on a job well done! We can't wait to dive in.

Jeff and Laura Wheeler
Residents, [REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Monday, January 13, 2020 11:05:15 AM

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From: Ernest Hayes [REDACTED]
Sent: Saturday, January 11, 2020 8:43 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council,

As a former Swim Long Beach USMS swimmer and former HS swimmer and polo player at Millikan in the 90's, I'm in strong support of an Aquatic Center for Long Beach! Please approve the Belmont Pool so that the LBC can have an edge on Texas, Florida, Auburn, Cal and Stanford! Swimming is the best sport in the world. May more and more people don a swimsuit. Peace!

Warmest Regards,

Ernest Hayes

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPad

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Support
Date: Monday, January 13, 2020 11:46:49 AM
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From: Scott Meyer [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 13, 2020 11:22 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Support

Dear City Council-
I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW BELMONT POOL.

Thank you,
Scott Meyer
Naples Island, Long Beach resident

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Monday, January 13, 2020 9:49:28 AM
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From: Brian Cruz [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, January 10, 2020 8:48 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Council-

I am STRONGLY IN SUPPORT of our NEW BELMONT POOL.

Thank you,

-Brian Cruz

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: "I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals"
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:35:07 AM
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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 8:30 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: "I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals"

The pool is a huge deal to the HUGE water community in Long Beach and will be used for MORE than the Olympics! It will be used for years by the community!

The large water community is a piece of what makes Long Beach so special!

Sincerely,
Megan Monroy

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: 100% in support of the new Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 11:03:34 AM
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From: Ted Bramble [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:24 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: 100% in support of the new Belmont Pool

Scott~

I am a 4th generation LB/Belmont Shore native and I encourage you to please support the new pool. This is a vital part of our community and heritage (aren't we "The Aquatic Capital of the World"). I swim, my kids swim, and I want their kids to swim in a pool that has some prestige and is well designed.

I've read some of the hysterical remarks from some neighbors and they are wildly overstated.

Please support the pool!

Ted Bramble

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Olympic Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:04:17 AM
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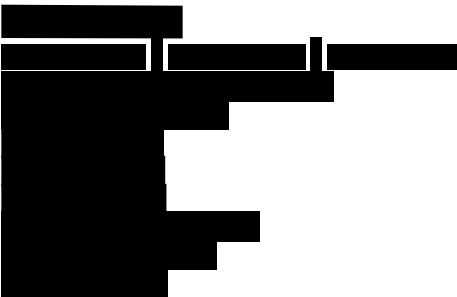
From: Gerald Parker [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:28 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Olympic Plaza Pool

Scott,

I am in Major Support of the new Belmont Pool and strongly encourage you to Deny All Appeals.

Regards,

GERALD PARKER
SENIOR ESTIMATOR



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Olympic Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:55:56 AM
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To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Olympic Plaza Pool

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Regards,

Gerry Parker
[REDACTED]

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: BELMONT OLYMPIC POOL COMPLEX
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 11:00:53 AM
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From: Rhett Sander [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:58 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: BELMONT OLYMPIC POOL COMPLEX

Hello Scott and Council members, My name is Rhett Sander and I am a long term resident of Long Beach, currently living with my family in the Hole (University Park Estates). I am here to support the new plans of the Belmont Olympic Pool Complex. All of my three children have either swam or played water polo in the current pool and the old facility (which I have found memories of). I also want to add that I support the change in that the large pool that you would build would be 50 meters by 25 meters. It is imperative that you make this change to allow more water for our kids to swim and compete in. Anything less then this would be a complete waste of money and deem our facility outdated the day it is completed and open.

We need to continue and re-instill the deep history of aquatics with the city of Long Beach. While other cities have built bigger and better facilities, we have continued to lag and less and less high level events are held in Long Beach...remember all NCAA water polo championships, CIF swim and water polo championships, all Moore league championships and various other Invitational events used to take place exclusively at Belmont Plaza and we need these events back here and not at other facilities so Long Beach can still be recognized as the Aquatics Capital of the United States.

Thank you very much Scott for your time and your consideration, should you need

anything else from me, I would be happy to help out.

Best,



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Bool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:15:43 AM
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From: Wilson Boys Aquatics [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:03 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Bool

We support the new Belmont Plaza Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thank you.

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Wilson Boys Aquatics
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

GO BRUINS!!

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:59:17 AM
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From: Lesser, Eric <elessers@chapman.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:29 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool

Hello Scott,

I am the diving coach at Chapman University and Troy High School in Fullerton. I trained with McCormick Divers in Long Beach from 1984-1989 at the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool, and was fortunate to earn an athletic scholarship to the University of Michigan. I would not have been able to achieve the success in the pool without a facility like Belmont Plaza, and the ability to train year round on 1m, 3m, and platform.

It is imperative that the city of Long Beach replaces the original facility with a new Olympic caliber facility to support aquatics in this community, and I encourage you to deny any appeals.

Eric Lesser
Diving Coach
Donald P. Kennedy Department of Intercollegiate Athletics
Chapman University
One University Drive, Orange, CA 92866
M: (714) 478-3010
E: elessers@chapman.edu
Chapmanathletics.com
Chapman.edu

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:20:01 AM

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-----Original Message-----

From: King, Kevin <Kevin.King@marcusmillichap.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:35 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Tracy King <fourkingsboat@gmail.com>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

Mr . Kinsey,

The Belmont Plaza Pool has been a part of our family for decades. We strongly support the rebuilding of the facility so the long standing tradition of aquatics in Long. Beach for generations to come.

While the “temporary” pool is a very good temporary solution, the aquatics community deserves the facility that was promised when the decision to demolish the old structure was made. I cant imagine any objection to the new facility that isnt self serving and attempting to take advantage of the situation at the expense of our entire community. After all, the previous facility was there for over 50 years.

Respectfully,

Kevin and Tracy King

Kevin King
Senior Managing Director/Investments

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:20:31 AM
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From: Tracy King <fourkingsboat@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:59 PM
To: King, Kevin <Kevin.King@marcusmillichap.com>
Cc: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Re: Belmont Plaza Pool

Very well said. I like it babe!

On Mon, Jan 20, 2020 at 6:35 PM King, Kevin <Kevin.King@marcusmillichap.com> wrote:

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Kevin King

Senior Managing Director/Investments

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
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From: johnnyfou <johnnyfou@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

Hi, I wanted to email you on behalf of the Wilson High School aquatics team and wish to state that we support the Belmont Plaza pool and hope you reject any and all appeals to veto the construction of it.

Thank you for taking your time to read this email, and wish you a great future.

Best regards,
Johnny Fou

Sent via the Samsung Galaxy S8+, an AT&T 5G Evolution capable smartphone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
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From: Owen Gurich <ohgurich@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:51 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool, and encourage you to deny all appeals.

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:28:32 AM

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From: Allison <teamgurich@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:52 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

I support the new Belmont Plaza Pool and oppose any appeals.

Alison Gurich

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:32:38 AM
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From: rjham22 <rjham22@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:53 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

Hello,

as a residence of the 4th district and a former Long Beach Lifeguard I am in support of the Belmont Plaza Pool rebuild. please deny all appeals as this pool is necessary for this city. The Aquatic Capital. swimming has taken a hit in this City and this pool is necessary to revive the Aquatic Capital. The amount of young Long Beach swimming talent NOT currently swimming in Long Beach is unfathomable. This City has let them down and they are currently swimming in L.A. and O.C. Imagine that future Olympians from LB not swimming in Long Beach?

please build this pool ASAP!!!

Thank You,

Robert Hamilton.



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:35:54 AM
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From: BRUCE FURNISS <BFURFAM@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 8:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: sfurniss76@outlook.com
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

Scott

Please consider this email in support of the Revitalization of the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool.

The Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool is an important part of the sport of swimming's heritage and history. I was a young 11-year old in 1968 when the Olympic Trials were held there. As a member of the Phillips 66, and later, Long Beach Swim Club teams that trained at Belmont throughout the 1970's, I am a product, shaped by not only witnessing great swimming, but by being immersed in an aquatic environment chalk-full of many of the sport's greatest swimmers and coaches of that era. I, too, would later share in Long Beach's aquatic heritage by winning Two Olympic Gold Medals and Four World Championship Medals in the 1975 & 1976 & 1978.

None of my success would ever have happened if Long Beach had not first built the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool in 1968, the first U.S. site to host a major competition using an electronic timing system. The Long Beach teams of the time trained the likes of Gary Hall, Hans Fasnacht, Klaus Barth, Jack and Shriley Babashoff, Ken Walsh, Zac Zorn, Tim Shaw, Bob Jackson, Greg Jagenberg, Steve Gregg, Tauna Vandeweghe, Steve Furniss, and Dan Harrigan just to name a few. I often ask myself, would these swimming greats have been great, without the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool? Would Long Beach today be recognized as the World's Aquatic Capital without these great swimmers having swum there? There is a connection that is irrefutable.

I was a scrawny little age grouper who matriculated through my club's aquatic ranks and was given an opportunity to observe and train next to great swimmers in an extraordinary environment, none of which would ever have happened without the Belmont Olympic Pool. History is on your side. History has proven the City's leaders in the 1960's did the right thing by building Belmont. Their vision became my reality.

Please take that same page from their book and again replicate a winning formula by approving the rebuilding and revitalizing the historic Belmont Olympic Pool.

Sincerely

Bruce Furniss

1976 Double Olympic Gold Medalist

Ten Time World Record Holder

Member of Phillips 66 and Long Beach Swim Clubs from 1968-1980

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:37:11 AM
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From: Scott Brunner <sbru1223@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 9:32 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Council District 3 <District3@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

My name is Scott Brunner. I live at 283 Claremont Ave, Long Beach, 90803 in the 3rd district.

I have been swimming at the Belmont Plaza Pool for decades. Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday there is a line of 15 to 20 people outside the gate at 5:30 am waiting to get in. This includes me.

I also attend other events there.

I support moving forward with the current pool plans.

Thank you.

Scott Brunner, MD

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
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From: jmontrella@aol.com <jmontrella@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 1:56 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

Scott,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

John Montrella
Retired Teacher/Swim Coach
Millikan High School

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:14:02 AM

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From: Julie Kay Satariano <jksatariano@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 5:29 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Pool

We need the NEW Belmont Plaza pool to be rebuilt in Long Beach! As a past competitive swimmer, coach, and now a parent of a swimmer, we have sorely missed the Belmont Plaza facility. Please rebuild!

Sincerely,
Julie Kay Satariano
Naples Resident
Wilson High School Teacher
(562) 533-1123

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Revitalization Project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:36:01 AM

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From: Gary Hall Sr. <garysr@theraceclub.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 10:51 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Kim O'Shea <execdircs@gmail.com>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Revitalization Project

Dear Scott,

I am three-time Olympic swimmer, now a swimming coach, who trained at the Belmont Plaza Pool in the 1970's. I qualified for my first and third Olympic Teams there in 1968 and 1976.

I can tell you that the Belmont Pool had a significant positive impact on my life and the lives of countless other swimmers. I have attached a photo from the 1976 Olympic Trials at Belmont after qualifying for my third Olympic Team. The young boy in the photo is my son, Gary Hall Jr, went on to win 10 Olympic swimming medals.

While I will not be able to attend the Council meeting, I would like to lend my support for the Revitalization Project of the Belmont Pool. It is a historic landmark and needs to carry on its rich tradition along with the many benefits it will bring to our society.

Regards,

Gary Hall Sr
Executive Director
The Race Club, Inc
garysr@theraceclub.com

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Plaza Revitalization Project and photo
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:02:09 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
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From: Gary Hall Sr. <garysr@theraceclub.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 10:55 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Kim O'Shea <execdirscs@gmail.com>
Subject: Fwd: Belmont Plaza Revitalization Project and photo



Regards,

Gary Hall Sr
Executive Director
The Race Club, Inc
garysr@theraceclub.com

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Gary Hall Sr." <garysr@theraceclub.com>
Subject: Belmont Plaza Revitalization Project
Date: January 20, 2020 at 10:51:12 AM PST
To: scott.kinsey@longbeach.gov
Cc: Kim O'Shea <execdirscs@gmail.com>

Dear Scott,

I am three-time Olympic swimmer, now a swimming coach, who trained at the Belmont Plaza Pool in the 1970's. I qualified for my first and third Olympic Teams there in 1968 and 1976.

I can tell you that the Belmont Pool had a significant positive impact on my life and the lives of countless other swimmers. I have attached a photo from the 1976 Olympic Trials at Belmont after qualifying for my third Olympic Team. The young boy in the photo is my son, Gary Hall Jr, went on to win 10 Olympic swimming medals.

While I will not be able to attend the Council meeting, I would like to lend my support for the Revitalization Project of the Belmont Pool. It is a historic landmark and needs to carry on its rich tradition along with the many benefits it will bring to our society.

Regards,

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To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: BELMONT POOL
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:26:06 AM
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From: Gretchen Sumortin <gret.sumortin@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:29 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: BELMONT POOL

Dear Scott,

I am writing to state my 100% support of the new Belmont Pool and strongly encourage you to DENY ALL APPEALS.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Gretchen

(swimmer, runner, neighbor)

Gretchen Sumortin, RDN, CEDRD
Certified Eating Disorder Specialist
4060 Campus Drive, Suite #110
Newport Beach, CA 92660

(562) 412-1767

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:10:38 AM
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From: Tina Weidenkeller <tinaweidenkeller@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:35 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hi Scott!

I am an avid swimmer & am in favor of the new pool! Please please deny all appeals against the pool. The pool is a huge benefit to our community!

Thanks!

Tina

Tina Weidenkeller
714-904-7329
tinaweidenkeller@gmail.com

Please help us celebrate 2020 by supporting The Challenged Athletes Foundation by making a donation today.

<http://support.challengedathletes.org/goto/TinaandTimWeidenkeller>

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:26:49 AM

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From: rustyram <rustyram@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:38 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hi,
Just want you you to know that we support the building of the Belmont Pool!
Hope you do too,
Rusty & Teri Monroy

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:31:00 AM
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From: Ivy Martin <ijmartin@hawaii.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:56 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hello Mr. Kinsey,
I'm contacting you to tell you that I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. Thank you.

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Ivy Martin

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:27:27 AM

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From: Pete Cassiano <petercassiano@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:38 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Pete Cassiano

Sent from my iPhone

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To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Andrew Peek <andrew.peek@flw.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:44 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hi Scott,

I understand that we are having another meeting to discuss the status and future of the Belmont Pool. I am a little at odds with what message to send you. I am sure that the City has limited funds and seemingly unlimited projects needing funding. Obviously, I am not privy to what extent either side of that ledger might be imbalanced. I will say simply that I am a swimmer and I would very much appreciate and make good use of the new facility. I also feel that a beautiful new facility in the proposed location could go a long way toward cleaning up an otherwise run down and somewhat blighted area. That said, I have no doubt that you have a long list of projects that need attention and funding and an equally long list of people clamoring to get those projects approved. Best of luck with the decision.

Andy

Resident at 237 Granada Ave

Andrew Peek
President

FLW, Inc
5672 Bolsa Avenue | Huntington Beach, CA 92649



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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:31:40 AM
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From: Matthew Hanson <1601catalina@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:00 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Big support for Belmont Pool and what it will bring to our community. I encourage you to deny all appeals at this point and move forward. It is one of those items that will help our city stand out in the best way possible.

Thank you,

Matt Hanson
5254 Paoli Way
Long Beach, CA 90803

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:31:58 AM

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From: Gabby Gillott <grgillott@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:03 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Mr. Kinsey,

It is very important for me that you build the new Belmont Pool. This new pool will become the pool that I will use five days a week for water polo practice. Swimmers and water polo players all over Long Beach will benefit from the new pool.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:32:26 AM

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From: Patricia Powers <p.powers1957@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:03 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Dear Sir,

I support the building of the new pool. Let's get moving on this so those in opposition can find something else to fight over.

Pools save lives.
Swimming is great exercise.
The kids love being in the water BUT they must know how to swim.

I encourage you to move forward on this. Let's really be the great city I know we are.

Sincerely,
Patricia F Powers
2538 E. 2nd St.
Long Beach 90803
Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:35:15 AM
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From: Cami Stein <camistein2019@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:26 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: belmont pool

Scott,

please please, as a USA swim official and a USA diving official, PLEASE do not let the appeals ruin the plans for the new pool ! ! ! !

It's been 6 years, WE NEED THE NEW POOL AND THE DIVING WELLS.

Please approve the plans and let's see if we can make this a state of the art pool and area again for Diving and Swimming !

Bring the Olympics and Trials back again

Cami Stein

Cami Stein
DRE#01127208
CamiStein2019@gmail.com
Cell: (818) 522-4487

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:39:24 AM

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From: Denise Prosser <dcpross@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:42 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I support the building of the new Belmont Pool and I encourage you to deny any and all appeals. My husband and both of my children are Lifeguards and attended Wilson HS or are currently attending and rely on this pool. They were all involved in the Aquatics programs and continue to be. We believe that this will be an amazing opportunity for Long Beach.

Please don't let us down.

Sincerely and Respectively,
Denise Prosser and Family

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:40:02 AM
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From: Janelle Sherako <sherakofamily@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:42 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Hello

I support Belmont pool and I encourage you to deny all appeals.
I grew up competing in diving in that pool from Olympic exhibition shows, junior and senior USA diving as well as all 4 years CIF in both swimming and diving.
This location is an icon. We cant lose anymore facilities in So. Cal.

Regards,

Janelle Sherako

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool.
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:40:49 AM
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From: Ron Merriott <rondiver84@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:44 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool.

I am in support for the Belmont Pool proposal..I as a former Olympian spent many times training in the old facility in a community that Will thrive again with a new facility..

[Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android](#)

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:41:31 AM

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From: Maryhelen Bronson <bronsonmh@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:48 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I encourage you to support the building of the Belmont pool and to deny all delay appeals.
Maryhelen Bronson

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:43:47 AM
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From: Linda Simons <linda_simons@att.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:55 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the Belmont pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Linda Simons

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:54:30 AM
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From: Susan Dvonch <sue@shey-harding.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:13 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear Scott:

I wholeheartedly support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

As a Wilson HS graduate, lifelong swimmer (currently, 3 times weekly at Belmont Pool) and the parent of two female college water polo players, I know that Long Beach needs this facility.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,
Susan Shey Dvonch

Susan Shey Dvonch | Partner



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sue@shey-harding.com | www.shey-harding.com

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:45:06 AM
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From: Dale Lundin <dlundin@gusd.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:59 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

January 20, 2020

It has been too long since we have had a national level swimming complex here in Southern California. The city leaders of Long Beach realized this situation once before, decades ago, and built the Long Beach Belmont Plaza complex. This facility served as the premier aquatic complex for water polo, synchronized swimming, and competitive swimming at all levels including the United States Olympic Trials. World records, American Records, State Records, CIF Records and many club, high school were set in this pool. Many children and adults learned to swim here and it provided the opportunity for young and old to get the much needed exercise required for health and the opportunity of a longer life.

It was a sham that the pool was torn down before any actual plans of rebuilding were created. Now that plans are in hand, please do not let the voices of the few, remove the hopes and dreams of the many, that once again a facility of this quality can stand at the site of this historic building. I swam in the original pool, coached swimmers that swam in this pool, watched swimmers that set CIF, Pac-10, and national records in this pool, and ran the electronic timing at this pool for decades. It is the start of a new decade with I hope the same visionary leaders in charge of making this decision again. Please let me see a new facility rise from the sand on the shores of Long Beach while I am still alive.

Dale Lundin
Member of CIF Southern Section
Competitive Swimming and Diving Committee

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:06:27 AM
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From: Devon Beebe <devonbeebe2@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:12 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thank you,
Devon Beebe

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:05:51 AM
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From: Dave O'Neil <daveoneil81@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:10 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Scott,

Please move the new pool proposal forward. I live across the street from the current temporary pool and strongly support the new pool plan.

Thanks,

Dave O'Neil
49 Prospect Ave, Long Beach, CA 90803

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Susan Dvonch <sue@shey-harding.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:13 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

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Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,
Susan Shey Dvonch

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:54:56 AM

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From: Emily <emilykreger@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:17 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

I support the new Belmont pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thanks very much!

Emily Kreger

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:03:59 AM
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From: Jim Zagaria <jzdive@austin.utexas.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:26 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Mr. Kinsey

I am contacting you to show support the Belmont Pool project, and i encourage you to deny all appeals.

Jim Zagaria
Head Diving Coach | Longhorn Aquatics
The University of Texas at Austin
Cell: [512-375-7883](tel:512-375-7883)

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:05:28 AM
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From: Jaclyn Rosen <jaclynrosen@sandiego.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hi Scott,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. There is a need for an indoor pool in Southern California. We only have East LA college to host Championship swim meets in February were weather can be unpredictable. And East LA has been closed a bunch in the last couple of years for maintenance. Thank you for your time. Coach Jax

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Jaclyn Rosen
Assistant Coach
University of San Diego
Swimming and Diving
jaclynrosen@sandiego.edu
415-640-4205

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:10:23 AM

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From: Tami Gillott <tjgillott@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:50 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Please please please deny all appeals for moving forward with the new Belmont Pool. This has gone on long enough. The City needs this pool. The people against it only care about their own personal interests.

I, myself, have two girls that play water polo. If ground was broken today, they would still likely never benefit from the new pool, as they will be out of high school by the time it would be finished. In fact, it would probably negatively impact them, as they use the current “temporary” pool for practice. That being said, I absolutely want that pool built. There are so many people in the city that would benefit from it, not to mention surrounding cities. It’s pretty sad to see the sight of the former Belmont Olympic Plaza reduced to nothing more than a camp for homeless drug addicts.

Tami
Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:14:31 AM

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From: Julia Gillott <julesdgillott@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 5:32 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: belmont pool

a lot of people in my community would really like this pool to be built, so please do not allow these appeals to continue.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:14:41 AM

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From: Elle <ellemay22@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 5:38 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear Scott Kinsey,

I definitely SUPPORT the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny ALL appeals! This pool is needed in our Long Beach AQUATICS Capitol of the world! Please do not let made up, ridiculous arguments/statements sway this to postpone it. It is a necessity for LONG BEACH right now. Our community wants and needs this ASAP. Please do not delay this. We do not want to let all of our talented swimmers/teams/athletes go to other cities, and not represent our great AQUATIC city of LONG BEACH. Thank you for your time. We appreciate it.

Sincerely,
Elle Hamilton
Long Beach resident

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:15:04 AM

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From: Nicole Sample <nicolisampson@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 5:51 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

To whom it may concern:

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. I grew up in Long Beach and am the fourth generation in my family to live here. I moved to Belmont Shore and miss having an adequate pool for lap swimming. I learned to swim at the Belmont, swam competitively at the Belmont, and was one of the last people to ever swim in that pool. It holds a dear place in my heart and would love to see a new pool for the upcoming generations of Long Beach and would also love to see the revenue that it could bring the city.

Nicole Sample

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:15:22 AM

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From: Jeff Gillott <jefegillott@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 5:57 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Mr. Kinsey,

Thank you for all of the hard work and planning you have put in to the Belmont Pool. I am a firm supporter of the new Belmont Pool. I swam in the "Old Belmont" as a boy during recreation swim, swam and played water polo for Beach Swim Club, Wilson High School, and Long Beach City College, and used the pool for training as a Long Beach Junior Lifeguard, Non-Career Lifeguard, and Marine Safety Officer. It was amazing being able to compete and attend so many CIF, NCAA, and international water polo games and swim meets at the Belmont. My daughters used the Belmont for a City of Long Beach summer camp, and for Rocket Fish Swim Team. They now use the "temporary" pool for Shore Aquatics and Wilson Girls water polo and swimming. I look forward to the day when my daughters, all the citizens of Long Beach, and visitors to Long Beach will be able enjoy the "New Belmont Pool", and carry on the long tradition of aquatic excellence in our city.

Jeff Gillott
2200 McNab Ave., L.B., CA., 90815
562-619-4900

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
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From: Jessica Hardy <swimhardy@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:25 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

I spent what feels like half of my childhood in the old Belmont pool. It kept me out of trouble, it fostered a purpose, a place to work hard, and a place that nurtured my dreams. I broke national high school records, CIF titles, pac 12 titles & more in that pool. I was proud to show off my hometown to national teammates like Michael Phelps when it hosted competitions. I can't think of a better representation of Long Beach than the old beach-front historical pool & it shatters my heart to think that future generations might not have the opportunity or access to continue dreaming & continue to make our city proud.

Long Beach has more aquatic Olympians and Olympic medals than most COUNTRIES. That doesn't happen by accident. It happens because the ENTIRE city supports, encourages, and gives us a place to make those dreams come true. Your decision affects the future of our city. I hope that your decision will allow my two young children a place to nurture their own dreams.

Thank you.

Jessica Hardy Meichtry

www.jessicahardy.net

Cell 562-260-3923

Sent from my iPhone

Please excuse any typos

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Dana SIMON <dana.simon@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:40 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Sincerely,

Dana Simon

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:29:10 AM

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From: laurel plewe <laurelplewe@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:01 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

I support the building of the Belmont pool and strongly encourage you to deny all appeals. This is an important part of community and will be such an asset to many!

Sincerely,
Laurel Plewe
Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:29:46 AM

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From: Jeff Wheeler <jlw4344@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:05 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

To the City Council:

The late Belmont Pool was one of the things that drew me to Long Beach in the first place. I used to drive up every morning from Huntington Beach at swim when the pool opened. It was an incredible facility—nobody else had anything like it, and I've never known of any other facility that has the same dedication to public swimming. Watching the sun rises over the ocean never gets old, especially from a lane in such an amazing pool, and only in Long Beach do we make that luxury available to everyone in the city. Now, I've lived in Long Beach for over a quarter of a century, and I look forward to swimming many laps in the new pool. My children attended summer programs there.

Please build the new pool and continue to serve the entire Long Beach community.

Thank you so much for your great vision to see what an important service this is to the community.

Jeff and Laura Wheeler

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:30:37 AM
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From: Omar de Armas Sr. <omar.dearmas@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:11 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

The Belmont Pool was a landmark and the location of many of my kids meets and promoted the sport of swimming and diving which played a big part in their lives.

Omar de Armas
SCS Officials co-chair

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To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
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From: aaadclub@yahoo.com <aaadclub@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:54 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!
Luz Bea Law
2102866415

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
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From: Tasha Mazakas <activeinvestments@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 8:24 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. This benefits the community and Long Beach is dropping the ball on so many things. PLEASE let's get this done!
Tasha Mazakas
Long Beach resident since 1997

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Stephanie & Dan Luis <lvn_lrg@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 8:29 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hello Scott,

We are in support of the new Belmont Pool Complex and hope that construction can begin sooner than later. We have waited long enough for a new complex to be built, how many more appeals can there possibly be? Our daughter is a part of the diving community and wish we did not have to travel down to other cities facilities to use their pools. Hosting fundraising meets in our home city would be a plus as well (McCormick Divers has had to have their annual fundraisers out in Palm Dessert the past few years).

Thank you
The Luis Family

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:35:30 AM

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From: RESPECTBLCTZN@aol.com <RESPECTBLCTZN@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 8:38 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and highly encourage the denial of any appeals. Thank you -greg

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:36:33 AM
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From: Mark Steenhausen <msteenhausen@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 9:23 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!

I have swam at the facility since I played water polo at LBSU (1993).

The new pool is great for Long Beach!

Thank you!

Mark

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:37:52 AM

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From: Patrick <patcochran@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 9:49 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the building of the new Belmont Pool! Please deny all appeals.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:38:07 AM

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From: PATTI SORENSEN <pattisorensen@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 10:14 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

I support the New Belmont Pool and strongly encourage you to deny all appeals. Our kids need the pool!

Thank you,
Patti Sorensen

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
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From: Rebecca Snellen <rsnellen@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 10:24 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: 'Suzie Price' <suzie@suzieaprice.com>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I am writing to you to express my support for rebuilding the Belmont Plaza Pool. My husband grew up swimming in the Belmont, as did all three of my kids. I am still an avid swimmer, surfer and outrigger paddler. I swim 1-2 times a week at the outdoor Belmont pool. I ask that you deny all appeals against building this pool and do what is right for the Aquatic Capital of America. Give us a pool on the east side to provide a legacy of swimmers for years to come.

Respectfully,

Becki Snellen

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:39:01 AM

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From: SANDRA Comer <scomer1@mac.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 10:40 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

I support the new Belmont pool and request to deny all appeals.
Sandra Comer - USA swimming Official and local resident Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
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From: Sarah Bennett <sarahbennett21@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 5:08 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

My name is Sarah Bennett and I am a 4th generation and lifelong Long Beach resident. I am writing in support of the rebuild of the Belmont Pool. Long Beach needs this pool!!!!

Thank you,
Sarah Bennett

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:48:02 AM
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From: Mike Pugh <mike.wcip@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 5:51 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals"

Mike Pugh
Broker/Owner W C I P
West Coast & Island Properties, California
Direct [562-208-1237](tel:562-208-1237)
West Coast & Island

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
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From: Lisa Valaika <lisa.valaika@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 5:27 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Hello Scott -

I support the Belmont Pool and hope that things move forward without any appeals.

Thank you,

Lisa

Lisa Valaika
3808 Pine Ave, Long Beach, CA 90807
562-424-6319

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:48:19 AM

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From: Amy Alexander <dive.coach.amy@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 6:57 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hello Mr. Kinsey,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. This pool will be an asset to all of Southern California by providing a world class facility for both those active in aquatics sports and recreational swimming patrons. I appreciate your consideration and support of this project.

Regards,

Amy Alexander

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:50:04 AM
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From: Erin Crenshaw <erin.m.crenshaw@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 7:36 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Scott,

Good morning!

I am a Long Beach resident, Cal State Long Beach graduate, and parent of a junior Olympian and Wilson high school student. My husband played water polo for and graduated from Long Beach State, where he competed at the Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool for many years.

It has been heartbreaking and challenging to watch our community struggle to find water and a safe place to train. The existing pool is falling apart. I believe we are doing a disservice to the future generations of athletes and our community by not keeping our promise to rebuild the Belmont Plaza pool.

I support the proposed plans for the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. We have patiently waited long enough. Please do this for our student athletes and our community as we will all benefit when the Belmont Plaza Pool is once again open for training and recreation for all.

With sincerity,

Erin M Crenshaw

Long Beach State Alumni, '94 BS, Physiology

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:57:11 AM
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From: Katelyne Herrington <kherrington@PACIFIC.EDU>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 7:56 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hi Scott,

I am emailing you this morning expressing my support in the new Belmont Pool, encouraging to deny all appeals. Because of the location of the Belmont pool, it would provide a location to assist in the demand of competition pools.

Thank you,

Katelyne Herrington
Head M. & W. Swim and Dive Coach
University of the Pacific
kherrington@pacific.edu
<http://pacifictigers.com>
Office: 209.946.2710
Cell: 209.662.3962



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:58:35 AM
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From: Ted Olivieri <trackmdr@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:18 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Scott,

It would be a shame if the the new pool project is denied. We need that pool for our athletes to be able to compete.

Please deny any appeals to stop the project.

Thank You,
Ted Olivieri

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Gail <gail.archambault@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:40 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hi Scott,

I would like you to know that I support building the new Belmont Pool. Providing this facility to the community will open up so many wonderful opportunities for both children and adults, from infants to seniors, on both a competitive level as well as a wellness/fitness level. This facility will be one the city and residents will be proud of. There are so few swimming and diving facilities in the LA area and the Belmont Pool is needed. Please deny all appeals.

Thank you!

Gail Archambault

(Former diver who dove at Belmont in 1976-78)

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Tobin Kirk <tobinkirk@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:03 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Mr. Kinsey,

I wanted to take a few minutes to let you know of my support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny any and all appeals at the upcoming Council Meeting.

This pool is important for the community and the kids that need access to it.

Thanks in advance for your support.

Sincerely,

Tobin

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Tobin Kirk | Executive Producer | 213-952-0620 | tobinkirk.com

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
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From: Gustavo Penilla <grpenilla@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:21 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Dear City Councilman Kinsey.

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to please deny all of the appeals.

Respectfully,

Gustavo Penilla

835 Locust Ave, Unit 525
Long Beach, CA 90813

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool and hoped for approval vote
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:06:45 AM
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From: noturnswim@yahoo.com <noturnswim@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:13 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool and hoped for approval vote

It seems amazing that a pool to replace a pool could take so long and involve so much “study” but it is my sincere hope that I get a chance for lap swimming at Belmont again while my ability to swim remains viable...at 70 years old really swimming the ocean is unfair to lifeguards. Please approve the pool

[Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad](#)

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool approval
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From: Chris Peoples <cpeoples@fjuhsd.org>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool approval

Mr. Kinsey,

With the upcoming council meeting regarding the approval for the new Belmont pool, I ask that you and the council approve and endorse it's construction.

Thank you,

Chris Peoples
Belmont pool user and advocate

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Facility
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:39:05 AM

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From: Michael Steffes <msteffes@antioch.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:40 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Facility

Hello,

I just wanted to let my 2 cents be heard about the proposed Belmont Pool. As someone who used the old pool, uses the current pool, and lives in the Belmont area, I wanted to say that I am strongly in support of this proposal. It's long past time we get an Olympic style complex built again before Long Beach loses the reputed the swimming Mecca it has previously earned. What we have currently is not sufficient. Please deny these ridiculous appeals and move this proposal forward. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,
Michael Q Steffes
171 Corona Ave
Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor
562-822-8411

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:11:19 AM

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From: Anita Correa <anitagorun@earthlink.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Project

I would like to voice my support of the new Belmont pool project and encourage the denial of all appeals. As a parent of 2 competitive swimmers/water polo players and a Master's swimmer myself, I have seen the difference that water sports can make in a person's life.

Anita Correa

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Revitalization Project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:59:02 AM
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Importance: High

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From: Michael Wright <mwright@uamco.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:28 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: 'fortyluvbw@yahoo.com' <fortyluvbw@yahoo.com>
Subject: Belmont Pool Revitalization Project
Importance: High

My family and I give full support to the Belmont Pool revitalization project. We are a family of 5 with 3 children who all love to swim and swim competitive as well. There is nothing "coastal" that would compare to this and it's desperately needed. I live in Huntington Beach which is asleep at the wheel with an aquatics center, the city of Long Beach with this project could become the staple for years to come. This would be a wonderful addition to the city and "cleaned up" image of Long Beach. Smart move with 2nd & PCH development... This makes LB an even bigger attraction to live and work in Long Beach. You are creating intrinsic value with this addition. Pass it



Mike Wright

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Support
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:30:07 AM
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From: Megan Parks <mparks@appreciationfinancial.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:11 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Support

I support the Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Always With Appreciation,

Megan D. Parks
[Field Vice President](#)

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Support Letter
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From: Aaron Simon <theboxman@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:31 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Support Letter

Dear Scott,

I am in 100% support of the new Belmont plaza pool. As a father of three children that are involved in aquatics and water polo, I can tell you that we deeply value this project. I have seen the positive impact of long beach aquatics and we are definitely in need of improved and expanded facilities.

I can't imagine why we as a community wouldn't see the tremendous value for all of the families that use these resources.

Very sincerely,

Aaron Simon

Sent via the Samsung Galaxy S9+, an AT&T 5G Evolution capable smartphone
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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Support Plea!!
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:04:38 AM

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From: gulbdcm@verizon.net <gulbdcm@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:29 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Support Plea!!

Planner Kinsey,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thank you,

Debbie Gulland

Sent from Deb's iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Support!!
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:08:58 AM
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From: Mia Tedesco <mtedesco@hawaii.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:27 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Support!!

Mr. Kinsey,

I heavily support the new Belmont pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!!

Thank you,

Mia Tedesco

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Support
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:28:22 AM

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From: Micah Carlson <micahdcarlson@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Support

Good Afternoon Mr. Kinsey,

I am writing to express my formal support for the New Belmont Pool, and encourage you to deny hearing any further appeals.

I am a 9 year resident of Long Beach, and have been a home-owner in Belmont Shore for the last 3 years. However, my history with the legendary Belmont Swimming Pool goes back over 20 years to my time as an age-group club swimmer from Hawthorne. We swam championship meets multiple times a year at Belmont.

In High School, Belmont was host to multiple CIF Swimming events; as well as the site where my Team won its First CIF Water Polo Championship Title.

Following that, I came home to Belmont for my first PAC-10 Championship Swimming Meet with the Arizona State Swimming program.

Now, as a full-time Ocean Lifeguard with the County of Los Angeles, I use Belmont regularly to maintain my swimming fitness to keep beach-goers safe.

I hope that we will be able to restore the glory of Belmont for future generations, including my 2 young sons.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Regards,

Micah Carlson

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool Supporter
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 11:00:26 AM
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From: Mark Rohling <mrohling@roadrunner.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:42 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool Supporter

As a member of the Swim Long Beach masters swim team, and a frequent user of the current temporary Belmont Pool, I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Regards,

Mark Rohling
912 Blue Heron, Seal Beach, CA 90740

C: 714.290.3524
H: 562.431.9701

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool!
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:10:00 AM
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From: Erica Beebe <e.beebz13@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:32 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool!

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. This is a something that makes Long Beach beautiful, community oriented and overall GREAT!

Thank you for your your time,

Erica Beebe

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:49:35 AM
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From: todd rodgers <accipitor@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 7:35 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont pool

Hello,

I'm one of the many thousands of people that have grown up swimming in the Belmont pool. The first time was in 1979 and I still remember it. No other pool in Southern California sits on the beach like Belmont did, it was iconic. It would be tragic for us to lose it. Please move forward with the plans for the pool as quickly as possible.

Todd Rodgers

P.S. I own a home and commercial property in the city, so I will be paying my share of the cost for the pool.

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:19:42 AM
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From: Wilfred Diaz <wilfreddiaz@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:15 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Pool

Hello,

I support the Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thanks,

Wilfred Diaz

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont Shore Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:10:17 AM
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From: Rollin White <rollinjwhite@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:32 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont Shore Pool

Please note that I support the proposed Belmont Shore pool project and hope that the council will reject the current appeals.

Thank you.

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Belmont support
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:09:16 AM
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From: Karolina Hajkova <karolinahajek@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:30 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Belmont support

Hello,

I support the new Belmont pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Best regards,
Karolina Hajkova

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Build the new Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:11:36 AM
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From: John Gurich <gurich3@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Build the new Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

John Gurich

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Completely Support the Belmont Pool Project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:15:35 AM
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From: Kaia Hedlund <kaiahedlund@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:09 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Completely Support the Belmont Pool Project

Mayor Garcia
Members of the Long Beach City Council

I am in complete support of the Belmont Pool Project and strongly urge approval and for you to deny any appeals made by a small but vocal group of individuals. This facility is desperately needed by the Long Beach Community and the greater Southern California Aquatics Community. Let's not waste any more time and money in unnecessary delays.

Thank you.

Kaia Hedlund
kaiahedlund@msn.com
562-754-2075

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Deny all appeals for Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:25:37 AM

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From: Valli O'Donnell <vallio1@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:22 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Deny all appeals for Belmont pool

We support the pool. Please do not allow further delays or cancellation of this process.

We use the current facility and will support the new pool.

Valli and Tim O'Donnell
Registered voters
Full time residents and tax payers for over 24 years
154 Glendora ave
Long Beach Ca 90803

Sent via iPhone. Please excuse my grammar and typos.

Valli

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Diving pool in Long Beach
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:44:46 AM
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From: Dustin Webster <webster.dustin@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:59 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Diving pool in Long Beach

Mr. Kinsey,

How, after a couple of years of constantly demonstrating that the sport of diving is important to the city, have we come to a point once again where an emergency call goes out because diving may be cut from the Belmont Pool? From total beginners to Olympians and World Champions, it's clear that the city of Long Beach has played a historic role in the sport of diving. You have one of the best diving coaches in the world there who wants to continue her program. You have numerous top athletes that either live in the area or want to move there to train. You have diving voices from all around the world telling you to PLEASE support a full 10-meter diving facility. It's time to step up and do the right thing by saying loudly, LONG BEACH WILL BUILD A DIVING FACILITY!

Regards,

Dustin Webster

Red Bull Pro Athlete - World High Diving Champion

619-820-3332 cell

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support a New Pool for Long Beach
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:42:56 AM
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From: Andrew Hall <AHall@lbschools.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:52 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support a New Pool for Long Beach

Please Deny the appeals. We really need a new pool in Long Beach.
APH

Andrew P. Hall

Wilson High School

562-433-0481 ext. 6160

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support Belmont Pool Revitalization
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From: Ellen Abbene <ellena@socal.rr.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 11:11 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support Belmont Pool Revitalization

Good Day, Mr. Kinsey,

I am a lifelong swimmer, synchronized swimmer, swim instructor and swimming coach. I currently reside in an unincorporated portion of Los Angeles. I was a participant at the 1974 Senior National Synchronized Swimming competition held at the former "Belmont Plaza". I whole-heartedly support the revitalization of the Belmont Pool, and hope construction will begin soon, to bring a world-class competitive venue back to the area. I agree that the pool should also serve the needs of the surrounding community. It is difficult to see the revitalization of Belmont as anything other than an exceptional opportunity: an excellent facility built to benefit the neighborhood, the aquatics community, and even the global village!

Thank you!

Ellen Abbene

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support Belmont Pool
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From: Judy Valadez <judyvaladez@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:05 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support Belmont Pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I support development of the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny any appeals.

I understand this is a significant undertaking and expense, however I imagine it would bring a significant number of jobs to the area during construction as well as significant revenue in the future. This could help revitalize the immediate area. There's no question 2nd Street has suffered from the new and beautiful 2nd and PCH — change is good, and a new aquatics facility would bring new demand to the area.

We have fond memories of swimming and swim events at the old Belmont Pool, and hope that our children can swim and/or compete at the new aquatic facility in the near future.

Sincerely,
Judy Valadez

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:13:40 AM

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From: Jackie Yukawa <jackieyukawa@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 5:01 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the Belmont pool

Please no appeals
Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:31:13 AM
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From: Marc Briggs <sundevidivers@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:29 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the Belmont pool

To whom it may concern,

I write in support for a new Belmont Pool, and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thank you,

Marc Briggs
Head Coach - Sun Devil Divers
sundevidivers@gmail.com
(602) 791-3851

Please follow us on Social Media @SunDevilDivers
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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Support the Belmont Pool
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From: Matthew Hanson <matt.hanson@aleragroup.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:34 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Support the Belmont Pool

Mr. Kinsey,

I support the building of the New Belmont Pool facility as proposed by the City Council and encourage that you deny ALL appeals.

This is an exciting project for our City for all the right reasons.

Thank you,

Matt and Kirsten Hanson

Matthew Hanson

Managing Partner

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Support The New Belmont Pool
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From: Mike Wells <mwells@cavmachine.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:31 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Support The New Belmont Pool

Dear Scott,

I support the building of the New Belmont Pool facility as proposed by the City Council and encourage that you deny ALL appeals. This endless review has gone on long enough and is becoming embarrassing.

Sincerely,
Mike Wells
Long Beach resident for 45 years

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the new Belmont Pool
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From: Shelly Williams <swilliams39@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:56 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the new Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!!
Thank you.
Shelly Williams

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the new Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:58:16 AM

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From: David2007 <david2007@davidhancock.org>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:14 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the new Belmont pool

David Hancock
(562) 221-5946

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the new Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 11:04:45 AM
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From: Scott Shiokari <sshokari@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:53 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the new Belmont Pool

Greetings Mr. Kinsey - I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. There's nothing quite like the swimming community in Long Beach and I think the City should do whatever it can to continue fostering it's development and make it a part of Long Beach's identity.

Respectfully,

Scott Shiokari

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Support The New Belmont Pool Facility
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:32:47 AM
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From: Shawn Oatey <shawnoatey@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:09 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Support The New Belmont Pool Facility

Hello Scott,

I am sending you this email to let you know that I completely support the City's plan to build the new Belmont Pool facility in Belmont Shore and would like to encourage my City Council to deny ALL appeals to this project. It is time to do the smart and right thing and build a facility that we can all use and be proud of.

Thank you,

-Shawn

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Support The New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 11:02:48 AM
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From: Shannon Wells <shannonwells9801@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:45 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Support The New Belmont Pool

I support the building of the New Belmont Pool facility as proposed by the City Council and encourage that you deny ALL appeals.

Thank you,
Shannon D. Wells

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Support The New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:56:50 AM
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From: Tim Wells <timwells@cavmachine.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 7:37 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Support The New Belmont Pool

To whom it may concern,

I support the building of the New Belmont Pool facility as proposed by the City Council and encourage that you deny ALL appeals. I grew up playing water polo at the old Belmont pool, and returned there to play in the NCAA championships in college. Swim and waterpolo has always been a vital part of our community, and I want the same opportunities for my kids and others to partake in it.

Regards,
Tim Wells
Long Beach Poly class of 1993

President
Cavanaugh Machine Works
1540 Santa Fe Ave
Long Beach, CA 90813
562-437-1126

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the new Belmont Pool!
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:48:45 AM
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From: Samantha Diaz <mamadiaz94@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 7:04 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the new Belmont Pool!

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I support the new Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:38:39 AM
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From: Michael C. Bergkvist <mbergkvist@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:35 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I support the new Belmont pool

I support the building of the New Belmont Pool facility as proposed by the City Council and encourage that you deny ALL appeals.

Very truly yours,
Michael C. Bergkvist Esq.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I Support the pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:32:57 AM

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From: AMIE HALTOM <amieroe@me.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:55 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I Support the pool

Hi Scott Kinsey,

I support the pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. Long Beach needs his pool back.

Thank you,

Amie Haltom

Long Beach mom of waterpolo player and former McCormick diver.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: I want the new pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:06:10 AM
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From: Lyle Nalli <lnalli66@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:10 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: I want the new pool

Hi Scott
Please, let's get this new pool complex done. ASAP if you please.

Lyle Nalli

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: In support of Belmont Pool Build
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:27:47 AM
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From: Michele Mitchell <mmitchell@mvndive.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: In support of Belmont Pool Build

Mr. Kinsey,

With the upcoming 2028 Olympics just around the corner, I urge you to move the Belmont Aquatic Complex build forward. Southern California is in need of more aquatic facilities that serve not only the local community but also the National Governing Bodies, high schools, colleges, conferences and thousands of student-athletes.

Facilities like what is being proposed, also bring in tax dollars through bed tax and have a significant economic impact.

I support the Belmont project and remember fondly, diving in front of a sold out crowd during the 1984 Olympic Team post games tour.

Michele Mitchell, Ph.D.

1984 & 1988 Olympic Silver medalist

Head Coach

Mission Viejo Nadadores

27474 Casta Del Sol

Mission Viejo, CA 92692

(cell) 520-661-4937

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Long Beach Aquatic Center
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:36:59 AM
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From: Greg Earhart <gearhart@cscaa.org>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:26 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Kaia Hedlund <kaiahedlund@msn.com>; KatieRoweH2o@gmail.com
Subject: Long Beach Aquatic Center

Hello Mr. Kinsey,

I had attempted to submit the below through the Speak Up, Long Beach website, but was unsuccessful. Please accept my apologies and my comments regarding tomorrow's City Council Meeting.

Thank you,

Greg

I am writing, on behalf of the College Swimming and Diving Coaches Association of America, in support of the redesigned Belmont Beach and Aquatic Center Complex.

The new Aquatic Center will benefit not just the community of Long Beach, its economy and its local swimming and diving communities, it will help support opportunities for college swimmers and divers throughout the entire western half of the Country.

The loss of the previous Belmont Plaza Olympic Pool has had a devastating effect on intercollegiate swimming and diving. Since its demolition, there are fewer than two-dozen Olympic-sized, championship-caliber facilities west of the Missouri River. Since its demise, our member teams and student-athletes have experienced excessive travel costs, had to compete before largely empty stands or subpar facilities, and spent money on lodging and meals outside of their home communities.

The redesigned Belmont Complex will enable Long Beach to return to its rightful place in the swimming and diving community. In addition to being a source of outside revenue for the community, it will serve the needs of those within the community while also inspiring future generations.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Truly,
Greg Earhart
Executive Director



Greg Earhart

Executive Director

P: (719) 270-1099**M:** (262) 237-0255

A: 415 N Tejon Street, Colorado Springs, CO 80903

W: www.cscaa.org**E:** gearhart@cscaa.org



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Long Beach Pool Project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:52:57 AM
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From: Scot Ranslem <scotranslem@discover.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:12 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Long Beach Pool Project

Dear Mr. Kinsey:

I strongly support the new Belmont pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

This is an important project and will see many people benefit from the pool being there and available. Our children need a place to learn to swim and get exercise. You have the power to make that happen. Please do.

Scot Ranslem
(661)510-5133

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Long Beach pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:30:42 AM

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From: Abbey Vince <abbeyvince@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:56 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Long Beach pool

I am in support of the new Belmont pool and I encourage you to deny all appeals! We are the aquatic capital of the country, if not the world and it's ridiculous that we are having such a hard time pushing this pool through. And I know it's not your fault and you have gotten a lot of emails like this but the pool is a staple in Long Beach that attracts so many people and without it, it would be devastating.

Thank you,
Abigail (Abbey) Vince

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Long Beach Swimming & Diving Complex
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:49:06 AM

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From: Robnleesuh Crisostomo <thehouse5@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 7:11 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Long Beach Swimming & Diving Complex

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I support the building of the Belmont Pool. Please deny all new appeals!

We are new to the sport of diving and my daughter loving it! Unfortunately, we are disappointed to find out that there is a shortage of state-of-the-art diving facilities close by. Southern California, and Long Beach, for that matter, would seem to be the ideal place to house one. In a city where brand new stadiums and sport facilities are being built automatically draws national attention. Hindering a gathering place for world renown water sports would be a missed, lucrative opportunity!

Thank you for your consideration,

Lisa Crisostomo
310-308-5332

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Long Beach Swimming & Diving Complex
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:34:54 AM
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From: Mike Dreyfus <mike@tossomdive.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:20 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Debby McCormick <diventennis@aol.com>
Subject: Long Beach Swimming & Diving Complex

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!

Hello Scott,

My name is Mike Dreyfus and I coordinate the diving programs for the entire Hart High School District in Santa Clarita, consisting of 6 area schools. I also coach for both The College of the Canyons and Masters University. Unfortunately there are very few facilities available for divers in the southland. We have very few locations to train and compete. Other than some local Universities and The Rosebowl, Mission Viejo is the only facility to offer a viable opportunity to train. This is a prime location for a full service complex. It will help us introduce athletes to a classic, artistic sport which is struggling enormously in todays sports world due to lack of adequate training locations.

If you look across the southland at facilities who promote diving and offer competitive training programs, you will find they are flourishing. If you build it they will come.

Thanks you for your consideration,

Mike Dreyfus
818-324-3752

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: new Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:07:49 AM
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From: Kelly Morris <k2morris@lbcc.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:17 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: SWIM Long Beach <swimlongbeach@gmail.com>
Subject: RE: new Belmont pool

Hello Scott,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thanks so much everyone who is working so hard to get our new pool in the ground!!

Kelly Morris
Long Beach City College, Kinesiology Professor
Long Beach Memorial Medical Center Physical Therapy
ex- Mc Cormick Diver
ex-BEACH swim/water polo
life long Long Beach Aquatics supporter

Go BEACH!!

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: new belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:17:09 AM

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From: patricia zieg <the.ziegs@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:11 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: new belmont pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

What is the matter with this city? Why are we still debating this? Why does the city choose to be ignorant about the aquatic history of champions, the water programs, the families that have moved to Long Beach, and now the families that are leaving Long Beach in droves, all because of our water situation?

GET US A POOL! A BEAUTIFUL POOL!

Been to Commerce? El Monte? Irvine? They have pools. And they have programs, and champions, and families who move there and pay taxes in order to get their kids into decent water teams and training.

Long Beach used to house the top of the top, and it could be that way again, very, very soon, if you will **GET US A POOL!!!!**

Please deny all appeals. This is good for Long Beach: for the kids, for the schools, for families who want to come and train and carry on our water tradition...AND it is good for the city to be able to host special events in our city like we used to!

The Zieg Family supports the new pool and so should you.

Signed,
Steve Zieg
Patricia Zieg
Alex Zieg
Delaney Zieg
16 55th Place
Long Beach CA 90803

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:31:33 AM
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From: tpopp <toppopp2000@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:32 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Pool

Good evening Scott,

I support and am excited for the new Belmont Pool, and I encourage you to vehemently deny all appeals.

Thank you and have a wonderful week.

Regards,

Thomas A. Popp

"is sloppiness in speech caused by ignorance or apathy? I don't know and I don't care." ~William Safire

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:13:18 AM
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From: Avery E Crenshaw <avery.e.crenshaw@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:59 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Pool

Hello,
I strongly support construction of the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.
Thank you,
Avery Crenshaw

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:18:57 AM
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From: Paige Gurich <pgurich@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:31 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!!!

Thank You,
Paige Gurich

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont pool- in favor
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:19:35 AM
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From: Jennie Meade <hattiema85@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:32 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont pool- in favor

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:57:50 AM
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From: Kazunori Miyahara <kazumiyahara@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:09 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Belmont Pool

Dear Scott,

I am a member of the aquatic community in Long Beach for 30 years and I support the new Belmont Pool. I highly encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thank you,
Kazu Miyahara

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: new Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:26:28 AM
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From: Melissa Ingels <mrmrsingels@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:37 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: new Belmont Pool

Hi Mr. Kinsey,

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

**Thank you for your time,
Melissa Ingels**

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Pool - No more appeals!
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:29:52 AM
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From: Fred Gilbert <sailnfast@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:45 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Pool - No more appeals!

Scott--

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. This has dragged on forever and it's time we get going on the new pool. As a

**swimmer and someone
with kids who is always
looking for a fun
recreational activity for
them, this pool is exactly
what we need.**

Thx.

**Fred Gilbert
5330 E. Vermont St.
Long Beach, CA 90814**

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: NEW POOL RULES
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:32:07 AM
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From: Tenemane <tenemane3@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:34 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: NEW POOL RULES

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals!!!

I have been a lifeguard for over 5 years in beautiful SoCal and fully support the new pool!

Hawaii Howell

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: New Pool
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From: Rocci Merlo <roctile@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 9:40 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: New Pool

I support the New Pool!
My son plays water polo for shore and is on the
Wilson water polo and Swim team. Do you know how much History the Belmont Pool has made?
Former Olympians too many to count have been raised at that Pool. Thousands of kids from all ages
and schools use it
Daily. Its got the parking easily accessible. Its part of Long Beaches Fabric.
JEWEL!
BUILD IT, PLEASE

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From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Our new Belmont Pool is going to be great
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:40:30 AM
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From: Peter Allen <surly54@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Our new Belmont Pool is going to be great

Mr. Kinsey

I understand our new Belmont Pool is up for consideration at tomorrow's City Council Meeting.

I totally support the pool and am quite excited about seeing it built. I also look forward to swimming in it.

The pool will be a great recreational asset for our city and put us back on the map as an aquatics destination. It will undoubtedly host water polo, swimming, and diving tournaments which will bring in business.

As background, my wife, daughter, and I live in Belmont Shore at Division and Granada. Our daughter is in 11th grade at Wilson and is on the swim team. She also played water polo with Shore Aquatics for 5 or 6 years. My daughter will be out of high school before our pool is finished, but other kids will get to swim, dive, and play water polo there.

Thank you.

Pete Allen
134 Granada Ave.
Long Beach, CA

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:23:13 AM

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From: jeffwimbish@gmail.com <jeffwimbish@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:19 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Pool

I support the pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Jeff Wimbish

Sent from Jeff Wimbish's iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:13:45 AM
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From: Laura Mathison <lawmathison@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:07 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: pool

"I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals"

Thank you,

Laura Mathison

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:34:05 AM
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From: Jason Gregory <jasongregory36@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 8:20 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Pool

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Jason Gregory

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Pool!
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:22:27 AM

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From: Mike Alger <mdalger@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Pool!

Scott, we need a new pool! Please make this happen! I grew up swimming in the Old Belmont pool and want to swim in the new pool. Long Beach has always had a great reputation as an aquatic friendly city, let's keep that up. The vocal minority only wants their self serving agenda heard. Please don't bow to the squawking, do the right thing.

Mike Alger

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:45:29 AM

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From: MATTHEW MITCHELL <matty.mitchell@mac.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject:

Dear Scott

It support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you and council to deny all appeals. I live on Claremont in Belmont Shore my family and I have used the Belmont facility for the last 45 years and would love to continue keeping Long Beach the Aquatic Capital of America.

Matthew Mitchell

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:45:48 AM
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From: Janelle Sherako <janellesp27@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:12 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support Belmont pool

I support keeping Belmont pool and I request you deny all appeals.

This location is a southern california icon. We dont need more shopping, parking or restaurants, we need facilities for our youth and adults alike.

Patricia

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:36:49 AM

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From: Julie Whitehead Weddle <julesdiving@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 9:30 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support Belmont pool

Please support Belmont Aquatic center. So many positive things can come from this. Stand up for what's right. So many conferences would hold meets there. Swimming meets \$, diving meets \$, water polo tournaments \$

Giving a facility like this to the community is how communities come together

Coach Julie Weddle
University of New Mexico
Head Diving Coach
702-217-0360
Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: SUPPORT BELMONT POOL
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:09:38 AM
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From: SWIM Long Beach <swimlongbeach@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:31 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: SUPPORT BELMONT POOL

Mr. Kinsey and Council-

**We are strongly in support of the new
Belmont Pool.**

Please deny all appeals and build our pool!

thank you,
Swim Long Beach Masters

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for Belmont Plaza Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:16:02 AM

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From: Lynda Peoples <lloupeoples@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:10 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for Belmont Plaza Pool

We support the building of Belmont Plaza pool! We are the Aquatic Capital of the world and have been with out a state of the art pool for long enough. Please vote YES in support of building the pool!

Lynda Peoples
2088 Radnor Avenue
Long Beach, CA 90815

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:47:07 AM

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From: Peter Motekaitis <pjmotekaitis@ucdavis.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 4:37 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for Belmont pool

Dear Scott,

Long Beach and the State of California need the pool to Belmont pool.

Pete Motekaitis
California Swimmer

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:28:55 AM
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From: Barbara Jahn <bajahn@ucdavis.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:59 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for Belmont Pool

Dear Mr. Kinsey,

I support the New Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. I am a college coach in Northern California and our conference championship meet is always in Southern California. We are in search of a fast pool to provide our student-athletes the best opportunity to compete. Belmont would be such a venue.

Sincerely,
Barb

Barbara Jahn
Head Swim Coach
University of California, Davis
530-756-5897
bajahn@ucdavis.edu

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for New Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:31:20 AM
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From: Al Beird <al.beird@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:58 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Hedlund Kaia <kaiahedlund@msn.com>
Subject: Support for New Belmont Pool

Hello Scott,

I am commissioner of the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation which conducts NCAA Division I competition and championships in men's and women's water polo and men's and women's swimming and diving.

I want to let you know that I fully support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals as Southern California desperately needs another top notch swimming venue. We have definitely missed the old facility and there are many aquatic organizations anxiously awaiting the opening of this facility.

Thanks for your consideration and support in getting this project through the approval process.

Sincerely,

Al Beard
Executive Director
Mountain Pacific Sports Federation
abeird@mpsports.org
530-669-7600

Sent from Al Beard's iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for the Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:36:14 AM
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From: Mona Merlo <mmerlo@lbschools.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 9:03 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for the Belmont Pool

Dear Scott,

Please deny all appeals for the Belmont Pool so that the work can move forward. As a person and parent who is strongly engaged with all things aquatic in and around Long Beach, it is time to move this project forward for all parties involved.

Sincerely,

Mona Merlo

119 Roycroft Ave.

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for the Belmont Pool Revitalization Project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:33:21 AM
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From: Terry W. Stoddard <TWSTODDARD@pasadena.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 3:10 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Terry W. Stoddard <TWSTODDARD@pasadena.edu>; Kim O'Shea <execdirscs@gmail.com>; Kim O'Shea <office@socalswim.org>
Subject: Support for the Belmont Pool Revitalization Project

Scott Kinsey,

I am emailing you to encourage the City of Long Beach Council to accept the proposal and uphold the decision of the Planning Commission's recommendation regarding the Long Beach Belmont Pool revitalization project.

As the General Chair for Southern California Swimming, I represent over 20,000 registered athletes; over 150 registered clubs; over 800 registered coaches and over 100 Swimming Meet Official's when I say we can't wait to get back "in the swim of things" in Long Beach!

Over the past few years we have been finding other Cities and Facilities to participate in our swimming competitions at every level. Always on our mind is the question, "when can we return to Long Beach?"

Many of the most fond memories and those memories that inspire us to continue in the sport of swimming were either initiated or enhanced by an experience at the Belmont Plaza Pool. These experiences include but were not limited to learning how to swim; learning how to compete; learning how to be in community with other folks and learning how to win.

The City of Long Beach is an iconic place where all of these learning experiences are synonymous with Life Long Memories often referred to as “Remember when we were in Long Beach...” or “Remember when we were at Belmont...”

While driving to the Planning Commission Meeting in December, I have to share with you that the flood of memories of experiences in Long Beach and/or at the Belmont Pool that came streaming back made me feel like I was “coming home to swimming”.

They were Overwhelming!

I hope that the Belmont Pool Revitalization Project will find it’s way onto the hearts and into the vision of the current Council Members so that what the former Council Members felt and saw can continue on into the future.

I will be in attendance at the meeting and I will fill out a request for a public comment card so that I can share some of these thoughts with the Council.

If there is anything ever that I could do to help with this process and/or encouraging the City of Long Beach to except this project I would be very interested in hearing from you.

Keep on swimming,
Terry Stoddard,
General Chair,
Southern California Swimming
Cell phone: 818-681-5985
Email: twstoddard@pasadena.edu

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support for the Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:15:56 AM
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From: Kim Stephens <kimstephens@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:14 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support for the Belmont Pool

Hello!

As a 20 year resident of the Belmont area of Long Beach I'm requesting that city council move forward with the proposed pool. I've swam on masters teams here in Long Beach and when my children are old enough, I hope they will also swim competitively. I really wish the kiddie pool was already available for them now.

Please reject any future appeals!
Kim Stephens

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support of Belmont pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:20:04 AM
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From: Peter Knapp <pknapp1@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:17 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support of Belmont pool

I fully support the Belmont pool and encourage you to deny all appeals. The Belmont pool has served hundreds of thousands of residents for decades, and the new facility will do the same.

Peter Knapp

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support of Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:27:28 AM
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From: Douglas J Shaffer <djshaffer@lsu.edu>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support of Belmont Pool

Mr Scott Kinsley,

In 1978 I was an aspiring diver who moved across the country from Canton, Ohio to train in Southern California with the nation's elite divers and coaches. The Belmont pool was one of the facilities I trained and competed in for nearly 10 years. I have fond memories of that special pool on the beach. I had a successful athletic career which naturally led to a coaching career. While coaching, I have recruited numerous athletes who have trained at the Belmont pool with the late Glen and Debbie McCormick. The athletes I have met coming from this program have all been of good character, responsible, polite and respectable young adults who have been a pleasure to work with.

It is my hope to see Belmont return to its glory and continue to shape the growth of aquatic athletes. For this reason, **I strongly urge you to deny all appeals to the new Belmont pool.**

Thank you,

Douglas J Shaffer
Head Diving Coach
Louisiana State University
Athletic Administration Building
Baton Rouge, LA 70803

Cell: 225-266-6825
Office: 225-578-5055
djshaffer@lsu.edu
www.lsusports.net



From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support of Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:11:00 AM
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From: Brian Cruz <brianjcz@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 1:39 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support of Belmont Pool

Dear Mr. Scott Kinsey,

I am in support of the current Belmont Pool plans and strongly encourage you to deny all appeals.

Thank you for your time,

Brian Cruz
562.305.4014
Brianjcz@gmail.com

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support of the Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:23:43 AM
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From: Matt Boufford <boufford.m@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:40 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support of the Belmont Pool

Sir,

I support the new Belmont Pool. It is a great asset to a water-sport driven community, Thank you.

-Matthew Boufford

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support the Belmont Pool
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:28:05 AM
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From: Anita Cole <anita.chixwithstix@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 2:41 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support the Belmont Pool

I support the construction of the new Belmont Pool and want you to ignore all appeals trying to slow down process of building this aquatic facility asap.

Please try to get the go ahead to build this pool! It will service all kinds of swimmers from many areas of Southern California and from all socio economic levels. We need this Aquatic facility.

Anita Cole
44 Santa Catalina Dr, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275

310-367-4606 cell

Long Beach Grunion Membership Development Chair

Southern Pacific Masters Swimming Marketing Chair

USMS Fitness Committee Member

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: Support...
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:46:47 AM
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From: JOHN G. DUSCH <JDUSCH@BAWPLASTICS.COM>
Sent: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 2:21 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Support...

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.
Thank you
John Dusch

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Cc: [Maryanne Cronin](#)
Subject: FW: Vote NO on Aquatics Center
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:35:30 AM

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From: John Duran <duranje@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 7:58 AM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Cc: Esther Duran <estherduran@yahoo.com>
Subject: Vote NO on Aquatics Center

The Tidelands Funds for the Sea wall around Naples should be guaranteed and set aside for it's completion. Any remaining funds may be considered for funding for the Community Pool.
We would appreciate your assistance in making this so.

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Cc: [Maryanne Cronin](#)
Subject: FW: Vote NO on Belmont Beach and Aquatics Center - 1/21/20
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:18:25 AM
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From: Audrey Mabie <ahmabie@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:29 PM
To: CityClerk <CityClerk@longbeach.gov>; Mayor <Mayor@longbeach.gov>; Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>; Council District 1 <District1@longbeach.gov>; Council District 2 <District2@longbeach.gov>; Council District 3 <District3@longbeach.gov>; Council District 4 <District4@longbeach.gov>; Council District 5 <District5@longbeach.gov>; Council District 6 <District6@longbeach.gov>; Council District 7 <District7@longbeach.gov>; Council District 9 <District9@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Vote NO on Belmont Beach and Aquatics Center - 1/21/20

January 20, 2020

To the Attention of: City of Long Beach City Clerk, Mayor Robert Garcia

City of Long Beach Planning Department – Scott Kinsey

City of Long Beach Council District: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9

I'm writing regarding the plan for the construction of the Belmont Beach and Aquatics Center - City Council Agenda Item 20-0068 to 20-0072 on January 21, 2020. I can't attend the 1/21/20 meeting and I am submitting my comments via email in order to preserve my right to appeal any City Council decision on this project to the California Coastal Commission.

I strongly oppose this project and urge every City Council District representative to vote NO on this project.

The California Coastal Commission has raised some serious issues about this project in a letter (Letter of Incomplete Application, 12/6/19) which I hope will be addressed by Long Beach City Council before this project is approved.

Coastal Commission staff is requesting answers to the following questions (#6, Page 4) in their letter:

“General Recommendation 4 of the City’s certified General Strand Policies [from the City’s certified Local Coastal Plan - 1980] requires a definite priority listing of capital improvements be made for long-term capital development of beach facilities. Please describe how the proposed project affects the City’s capital improvement priorities. Please also provide the priority list.”

Shouldn’t City Council have that information before you vote on this project? Isn’t the public entitled to have this information and to see that list? I’d like a copy of the list too. Please send it to me when it’s submitted to the Coastal Commission.

The Long Beach City Council has a duty to enforce our certified Local Coastal Plan. It’s your responsibility to manage the Coastal Act implications of projects proposed for our coastal zone. I ask you to stop “kicking the can down the road” to the Coastal Commission. Stop the project until City Council can make an informed decision about this pool.

Until that information is available, I urge you to vote NO on this pool project.

Sincerely,

Audrey Mabie

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Cc: [Maryanne Cronin](#)
Subject: FW: Vote NO on Belmont Beach and Aquatics Center 1/21/20
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From: Gladys Moreau <gladmorau@yahoo.com>
Sent: Sunday, January 19, 2020 7:02 PM
To: CityClerk <CityClerk@longbeach.gov>; Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>; Mayor <Mayor@longbeach.gov>; Council District 1 <District1@longbeach.gov>; Council District 2 <District2@longbeach.gov>; Council District 3 <District3@longbeach.gov>; Council District 4 <District4@longbeach.gov>; Council District 5 <District5@longbeach.gov>; Council District 6 <District6@longbeach.gov>; Council District 7 <District7@longbeach.gov>; Council District 8 <District8@longbeach.gov>; Council District 9 <District9@longbeach.gov>
Subject: Vote NO on Belmont Beach and Aquatics Center 1/21/20

January 19, 2020

To the Attention of: City of Long Beach City Clerk, Mayor Robert Garcia
City of Long Beach Planning Department – Scott Kinsey
City of Long Beach Council District: 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9

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I strongly **oppose** this project and urge every City Council District representative to **vote NO** on this project

The California Coastal Commission has raised serious issues about this project in a letter (Letter of Incomplete Application, 12/6/19) which I think should be addressed by the Long Beach City Council before this project is approved.

In this letter Coastal Commission staff requests the following:

“Please describe any public outreach efforts conducted by the City in visioning the revised project design, preparing the proposed LCP [Local Coastal Plan] Amendment, and involving the public in local processes. Please include any outreach to communities expected to benefit from the proposed City-wide and Underserved Programs.”

I want to make you all aware of the following facts:

- City staff held one invitation-only meeting with the pool’s “Stakeholder Committee” in June 2019.
- The City’s Coastal Development Application was submitted to the Coastal Commission on 11/6/2019.
- The City’s Planning Commission reviewed this project on 12/19/19 – five weeks later.
- Councilwoman Suzie Price has not hosted a single public meeting in the 3rd District about this pool.
- There have been zero City-hosted community meetings about this revised pool project.

This is outrageous and completely unacceptable.

I urge you to **vote NO** on this project until there are City-wide public meetings to give residents the opportunity to review this plan, consider the re-zoning for the Belmont Plaza Pool area and for the public to be included in the planning process.

Sincerely,

Gladys Moreau
560 Pittsfield Ct, #102
Long Beach, CA 90803
310-594-0047

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: We Need the Belmont Pool Built
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:27:12 AM
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From: Scott Mehler <ssmehler@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 6:43 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: We Need the Belmont Pool Built

Mr. Kinsey,

It has been long enough. It is time to give the city back a much needed and missed competition worthy aquatic center.

I support the new Belmont Pool and encourage you to deny all appeals.

Please finally make it happen.

Sincerely,

Scott Mehler

From: [Scott Kinsey](#)
To: [Pluchette Slusher](#)
Subject: FW: YES to new Belmont pool project
Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 10:11:10 AM

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From: erin dolan moody <ecddesign@mac.com>
Sent: Monday, January 20, 2020 4:52 PM
To: Scott Kinsey <Scott.Kinsey@longbeach.gov>
Subject: YES to new Belmont pool project

Please move forward with plans for the new Belmont pool project. This will be an amazing facility for the community that will bring far more benefits to our world-class city than the ridiculous negative claims of the appealing naysayers.

Let's do this!!!

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Sent from my iPhone