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Public Invited to Drop Off Donations at "Red, White & Blue" Goodwill Drive at LBPD's East Division Substation on Saturday, June 25

What: The Long Beach Police Foundation has partnered with Goodwill, Serving the People of

Southern Los Angeles County (SOLAC) to host a "Red, White & Blue" Donation Drive on

Saturday, June 25. The event is open to the public.

The donation drive will accept clothing, shoes and accessories, housewares and household items, books and e-waste. No furniture will be accepted. Donations will be

collected through a drive-thru, drop-off system.

"We're proud to partner with the Long Beach Police Foundation to host this very special donation drive," said Janet McCarthy, President and CEO of Goodwill SOLAC. "We want people to know that donating to this drive will help fund our mission of providing job programs for those in our community who are in need of work."

Long Beach Police Department (LBPD) staff and volunteers will help Goodwill collect donations during the event. Police Chief Robert Luna will also attend the event at 9:00 am to demonstrate his support of the community participating in the donation drive.

When: Saturday, June 25

9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Where: LBPD East Division Substation

3800 E. Willow Street in Long Beach

(between Lakewood Blvd. and Grand Ave.)

Attendees Chief Robert Luna, Long Beach Police Department

Include: Janet McCarthy, President and CEO, Goodwill SOLAC

Goodwill SOLAC Staff and Board Members

LBPD Officers and Explorers

More Info: Goodwill SOLAC is a nonprofit organization that transforms donated goods into job

training, education and placement services for individuals with barriers to employment. Goodwill SOLAC serves 22 cities and communities throughout Southern Los Angeles County. Goodwill SOLAC's main facility—located at 800 W. Pacific Coast Highway in Long Beach—houses its administrative offices, training programs, processing operations, transportation fleet, LiNKS Sign Language & Interpreting Services, a retail store and its e-

commerce operations. For more information about Goodwill SOLAC, please visit

www.ThinkGood.org.