

Life's Important Moments

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Did you get married? Have a baby? (Yea!) Get a promotion? (Hooray!) Retire? (Ahhhh.) We want to hear from you. Share your news with the world! Send all notices and digital photos to: moments@cityemployeesclub.com
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Retirements

NAME	TITLE	DEPT.	#YEARS
Tomas Abutal	Etl. Eng. Drafting Tech.	DWP	N/A
Olivia Adams	Senior Clerk	DWP	N/A
Frank Alvarado	Water Utility	DWP	N/A
Carmine Baffo	Cust. Serv. Rep.	DWP	N/A
Robert Ball	Equip. Safety Investigator	Bldg. and Safety	37
Roy Barslund	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Herbert Barton	Street Mt. Supt.	Public Works	36
Richard Beal	Legislative Analyst	Council	21
Gregory Beckman Sr.	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Charmaine Brown	Crossing Guard	Transportation	7
Earl Brown	EAA Tech.	DWP	N/A
Jan Burba	Plumber	Gen. Services	21
Galo Campana	Ref. Coll. Truck Operator	Public Works	26
Richard Carrico	Systems Analyst	LAFD	28
Lionel Carvallo	Secretary	CDD	21
Floyd Casey	Welder	Gen. Services	25
Maria Castillo	Management Analyst	CDD	41
Roger Chandley	Pr. Construction Inspector	Public Works	35
Warren Charbonnet	Water Utility Worker	DWP	N/A
Darryl Cherness	Management Analyst	CDD	11
Melva Clark	Clerical	DWP	N/A
Stephen Clark	MEA	DWP	N/A
Terrence Colerus	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Larry Contri	N/A	DWP	N/A
Therese Correy	Librarian	Library	17
Freddy Cortez	N/A	DWP	N/A
Michael Coutu	Warehouse and Tool Room Wkr.	DWP	N/A
Marilyn Crasto	Sr. Clerk Typist	Housing	30
Phyllis Dougherty	N/A	DWP	N/A
Patsy Duchesne	Clerk Typist	Harbor	30
Robert Eustrom	Ch. Tax and Permit Div.	Finance	34
Dennis Eyre	EAA Prof. Supv.	DWP	N/A
Jeffrey Franetovich	Mech. Helper	Airports	30
Raymond Furnish	Finance Specialist	Treasurer	10
Gloria Garcia	Clerical	DWP	N/A
Doyle Gentzler	Deputy City Atty.	City Atty.	30
Cruz Gomez	EAA Prof.	DWP	N/A
Raul Gonzalez	Gardener Caretaker	Airports	16
Maximo Gorospe	Sr. Build. Operating Engr.	Airports	25
Michael Graskowiak	N/A	DWP	N/A
Pablo Griffith	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Ruben Guerrero	Ref. Collection Truck Opr.	Public Works	19
Aiko Hanami	Cvl. Eng. Drafting Tech.	DWP	N/A
William Hey	Heavy Duty Truck Op.	DWP	N/A
Vincent Hernandez	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
John Hilger	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Geraldine Hines	Clerk Stenographer	City Planning	36
Barbara Holley	Sr. Systems Analyst	LAPD	11
Con Howe	Director of Planning	City Planning	30
Donnell Howard	Sr. Traffic Supervisor	Transportation	30
Hideo Ishimaru	Sr. Carpenter	Airports	35
Beda Jardenil	Lab. Tech.	DWP	N/A
Leola Johns	Traffic Officer	Transportation	18
Richard Johnson	Equip. Repair Supv.	DWP	N/A
Hosneya Khattab	Sr. Librarian	Library	19
J.A. Killingsworth	Equip. Specialist	LAFD	38
Shu Lee	Pr. Accountant	Controller	24
Deena Lester	Messenger Clerk	Library	8
Annette Lindeman	Clerical	DWP	N/A
L. Littlejohn	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Alan Lupoe	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Junie Maddox	Security Officer	Airports	13
Michael Marquez	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Christine McCall	Asst. City Attorney	City Attorney	30
Lucik Melikian	EAA Prof.	DWP	N/A
Margaret Murphy	Cust. Serv. Rep.	DWP	N/A
Manuel Nava	Gardener Caretaker	Rec and Parks	35
Gary Nyberg	Electric Station Op.	DWP	N/A
Patrick O'Connor	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
William Penhallow	Sr. Equip. Mechanic	LAPD	25
Cletus Pierce	Sr. Build. Operating Engr.	Airports	9
Guy Pugliese	Plumber	Harbor	24
Charles Raffetto	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A

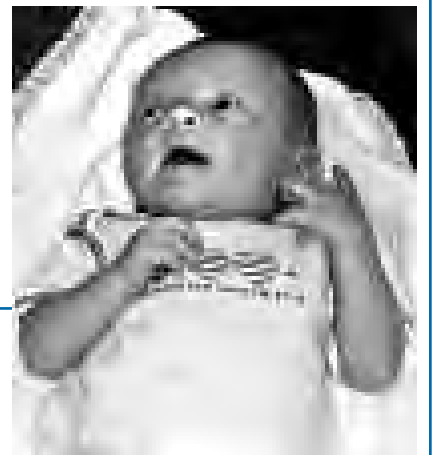
Kathy Rainey	Sr. Clerk Typist	DWP	N/A
Ricky Roberts	Tree Surgeon Super.	DWP	N/A
Albert Roy	Painter	Gen. Services	21
David Schneider	EAA Prof. Supv.	DWP	N/A
Herbert Schweiger	EAA Prof.	DWP	N/A
Kareen Shane	Sr. Mgmt. Analyst	Airports	30
Richard Shary	Instrument Mech.	DWP	N/A
Gary Shaughnessy	Rec Director	Rec and Parks	33
Koichi Shimada	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
John Smith	Electric Station Op.	DWP	N/A
Mark Smith	Steam Plant Op.	DWP	N/A
Patricia Smith	Power Distribution	DWP	N/A
Efrayem Soliman	Civil Engr. Assoc.	DWP	N/A
Carolyn Tate	Sr. Clerk Typist	CDD	23
Aubrey Tindle	Oper. Mtnc. Serv.	DWP	N/A
Jerry Trusty	EAA Tech.	DWP	N/A
John Vail	MEA	DWP	N/A
Robert White	Golf Starter	Rec and Parks	10
Kenneth Widdis	Gardener Caretaker	Rec and Parks	34
Cunnie Williams	Sr. Gardener	Rec and Parks	30
Bernard Wilson	Police Captain	Airports	30
Reuben Wilson	Storekeeper	DWP	N/A
Stephen Yancey	Aqueduct and Reservoir Keeper	DWP	N/A

Alive! and your City Employees Club wishes to thank each and every one of the following, who have spent many years making Los Angeles the great city it is. Congratulations, and enjoy your well-deserved rewards!

Births



Isabella Alexis Jimenez, born July 28. He is the son of **George and Carol Jimenez**. George works in Meter Reading, DWP.



Jordan Lea DeZiel, born September 9 to **Josh and Julie DeZiel**. Josh is a carpenter at LAX.



Zorianna Garcia, born July 13 to **Carlos and Tracey Garcia**. Carlos is a Meter Reader, DWP.

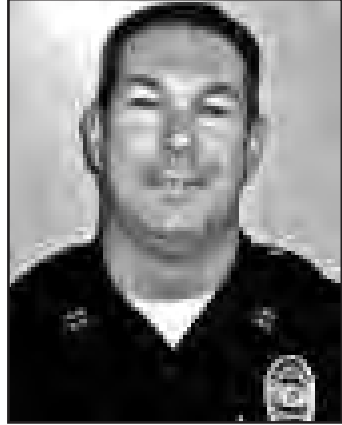


Johnny Tratten, born September 2 to **James Tratten**, Rec and Parks.

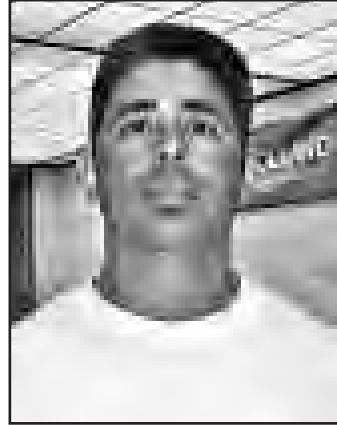
Births: Send us the following information: full name of the newborn, date of birth, name of parents, job title of the parent(s) who work(s) for the City or the DWP, your phone number and a baby photo. Send to moments@cityemployeesclub.com

Promotions

Mario Ignacio, promoted to Director of Finance and Risk Control, DWP. Mario has more than 14 years of financial management experience emphasizing taxable fixed income investment and debt administration. His responsibilities now include directing and managing special trust fund portfolios close to \$1 billion, administering and implementing debt-restructuring activities for the DWP and certain SCPA projects, and monitoring risk and credit for the utility's wholesale marketing activities and natural gas hedging program.

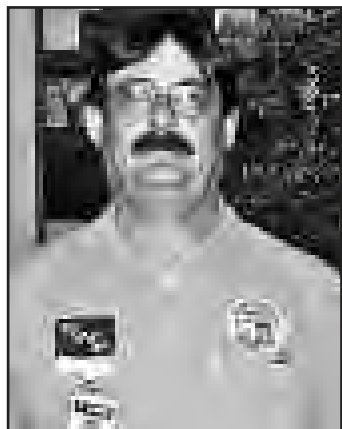
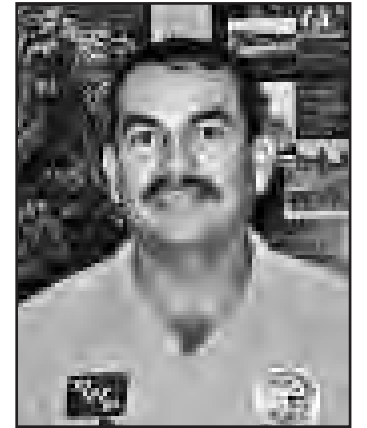


Lt. Gerry Perez, General Services Office of Public Safety Day Watch Commander, has been promoted to captain. He is a Club Member with 24 years of City service.



Ricardo Alvarez, promoted to Maintenance and Construction Worker, DWP, from Construction Equipment Service Worker, Gen. Services. He has been with the City for 20 months.

Rolando Vanegas, promoted to Maintenance and Construction Helper, DWP, from Maintenance and Construction Helper, Public Works. He has been with the City for 4 years.



Pete Hernandez, promoted to Maintenance Construction Helper from Light Truck Operator, DWP. He has 5 years of City service.



Harriet M. Voloso, promoted to Management I, Housing, from Management II, DWP. She has been with the City since 1982.

New Members

The Club gives a great big welcome to these new members, who recently joined the Club:

Welcome New Members!

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| Tony Alvarez | Gary Campbell | Brenda Young | Michael Durkee | Douglas Lee | Jose Luis Raza |
| Juanita Crutchfield | Cassandra Chambliss | Alicia Zamora | Romero-Salgado | John Leonard | Nazareth Revilla |
| Barbara Eubank | Howard Chambliss | Cesar Zapata | Elizabeth | Zoila Lopez | Christopher Riedesel |
| Rose Fuller | Karen Daniels | Eulalio Alcala | Erick Escobar | Rufino Lozano | Marianne Robinson |
| Ernestina Gutierrez | Jenny Day | Vincent Amos | Constance Evans | Lynn McClain | Mario Rodriguez |
| Mildred Klein | Larry Dominguez | Elizabeth Arnold | Jennifer Flores | Gordon McCullough | Kevin Rodriguez |
| Robert Sexton | Ching Feng | Teresa Arreola | Rene Fregoso | Roman Melgar | Maria Rodriguez |
| Michael Stevenson | Wendy Fuller-Bryson | John Arriola | Richardo Fuentes | Martin Mendoza | Juventina Rodriguez |
| Thelma Tellis | Maricela Garcia | Grace Arroyo | Cynthia Fuentes | Arthur Meza | Eduardo Rodriguez |
| Ron Trower | Keren Gonzalez | Andrew Avalos | Lisa Fuqua | Ron Miller | Milan Romero |
| William Violante | Emma Gonzalez | Frank Ayala | Frank Gaffney | Lorna Minix | Mary Rosales |
| Maxine Williams | Mayra Heredia | Carnell Baker | Maria Gambino-Gudino | Sofia Mohaghegh | Beatriz Rubio |
| Ralph Alvarado | Salvador Hernandez | Earl Barnes | Sayde Garcia | Deossha Moore | Cynthia Serrajo |
| Rene Astengo | Mary Hodges | Erin Bishop | Aureliano Garcia Jr. | Reginald Moore | Frank Shin |
| Christopher Cadena | Jeffrey Johnson | James Byard | Juan Gomez | Baltazar Mora Jr. | George Skarmear |
| Belinda Crawford | Montrii Kiatkulpiboone | Claudia Campos | Murriel Goosby | Frank Morales | Anthony Smith |
| Jason Darby | Edward King | Juan Carbajal | Lynne Gregoire | Dora Moran | Donald Smyth |
| Steven Davis | Amanda Lares | Max Cardenas | Kip Haneman | Jose Moreno | Linda Stewart |
| Jose Del Barrio | Tiffany Liaw | Josefa Castro | Tammy Harrell | William Motherspaw | Sherry Thompson |
| Matthew Hogan | Teodoro Lopez | Steven Cavazos | Falise Harrell-Jackson | Trena Napue | George Topete |
| Robert Kerr | Raymond Maese | Alicia Ceja | Carol Harris | Diane Newman | Yolanda Trejo |
| Hong Lam | Gloria Martin | Alfredo Cenicerros | Shannone Harvey | Sherade Nichols | Jorge Trejo |
| Paul Langbehn | Patrice Mingo | Fernando Chacon | Marcus Hawthorne | Emeka Nnamoko | Jubian Tutor |
| Wayne Nelson | Danette Nappi | Joe Chale | Anibal Hidalgo | Gail-Anne Noyes | Daniel Varela |
| James Ochoa | Gregory Navarro Jr. | Jesus Chavez | Donald Hobbs Jr. | Leena Ogoke | Adam Verdugo |
| Erlina Partosa | Brian Nelson | Jackie Chavez | Paula Hofsommer | Daniel O'Grady | Eleanor Villanueva |
| Juan Serna | Belinda Nieves | Cecilia Consebido | Pete Holguin | George Olsey | Darius Vosooghi |
| Michael Singson | Terrence O'Connell | Kelly Cooper | Scott Hurwitz | Mayra Ossono | Albert Wang |
| Michael Thompson | John Parker | Ana Cordova | Vern Ibarra | John Otto | Nicole Ward |
| Rafael Vazquez | Andy Robateau | Cesar Corona | Arthur Jackson | Sam Pallares | Sabah Washington |
| Javier Zendejas | Carlos Rodriguez | Julie Cuttrel | Azya Jackson | Clarence Parmer | Narvia Wells |
| Eufemia Avalos | Felix Santa Cruz | Charles Davis | Kathleen Johnson | Rameshbhai Patel | Elliot White |
| Tessa Bateman | Carmen Steffey | Michael De Lang | Jerome Johnson | Alfredo Pedraza | Kimberley Williams |
| Rayford Bennett | Victor Sturk | Michael Delgadillo | Timothy Johnson | Rafael Perez | Terron Worley |
| Duane Brown | Fabiola Villasenor | Sergio Diaz | Peter Kausteklis | Leonard Ramirez | Steven Wright |
| Aubrey Brown | Derek Wallace | Venkata Donthineni | Viet Le | Jeanette Ramos | Gloria Wyatt |
| Linda Browne | Leslie Washington | Richard Doris | Yi Lee | Sandra Ramos | Vicente Zamora |

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In Memoriam

Our thoughts and condolences are with the family and friends of the following current and retired City employees who have passed away:

NAME	DEPT.	#YEARS
Helen Bailey	DWP	18
Ronald Cox	DWP	26
Rodrigo Campos	Rec and Parks	21
Karen David	DWP	20
Ramon Garcia	Transportation	3
James Graham	Airports	21
Clarence Jingles	Airports	16
Richard Lenser	DWP	24
John Morales	DWP	20
Regina Orr	DWP	25
Edmundo Sosa	DWP	17
Ramona Strickland	DWP	25
Walter Anthony	DWP	27
William Arnold	Public Works	20
Charles Baer	DWP	16
Warren Bayton	DWP	34
George Bleibaum	Transportation	31
Player Bradford	DWP	32
Donald Brittingham	LAPD	44
Gus Brown	DWP	41
Leland Burton	DWP	23
Ray Cervantes	Public Works	28
Carl Chaplin	Harbor	6
Charles Childress	Airports	34
Thelma Clark	DWP	11
Desmond Cleary	Public Works	5
Frank Cochran	DWP	17
Mardell Craddock	Public Works	21
Lee Cramer	DWP	32
Frederick Crowder	Transportation	35
Thomas Cummings	DWP	23
Theodric Davis	Public Works	30
Kenneth Flittner	DWP	31
Harry Flynt	DWP	7
George Gallego	DWP	28
Walter Gilmore	Public Works	35
Edgar Givens	Gen. Services	20
William Gowdy	DWP	23
George Grover	DWP	37
Antonio Gutierrez	Transportation	20
Charles Hanus	Airports	12
William Hannah	DWP	18
Isom Holmes	Rec and Parks	13
Donald Horton	DWP	29
Elinor Howlett	Public Works	29
Barney Jester	DWP	43
Charles Johnson	DWP	20
Chester Jones	Gen. Services	27
Jewel Jones	DWP	22
Howard Kaessner	DWP	38
Mark Karmelich	Harbor	28
Peter LeLiever	DWP	20
Gertrude Lovinggood	DWP	21
Mary Luque	LAPD	28
Henry Macy	Airports	16
Dolores Martin	DWP	10
Otha Martin	Public Works	19
Wesley Marshall	LAPD	10
Odell Mathieu	DWP	25
Kathleen McDevitt	DWP	19
George Meehan	Public Works	16
Ralph Melching	Public Works	30
Charles Navarro	Controller	25
Francis Osborn	DWP	32
Otis Pierce	DWP	30
Milan Polacek	Public Works	26
William Powers	Airports	13
Joseph Ramirez	DWP	31
Ignacio Reyes	Public Works	35
Richard Ringys	DWP	26
Marguerite Rivera	Library	15
Donald Rossman	DWP	24
Robert Ryman	DWP	17
Harold Scarborough	DWP	33
Thomas Sims	DWP	30
Kenneth Smith	DWP	21
Lillian Sonies	Treasurer	21
Angus Stamps	Public Works	29
Robert Thompson	DWP	21
John Trotter	Transportation	35
Colleen Twomey	LAPD	38
Jose Vazquez	DWP	13
Earl Walls	DWP	21
Eugene Wald	DWP	37
George Ward Jr.	DWP	39
Anderson Warren	DWP	28
Robert Werndorf	DWP	11
Robert White	DWP	38
Thomas Williams	DWP	30
Robert Witt	Harbor	29



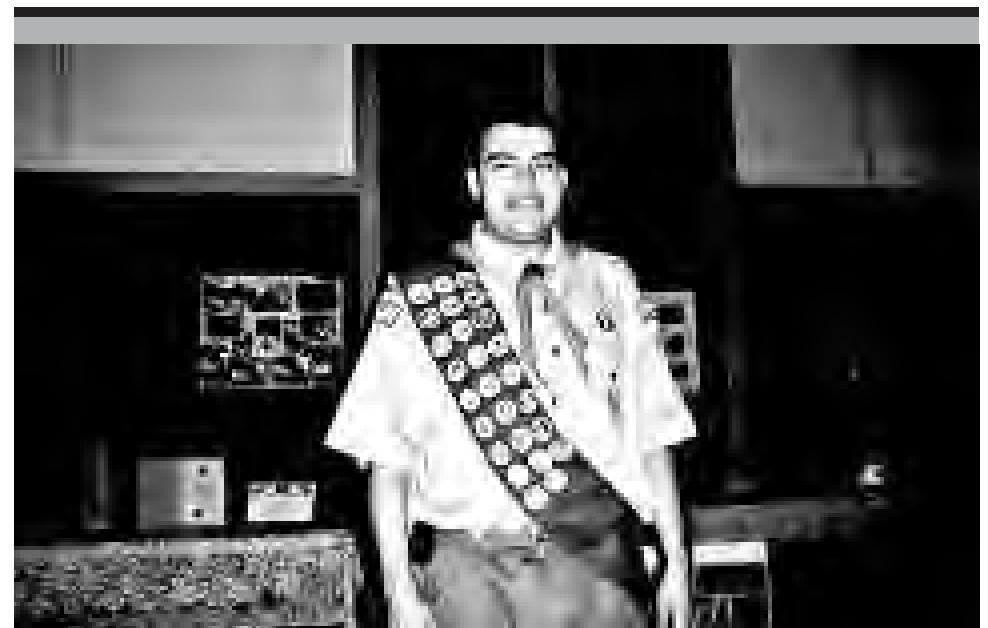
Dances into the Holidays

The LADWP Dance Club is hosting a Holiday Party for all City employees, families and friends Friday, Dec. 9, from 7:30 p.m. to midnight at the LJ Ballroom Dance Center, 19716 E. Arrow Highway in Glendora. Cost is only \$25. You are invited to dance the night away and meet your fellow City Employees.

LADWP Dance Club
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LJ Ballroom Dance Center
19716 E. Arrow
Highway in Glendora

For more information, contact Lourdes Zerrudo at (213) 367-1405 or lourdes.zerrudo@ladwp.com



Fredi Macias, Library employee and the first Eagle Scout for his Boy Scout troop in five years.

Soaring Like an Eagle

Library employee becomes an Eagle Scout.

Story by Robert Larios, Director of Communications and Marketing
 Photo courtesy Fredi Macias

LIBRARY — Fredi Macias, a young Library Dept. Messenger Clerk at the Mid-Valley Regional Branch Library in North Hills, earned the Eagle Scout Rank, the highest rank of scouting achievement, at a ceremony Oct. 4 at the place where the troop meets, a Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints San Fernando Skate Center, 15555 Saticoy St. in Van Nuys.

"My mother is a single mother of three boys. I'm in the middle," Fredi says.

"I'm honored to say that I've completed the highest rank in Boy Scouts, the Eagle Scout Rank. I'm a Mexican American. I'm currently attending Los Angeles Valley College, and I plan to transfer to UCLA, where I would go on to major in political science. I plan to become a City politician because I feel a great desire to help this community.

"I've been a City employee since I was 16 years old at the Mid-Valley Regional Branch Library in North Hills. I have many dreams and I know nothing is impossible. My dream is to be the first Mexican American President of the United States of America! Watch out World, here I come!"

