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PORT OF LOS ANGELES HOLDS PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BIOLOGICAL MITIGATION OPPORTUNITIES

SAN PEDRO, Calif. – Inviting Harbor community members to become involved in the environmental mitigation process, the Port of Los Angeles will hold a public meeting on Tuesday, January 31, at 6 p.m., at Banning's Landing Community Center, 100 E. Water Street in Wilmington.

The Port of Los Angeles is seeking public input to identify potential biological mitigation sites "closer to home" in response to the October 25, 2005 resolution adopted by the Los Angeles Board of Harbor Commissioners establishing a policy of pursuing biological mitigation opportunities in the Harbor District and Ballona Wetlands.

During this public meeting, Port staff will outline the necessary criteria to accomplish biological mitigation and receive credits toward future Port development. Staff will also present a list of potential local mitigation sites for discussion.

For more information, visit the Port of Los Angeles website at www.portoflosangeles.org, or contact the Port's Environmental Management Division at (310) 732-3675.

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