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**REPORT OF THE GENERAL MANAGER
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
MEETING OF JUNE 13, 2008**

The Honorable Board of Directors
Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District

Honorable Members:

PRESENTATIONS BY DISTRICT STAFF FOR THE MONTHS OF MAY 2008

For the month of May, District staff made speeches and/or presentations to community groups/interviewers interested in the District. The following presentations were made in the month of May:

PRESENTATION TO:	PRESENTED BY:
GGNRA Open House regarding the South End Security Project	John Eberle
APTA Bus and Paratransit Conference	Lisa Locati
Commerce, Science and Technology Directorate Psychiatric Foundation of Northern California	Denis Mulligan

SPECIAL EVENT/EXPRESSIVE ACTIVITY REQUESTS

Below are the dates, times and sponsoring agencies of special events and expressive activities for which permits have been sought. The following applications were received since last reported to the Board in the May 23, 2008, Report of the General Manager:

Event Date	Event Title	Location	Type*	Expected No. Participants
June 4, 2008	Santa Barbara Middle School Bicycle Event	East Sidewalk	SE	78
June 8, 2008	Escape from Alcatraz Triathlon	Under Bridge at Tunnel	SE	1,500
June 15, 2008	PUSH America, "Journey of Hope"	West Sidewalk	SE	100

- The types of permits: EX – Expressive Activity; SE – Special Event

GOLDEN GATE TRANSIT BUS SYSTEM PERFORMANCE REPORT – APRIL 2008

Attached is the *Golden Gate Transit Bus System Performance Report* for the month of April 2008. The report provides a breakdown of monthly patronage by county bus services (Attachment 1).

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH – JUNE 2008

After reviewing nominations submitted by District employees, the Employee of the Month Committee selected Terry Roberson, Ironworker Pusher, as the Employee of the Month for June 2008.

Mr. Roberson receives this prestigious award in recognition of his strong work ethic and for his quick ability to jump in and get the job done. Mr. Roberson is highly admired for his ability to gather up both the Paint and Ironworker crews and organize them to tackle a job in a timely fashion and complete the job as a an effective team. This quality is highly admired amongst his fellow Ironworkers as they are proud and value their job to the highest degree. Of special note, Mr. Roberson and his crew were extremely instrumental during the incident of April 7, 2008, which involved individuals scaling the suspender ropes of the Bridge. Under Mr. Roberson's supervision and direction, his crew was able to quickly prepare the necessary equipment and rigging that helped bring the situation to a safe conclusion.

Mr. Roberson joined the District as a Journeyman Ironworker in March 1985 and promoted to his current position, in June 2001. Prior to joining the District, he worked as a Journeyman Ironworker for Bethlehem Steel in San Pedro, CA, and an Ironworker Foreman for a Manufacturing Company in Lafayette, CA.

A resident of Dixon since 2006; Mr. Roberson lives with his wife Kathy and their daughters: Christina, Angie, and Katie. Born in Evansville, IN, he attended Pinole Valley High School. In his spare time, Mr. Roberson enjoys playing and coaching softball, playing poker, camping, and travelling. Mr. Roberson is a member of Vander Boosters Moose Lodge in Fairfield, CA.

Mr. Roberson is very proud of his work and is looking forward to retirement.

Respectfully submitted,

Celia G. Kupersmith
General Manager

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