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Long Beach Transit Announces Summer Schedule for 2008 Museum Express Program

*Beginning May 12, Customers Can Buy Direct Transportation Access
to a Variety of Southern California's Finest Museums*

LONG BEACH, CALIF. (May 5, 2008) – Avoid traffic by traveling in air-conditioned comfort to Southern California's finest museums! June 1 through August 30, deluxe express service will depart from the Long Beach Transit Information Center at 223 E. First Street on the Downtown Transit Mall with direct service to a different venue every day of the week (except Mondays; full list of venues below).

One of Long Beach Transit's most popular transportation programs, the Museum Express shuttles customers to museum venues and back to Long Beach for a round trip fare of only \$6.00. Friendly, professional operators serve as on-board guides and provide customers with the superior service that Long Beach Transit is known for on ADA-accessible buses that have room for two wheelchairs per trip.

Ticket sales are conducted on a first-come, first-served basis by visiting Long Beach Transit at 1963 E. Anaheim Street, or at 223 E. First Street in Long Beach, CA. The ticket price does not include any potential venue admission costs, and customers are encouraged to contact the venue they will be visiting to determine special considerations such as dress code requirements and available food services. More information and a full daily schedule of chartered venues can be found online by clicking the Museum Express 2008 button on www.lbtransit.com or by calling (562) 591-2301 to request a brochure.

Public parking is available near the Transit Information Center where the Museum Express departs from and returns to—but why pay for parking? Call Long Beach Transit's friendly transit advisors at (562) 591-2301 and they will help plan a public transit bus trip from your home to the Museum Express. Or, visit us on the web at www.lbtransit.com and use our convenient trip planner.

The Museum Express 2008 program will provide access to the following institutions:

- California Science Center
- Descanso Gardens
- Getty Center
- Getty Villa
- Griffith Park Observatory
- Huntington Library and Gardens
- Irvine Museum of Art
- Laguna Art Museum
- LA Museum of Contemporary Art
- Los Angeles County Arboretum

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- Los Angeles County Museum of Art
- Mission San Juan Capistrano
- Museum of the American West
- Orange County Museum of Art
- Planes of Fame – Chino Air Museum
- Richard Nixon Library
- Ronald Reagan Library and Museum
- Skirball Cultural Center

About Long Beach Transit

Long Beach Transit serves over 27 million boarding customers in Long Beach, Lakewood and Signal Hill—as well as portions of Artesia, Bellflower, Carson, Cerritos, Compton, Hawaiian Gardens, Norwalk, Paramount and Seal Beach—with regular bus and shuttle services including the Passport, AquaBus, and AquaLink. For more information visit www.lbtransit.com.

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