

Life's Important Moments

Retirements

Alive! and your City Employees Club wishes to thank each and every one of the following, who have spent many years making Los Angeles the great city it is. Congratulations, and enjoy your well-deserved rewards!



NAME	DEPARTMENT	YEARS OF SERVICE
Luz Alderete	Clerk/Typist (Transportation)	32
Ernesto Aldover	Transportation Engineer (Transportation)	30
Lorraine Almeida	Sr. Clerk/Typist (Gen. Services)	32
Alice Appel	Management Analyst (LAPD)	33
Lawrence Banks	Management Asst. (Gen. Services)	32
Marsha Banks	Personnel Analyst (LAPD)	27
Walter Beckum	Sr. Special Officer (Airports)	32
Conrad Bineau	Equipment Mechanic (Gen. Services)	32
Jerry Blair	Civil Engineer Draft Tech. (Harbor)	37
Christine Bocek	Librarian (Library)	35

NAME	DEPARTMENT	YEARS OF SERVICE
Jane Lambkin	Sr. Clerk/Typist (City Planning)	31
Richard Lanker	Civil Engineering Assoc. (P/W Engineering)	34
Zenaida Lerma	Management Analyst (Harbor)	31
S.L. Mangiameli	Cleaning Supt. (Lot Cleaning)	34
James McCloskey	Supply Services Mgr. (Gen. Services)	30
David McClure	Special Officer (Gen. Services)	33
Ernesto Mecenas	Transport. Engineer Assoc. (Transportation)	30
Frances Merced	Management Analyst (Finance)	28
Richard Meza	Build Repairer (Airports)	22
Paul Michalski	Engineering Geologist (P/W Engineering)	36
Glenn Millirons	Traffic Officer (Transportation)	33
Barbara Miyamoto	Council Aide (Council)	15
Jose Munoz	Gardener/Caretaker (Rec. and Parks)	17
Rosie Munoz	Clerk/Typist (P/W Street Services)	28
James Nakada	Real Estate Officer (Gen. Services)	35
Anita Nelson	Commission Exec. Assistant (LAFD)	35
Mary Orcasitas	Legal Secretary (City Attorney's Office)	32
Antonio Palacio	Mech. Repairer (Rec and Parks)	30
Janice Parnell	Info. Systems Operations Mgr. (Information Tech.)	33
Mary Paz	Sr. Clerk/Typist (P/W Engineering)	30
Maria Peralta	Pr. Accountant (Gen. Services)	27
Paterno Pornela	Payroll Supervisor (Gen. Services)	27
Michael Rodgers	Industrial Waste Inspector (Industrial Waste Mgmt.)	25
Mary Rodriguez	Acct. Clerk (City Attorney's Office)	17
Teresa Rodriguez	Accounts Rec. Supervisor (P/W Management)	31
Warren Royal	Maintenance Laborer (Solid Resource Collection)	30
Raffael Santamouro	Light Equipment Operator (Rec. and Parks)	32
Larethia Sardin	Sr. Clerk/Typist (Solid Resource Collection)	32
Isaias Sarmiento	Civil Engineering Assoc. (P/W Engineering)	24
Laura Shur	Secretary (LAPD)	30
Sylvia Smith	Field Rep (Finance)	39
Donald Taylor	City Planner (City Planning)	29
Gayln Taylor	Building Mech. Inspector (Building and Safety)	30
Adalberto Terrazas	Truck Operator (Solid Res. Collection)	23
Michael Thompson	Electrical Craft Helper (Transportation)	24
Gilbert Torres	Truck Operator (Solid Res. Collection)	30
Mary Jane Unsworth	Payroll Supervisor (Convention Center)	30
Lucille van Leuven	Executive Secretary (Airports)	18
Richard Welch	Risk Manager (Finance)	34
James Werder	Sr. Rec. Director (Rec. and Parks)	10
Billy Williams	Rec. Coordinator (Rec. and Parks)	30
Coretta Williams	Management Analyst (Finance)	30
Arthur Wilson	Photographer (LAPD)	31
Charles Wren	Custodial Serv. Attn. (Gen. Services)	31
Evelyn Zelman Sr.	Police Serv. Rep. (LAPD)	30



NAME: GLORIA A. MAHAFFEY (MARTINEZ)
 DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
 POSITION: LEGAL SECRETARY
 YEARS OF SERVICE: 30

Gloria started her service with the City, working for the LAPD in 1969. There she met her husband, Officer Ed Mahaffey. Ed is a police officer with the LAPD and also has served for 30 years. They have been married for 21 years and have two sons, Jason Edward and Christopher Darren. In 1974 she began working at the Mayor's office. She has been with the L.A. City Attorney's office since 1980.

Etta Bonner	Clerk (P/W Engineering)	30
Thurman Bromell	Truck Operator (Solid Res. Collection)	22
Charles Brooks	Traffic Officer (Transportation)	30
A.C. Byrd	Supply Services. Mgr. (Gen. Services)	40
William Channels	Truck Operator (Solid Refuse Collection)	23
David Chavez	Sign Post Painter (Airports)	15
John Clute	Sr. Management Analyst (P/W Lighting)	30
James Cordle	Helicopter Mechanic (Gen. Services)	30
Patricia Correia	Aide (Council)	10
Arline Desanctis	Aide (Council)	21
Regina Diaz	Accountant (Cultural Affairs)	26
Molly Donaldson	Crossing Guard (Transportation)	9
Sandra Dumon	Stores Supervisor (Gen. Services)	31
Gertrude Ellement	Crossing Guard (Transportation)	9
Richard Felosky	Animal Control Officer (Animal Reg.)	33
Michael Fox	Asst. City Attorney. (City Attorney's Office)	32
Alphonzo Garland	Transitional Worker (Terminal Island)	34
Aristotle Gonzalez	Sr. Accountant (W/P Management)	21
James Gonzalez	Building Mechanical Inspector (Building and Safety)	31
Attila Gyarmati	Rehab Const. Analyst (Housing Neighborhood Services)	23
Knowlin Hansen	Treatment Operator (Hyperion)	16
Ernest Herrera	Chief Inspector (Building/Safety)	35
Elizabeth Higbie	Asst. City Librarian (Library)	46
Carol Hobart	Park Service Attendant (Zoo)	26
James Hsu	Material Technician (Gen. Services)	28
John Kasnetsis	Management Analyst (Community Dev.)	26
Sheldon Kay	Occ. Psychologist (Personnel)	21
Felcie Kidd	Plant Guide (Hyperion)	7
Sylvia Kim	Management Analyst (Community Dev.)	31
Katsuye Kimura	Exec. Secretary (City Clerk)	35

Retirements:

Alive! receives retirement information from both the City and DWP. If you've just recently retired, we'd love to hear your story. Send us your picture along with a few sentences about your career and what you're planning and include your phone number. Send to moments@cityemployeesclub.com.



Births

Waaaah! Your City Employees Club of Los Angeles welcomes the following little ones into the world, and sends a hearty congratulations to the proud parents:



Andres Barron 4/5/02
 born to Margarita and Fernando Barron, April 5. Mom works in the L.A. City Attorney's Office.

Esther Princesa Murillo 5/5/02
 born to Rito and Ana Murillo-Vela, May 5. Dad works in the Customer Service Business Unit, DWP.

Dhalia Marie Ramirez 3/5/02
 born to Jose and Norma Ramirez-Vela, March 5. Dad works in the Customer Service Business Unit, DWP.



Hailey Anne Ramos 8/10/02
 born to Arceo and Joy Ramos, Aug. 10. Dad works in the Personnel Dept. of the Public Safety Bureau.

Robert Daniel Garcia 1/21/02
 born to Robert and Margaret Garcia, Jan. 21. Dad works in the Customer Service Business Unit, DWP.

Clenzell Watkins Jr. 2/24/02
 born to Clenzell Sr. and India Watkins, Feb. 24. Dad works in the Customer Service Business Unit, DWP.

Births:

Send us the following information: full name of the newborn, date of birth, name of parents, job title of the parent(s) who work(s) for the city or the DWP, your phone number and a baby photo. Send to moments@cityemployeesclub.com

Life's Important Moments

Share your moments!

Did you get married? Have a baby? (Yea!) Get a promotion? (Hooray!) Retire? (Ahhhh.) We want to hear from you. Share your news with the world!

Send all notices and digital photos to: moments@cityemployeesclub.com

Send paper notices and print photos to: *Alive!* 350 S. Figueroa St. Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA 90071

Photo Submission Guidelines:

- Do not send any photo that you cannot replace.
- If you want a photo returned, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope. (Write the name on the back of the photo.)
- We strongly prefer digital photos that can be e-mailed. However, make sure the resolution is at least 200 dpi. Photos from the Web are usually not good enough.
- We will print what we can in the space available.

Promotions

The following City and DWP employees have changed positions within the last 30 days. Congratulations to these hard-working public servants!

NAME	FORMER POSITION	NEW POSITION
Marie Eliazo	Accountant I	Accountant II <i>Controller's Office, General Accounting</i>
Anita Gregorio	Senior Accountant II	Principal Accountant I <i>Controller's Office, General Accounting</i>
Louella Ubaldo	Accountant I	Accountant II <i>Controller's Office, General Accounting</i>
Nestor Savellano	Accountant II	Senior Accountant I <i>Controller's Office, Payroll Services</i>
Rose Lansangan	Accountant II	Senior Accountant I <i>Controller's Office, General Accounting</i>

Promotions:

Send us your department, your former job title, your new job, and a sentence saying your supervisor is aware that you're sending this. Send your photo, too, plus your phone number. Send to moments@cityemployeesclub.com.



Weddings

Congratulations to the newlyweds.



Michelle Heather Brown and Jad Terrell Davis

May 11, in Chapman. (They honeymooned in Kauai.) Michelle is a management analyst with the Department of Fire and Police Pensions.

Weddings:

Send us your name, the name of your betrothed, the date and place of the wedding, the job title of the person(s) who work(s) for the City or the DWP, your wedding photo (see below), and your phone number. Engaged? We'll be happy to print your news after the wedding day. Send to moments@cityemployeesclub.com.



In Memoriam

Our thoughts and condolences are with the family and friends of the following current and retired city employees who have died:

Alberta Alff	Margaret Klutts
Marjorie Alkire	Sean Kung
Dolores Anderson	Meyer Levine
Jimmie Armstrong	Albert Logan
Juanito Balaoing	Charles McGuinness
Taylor Black	David Miyamoto
Lawrence Brunson	Fred Moon
William Chernus	Eugene Nelson
Mark Cinque	Elsie Nuttman
Margaret Coffman	Frank Pekarovich
Lawrence Daniels	Nunzia Ragusa
Willie Daniels	Ruth Rinnig
Samuel Elmore	Hattie Rodgers
Doris Fortier	Miguel Rodriguez
Helen Gallagher	Pearl Shoemaker
Lary Garcia	Iberville South
Fay Gordon	Carl Spiel
Frederick Graves Jr.	Dora Tecca
Robert Hadlock	Marion Thomas
Barbara Hampton	James Turner
Bernestine Hopkins	Pomeroy Turner
Ira Jackson	Marion Twyford
J. Jackson	Eda White
Joel Jackson	Jess Ybarra
Frank Kalan	Louis Ziliotto

In Memoriam:

We receive this information directly from the City and the DWP. But send us the name of the deceased, and we'll print the notice. Send in a photo of the deceased, too, if you have one, and include your phone number. Send to moments@cityemployeesclub.com.

Praise From the People



MEMBER NAME:
Linda Cleary

When I first called in early December 2001 to advise you that my husband had just passed away, Cecilia Camacho was

very sensitive and compassionate to my loss. She helped me from that moment, all the way through to the end.

She answered all my questions and helped me out whenever I had to fill out any paperwork.

Cecilia kept me informed as to what was being done the whole time. I knew that if I had any questions, she was there to answer them. She always returned my calls. Cecilia is also a professional in what she does and she is sincere and courteous. ■



ALIVE!: What is your favorite way to get the weekend off to a good start?

MARILYN: "Well, I try to walk every day. I have three different routes, but my dog chooses which one we'll take. He makes the decision. Or I'll go to the gym. Then, I get my hair done every other Friday, and when I don't, I go shopping."

"Since I'm retired, every day is like a weekend to me. I try to go the movies in mid-week, when it's less crowded. So some weekends, I'll take short road trips here and there. It sounds mundane, but it isn't. When you're busy, you're busy. Sometimes I'll go to the Monterey Bay Blues Festival with my sisters, or maybe some other place. I like day trips."

ALIVE!: So what happens on Saturdays?

MARILYN: "I belong to a lot of organizations, and often I'll have a meeting to go to on Saturdays."

"Living in Santa Clarita means I don't make it down to Los Angeles very often. But I head into Valencia to go out to eat at Claim Jumper—the portabella pizza with a half-Caesar salad is great – or Mimi's. At Mimi's, I get the Cobb salad. A full one is enough for three days! And I can't forget their butter-milk spiced muffin."

ALIVE!: What are Sundays like?

MARILYN: "Sundays, it's church, except for football season. I tell my fellow churchgoers that God is a Dallas Cowboys fan! Sometimes I watch the games by myself, but if I want company, all I have to say is, 'I'm cooking,' and I get plenty of company."

Marilyn McGuire retired as the disposal manager in the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Sanitation. She worked for the city for more than 35 years. Now, she represents retired city employees on the Board of Directors, and likes to keep her active lifestyle very much in gear when the weekend comes.



Marilyn McGuire,
Retired Disposal Manager,
Dept. of Public Works

Send us your favorite weekend story.
If we print it, you'll get dinner for 2 FREE!