



## 2019 MLK Day of Service

**Monday, January 21 – Scherer Park**

**#LBSERVES #MLKDAY**

All volunteers are asked to attend the Kickoff Rally at **Scherer Park/North Long Beach Police Station, 49<sup>th</sup> Street & E. Del Amo Blvd/Atlantic Avenue**, at 8:00 am to confirm their volunteer worksite information.

### **Event Details**

Monday, January 21, 2019

8:00 AM Kickoff Rally/Pancake Breakfast

8:30 AM City Leaders Welcome

9:00 AM Volunteers disperse to project activity sites – **16 in total**

12:230 PM Most project activities will conclude

For more information on the projects listing and links to register to volunteer, go to <http://leadershiplb.org/mlk/>.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #1** - Building a Healing Community Garden

**Project Host:** The Maye Center

**Project Details:** Volunteers will work with The Maye Center to build a garden that will serve as a means of therapy to the community. The work involved will entail pulling weeds, building potato planters, building a garden including ponds, art and crafts such as painting on the fence, drawing, creating garden signs and planting flowers.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #2** – Organic Urban Farm

**Project Host:** Gladys Avenue Urban Farm

**Project Details:** Volunteers will work with Gladys Avenue Urban Farm to provide food access and production to low income community members. Volunteers will design a garden which will include weeding, planting 15 vegetables, building farm stand, arts and crafts with painting and drawing art on walls, designing workshop space and community farm stand, building irrigation and safe space for pre-school kids to learn about growing, harvesting and planting organic veggies.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #3** – McArthur Park Beautification

**Project Host:** 6<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will be involved with playground and park cleanup.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #4** – Veterans Park Beautification

**Project Host:** 6<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will be involved with playground and park cleanup.

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### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #5 – Junipero Beach Clean Up**

**Project Host:** 2<sup>nd</sup> District Council Office, 3<sup>rd</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will assist in beach and parking lot clean up at Junipero Beach.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #6 – Corridor Clean Up – Long Beach Blvd. Corridor**

**Project Host:** 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will assist the 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office in cleaning up the corridor along Long Beach Blvd. Duties include picking up trash, pulling weeds and sweeping the corridor.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #7 – Corridor Clean Up – Atlantic Avenue Corridor**

**Project Host:** 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will assist the 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office in cleaning up the corridor along Atlantic Avenue. Duties include picking up trash, pulling weeds and sweeping the corridor.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #8 – Corridor Clean Up – Orange Avenue Corridor**

**Project Host:** 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will assist the 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office in cleaning up the corridor along Orange Avenue. Duties include picking up trash, pulling weeds and sweeping the corridor.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #9 – Washington Neighborhood Beautification**

**Project Host:** Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles

**Project Details:** Volunteers will help the community members and Habitat for Humanity beautify areas of the Washington Neighborhood where middle school students walk and play on a daily basis. Volunteers will assist cleaning around the park, school and alley surrounding the school.

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #10 – Community Cleanup Project at Bixby Knolls Park**

**Project Host:** Readwrite Educational Solutions Inc.

**Project Details:** Volunteers will do a deep clean of the playground, combing the sand and picking up trash around the park. Some light cleaning and maintenance of classroom; replacing vinyl adhesive on two classroom tables, deep cleaning classroom chairs and window cleaning (inside and outside).

### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #11 – Garden Planting and Cleanup**

**Project Host:** 9<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will plant remaining plot at Houghton Park Valor Plaza and general cleanup of Houghton Park.

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#### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #12 – Preschool Gardening**

**Project Host:** 9<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will plant grape and berry vines, 32 mini veggie plots and take out two approximately 8-foot-tall dead trees. Dead trees to be sawed up given away as firewood.

#### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #13 – Jordan High School Beautification**

**Project Host:** 9<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will assist a service in steam cleaning gum on walkways, spreading mulch and (possibly) putting in new plants in some gardens.

#### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #14 – North LB Alley Clean Up**

**Project Host:** 9<sup>th</sup> District Council Office and Grant Neighborhood Association

**Project Details:** Volunteers will remove debris, trash and discard large items from as many alleys as possible.

#### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #15 – Community Garden Planting and Mulch Spreading**

**Project Host:** Our Foods

**Project Details:** Volunteers will be involved in planting new plants in 12 raised beds as well as moving and spreading mulch.

#### **MLK LONG BEACH PROJECT #16 – Scherer Park Beautification**

**Project Host:** 8<sup>th</sup> District Council Office

**Project Details:** Volunteers will be involved in outdoor cleanup or maintenance of grounds.

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