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October 24, 2014

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF INTENT/NOTICE OF PREPARATION FOR THE BERTHS 226-236 [EVERPORT] CONTAINER TERMINAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

The United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) and the City of Los Angeles Harbor Department (LAHD) have prepared a joint Notice of Intent (NOI)/Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the following project in the Port of Los Angeles:

Berths 226-236 [Everport] Container Terminal Improvements Project

The NOI/NOP is enclosed for your review in accordance with current City of Los Angeles Guidelines for the Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, Article I; the State CEQA Guidelines, Article 7, Sections 15086-15087; and the California Public Resources Code Section 21153.

The project includes facilities and sites that are identified on the State of California Hazardous Waste and Substances Site List (also known as the Cortese List, compiled pursuant to California Government Code 65962.5).

Availability:

The NOI/NOP is available for review at: Port of Los Angeles Environmental Management Division, 222 W 6th Street, Suite 1080, San Pedro, CA 90731; Los Angeles City Library, Central Branch, 630 West 5th Street, Los Angeles CA 90071; Los Angeles City Library, San Pedro Branch, 931 S. Gaffey Street, San Pedro, CA 90731; Los Angeles City Library, Wilmington Branch, 1300 N. Avalon, Wilmington, CA 90744

The NOI/NOP is also available on the Port's web site: <http://www.portoflosangeles.org> under the Environmental tab.

Public Meeting:

A scoping meeting will be held on November 13, 2014, at 6:00 pm in the Board Room at the Harbor Department Administration Building, 425 S. Palos Verdes Street, San Pedro, CA 90731.¹

¹ As a covered entity under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability and, upon request, will provide reasonable accommodation to ensure equal access to its programs, services, and activities. Sign Language Interpreters, Communication Access Real-Time Transcription, Assistive Listening Devices or other auxiliary aids and/or services may be provided upon request. To ensure availability, you are advised to make your request at least 72 hours prior to the meeting. When requesting sign language interpreters, five or more business days' notice is strongly recommended. For additional information please contact Faye Jones at (310) 732-3488. TTY users please use 711 for access to Telecommunication Relay Service.

Comments:

Written comments on the NOI/NOP can be submitted until November 24, 2014 and should be mailed or emailed to **both** the USACE and Harbor Department.

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Ventura Field Office
c/o Theresa Stevens, Ph.D.
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Comments sent via e-mail should be addressed to **both** of the following email addresses and should include the project title in the e-mail's subject line and a valid mailing address within the email.

Theresa.Stevens@usace.army.mil and ceqacomments@portla.org.

For additional information, please contact James Bahng at the (310) 732-0363.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cannon', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

CHRISTOPHER CANNON
Director of Environmental Management