

Thanks; You're Welcome

rarie Kardiban (center), LAPD Central City Police Boosters, presents a plaque to Club Counselor Arlene Herrero (left) and Club CEO John Hawkins for the Club's support of the LAPD's recent 34th annual Charity Motorcycle Ride, held June 26. The plaque reads: "City Employees Club of Los Angeles, In appreciation of your generous contribution to the Central City Police Boosters Third Annual Charity Motorcycle Ride."

The June event marked the third year the Club has sponsored the charity ride. We've been there from the beginning," Arlene says. Thanks to Marie and to Capt. Andrew Smith for the lovely plaque. (Club photo by Angel Gomez, Member Services Manager.)

Employee of The Quarter

■ Maria Madero is Gen. Services employees of the quarter.

Story and photos by Angel Gomez, Member Services Manager

GENERAL SERVICES — General Services' Supply Services Division in City Hall East gave its Employee of the Quarter award to Maria Madero, Procurement Analyst II, Aug. 4.

Maria was recognized for her outstanding job performance as well as her leadership skills and work ethic. Her customers and suppliers have consistently praised her responsiveness and customer support. Recently, Maria was able to negotiate a price reduction in LAPD body armor that will save the City more than \$1million over the term of the contract.

It is for this and many other reasons that Maria Madero was selected for this well-deserved honor and recognition.

Congratulations, Maria! And special thanks to Tom Kasowski for assisting us with this story.



Pictured with Employee of the Quarter Maria Madero (seated, center) are, standing, from left: Malintzen Julien, Procurement Analyst I, 4 months, Club Member; Tom Kasowski, Supply Services Manager I, 31 years, Club Member; and Marivic Reyes, Procurement Supervisor, 16 years. Seated: Eric Lau, Procurement Analyst II 8 months; Maria Madero, Procurement Analyst II, 20 years; and Ramiro Puhawan, Procurement Analyst II, 4 years, Club

