Date: October 20, 2021

To: Thomas B. Modica, City Manager

From: Brent Dennis, Director of Parks, Recreation and Marine

For: Mayor and Members of the City Council

Subject: Dedication Ceremony for Conductor Larry Curtis Concert Park at Marine Stadium

Mayor Robert Garcia, Councilwoman Suzie Price, and the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine invite you and your staff to attend a dedication ceremony for Conductor Larry Curtis Concert Park, located at 5255 Paoli Way, at Marine Stadium. The ceremony will take place on Saturday, October 30th at 11:00 a.m. (see attached invitation).

Larry Curtis served as Conductor of the Long Beach Municipal Band for 27 years and conducted over 700 concerts. The Long Beach Municipal Band is the country’s longest running municipal band, and an important part of Long Beach history.

Because of Larry’s long-lasting impacts on our City and the legacy of the Long Beach Municipal Band, the concert venue at Marine Stadium Park will be named in his honor, where tens of thousands of residents will continue to gather with family and friends, for food, fun, and fellowship while enjoying the summer concert series.

The ceremony will include a performance of Dixieland music by a group of the Long Beach Municipal Band’s musicians, and a park flag sign unveiling.

For more information regarding the event, please call the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine at (562) 570-3150. We look forward to seeing you at this exciting event.

ATTACHMENT

Cc: CHARLES PARKIN, CITY ATTORNEY
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    LAURA L. DOUD, CITY AUDITOR
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    DEPARTMENT HEADS
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Conductor Larry Curtis Concert Park

October 30, 11 a.m.

Marine Stadium
5255 Paoli Way

For more information, call (562) 570-3150