

Gentle 'Eagle' Robert Bowen, Longtime Public Works Employee, Retires in Jan.

■ Bureau of Contract Administration threw party for him in October.

Bob Bowen, assistant director in the Bureau of Contract Administration in the Dept. of Public Works, and 35-year veteran City employee, is set to retire officially Jan. 25. But the division threw a big retirement bash for him Oct. 29 at Luminarias Restaurant, when he expressed his appreciation to his office staff and his family.



His last words? He looked at his watch and said, "Let's get back to work!"

Congratulations from the Club, Bob, on a great career and a job well done! (And thanks to those who organized your farewell bash.)

Below are photos from Bob's retirement party.



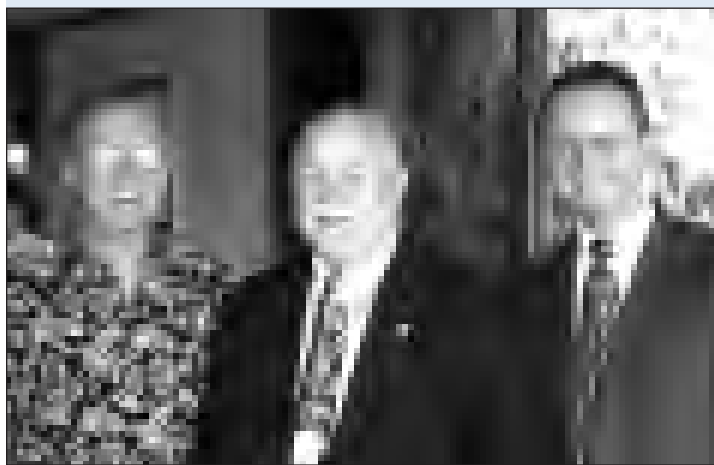
From left: Chris Smith, principal construction inspector, Wastewater Construction Division; and Gary Bigelow; John Reamer; Robert Bowen; Ted Galsim; and Walter (Butch) Bradley.



From left: Robert Bowen; and Walter (Butch) Bradley, chief, General Services Division, and master of ceremonies at the retirement party.



From left: John Reamer, acting assistant director; and Julie and Robert Bowen.



From left: Stanley J. Sysak, former Inspector of Public Works; Robert Bowen; and Larry Williams, chief, Administrative Services.



From left: Gary Bigelow, Principal Construction Inspector, Wastewater Construction Division; Ted Galsim, Principal Construction Inspector, Wastewater Construction Division; Larry Williams; John Reamer; and C. Bernard Gilpin, former Inspector of Public Works.

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