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**SUBJECT: EMERGING PROFESSIONALS COMMITTEE MEETING**

Dear Fellow Graduates, Recent Graduates and Students,

On behalf of the Southern California Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), I would like to invite you to a meeting to discuss the forming of a new committee for Emerging Professionals. This committee is in the exploratory stages and we welcome your input in developing an action plan and budget that will be presented to the Executive Board at their retreat on September 24, 2011. During the retreat the Board will vote whether or not the committee will be adopted and move forward.

On July 16, 2011 a small group, including myself, met to begin to identify the target audience and mission for the Emerging Professionals Committee. Our next step is to come up with the direction and plan for the success and longevity of the group. I look forward to your ideas and enthusiasm for this opportunity to support each other, network and socialize.

Please join us on Wednesday, August 17, 2011 at the El Dorado East Regional Park, 7550 E. Spring St., Long Beach, CA 90815 at 6:30pm. We will meet near the picnic shelters by the lake in Area II.

[http://longbeach.gov/park/parks\\_and\\_open\\_spaces/parks/el\\_dorado\\_regional\\_park.asp](http://longbeach.gov/park/parks_and_open_spaces/parks/el_dorado_regional_park.asp)

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