

## FEATURED AUCTION EXPERIENCES

Palms Springs Luxury - 5 Days 4 Nights  
Boat Tour Around T.H.U.M.S. Islands for 12  
Cocktail Reception with Chef & Server for 20  
Wine Tasting Class for 20  
Private Dance Lesson  
Private Tour of Bembridge House for 8

## OPPORTUNITY RAFFLE DRAWINGS

### Gift Card Extravaganza Package

Value: \$100+. Tickets from \$20

### Personalized Lamppost Name Plaque

Value: \$1,000+. Tickets from \$50

## AUCTION & RAFFLE DONORS

Alder & Sage. Art Du Vin. Aquarium of the Pacific.  
Babcock & Cooke. Bambang Taruna. Blue Diamond  
Jeweler. Bluff Park Neighborhood Association. Brian  
Trimble. California Resources Corporation. Chevron.  
Claire's at the Museum. Cheri Hawks. Domenico's.  
Firm Hands. Gallagher's Pub & Grill. Gladstones.  
Historical Society of Long Beach. Hof's Hut. Hot Java.  
Iguana Import Gallery. International City Theatre.  
Jimmy Dower & Victor Sun. LA Follies. La Parolaccia.  
Left Turn Brand. Lisa Guravitz & Fred Shaw. Long  
Beach Heritage. Long Beach Museum of Art. Long  
Beach Symphony. Lori Chevalier. Lucille's  
Smokehouse. LUNA Belmont Shore. Marilyn Jefreys.  
Mimo's Jewelry & Watches. Museum of Latin  
American Art. Musical Theater West. Olives Gourmet  
Grocer. Open Sesame. Republic of Pie. Saint &  
Second. Sheldrake Coffee Roasting. Steelhead  
Coffee. TC Raw Eats. The Art Theatre. The Attic. The  
Firkin Pub & Grill. The Socialist. The Wine Crush.  
Total Wine & More. Trader Joe's. West Coast Event  
Planning. Window Restoration & Repair. Yard House.



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## EVENT CONTRIBUTORS

Venue **Lori Chevalier**  
Catering **Chef Kora Kroep, WCEP**  
Vocalist **Amanda Castro**  
Choreography **Colette Brandenburg**  
Dance **LA Follies**  
Music **The Goodfellas Jazz Band**  
Bartending **Christian Leiva**  
Photography **Kaley Brouwer**  
Publicity & Social Media **Kalindi Ghiotti**

## PROJECT PARTNERS & SUPPORTERS



## EVENT VOLUNTEERS

Michelle Arrend-Ekhoff. Mauna Eichner. Lee Fukui.  
Andreas Gerogiannis. Kalindi Ghiotti. Roger Indorf.  
Sergio Macias. Jeffrey Mallin. Marco Pizzo.  
Gina Redican. Robin Rosin. Carolyn Sato.

## BPNA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Marco Pizzo, President  
Sergio Macias, Treasurer  
Jeffrey Mallin, Secretary & VP Historic Preservation



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## Puttin' on the Ritz with Lamppost Glitz

**August 17, 2024**

3125 E. Ocean Boulevard  
Long Beach, California



Bluff Park  
Historic Lamppost Project

## TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

- 6:30PM **Check In**  
**Banner Photo Booth**  
**The Goodfellas Jazz Band**  
**Appetizers & Drinks**
- 6:55PM **Welcome Remarks**  
**Project Milestones**  
**Honored Dignitaries**
- 7:30PM **Amanda Castro Band**  
**LA Follies**  
**Dinner Stations**
- 8:00PM **Opportunity Drawings**
- 8:30PM **Amada Castro Band *Encore***  
**LA Follies *Encore***  
**Dessert**
- 8:55PM **Silent Auction Closes**  
**Closing Remarks**
- 9:15PM **Checkout**
- 9:30PM **Good Night! Thank You!**

## TONIGHT'S DIGNITARIES

### **Dr. Robert Garcia\***

United States Congressman

\*Speaking: Christopher Perez, Field Representative

### **Lena Gonzalez**

California State Senator

### **Cindy Allen**

Vice Mayor and Councilwoman, City of Long Beach

### **Eric Lopez**

Director of Public Works, City of Long Beach

### **Cheryl Perry**

President, Long Beach Navy Memorial Heritage Assn

### **Bonnie Lowenthal**

Commission President, Port of Long Beach

## Bluff Park Neighborhood Association

The BPNA strives to protect and promote the historic character and integrity of the Bluff Park Historic District and to foster a sense of unity, collaboration, community service, and goodwill for all of the city. More than 50 years as an association. More than 40 years honoring the historic landmark designation.

## Bluff Park Historic Lamppost Project

Lampposts bring charm, nostalgia, and a sense of place. Ours are uniquely symbolic, featured on our logo and street signs. While most streets no longer have decorative lampposts, old photos and plans show they once existed or were intended.

The vision of BPNA's *Historic Lamppost Project* is to replace modern streetlights in the Bluff Park Historic District with historically appropriate lampposts that match the late-1920s E. 1st Street design. A decade ago, a committee found a sketch of the original lights and contacted the manufacturer, still in business today, who is now recreating them based on the original specifications.

Let's celebrate our achievements and drive momentum forward. Since the inaugural phase on Paloma Avenue in 2019, we've seen Phase 2 on Temple Avenue in 2021, and in 2022, the Long Beach Navy Memorial Heritage Association awarded us our largest grant yet for Phase 3. Tonight, we honor those involved in the recent completion of Phase 3 on Molino Avenue. Each phase has brought 10 new ornamental lampposts with 80 donor recognition plaques, all made possible by partnership and support from across the community. Now, under Vice Mayor Cindy Allen's leadership, the *Project* is part of the Long Beach Elevate '28 Infrastructure Investment Plan, improving wayfinding and enhancing visitor experience. Our association continues to be a hardworking nonprofit recognized in Long Beach Gives. With future phases in our sight, we're committed to fulfilling the vision for the entire Historic District.

Our mentor Helena Segelhorst (here tonight) reminds us, "It's doable!" The *Historic Lamppost Project* fosters camaraderie around a shared goal, rebuilding an iconic, enduring symbol for all of Long Beach.

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*BRINGING LAMPOST HISTORY BACK*

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