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## Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy to host Boeing's Global Service Day Saturday, July 17th at White Point Nature Preserve in San Pedro

## **Public Invited to Volunteer and Participate**

On Saturday, July 17<sup>th</sup> Boeing will launch the aerospace company's Global Day of Service in Southern California with five hundred Boeing volunteers working at two coastal sites: the White Point Nature Preserve in San Pedro and the Bolsa Chica Conservancy in Huntington Beach.

In honor of Boeing's anniversary and commitment to environmental stewardship, company volunteers and their families will assist members of the Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy, LA Conservation Corps, Bolsa Chica Conservancy and Orange County Conservation Corps to clean up rare native habitat.

At the White Point Preserve, the areas are critical to the survival of such threatened local species as the California gnatcatcher and the coastal cactus wren. Boeing volunteers will help remove invasive vegetation and trash, repair trails, provide maintenance for a native plant garden and clean educational signs along hiking trails.

Boeing Vice Presidents Nan Bouchard and Craig Cooning are serving as Executive Champions for the volunteers and will help launch the service day. The event will culminate with a picnic lunch celebration and a certificate presentation by the City of LA at White Point Nature Preserve in San Pedro.

The public is invited to join as volunteers for the workday starting at 9 am Saturday, July 17th at the White Point Nature Preserve, 1600 W. Paseo del Mar, San Pedro, CA 90731. Please meet in front of the Nature Education Center. The Preserve is located between Western and Weymouth Avenues and is easily accessible from the 110 Harbor Freeway with exists at Pacific Coast Highway to Western Avenue or exit Gaffey Street to Paseo del Mar. Parking lot and street parking available.

For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.pvplc.org">www.pvplc.org</a> or call (310) 541-7613 x201

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The Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy is a nonprofit community-based organization dedicated to preserving land and restoring habitat for the enjoyment and education of all. The Conservancy owns or manages the Palos Verdes Nature Preserve, the Linden H. Chandler and George F Canyon Preserves in Rolling Hills Estates the White Point Nature Preserve, a facility of the LA City Department of Recreation and Parks and habitat restoration on the Defense Fuel Supply Point in San Pedro.