

# City of Manhattan Beach

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#### TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

#### THROUGH:

Bruce Moe, City Manager

#### FROM:

Steve S. Charelian, Finance Department Director Libby Bretthauer, Financial Services Manager Emy-Rose Hanna, Revenue Services Supervisor

# SUBJECT:

Presentation of Recognition Awards for Longstanding Local Businesses (Finance Director Charelian). **PRESENT** 

# RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the City Council recognize businesses that have been providing longstanding operations and services to the community for a number of years.

#### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

The cost of the plaques and certificates is approximately \$1,900.

# **BACKGROUND:**

City Council established an award program to recognize and applaud longstanding businesses that have continuously maintained a commercially-zoned premise, providing services to our community for many years.

On May 1, 2018, City Council updated the Longstanding Business Award Program by identifying five (5) incremental milestones recognizing 10, 25, 30, 40, and 50 years of continuous service.

More recently on September 9, 2021, City Council directed staff to expand the Program by including additional milestone years (5, 15 and 20 years) to the Longstanding Local Business Award Program.

Based on these recent changes to the Program, the City will be recognizing eight (8) incremental milestones with 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, and 50 years of continuous service in the community. Plaques will be awarded to businesses that achieve the 20, 25, 30, 40, and 50 year milestones, special proclamations will be presented to businesses with 15 and 10 years and certificates will be mailed to businesses with 5 years.

The table below shows the number of businesses receiving recognition under the new expanded milestones, followed by the previous 3 years under the former structure:

<u>Year</u> 2021*	<u>Plaques</u> 32	Proclamations 47	Certificates 43	<u>Total</u>
122 2020** 64	20	9	35	
2019** 67	22	16	29	
2018** 52	23	13	16	

<sup>\*</sup> The totals for 2021 are reflective of the 8 incremental milestones: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, and 50 years.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

This year, City Council will present a total of 32 plaques in the 20, 25, 30, 40, and 50 year categories:

#### 50 Years

- 1. Taco Bell #33626
- 2. Union Bank

#### 40 Years

- 1. Howard Stein, OD
- 2. The Electrolysis Clinic
- 3. Trinity Lutheran Church Preschool

#### 30 Years

- 1. Bristol Farms
- 2. Steven Elder, DDS
- 3. Subway Sandwiches #579
- 4. Thai Dishes Restaurant

# 25 Years

- 1. Auto Werkstatt
- 2. Beach Babies LLC

<sup>\*\*</sup> The totals for 2020 and prior are reflective of the 5 incremental milestones: 10, 25, 30, 40, and 50 years.

- 3. Dynamic Performance
- 4. Elan Vital
- 5. Hair By Kathleen
- 6. John Post Gallery
- 7. Judy Doeppel Skin Care & Nutrition
- 8. Manhattan Dental Care
- 9. Martial Thirsk, Accountant
- 10. Panda Express Inc #356
- 11. Rubio's Fresh Mexican Grill #24

# 20 Years

- 1. Ablon Skin Institute
- 2. Aga Design Group
- 3. Beach Cities Volleyball Club
- 4. Big Wok Bar-B-Q Inc.
- 5. Chameleon
- 6. GrowingGreat
- 7. Jack M Hsieh, DDS & Jenny C Au, DDS
- 8. Jan Davidson Skin Care
- 9. Manhattan Postal Center
- 10. Pilates Institute of So Cal LLC
- 11. S B H Marketing Inc
- 12. The Loft Salon Inc.

Additionally, the following establishments have maintained their businesses within Manhattan Beach for 15 and 10 years and will be presented with special proclamations:

# 15 Years

- 1. Angelworks
- 2. Agua Salon
- 3. Coldwell Banker Residental Brokerage
- 4. CVS/Pharmacy #9496
- 5. De Forest Search
- 6. Excelsus Capital Management, Inc.
- 7. Gentle Transitions Of Ca Inc
- 8. Grow The Produce Shop Inc
- 9. In The Wee Hours LLC
- 10. La Dolce Vita Salon
- 11. Look! Optometry
- 12. Manhattan Beach Farmers Market
- 13. Mk Business Center LLC
- 14. Pitchess & Pitchess LLP
- 15. Tr Farnham Construction Inc
- 16. Trilogy Spa
- 17 Waterleaf

#### 10 Years

- 1. Afsaneh Matin, DDS
- 2. Aquatic Life Service Co

- 3. Aviator Nation Inc.
- 4. Caplinked, Inc.
- 5. Chevron Station #2016
- 6. Circle K
- 7. Coastal Vacation Estates LLC
- Cohen Mainzer LLP
- 9. Commercial Pool & Spa Service
- 10. Contrologie
- 11. Erenbaum Legal Strategies, Inc
- 12. European Wax Center
- 13. Fishbar
- 14. Goodwill
- 15. Human Touch Palliative and Hospice Care, Inc.
- 16. Kristin Egan MD, Inc
- 17. Law Offices Of Decio Rangel Jr., A Professional Corporation
- 18. Manhattan Beach Post
- 19. Manhattan Dermatology
- 20. New Era Escrow, Inc.
- 21. Pancreatic Cancer Action Network Inc
- 22. Pier Escrow, Inc.
- 23. South Bay Gold
- 24. Surgery Center Manhattan Beach LLC
- 25. The Strand House
- 26. Theresa Fatino Design
- 27. Tri Linc Global, LLC
- 28. Urban Beach Cafe
- 29. Vantage Property Investors
- 30. Zislis Group

The following establishments have served the community continuously for 5 years and will receive certificates by mail:

#### 5 Years

- 1. A Graphics Place, Inc.
- 2. Alyce's Art Studio
- 3. Amwins Insurance Brokerage of Ca LLC
- 4. Andrea Mendoza, MA, LMFT, LPCC
- 5. Blue Star Donuts
- 6. Cassandra Giorali Sorrell
- 7. Clear Recovery Center
- 8. Dave Richards Photography
- 9. Fasola Architects Inc
- 10. Fortis LLP
- 11. Gum Tree
- 12. Healthy Spot Manhattan Beach
- 13. Hush Hair Inc
- 14. J C Designed
- 15. Jane K. Euler, Family Law A Professional Law Corporation
- 16. Jefferey D. Suh, M.D.

- 17. Justin Yaros, MA, LMFT
- 18. Kosmont & Associates, Inc.
- 19. Macie, Inc.
- 20. Manhattan Beach Studios
- 21. Manhattan Beach Wine Company
- 22. Manhattan Sushi Inc
- 23. Mary E. Work, A Professional Corporation
- 24. Mattertree Inc
- 25. Medi Orthodontic Lab
- 26. Metal & Mane
- 27. Mind Insights
- 28. Mountain To Sea Physical Therapy
- 29. Optimism Entertainment
- 30. Pachanga Mexican Grill
- 31. Pacific Marriage & Family Therapy Network
- 32. Property Tax Advisors
- 33. Richmont Consulting Inc
- 34. Rick Farnham Dev., Inc.
- 35. Right Tribe LLC
- 36. Robert Michael Davis
- 37. Siena Healthcare Solutions LLC
- 38. Southern California Permanente Medical Group
- 39. Spyder Surf Company
- 40. Sunlife Organics
- 41. Transaction Legal Services Inc
- 42. Ty Engineering & Design, Inc
- 43. Vista Sotheby's International Realty Inc

All businesses contribute to the vitality of the community and it is through this program that we recognize the contributions of these establishments.

#### **PUBLIC OUTREACH:**

City Staff contacted each business and notified them of their Longstanding Business Award. Additionally, 32 plaques will be awarded to businesses that have achieved 20, 25, 30, 40, 50 years of continuous service in the community.

# **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:**

The City has reviewed the proposed activity for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and has determined that there is no possibility that the activity may have a significant effect on the environment; therefore, pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the State CEQA Guidelines the activity is not subject to CEQA. Thus, no environmental review is necessary.

#### **LEGAL REVIEW:**

The City Attorney has reviewed this report and determined that no additional legal analysis is necessary.

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

# 1. PowerPoint Presentation