


Date: April 26, 2022

To: Thomas B. Modica, City Manager 

From: Oscar W. Orci, Director of Development Services 

For: Mayor and Members of the City Council

Subject: **Building and Safety Month - Emergency Preparedness Resource Fair**

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Building Safety Month is an annual global observance that has been sponsored by the International Code Council to raise awareness about safe and sustainable structures and the important role of safety code officials. The City of Long Beach (City) last observed Building Safety Month in 2019 by conducting a preview of the new City Hall Permit Center operations and have not taken part in it since, due to the COVID-19 Pandemic. This year, members of the public and City employees are cordially invited to the Building Safety Month celebration hosted by the Development Services, Fire, Health and Human Services, Disaster Preparedness, Parks, Recreation and Marine, Water, and Library Services Departments, at the recently opened Lincoln Park on May 4, 2022 between 11:00 am and 1:00 pm.

Attendees are invited to participate in this free event where they can enjoy the new park and library amenities, participate in games held by Parks, Recreation and Marine Department staff, and learn about the City's emergency preparedness resources and protocols. City staff will be present to provide information about resources, services, preparedness protocols, and to demonstrate emergency response vehicles until 3:00 pm.

In preparation for the event, City staff of the aforementioned departments collaborated to plan a safe, successful, and fun event for all participants. A light lunch will be provided for employees who sign up before 4:30 pm on Friday, April 29, 2022, and will be available for members of the public on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Public attendance and employee's participation will make our connection with the Long Beach community stronger and reinforces our commitment to serve our residents, businesses, and public in general, and demonstrate our preparedness to address future emergencies in a fun setting. If you have questions about the event please contact David Khorram, at (562) 570-7713 or [David.Khorram@longbeach.gov](mailto:David.Khorram@longbeach.gov).

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