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by **John Hawkins President and CEO, The Club**

Gift of the Season: Biggest *Alive!* Yet



Happy Holidays!

Twelcome you to our **biggest issue of Alive! yet**. You're holding proof that there's no shortage of good news amongst City employees.

As you leaf through the pages, take special note of my one-onone interview with the intriguing Alvin Blain, who was
recently appointed as the new GM of General Services.
Also, for the first time ever, you'll see Contract
Administration up close and personal doing what they
do best, from 150 feet below the surface in the new
LA sewer line to the long-awaited Zoo additions,
they are literally everywhere the action is.

We also covered the famous Custodian Appreciation/Awards Luncheon as well as the Parking Services Awards Luncheon – nice work Tony Royster, Loretta Quenon and Ben Setiarto!

There's so much more; the annual Fight for Life; Cops for Tots; Ontario Airport's "Holiday Feast;" the Animal Services groundbreakings; and the list goes on. Lastly, we added a special Military Service Recognition section to honor the great men and

women of the military, so be sure to send in your photos if you have them.

So, as you can see, the holiday time brings much news and cause for celebration. I wish you the absolute very best. Have a safe and wonderful time and I'll see you next year! Season's Greetings!

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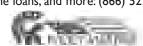
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