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LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL UNANIMOUSLY CONFIRMS DAVID ARIAN, ROBIN KRAMER FOR LOS ANGELES HARBOR COMMISSION

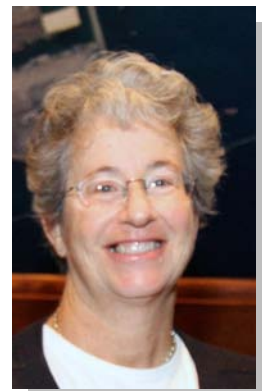
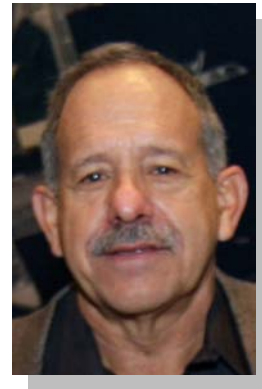
SAN PEDRO, Calif. — Oct. 13, 2010 — The Los Angeles City Council today unanimously approved David Arian and Robin Kramer to the Los Angeles Board of Harbor Commissioners. The Harbor Commission oversees the management and operation at the Port of Los Angeles, the nation's busiest container port.

"The experience, leadership and commitment that Dave and Robin bring to the Harbor Commission will prove invaluable as we face a broad spectrum of business and community related considerations in the coming years," said Harbor Commission President Cindy Miscikowski. "To the credit of Mayor Villaraigosa for selecting them, both individuals broaden and complement the expertise that we have as a board that is committed to the success of our port and our region."

"The Port is a public trust and I'm honored to be a part of its leadership," said Commissioner David Arian. "My priorities include working on the Clean Air Action Plan, getting the community more involved and promoting international trade."

"Public service is the highest calling and the Port of Los Angeles is the jewel of the community, the city, the region," said Commissioner Robin Kramer. "I'm proud to be a part of its future."

Arian, a San Pedro native, began his career as a longshoreman in 1965 and has been an active member of the International Longshore & Warehouse Union ever since. He served as an officer of ILWU Local 13 many times, including three stints as Local President. In 1991, Arian was elected International President of the International Longshore & Warehouse Union. Since his retirement from the ILWU after 44 years in 2009, he has served as President of the Harry Bridges Institute, a San Pedro-based non-profit dedicated to community organization.



Kramer has served as Chief of Staff to both Los Angeles Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa and Mayor Richard Riordan, the first woman to hold the position in Los Angeles. Kramer has served as Senior Director at The Broad Foundation, Senior Vice President at Marathon Communications, Executive Director of the Coro Foundation and Chief Deputy for former Los Angeles Councilmen Richard Alatorre and Bob Ronka.

The Port of Los Angeles is America's premier port and has a strong commitment to developing innovative strategic and sustainable operations that benefit the economy as well as the quality of life for the region and the nation it serves. As the leading seaport in North America in terms of shipping container volume and cargo value, the Port generates 919,000 regional jobs and \$39.1 billion in annual wages and tax revenues. A proprietary department of the City of Los Angeles, the Port is self-supporting and does not receive taxpayer dollars.

The Port of Los Angeles – A cleaner port. A brighter future.

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