

## Office of the City Prosecutor Long Beach, California

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## CITY PROSECUTOR TO PRESENT IMPACT AWARDS

**Long Beach, CA** – The Long Beach City Prosecutor's Office is proud to announce that it will present awards to individuals and groups who, working with the City Prosecutor's Office, have made "a positive, significant impact in the City of Long Beach in the past year." The recipients chosen to receive City Prosecutor IMPACT awards include:

- 1) **Detective Mark Steenhausen**, LBPD, for his investigation and personal efforts on the "Baby Maggie" case which was originally reported as a baby found at a gas station, but ultimately proved to be a case of child abandonment by the mother.
- 2) **Judith Crumpton**, local animal advocate, for her efforts to bring to fruition an annual conference on animal care and cruelty prevention.
- 3) Patrol Officers Josh Brearley and Andrew Fox and the North Division Directed Enforcement Team (DET), LBPD, for their success in combating gang related crime.
- 4) **Criminalist Greg Gossage** and **Police Officer Tyrone Anderson**, LBPD, for their technical expertise and hard work relating to DUI investigations.
- 5) **Detective David Strohman**, Narcotics Division, LBPD, for leadership in the effort to reduce illegal drug activity in Long Beach.

"These unsung heroes make a real difference in our City," said City Prosecutor Doug Haubert. "There are many who deserve recognition, but these winners stand out for their hard work and dedication."

IMPACT awards will be presented at a reception on Thursday, January 31, 2012. This is the second year of the City Prosecutor's IMPACT awards. Last year's IMPACT award winners included police officers, the executive director of a wetlands protection organization, and a school counselor. For information on the IMPACT Awards and previous winners, visit www.CityProsecutorDougHaubert.com.

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