

## **Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council Port Committee Report to Full Board**

March 8, 2004  
Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council Board Meeting  
Next Port Committee Meeting April 6, 2004

### **Port of Los Angeles Community Advisory Committee**

PCAC By Laws Improvements

No updates or actions concerning PCAC By laws changes been proposed or forwarded to the stakeholders since the last NWSPNC board meeting.

We will continue to follow developments on this issue through the PCAC steering committee and via discussions with the steering committee co-chairs.

### **San Pedro Coordinated Plan Committee and Port Master Plan**

1. Phase I and Phase II Waterfront Development (Bridge to Breakwater)
  - a. Phase I (Bridge to Fire Station going forward)
    - i. Groundbreaking of Phase I has occurred on February 20, 2004. The Phase I portion of the Bridge to the Breakwater is moving forward.
  - b. Phase II (EEK/Gafcon Design)
    - i. Central San Pedro held forum to discuss Phase II on March 1, 2004
    - ii. Next EEK/Gafcon meeting is March 11, 2004, the Phase II waterfront alternative will be presented at this meeting
  - c. Will request EEK/Gafcon to present to NWSPNC during April meeting
  - d. NWSPNC resolution concerning plan at May 2004 meeting

### **China Shipping EIR**

Topics:

1. EIR still has not been released for public comment
2. EIR publication has been postponed until August of this year
3. Mr. Jon Leonard of TIAX presented an excellent presentation concerning Air Mitigation Measures to the committee. I have contracted the Port about getting a copy Mr. Leonard's presentation.
4. Following release and during public comment period NWSPNC Port Committee will draft a resolution concerning the draft EIR

### **Past EIR Working Group**

1. Past EIR Group has forwarded a resolution concerning the "No Net Increase" to the full PCAC for this months meeting. A copy of the resolution was forwarded by Shannon Day to Board members.
  - a. The resolution asks that the Board of Harbor Commissioners determine the increase in emissions since October 10, 2001, identify programs to control emissions, and provide a schedule to implement programs to meet the "No Net Increase" policy.

### **China Shipping Mitigation Fund**

1. The China Shipping Mitigation Proposal Review Process for the Year 2003 has been forwarded to the PCAC stakeholders
2. A completed Ballot is due to the Port of Los Angeles by 12:00 noon on April 5, 2004.
3. An Ad Hoc committee was formed to review the mitigation proposals and make recommendations to the Board
4. The first meeting of the Ad Hoc committee was on March 2, 2004. A summary of the results from the Ad Hoc committee review meeting is provided below.

### **Wilmington**

#### **Open Space**

Proposal 2 – East Wilmington Greenbelt  
 Proposal 28 - Baseball facilities and Programs

#### **Aesthetics**

#### **Education**

Proposal 6 - Harbor Environmental Health Education Center

### **San Pedro**

#### **Open Space**

Proposal 1 - San Pedro Welcome Park  
 Proposal 11 - Freshwater Preservation Habitat Restoration  
 Proposal 16 - American Merchant Marine Memorial Phase III

#### **Aesthetics**

Proposal 7 - Northwest Harbor Beautification Project  
 Proposal 19 Union Art Works  
 Proposal 26 - George Peck House

#### **Education**

Proposal 18 - Twin Brigantine Tall Ships

If acceptable to the Board a ballot will be completed approving these proposals for the year 2003.

### **Air Quality**

1. A schedule for the Port Air Quality Inventory Study was provided
  - a. Between April 14 and May 1, 2004 the Draft Air Quality Inventory Report should be available to the air quality sub committee
2. Jody James will be attending the Air Quality Meetings on behalf of the NWSPNC

**Light, Aesthetics and Noise Subcommittee**

1. Members currently reviewing the Light, Noise, and Aesthetics studies prepared by SAIC on behalf of the Port
2. Group will be investigation light from the Port at various points in San Pedro during a night data gathering trip
3. Will be working on the light issues initially then will tackle aesthetics and noise

**Traffic**

1. Group is currently reviewing the Draft Port of Los Angeles Baseline Transportation Study dated December 2003