

PROCLAMATION

presented for

## National Public Works Week

May 21-27, 2006

- Whereas, the services provided to our community by the Public Works Department are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and
- Whereas, the health, safety and comfort of this community greatly depends upon the efficient operation of our public works systems and programs such as services dealing with streets and highways, sidewalks, street trees, public buildings, the airport and transportation; and
- Whereas, the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design, construction and maintenance is vitally dependent upon the efforts and skills of public
- Whereas, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff the Public Works Department is greatly influenced by the community's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform.
- Now, Cherefore, I, Beverly O'Neill, Mayor of the City of Long Beach, on behalf of the Long Beach City Council, do hereby proclaim May 21-27, 2006 as National Public Works Week in Long Beach, and commend the efforts of those men and women who contribute so much to the health, safety, comfort and quality of life to the people of Long Beach.



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