

Public Works Thanks Groups That Have Contributed to City

■ **Event recognizes community activists, culminates National Public Works Week.**

The City's Department of Public Works publicly recognized dozens of individuals and community groups that have worked hard to make Los Angeles a more desirable place to live and work.

The recognition ceremony to honor residents and groups who have made significant contributions to Public Works in our Los Angeles neighborhoods and communities, took place Friday May 23 in the Board of Public Works hearing room, City Hall, Room 350.

Various members of the Board of Public Works handed out most of the certificates of recognition. City Councilmembers Tom LaBonge and Janice Hahn took time out of their council session that day to participate.

Fifty-four groups received recognition. Most were present at the ceremony to receive their proclamations. Some of their photos follow this article. ■

The complete list of award winners is:

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| Angelino Heights Community Organization | Francisco Martinez |
| Graffiti Busters | Zethel Meyers |
| Beacon House Association of San Pedro | Julia Munoz |
| Cathy Beauregard-Covit | Olive Middle School |
| Grace Bradbury | Pacoima Graffiti Busters |
| Silver Lake Improvement Association | Palisades Beautiful |
| Tom Burrows | Joyce Perkins |
| Glassell Park Improvement Association | Pico Union Neighborhood Watch |
| Canoga Park Neighborhood Council | Donald Premmick |
| Casa Esperanza | Reseda Neighborhood Council |
| Central City Action | Trish Salas |
| DC Discipleship | Salvadoran American Leadership and Educational Fund |
| Cypress Park Veteran Memorial | Marita Schaub |
| Michael Fiore | Studio City Beautification Association |
| Alma Flores | Tarzana Neighborhood Council |
| Fulton Middle School | Tony Taylor |
| Glen Alta Elementary School | Robert Totten |
| Lauren Haponski | Urban Renaissance Group |
| Helen Johnson | Valley Glen Neighborhood Association |
| Arleta Looky Loos Neighborhood Watch | Venice Boardwalk Task Force |
| Tom Kami | West Hills Neighborhood Council |
| Korean Youth and Community Center Environmental Unit | West Valley Alliance |
| Hilary Lachoff | Westchester Streetscape Improvement Association |
| Tree People | Westlake Protectors |
| Los Angeles Conservation Corps Clean and Green Program | Woodland Hills Neighborhood Council |
| Markham Middle School | Winnetka Neighborhood Council |
| Marlton School | Imelda Zambrano |



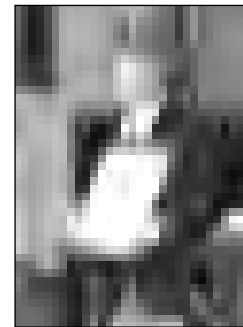
NW North Hollywood Neighborhood Council



Imelda Zambrano



Sepulveda TaskForce/Westchester Streetscape Improvement Assoc.



Tree People



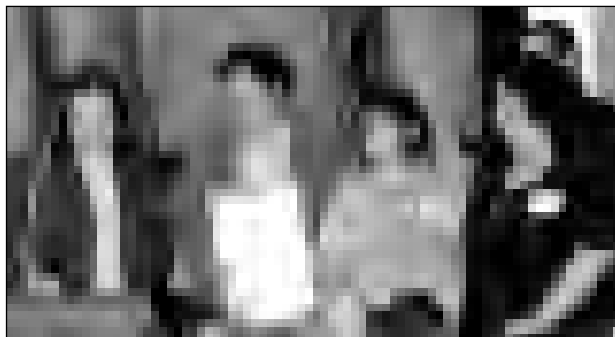
Woodland Hills Neighborhood Council



Lauren Haponski



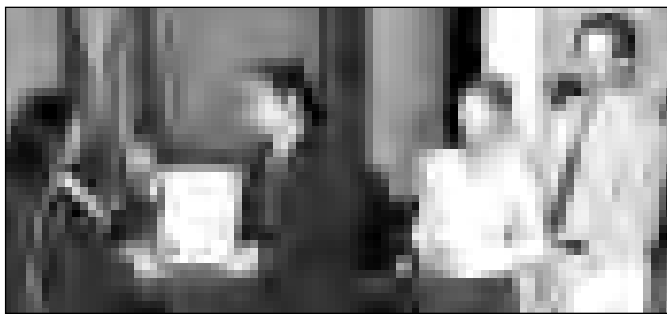
Glassell Park Improvement Association



Julia Munoz



Valley Glen Neighborhood Association



Urban Renaissance Group



West Hills Neighborhood Council



Arleta Looky Loos Neighborhood Watch



DC Discipleship Program



Central City Action



Venice Boardwalk Task Force



Los Angeles Conservation Corps



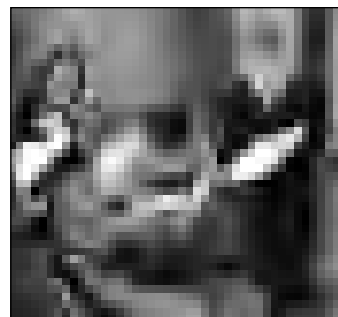
Cathy Beauregard-Covit



Beacon House Association of San Pedro



Tarzana Neighborhood Council



Grace Bradbury



Reseda Neighborhood Council