



Paragon Steel Bolsters Capabilities for Port?Area Infrastructure Work

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Paragon Steel is bolstering its capabilities for contractors and fabricators working on port?area and logistics projects, expanding steel supply and processing support for operations in and around San Pedro, Wilmington, and Long Beach. The company is focusing on facilities and infrastructure that keep cargo, materials, and goods moving through one of the most active port complexes in the world, where construction and maintenance work often run on compressed schedules and narrow downtime windows.

Port?area projects present challenges that differ from typical commercial or industrial work. Many terminals, warehouses, and logistics hubs operate around the clock, with limited opportunities to shut down lanes, loading areas, or critical structures for repairs and upgrades. Access is often constrained by security protocols, heavy truck traffic, rail activity, and marine operations, which places added pressure on contractors to have the right materials ready when work windows open. Paragon Steel?s expanded support in the region is aimed at helping project teams make the most of those limited opportunities.

The company serves facilities and job sites in San Pedro, Wilmington, Long Beach, and surrounding port?area industrial zones, providing structural and processed steel for terminals, warehouses, maintenance

buildings, and logistics infrastructure. This includes work on new construction as well as reinforcement, retrofit, and expansion projects designed to increase capacity and extend the service life of existing structures. By aligning its services with the specific needs of these environments, Paragon Steel seeks to become a reliable partner for contractors operating in the port complex and nearby industrial corridors.

To meet the demands of port-related work, Paragon Steel coordinates ordering, processing, and delivery with an emphasis on predictability and sequence. The company works with contractors and fabricators to understand project phases, outage windows, and access constraints so that steel arrives ready for installation during scheduled shutdowns or off-peak hours. This planning helps reduce the risk of delays that can ripple through tightly timed construction and maintenance programs.

"Port and logistics projects operate on schedules that leave very little room for mistakes," said Jim Stavis, President & CEO of Paragon Steel. "When a contractor secures a limited work window at a terminal or distribution facility, they need confidence that the steel they require will be on site, in the right configuration, and ready to install. Our job is to support that level of reliability."

Paragon Steel provides structural shapes, plate, and miscellaneous metals to support a wide range of port-area applications. These can include building frames, mezzanines, platforms, conveyor supports, crane-adjacent structures, canopies, equipment pads, and other elements that keep operations safe and efficient. The company's processing services, such as cutting, drilling, and basic fabrication operations, are designed to prepare components so they can be installed quickly, often in environments where extended on-site fabrication is impractical due to safety or operational constraints.

The logistics of delivering steel to port-adjacent projects can be complex, and Paragon Steel places a strong emphasis on communication and coordination. The company works with project managers and superintendents to map out access routes for trucks, identify staging areas, and confirm any timing requirements related to security checkpoints, gate operations, or neighboring traffic patterns. By addressing these details in advance, Paragon Steel aims to minimize disruptions and keep both construction activities and facility operations running smoothly.

Paragon Steel also collaborates with fabricators that serve port and logistics customers, helping them align shop schedules with field installation plans. When a project calls for pre-assembled frames, stair systems, or other components, the company can coordinate material flow so that fabricators receive steel in the sequence needed for efficient shop work. This coordinated approach supports the entire supply chain, from mill to shop to job site.

The company's expanded focus on San Pedro, Wilmington, and Long Beach complements its broader service to industrial and commercial customers throughout the Los Angeles region. By tailoring its processes

to the specific needs of port area and logistics projects, Paragon Steel seeks to help contractors reduce risk, protect tight construction schedules, and deliver reliable results for facility owners and operators.

Contractors and fabricators planning work in and around the ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach can contact Paragon Steel to discuss upcoming projects, outage windows, and material requirements. The company's team can review drawings, phasing plans, and scheduling constraints to develop steel supply and processing strategies that support safe, efficient construction and maintenance in these critical transportation and logistics hubs.

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