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**PUBLIC ART WORKSHOP FOR WILMINGTON
WATERFRONT PLANNING TO BE HELD MAY 11**



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SAN PEDRO, Calif. - The Port of Los Angeles and the Port Community Advisor Committee Wilmington Waterfront Subcommittee will host a Public Art Community Meeting on Thursday, May 11 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for the Wilmington portion of the LA Waterfront Development Program. The community meeting will take place in the Wilmington Senior Citizen Center at 1371 Eubank Street in Wilmington. Interested community members as well as artists are invited to attend.

Part of the Port's LA Waterfront Development Project, the Public Art Program is intended to enhance and enrich the unique connections between art, the region and the community of Wilmington.

"The Public Arts Program will offer residents and visitors to the Wilmington Waterfront insights into the identity of Wilmington and create an additional source of community pride," said David Mathewson, Port Director of Planning and Environmental Affairs.

Artists, residents, students and business owners are encouraged to attend and learn about the Arts Program. Opportunities for artist participation will also be discussed.

For more information, call the Los Angeles Waterfront Information Center at (310) 732-3567.

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