

Life's Important Moments

Share your moments!

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 high resolution photos with the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com or send paper notices and print photos to: Alive! 350 S. Figueroa St., Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA 90071



New Members

Welcome New Members!

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

Airports

Maritza Barreiro Rowena Borja Cynthia Brown Francisco Castaneda IV Juan Francisco Mark Guriel Terrell Linzey Phillip Pennington Darren Popper Joseph Ricksecker Susan Smetana Brian Wescott

Animal Services

Adan Prieto

Building and Safety

Verna Riparip

Alfonso Avila Nick Daneni Maria Diaz William Mitchell

City Clerk

Celia Brugman **LAFD**

Kristina Rivera Tasha Muldrew

General Services Victor Hernandez Sergio Santos

Harbor

Sami Azmy Rodney Barnes Vanessa Bautista Jane Becerra Philip Carter Rafael Diaz

Edwin Fletcher Victor Guzman Andres Herrera Eddie Marsh Guillermo Perez Kevin Sun

Housing

Jim Blythe Claudia Castillo Angie Coello Jaime Ramirez

Jarita Love Library

Xochitl Ortiz-Garcia **Personnel**

Sandra Jimenez

Planning Mike Trockey

LAPD

Janice Austin Janette Bagdriwicz Christopher Bartlett Timoiya Chennault Debra Davis Nikki Delgado Paul Gonzalez Nicole Hamilton Shari Johnson Manuel Melgoza Amelia Ocon Paul Ricchiazzi Ashlye Roberts

Ella Tarrant-Tate

Public Works

Contract

Administration Paul O'Carroll

Engineering

Hector Chavez Willie Owens Armand Pascua

Sanitation

Linda Brown Monica Cuellar Verna Forrest Michael Kitley Cynthia Matzumoto Mohsen Moayedi

Street Lighting

Fernie Cabanillas Jose Gonzalez David Lopez Sr. Daniel Thome Jesse Torrez Rochelle Williams

Street Services

Kirk Bible William Bradley Efren Garcia

Transportation

Ruben Garcia

Finance

Maria Victoria Reodica

Active

LACERS

DWP

Angelica Chavez

Meron Ahadu

Romonia Bess-

Crockett

Kareena Fray

Alexander Kyi

Deborah Rogers

Selena Tamayo

Bernice Jackson

Ethelynn Lowe

Karlos Burciaga

Karama Carter

Alberto Colin

Gabriel Garcia

Roberto Lucas

Arthur Gonzales

Michael Matthews

Sharell Mayberry

Alberto Murillo

Daniel Pacheco

Michele Payan

Glenn Smith

Joshua Stone

Hugo Meza

Sherri Oden

Retired

Other

Cecilia Hammond

Susann Hernandez

Timothy Batchelder

Timothy Conkin, DWP, 26 Virginia Cook*, DWP, 18 Jim Anthony Wheeler, Rec and Parks, 9 Lindzy Williams, General Services, 20

Retired

Dorothy Abreau, DWP, 39 Rudolf Alfaro, Public Works, 16 Guy Bailey, DWP, 32 John Busby, Rec and Parks, 35 Hazle Calhoun, DWP, 33 Laurel Carter, DWP, 12 Ellsworth Cedar, DWP, 29 Edith Cramer, DWP, 11 Robert Combs, Public Works, 0 Archie Contreras, DWP, 26 Elliott Cox, Public Works, 29 Henry Davis, DWP, 28 Mario Dezarraga, General Services, 36 Jeanne Di Conti, City Attorney, 31 Leon Dougherty, DWP, 13 Theodore Elman, Library, 20 Beverly Everman, Treasurer, 31 Ruby Finch, DWP, 24 Hal Fitzgerald, Building and Safety, 25 Irene Gibbs, DWP, 38

Huey Gillyard, DWP, 29 Melvin Goldman, DWP, 36 F.D. Gonzalez, DWP, 33 Lowell Goss*, DWP, 25 Herman Grayson, DWP, 25 Eva Hanke, DWP, 15 Yoshito Haratani, Airports, 20 Arnold Hassoldt, DWP, 47

Dorothy Helfeld, Library, 15

Sunny Viets James Holloman, LAPD, 11 Raquel Viramontes Grace Iserman, DWP, 10 Matt Wilson Joseph Jackson, Transportation, 32

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

In Memoriam

away. The number after the name indicates years of service. Norman Kitahara, DWP, 12 Harvey Kitaoka, Public Works, 33

William Kulzer, LAPD, 26

Leonard Leon, Building and Safety, 25 Leslie Lynch, DWP, 17

Elinor Marks, DWP, 21

John Kozak, DWP, 26

Consuelo Martinez, DWP, 22 Susan Mattson, Social Service, 32

Donald McKay, DWP, 34

Margaret McMahon, City Clerk, 35

Tora Neal, DWP, 32 Richard Nelson, DWP, 26

Jasper Nolen, Public Works, 30

John Page, DWP, 28

Fred Perdue, DWP, 33

Robert Perry, Public Works, 32 John Phillips, Library, 25

Frank Preimesberger, Rec and Parks, 19

Herbert Price, Rec and Parks, 35

Marvin Price, DWP, 31

Bess Pruner, Controller, 27

Fred Quintanilla, DWP, 11

Lester Richmond, DWP, 27

Minor Robinson, Public Works, 30

Enrique Sanchez, DWP, 41

Barry Sciaini, Public Works, 7

LeRoy Shannon, DWP, 34

Ray Sharkey, Public Works, 11

Eunice Shoemaker, Transportation, 4

Rodolfo Sifuentes, Public Works, 11

George Simpkins, DWP, 40

David Skinner, DWP, 33

Tommy Stayton, Public Works, 31 Milan Stewart, DWP, 19

Garland Suton, DWP, 31

Paul Thompson, DWP, 28

Virginia Thuesen, Building and Safety, 8

* Club Member



Promotions

Alive! is delighted to publish promotion photos of Club members. Have a photo of a recent promotion? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Quinceañera

Alive! is delighted to publish photos of Club members quinceañera. Have a photo of a recent guinceañera? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Retirements

orencio Alvarez	Build Repairer	Zoo	40
Gary Anderson	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Anton Arcata	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Rudolph Armendariz*	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Raynee Banger	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Harumi Barron*	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Sonya Bhudhikanok	Programmer/Analyst	ITA	26
Harvey Birch	Maint. and Constr. Helper	Harbor	18
Stephen Blucher	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Mary Bollman	Sr. Clerk Typist	General Services	12
Michael Burrell	Sr. Gardener	Rec and Parks	24
In Chang	Sr. Systems Analyst	LACERS	27
Johnnie Cherry*	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Byung Choi	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Carey Cummins	Police Service Rep	Police	23
Adolfo Duarte	Maintenance Laborer	Public Works	25
Martha Garcia	Exec. Admin. Asst.	Personnel	33
Christine Garcia	Accounting Clerk	General Services	22
Jeff Garrett Jr.*	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Rodolfo Geronca	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Myra Grussing	Secretary	Harbor	20
Cecilia Hernandez	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Antoine Joubi	Airport Guide	Airports	7
Lester Jordan	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed
Lillian Kawasaki	Not Disclosed	DWP	Not Disclosed



Births



Matthew Jesse Lopez, born Dec. 4 to Gaby and Chuy Lopez. Chuy is a Club Member and is with DWP.

Alive! is delighted to publish photos of Club members newborn babies. Have a photo of a recent newborn? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Special Achievements



Elidia Haro recently celebrated her 80th birthday. Elidia is the proud mother of Christina Haro (DWP), Rosalio Haro (DWP), Irene Scaduto (Housing) and Gloria Nava. Congratulations, Elidia!

Have you or your children recently achieved something special? It could be academic, or part of your hobby, or similar. Let us know! Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Military



Does someone in your extended family serve their country as a member of the United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines or Coast Guard? Send us a photo – either formal or on duty, along with your name, City department and relationship to the subject. Send photos to Alive! in the Military, City Employees Club of Los Angeles, 350 S. Figueroa St. Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA 90071. Send digital photos to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



"My sister, Hallie Day, is on active in the US Air Force. After recently being promoted to Captain, she was deployed to Iraq for a sixmonth tour. Here is a photo of her at her base in January. We're blessed to have her safe and back home now." — Anna Burton, Emergency Management Dept.

Weddings



A big Club congratulations to Mark Medina and Monica Cardenas, who were joined in Holy Matrimony March 1 and who honeymooned in Hawaii. Mark is the son of Red Medina, Construction Inspector, Public Works, and Lupe Medina, Club Staff Member.

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Graduations



Nikisha Glenn graduated May 19 from Grinnell College in Iowa, with a degree in physics. She is enrolled in the Master' degree program for education and teacher's credentials at Pepperdine University this summer. She's the daughter of Paula Moss, Recreational Assistant, Rec and Parks.

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