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**Board of Harbor Commissioners** 

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**Dear Commissioners:** 

The following Motion was approved at the May 20, 2024 meeting of the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council:

Re: Motion supporting increased funding and staffing for Port of Los Angeles Construction and Maintenance Division.

Whereas the Port is investing hundreds of millions of dollars to create a world class destination at the LA Waterfront for residents and visitors,

Whereas it is imperative that the Port provides the budget and staffing to maintain the landscaping, public art, lighting, benches, and bathrooms that are components of the current LA Waterfront promenade, and public spaces, and also for future projects that will be under construction in the near future, and

Whereas there exists a particular concern regarding the deterioration of amenities in the first phase of the promenade adjacent to the cruise ship terminal, graffiti on Port property, and dead or missing landscaping throughout the length of the LA Waterfront.

Therefore be it resolved, the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council strongly supports increased funding and staffing levels for the Port of Los Angeles Construction and Maintenance Division in the fiscal year 2024-25 budget.

Sincerely,

Doug Epperhart, President

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On behalf of the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council Board

cc: Councilmember Tim McOsker