



Dr. Ralph Appy (center) receives the environmental award with Dr. Robert Kanter from the Port of Long Beach (left). They accept the awards from Tom Poe, president of the Harbor Association of Industry and Commerce (HAIC).

# Green Award

#### **■** Harbor environmental expert wins national leadership award.

HARBOR — Ralph Appy, Ph.D., Director of Environmental Management for the Port of Los Angeles, was honored April 19 with the first-ever Harbor Association Environmental Leadership award from the Harbor Association of Industry and Commerce (HAIC).

HAIC, a maritime industry organization, recognized Dr. Appy at its monthly meeting for his tireless efforts in creating programs and initiatives that balance environmental concerns with Port operations and growth.

The Club congratulates Ralph for his industry leadership.



## All About Recycling

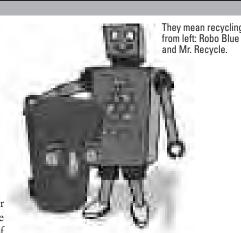
#### ■ Sanitation's annual yard open houses will focus on 'Discover Recycling'

PUBLIC WORKS — Hosting six "Discover Recycling" open house events throughout the City of Los Angeles, Public Works' Bureau of Sanitation welcomes children, families and the public to experience fun, food and games while learning about the benefits of the City's recycling, refuse and green waste programs.

"Keeping Los Angeles beautiful involves everyone's participation including children and their families to reduce, reuse and recycle their household refuse and green waste," said Cynthia M. Ruiz, President of the Board of Public Works. "These open houses are geared to promote recycling knowledge and to encourage recycling behaviors that will help conserve landfill space, preserve precious resources and protect the environment for the future."

Established in 2003, the fifth annual open houses focus on the Citywide effort to improve and enhance recycling as well as the public's use of its black waste, green trimmings and blue recycling bins. Visitors will meet the City's new recycling characters, Mr. Recycle and Robo Blue, and be treated to tours of the yard and learning center as well as demonstrations of recycling trucks and equipment. As an added bonus, the Million Trees L.A. initiative will provide tree adoption opportunities and the Bureau of Sanitation will distribute free mulch from its green waste program.

"We conduct these open houses to support the goal of reducing the total amount of recyclable waste material going to the landfill," said Rita L. Robinson, Director for the Bureau of Sanitation. "By creating recycling awareness, particularly among our youths, we are working to advance recycling habits through hands-on experimental approaches that reinforce recycling attitudes and behaviors."



#### The 2007 Sanitation **Open Houses will be held:**

East Valley District Yard, 11050 Pendleton St., Sun Valley: Saturday, May 12, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

West Valley District Yard, 8840 Vanalden Ave., Northridge: Saturday, May 19, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

North Central District Yard, 452 San Fernando Rd., Los Angeles: Saturday, June 2, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

South Los Angeles District Yard, 786 S. Mission Rd., Los Angeles: Saturday, June 16, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Harbor District Yard. 1400 N. Gaffey St., San Pedro: Saturday, June 23, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

West Los Angeles District Yard, 2027 Stoner Ave., Los Angeles: Saturday, June 30, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

For more information on "Discover Recycling" Bureau of Sanitation Open Houses, please visit www.lacity.org/SAN/ or call (800) 773-2489.



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New York Mets	Thur 7/19 at 7:10pm	\$20
Arizona Diamondbacks	Sun 8/5 at 1:10pm	
(Free Kids Universal Studios	s Tickets)	
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Colorado Rockies Wed	9/26 at 7:10pm	\$20

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