

**RESOLUTION NO. 2009-58**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING**

**TONI BOCK**

**FOR HER SERVICE AS CHAIRWOMAN OF THE BOARD  
OF THE TORRANCE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

**WHEREAS,** Toni Bock served this community as the Chairwoman of the Board of the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009; and

**WHEREAS,** Toni Bock has continued the growth of the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce in membership, technology, staff development and community development; and

**WHEREAS,** during Toni’s term, the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce achieved the highest level of paid Premier Investments in its six-year history at \$280,446, and it also launched the Value Added Membership Benefit program; and

**WHEREAS,** under Toni’s leadership, the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce continued to promote its assertive legislative advocacy program including “Access D.C. and the California Business Summit”; and

**WHEREAS,** Toni Bock expanded local and regional perspectives through international business outreach and increased partnerships with local ethnic business communities such as Japanese, Chinese, Korean, and Latino; and

**WHEREAS,** Toni Bock organized the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce first “Green Expo - Best Practices” event with over 14 exhibitors and an outstanding panel of corporate experts; and

**WHEREAS,** in addition to the highly successful State of the City Address with the Honorable Torrance Mayor Frank Scotto and State of the Region Address with House of Representative Jane Harman, Toni Bock coordinated the 11<sup>th</sup> Black History Celebration and the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Dragon Circle Chinese New Year Celebration, the Business Expo Trade Show, Economic Development and International Business seminars and the signature Networking at Noon lunches.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Torrance, California, does hereby honor

**TONI BOCK**

as the outgoing Chairwoman of the Board of the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce and extends Toni every good wish for continued success in her future endeavors.

**INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 2009.

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Mayor Frank Scotto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
JOHN FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by \_\_\_\_\_  
Ronald T. Pohl, Assistant City Attorney

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Sue Herbers, City Clerk

