

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
PORT OF LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2010, 5:30 – 8:00PM  
BANNING'S LANDING  
100 E. WATER STREET  
WILMINGTON, CA 90744**

**H. PCAC ACTION ITEM: The USS IOWA**

**The San Pedro Coordinated Plan Subcommittee adopted the following Recommendation on July 14, 2010. The Recommendation was moved by June Burlingame Smith, second by Chuck Hart and carried with 4 Ayes, 0 Nays and 1 Abstention.**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**Whereas, the berthing of the USS Iowa Battleship in the Port of Los Angeles will serve as a community asset creating cultural, educational and historical benefits to San Pedro and surrounding communities; and**

**Whereas, the Port of Los Angeles will benefit in the form of Berth Rental and proceeds from parking lot concessions; and**

**Whereas, it will provide jobs and visitor revenue for local businesses including hotels and restaurants; and**

**Whereas, there will be no cost or burden to the Port, community, or local government entities to bring the USS Iowa here, maintain it, or return it to the Navy in case it is not successful; and**

**Whereas, it will not delay the implementation of the Waterfront Plan or interfere with harbor navigation; and**

**Whereas, it will provide the anchor for the Fire Boat Display, Maritime Museum and Lane Victory and create a "Historical Core" for visitor draw,**

**Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the PCAC makes the following Recommendations:**

- 1.) That the Port of Los Angeles provide berthing space and adjoining space to build an accompanying museum for the USS Iowa, and**
- 2.) The Board of Harbor Commissioners directs the Port of Los Angeles to provide said berth and museum space for the USS Iowa.**

**The motion was adopted with 18 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 2 Abstentions**