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SAN PEDRO, Calif. – Twenty-two year real estate veteran Philip A. Tondreault today was named Port of Los Angeles director of property management by Bruce E. Seaton, interim executive director. Most recently Deputy Director of Asset Management for the City's Department of General Services, Tondreault spent 17 years at the Port of Los Angeles prior joining General Services in 1999.

"We are happy to bring Philip back to the Harbor Department," said Seaton. "He has a wealth of knowledge about real estate and Port operations, we expect him to hit the ground running."

As head of the Property Management Division, Tondreault will be responsible for planning and coordinating division activities that include negotiating and administering leases, permits, acquisitions, divestitures and condemnations of commercial and industrial land and water properties.

As the Port embarks on an unprecedented revitalization of its waterfront, the Property Management Division under Tondreault will include expanded functions associated with the "From Bridge to Breakwater" development. Former Director of Property Management Sid Robinson is taking on the development of the Port's Strategic Plan, a role he has held in the past.

Tondreault holds three degrees from California State University, Long Beach: a Bachelors degree in History, a Masters degree in History and a Masters degree in Public Administration.

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