



THE GREATER HUNTINGTON PARK AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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NEWS RELEASE

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For Immediate Release

"CONGRESSWOMAN LUCILLE ROYBAL-ALLARD TO INSTALL CHAMBER OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS AT ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET"

Congresswoman Lucille Roybal-Allard has confirmed to be the installing officer for The Greater Huntington Park Area Chamber of Commerce's 104th Anniversary Installation Banquet on Thursday, February 18 at Steven's Steak House.

Don Brabant, Owner of Brabant Realty and Management will be installed as the 2010 Chamber President.

Other elected officers to be installed include, Andy Carrasco of The Gas Company as Senior Vice President, Jose Zepeda of El Aviso Magazine as 1st Vice President, Gilda Acosta of St. Francis Medical Centers as 2nd Vice President, Art Bustamante of Gage Bowl as 3rd Vice President, Anthony Saldana of Exide Technologies as Treasurer, and Dante D'Eramo as the Chamber's Executive Director/CEO.

In addition, the following elected Chamber Board Members will be installed as the 2010 Directors: Salvador Garcia of Shakey's Pizza, Mike Goodman of Eagle Florist, Theresa Bagues of Guerra, Cunningham and Bagues Funeral, Martin Madrigal of Dearden's Furniture, Myriam Mendez of Wells Fargo Bank, Gina Min of Wilshire State Bank and Arlene Savage of All Care Medical Group.

Other highlights of the evening is the annual award-presentation of the "Business Person of the Year" Award to be given to Leonardo Lopez owner of Leonardo's Restaurant and night clubs. The "Jack W. Parks Annual Memorial-Award" will be presented to Pat Fu, Engineer and Field Services Director of the City of Huntington Park. In addition, the 2009 recipients of the "Friend of the Chamber Awards" are Manuel Granados from the Metropolitan Theatres, Irene Wongpec from Diana's Restaurant, John Santillan local businessman and volunteer, Huntington Park Police Department, Hector Castillo from Saharex, Inc and Rosemary De La Rocha from Telemundo.

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This year’s Platinum Sponsors are Farmer John, Guerra, Cunningham and Bagues Funeral Home and Brabant Realty and Management. Other Sponsors are East L.A. Doctor’s Hospital for a Gold and Steven’s Steak House, plus H.P. Self Storage for a Silver Sponsorship.

The Installation Banquet and anniversary-celebration is open to the public. Paid reservations can only be accepted by a mail-in or office walk-in confirmation by February 16 to the Huntington Park Chamber of Commerce Office, 6330 Pacific Blvd., Suite 208, Huntington Park, CA 90255. The banquet is \$40.00 per person which includes a steak and shrimp dinner. Entertainment will also be provided for the evening.

For additional information contact the Chamber at (323) 585-1155.

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NOTE TO THE EDITOR:

For your publication, you can access the most current photo of Congresswoman Lucille Roybal-Allard by going to our website at www.hpchamber1.com/installation.