

RESOLUTION

# American Society of Civil Engineers

WHEREAS, the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), founded in 1852, is a nonprofit organization representing more than 144,000 members of the civil engineering profession worldwide, and is America's oldest national engineering society; and

WHEREAS, the ASCE's mission is to facilitate the advancement of technology, encourage and provide the tools for lifelong learning, promote professionalism, develop and support civil engineer leaders, and advocate infrastructure and environmental stewardship; and

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Los Angeles Branch (MLAB) of the ASCE was founded in 1997 and represents over 3,000 members of the ASCE residing in the metropolitan Los Angeles area as well as being the largest Branch in the Nation; and

WHEREAS, October 14, 2011 marks the second Los Angeles City Hall Legislative Drive-in of the ASCE MLAB which will ceremoniously install the 2011-12 officers of MLAB ASCE during a banquet dinner at Tom Bradley Tower at City Hall; and

WHEREAS, MLAB ASCE organizes outreach events for school children throughout the City that consist of presentations and activities on engineering topics including earthquakes, sustainability, and construction, in addition to hosting engineering competitions for students of all ages to teach engineering principals and engage students to pursue higher education; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering and ASCE partner together annually to host the Los Angeles Regional High School Bridge Contest, which includes primarily the City's underrepresented schools; and



WHEREAS, the MLAB offers guidance to young aspiring engineers through five local university chapters including California State University Los Angeles, California State University Northridge, Loyola Marymount University, University of California Los Angeles, and the University of Southern California; and

WHEREAS, City employees and projects have received numerous awards and recognitions from MLAB ASCE including the Northeast Interceptor Sewer Project (2005 Outstanding Government Civil Engineering Project), Joe Billy Hawkins, Jr., P.E. (2008 Outstanding Civil Engineer in Government), Clark W. Robins, P.E., S.E. (2009 Lifetime Achievement Civil Engineering), and the Andres & Maria Cardenas Recreation Center (2009 Outstanding Architectural Engineering Project); and

WHEREAS, members of the ASCE work both for the City and its consultants and partner together to deliver infrastructure projects vital to the economy, safety, and prosperity of the residents of Los Angeles;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that by the adoption of this resolution, the City Council of and for the City of Los Angeles does hereby proclaim Friday, October 14th, 2011 as AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS DAY and encourage all Angelenos to recognize the contributions of ASCE professionals in maintaining and improving the quality of life for all.

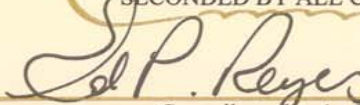



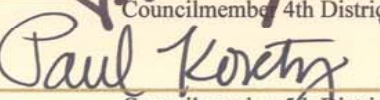
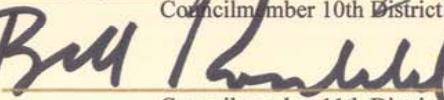

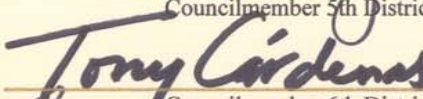

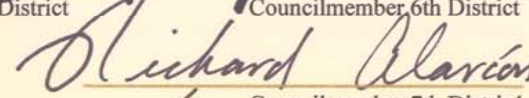
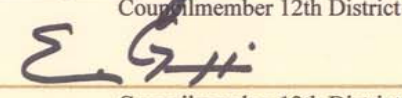
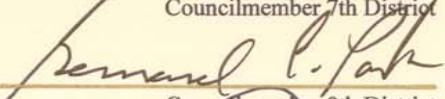
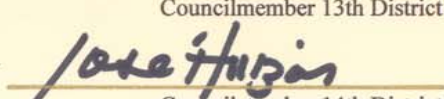
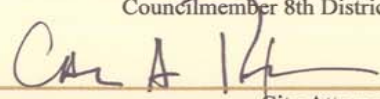

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 Councilmember 9th District  
  
 MAYOR

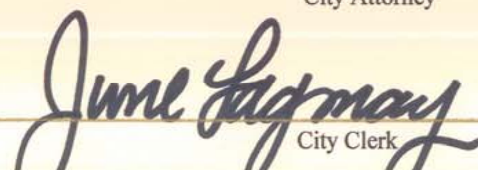
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting held October 14, 2011.

  
 President of the Council

SECONDED BY ALL COUNCILMEMBERS:

 Councilmember 1st District	 Councilmember 4th District	 Councilmember 10th District
 Councilmember 2nd District	 Councilmember 5th District	 Councilmember 11th District
 Councilmember 3rd District	 Councilmember 6th District	 Councilmember 12th District
 Councilmember 7th District	 Councilmember 13th District	
 Councilmember 8th District	 Councilmember 14th District	
 City Attorney	 City Controller	

ATTEST:

  
 City Clerk

