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## The Club: One Year and Counting For Community of City Employees

### ■ One year. And growing stronger every day.

One year ago this month, LACEA created the City Employees Club of Los Angeles. And the family of City employees has never been the same.

The LACEA has been a partner in the lives of City employees for more than 75 years, providing insurance services and check refunds. But starting early in 2002, we began to think that we were being called to do even more for City employees. We thought that this great city of Los Angeles deserved to have a true community of its employees. A community that celebrates its good times. That keeps up to date on news and information. That comes together and enjoys group discounts. And that looks out for each other with the best insurance plans available.

So we created the City Employees Club of Los Angeles, the Club. We were right; the need was there for a true community of City employees. You've responded enthusiastically. Our membership is growing by leaps and

bounds. This newspaper, *Alive!*, continues to grow each month. We offer you more and more Club benefits. We have coloring contests for the kids, and a scholarship contest for those in their late teens. The Club is not just about City employees. It's about their families, too. What's important to you is important to us.

As I write this, we're getting ready for our second annual ClubFest in early October. We'll give you plenty of pictures of the event next month. But it's a great feeling to know that together we've created a really great thing with our Club, and our coming together makes all our lives just a little bit better.

Keep sending in those recipes. Keep writing about what you like and don't like about *Alive!* (we really want to know what you think). Drop a line to your counselor with suggestions for the Club and requests for information about our insurance programs. Keep requesting those tickets from the Ticket Guy.

**Your city, your Club.** May it live for a long, long time. 🏠

### Numbers YOU CAN USE

Here's a list of helpful telephone numbers for you:

<b>City Employees Club of Los Angeles</b>	(800) 464-0452	<b>DWP Employees Assn.</b>	(213) 367-3146
<b>City Employees Club of Los Angeles FAX</b>	(213) 620-0398	<b>DWP Information</b>	(213) 367-4211
<b>City Employees Deferred Compensation</b>	(213) 978-1636	<b>DWP Paymaster</b>	(213) 367-1106
<b>City Employees Benefit Office</b>	(213) 978-1655	<b>DWP Personnel</b>	(213) 367-1934
<b>City Employees Retirement System</b>	(213) 473-7200 or (800) 779-8328	<b>DWP Retirement Plan Office</b>	(213) 367-1712
<b>City Paymaster</b>	(213) 978-7480	<b>Fire and Police Pension System</b>	(213) 978-4545
<b>City Personnel Office</b>	(213) 847-9240	<b>Local 347</b>	(213) 482-6660
<b>City of L.A. Clerical and Support Services Union, Local 3090</b>	(213) 487-9887 EXT. 340	<b>Los Angeles Federal Credit Union</b>	(213) 485-5000
<b>DWP Credit Union</b>	(213) 580-1690	<b>Los Angeles Firemen's Credit Union</b>	(323) 254-1700 or (800) 231-1626
		<b>Retired L.A. City Employees, Inc.</b>	(213) 255-9082
		<b>Whistleblower/Complaint Program</b>	(800) 824-4825

Have a number you'd like us to include? Send it in: alive@cityemployeesclub.com

## Member Benefits

■ As a member of the Club you have access to a host of valuable services and products:

### Discount Tickets

- TICKET EXPRESS: Buy tickets by Phone, Mail, or Website
- Theme parks and attractions (up to 70% off!)
- Movies - all major screens (up to 70% off!)
- Plays, musicals, the arts, sports events

### Alive! Newspaper

- Births, weddings, retirements and deaths
- Free Classifieds
- Retirees Corner
- News that matters!
- Department of the Month
- Opinion column
- Movie reviews
- Organized Club information

### Group Rated Insurance Products

- Term Life Insurance
- Long Term Disability
- Short Term Disability Insurance
- Long Term Care Insurance
- Cancer Insurance
- Group Rated Accidental Death & Dismemberment Insurance
- Group Rated Auto and Homeowners Insurance

Plus...

- The Famous "Refund Check" – 8% of premiums returned in 2002!
- Pet Insurance

### More Benefits

- Free Notary Service
- Scholarships
- Employee-of-the-Year Award



## Join the Club!

All active or retired City of Los Angeles and DWP employees are eligible to become members of the City Employees Club of Los Angeles.

To join, call  
**(800) 464-0452.**

Enjoy all these benefits for only \$4 per month for active employees, or \$2 per month for retired employees.

**Look for new services and products to be added soon!**



## Club Card

• Show your card and save money at hundreds of businesses in L.A. and throughout the country