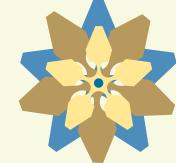




Life's Important Moments



Share your moments!

Did you get married? Have a baby? Get a promotion? We want to hear from you. Share your news with the world! Send all notices and high resolution photos with the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com or send paper notices and print photos to:

Alive!, 120 West 2nd Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012



New Members

Airports

Karina Alvarado
Eilyn Castillo Mora
Nancy Cuadras Jimenez
Daniel Dennis
Shawnte Mayes
Mikesha Mingo
Julia Mo
Manuel Monteverde
Alphonso Orozco
Franco Padron
Filomeno Pumaren
Joseph Rogers
Cynthia Shumaker
Delano Stevenson
Eric Talley
Shannon Weathersbee

Animal Services

Geoffrey Smith
Ann Strum

Building and Safety

Jason Boruta
Lily Chen
Dian Martinez
Jimmy Mejia
Adel Salah-Eddine
Mario Salazar
Robert Wallen

City Attorney

William Larsen
Karlina Mottern

City Clerk

Griselda Perez Quintanilla
Sagar Suri
Hirad Vahdat

City Council

Greig Smith

General Services

Jamie Basurto
Elias Becerra
Charles Brodock
Cesar Chavez Virgen
Paul Giraldo
Raymond Kwan
James Meraz
Mark Morman

Harbor

Timothy Griffin
Derek Jester
Gabi Moawad
Felix Mosqueda
Thomas Patton
Joshua Paxton
Brenden Russell

Housing

Scott Matsunaga
Aaron Wace

ITA

Arlene Ancheta

Library

Florence Jacinto

LAFD

George Gordon
Bryan Petrich
George Sevna
Brian Whalen

LAPD

Nallely Avila
Dragos Burecu
Kenneth Busier
Mayra Chavez
Davis Choe
Luis Garcia
Moises Gomez

Marvin Grande

George Harper
Talya Higgs
Steven Hollowell
Yadira Huerta
Michele Landeros
Robert Leary
Sergio Lomeli Jr.
Erick Loomis
Juliet Manglicmot
Joseph Mayorga
Saul Moran
David Najar
Carlos Ornelas
Marlon Prodigalidad
Amanda Rivera
Michael Rose
Armando Ruiz
Brian Schneider
Desiree Speller
Kenneth Williams

Personnel

Trichelle Campbell

PUBLIC WORKS

Sanitation
Alexander Anaya
Jorge Giron
Philip Gomez, Sr.
Salvador Gonzalez
Danny Graves
Ronald Samonte
Dennis Taylor
Bryan Uhle

Street Services
Anna Arriola Gutierrez
Kevin Barclay
Bret Bozarth
Antonio De Santos

Transportation

Silva Abramian-Eltchi
Jaime Avila
Jeannine Brands

Welcome New Members!

The Club gives a great big welcome to these new members, who recently joined the Club:

Thomas Earnest
Flemming III Enix
Lydia Hernandez
Steven Kingsbury
George Limon
Javier Munoz
Miguel Ornelas
Manuel Reyes
George Rivera Jr.
Emanuel Villa

Rec and Parks

Jose Alamillo
Bryan Alvarado
Jason Ardoin
Jose Avelar
Fausto Blas
Daniel Calzada Jr.
Heidi Castillo
Nina Collins
Linda Fisher
Francisco Haro
Melissa Klein
Oscar Lopez
Marvin Perez
Adan Prieto Jr.
Yolanda Quintero
Rocio Ramirez
Jamie Smith
LaShield Williams

Sanitation

Charles Goede Jr.
Ray Hailey
Mark Hughes
Edward Jacek
Roberta Jones
Phillip Leafdale
Abdel Lizano
Dirk Lockwood
Diane Moorman
Randall Nimura
Edward Perez Jr.
Jarret Phillips
Garry Piatt
Paul Pope
James Sherman
Glen Smith
Ychelle Tillermans
Miguel Valdez
Gerardo Vargas

Bryan Carro Tabaco
David Lara

DWP

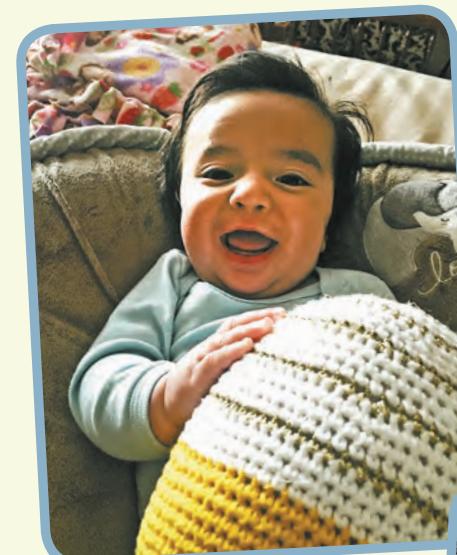
Luis Aguilar
Hermas Aparicio
Mark Arredondo
Francisco Ayala
Dana Cardenas
Richard Cook Jr.
George Delgado
Russell Duncan
Samuel Ek
Oscar Flores III
Cesar Garcia
David Glow
Charles Goede Jr.
Ray Hailey
Mark Hughes
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Miguel Valdez
Gerardo Vargas

Dugan Whisler
Jose Zapata

Other

Joyce Adachi
Bruce Alberti
Rene Anthony Boyer
Jeremy Buckley
Donna Chatman
Grace Cho
Rosevais Corral
Bill Dickey
Jason Fannan
Jason Fischer-Hagan
Jason Gath
Petros Khachatian
Steve Lew
Melvin Martinez
Aaron Matinshian
Donny Miller
Andrea Monarrez
Toni O'Donnell
Fe Palomo
Alan Pyles
Ralph Ramirez
Robert Rodriguez
William Shea
Darrell Steffen
Hakop Toufekchian
Todd Tyloch
Bernardo Uribe
Rosebill Vargas
Gary Wagner
Howard Wright

Births



Franco Ferrari, born Sept. 1 to **Paola A. Ferrari**, **Rec and Parks**, 19 years of City service, and **Mark Ferrari**, **Building and Safety**, 4 years. Congratulations!



Nolan Jonathan Sanders, born Jan. 5 to **Georgie-Ana Dominguez** and **Cody Sanders**. Proud grandparents are **Lisa and George Dominguez**, **RCTO, Public Works/ Sanitation**. Congratulations!

Club Valentines

Never Too Late for Love!

Here are two Valentines that unfortunately didn't appear in our special Club Valentines section last month. So we publish them here.



"Happy Valentine's Day, Sweet Dixie!"

— Norman Floyd, Retired



"Happy Valentine's Day to Kiara, 9; Tyce, 5; Leyla, 8; and most of all to the love of my life, Makiko. Thank you for making every day full of fun and happiness."

— Eric Yoshida, DWP



In Memoriam

Our thoughts and condolences are with the family and friends of the following current and retired City employees who have passed away.
The number after the name indicates years of service.

DEPARTMENT	YEARS OF SERVICE	DEPARTMENT	YEARS OF SERVICE
Active			
Ackerley, Don	Housing	Izumi, Shizue	ITA
Arendsorf, Mary Anne	Library	James, Haywood	General Services
Bush, Frederick	Rec and Parks	Jessup, Samuel	Public Works
Gonzales Carranza, Maria	Rec and Parks	Jones, Donna Lynn	LAPD
Thacker, Stacey	General Services	Jones, Leauthrice	Public Works
		Khan, Mohammad	Rec and Parks
		Ledesma, Harvey	Build. & Safety
		Loudermill, Curtis	Public Works
		Lucas, Rodney	Public Works
		Lyons, John	Public Works
		Mason, Peter	City Attorney
		Mathis, Ernest	Public Works
		Minor, Richard	Public Works
		Moisa, Joe	Rec and Parks
		Murphy, Ardis	Airports
		Navarro, Lorenzo	LAPD
		Palaszewski, Nonna	LAPD
		Permison, Miriam	Public Works
		Rhee, Samuel	Mayor
		Rogers, Dale	Build. & Safety
		Runnells, Delford	Public Works
		Silverman, Marione	ITA
		Solomon, Bennie	Public Works
		Standly, Brian	Rec and Parks
		Teeman, Carol	LAPD
		Traylor, Essie	Rec and Parks
		Unikel, Erwin	LAPD
		Weilein, Richard	CAO

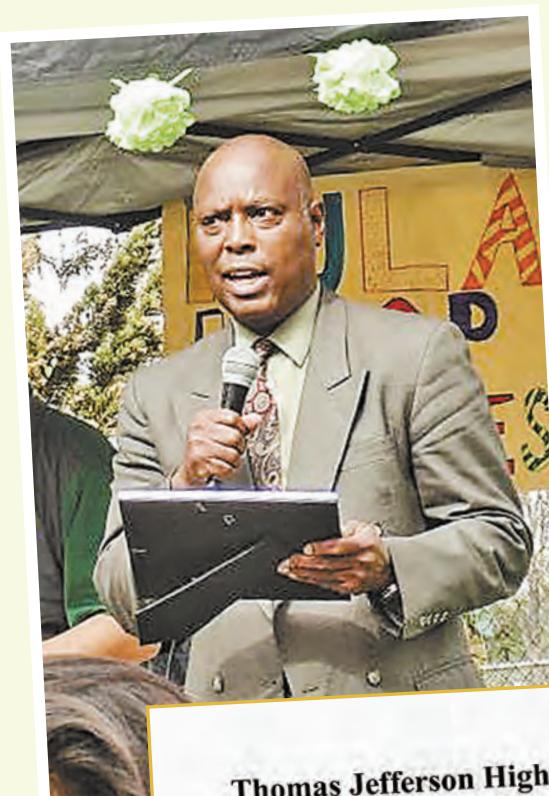
It's Time to Tell Their Story

Every month, *Alive!* publishes the names of those current or retired City Employees who have died.

But who were they? Did you know them? If you worked with any of these people, knew a story or two about them or were related to them, consider writing to *Alive!* and letting us know. *Tell their story!*

- Write a few sentences or paragraphs
- Send in a photo, if you have one
- Let us know your name and connection to the deceased
- Send your memories to: talkback@cityemployeesclub.com
Subject line: *Tell Their Story*

Special Achievement



It's Willie Owens Day!

October 28, 2016 was proclaimed Willie Owens Day at Thomas Jefferson High School, which is just south of downtown.

The school honored Willie, Retired, Sr. Detention Officer, LAPD, for donating instruments to the school's music program.

"Supporting public schools is and has always been a deep passion of mine," Willie says. "It highlights and illuminates the importance of giving back to the community. After over 45 years of serving the community anonymously with projects countywide, I have decided for once to eviscerate anonymity in favor of prudent transparency, as well as to elicit support that benefits public schools and other worthwhile organizations and charities. It occurred to me that my very own children did not know this aspect of their father. Therefore, how could I instill and firmly establish this as an example for them if I never allow them to be cognizant and aware."

It's important for Willie to give back. "I have been very fortunate to have received both a Bachelor's and Master's degree in criminal justice," he continues. "And I'm contemplating becoming an attorney in the future. My future objectives provide the highest-octane infusion for my concerns."

"I want to encourage all to support the various programs provided by public schools, whether it involves the arts, sports, academics or any program of choice. Public schools, along with other worthwhile organizations, are in critical need of support. Giving back is a human prerequisite worthy of thoughtful consideration. They could readily use your charitable, generous, magnanimous support and consideration on all levels."

We agree, Willie! Congratulations from the Club!

Thomas Jefferson High School

Certificate of Appreciation

Willie A. Owens

For your generous donation of Instruments!
We greatly appreciate your support and dedication to our music program
at Thomas Jefferson High School!

Agustin Gonzalez, Principal

October 28, 2016



Share Your Life's Moments

Everyone reads Life's Important Moments in *Alive!*

Share your news... and send in a photo! Have you gotten married? Had a baby? Graduated? Is a family member in the military? Send in a photo and a paragraph, telling us the details. We love to share your good news.

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