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**MARINA DEL REY GREETES THE NEW YEAR
WITH FIREWORKS SPECTACULAR**

MARINA DEL REY, CALIF. – December 20, 2010 - A brilliant display of fireworks will light up the skies over Marina del Rey on Friday, December 31, to usher in the New Year, with a five-minute spectacular beginning at the 30-second countdown to midnight.

The fireworks are presented by Zambelli Fireworks Internationale, which originated more than 100 years ago in Italy. The famous fireworks will be shot off the south jetty and can be viewed throughout the Marina. Best locations for viewing are Fisherman's Village at 13755 Fiji Way and Burton Chace Park at 13650 Mindanao Way.

Parking on New Year's Eve is available in Los Angeles County lots throughout Marina del Rey.

The New Year's Eve Fireworks Spectacular is organized by the Marina del Rey Holiday Boat Parade committee and made possible with the generous contributions of Rikki Barker, The Boat Yard, California Yacht Club, Joe & Lynne Callinan, C&O Cucina, C&O Trattoria, City National Security Services, Del Rey Landing, Del Rey Yacht Club, First Bank, H.B. Drollinger Co., Hornblower Cruises & Events, Los Angeles County Department of Beaches and Harbors, Los Angeles World Airports, Marina del Rey Convention & Visitors Bureau, Marina del Rey Lessees Association, Marina del Rey Marriott, Memoria Inc. Foundation, Pacifica Hotel, Philip Wockner International Inc., Playa Vista, Ritz-Carlton Marina del Rey, Santa Monica Windjammers Yacht Club, Southwest Airlines, The Argonaut, The Parking Spot, The Sound 100.3FM, The Wood Family, Union Bank, Villa del Mar Apartments & Marina, Vino Amore, Waterside Marina del Rey and Wells Fargo Bank.

For additional information about the New Year's Eve Fireworks, call (310) 670-7130.

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