

RESOLUTION
Susan Zermeno
34 Years of Services

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno, Born and Raised in Los Angeles, City Planner retired on February 26, 2022, from the Department of City Planning after 34 years of dedicated service to the City of Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno started her career on October 1, 1986 with the City of Los Angeles, General Services Department as a Clerk Typist with Construction Forces heading the Unit for the distribution of Construction Material for City Projects; and

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno acquired her Bachelor's Degree in Urban and Regional Planning and started her Professional Career with the Department of City Planning in 1997, as an Assistant Planner working on the Affordable Housing Incentive Program and updating the Open Space Element; and

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno spent the majority of her Career in the Subdivisions Unit and was promoted to City Planner Associate while specializing in Private Streets and Lot Line Adjustments. Ms. Zermeno was selected to testify as the Department's expert on several court cases on the History and Development of Private Streets and Lot Line Adjustments. Ms. Zermeno led the Mayor's office in directing and guiding the Lot Line Adjustment procedure for Angel's Flight in 2012; and

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno was promoted to City Planner in the Development Services in Case Management where she participated in many City Projects advising developers on entitlements ranging from High Rise developments to Restaurant developments; and

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno was recognized for her extensive experience in entitlements and was requested to help launch the New Restaurant and Beverage Program. Ms. Zermeno played a vital role in many of the department's accomplishments over the past 25 years while in City Planning. Her leadership and commitment are recognized as an immense influence on the department's success; and

WHEREAS, Susan Zermeno will continue to serve her community in retirement by participating in various community organizations and serving as Vice Chair of the City of Covina Planning Commission; and

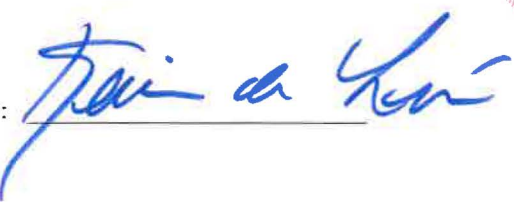
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that by adoption of this resolution, the Los Angeles City Council does hereby commend and congratulate Susan Zermeno for her 34 years of loyal and dedicated public service, and for representing the Department of City Planning with excellence and wishes her continued success in all her future endeavors.

PRESENTED BY: _____


GILBERT CEDILLO

Councilmember, 1st District

PRESENTED BY: _____



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In Recognition of International Firefighters' Day

WHEREAS, International Firefighters' Day is observed each year on May 4th to honor and remember past firefighters who have lost their lives while serving their community and to show support and appreciation for those who presently serve; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Fire Department is charged with the responsibility of responding around the clock to emergencies involving life, property, and the environment; and

WHEREAS, the protection, security and quality of life that the residents of Los Angeles enjoy today are direct results of the sacrifices made by the Los Angeles Fire Department and fire departments worldwide; and

WHEREAS, hailing from all walks of life, firefighters are our friends and family and protect us in times of need with compassion, loyalty, and courage; and

WHEREAS, International Firefighters' Day was created in 1999 after five firefighters died tragically during a wildfire in Australia when the direction of the wind changed and engulfed their truck in flames; and

WHEREAS, International Firefighters' Day is celebrated on St. Florian's Day, the patron saint and first known firefighter commander of the Roman Empire; and

WHEREAS, by proudly wearing and displaying a blue or red ribbon pinned together, we can show our gratitude to firefighters everywhere who dedicate endless hours, selflessly take time away from their families, and take the ultimate risk to ensure the safety of others;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that by the adoption of this Resolution the Los Angeles City Council hereby declares May 4th, 2022 as "International Firefighters' Day" and encourages all City residents to show their support and appreciation to our City, County, State and Federal firefighters who dedicate their lives to protecting us every day.



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PRESENTED BY:



PAUL KORETZ
Councilmember, 5th District

SECONDED BY:



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