

LAPD

New Property Officers

Police Dept. presents badges to a new class of Property Officers.

Story and photos by Arlene Herrero, Club Counselor

The LAPD's Property Division held a badge ceremony for its newest graduates May 11. The event took place in the Metropolitan Dispatcher Conference Room.

The new graduates are:

- Veronica Castillo
- Lisa Udompruge-Krueger
- Benjamine Krueger
- Jerome Schwab, and
- Rene Swift-McLaurin.



From left: Adolfo Alderete, Principal Property Officer, and Delvin Brooks, Principal Property Officer.

Welcome remarks were delivered by Terry Carter, Sr. Management Analyst II, Acting Commanding Officer, Property Division. The National Anthem was sung by Dennis Flowers, Background Investigator, LAPD.

Sharon Papa, Assistant Chief and Director, Office of Support Services, addressed the incoming Property Officers. She commented on their importance, especially with the recent gun buyback program, where 1,700 guns were turned in and which now must be inventoried by the property officers.

The administration of the oath and the presentation of badges were handled by Sr. Personnel Analyst Francoise Gardere, Personnel Division. Closing remarks were given by Police Administrator Rhonda Sims-Lewis, Commanding Officer, Administrative and Technical Services Bureau.

Additional guests included Police Administrator Nancy Gennusa, Assistant Commanding Officer, Administrative and Technical Services Bureau.

The Club congratulates the new Property Officers and thanks Cordelia Williams for her assistance in producing this article.



Property Officer Veronica Castillo.



Property Officer Lisa Udompruge-Krueger.



Property Officer Rene Swift-McLaurin.



Property Officer Benjamin Krueger.



The congratulatory cake!



Assistant Chief Sharon K. Papa, Director, Office of Support Services, Club Member.



From left: Michele De Anda, Property Officer, Club Member; Carla Astorga, Sr. Property Officer; and Iksoo Kim, Sr. Property Officer.



From left: Lisa Floyd, Assistant Commanding Officer, Property Division; Rhonda Sims-Lewis, Commanding Officer, Administrative and Technical Services Bureau; and Nancy Gennusa, Assistant Commanding Officer, Administrative and Technical Services Bureau.



Far left: Sr. Personnel Analyst Francois Gardere, Personnel Division, administers the oath prior to presenting the badges.



Dennis Flowers, Background Investigator, LAPD, sings the National Anthem.



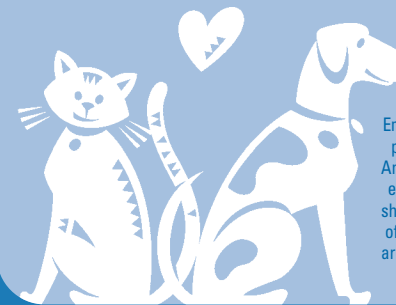
Sr. Management Analyst II Terry Carter, Acting Commanding Officer, Property Division, Club Member, welcomes everyone to the Metropolitan Communication Dispatch Center Conference Room.



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the pet club

Your friend is waiting for you!



The City Employees Club partners with Animal Services each month to showcase some of the pets that are available for adoption.

This Month's Pets For Adoption:

Spunky

Spunky is the cutest neutered, one-year-old black and white American Staffordshire terrier. Spunky loves to be around people and to play with his toys. Please give him a home this summer. North Central Animal Care Center - ID#A0991257



Lance

Lance is a neutered, nine-month-old black Labrador retriever and chow mix. He is very smart and well mannered. He can sit on command, and he loves taking baths. He would be a great companion for a family with kids! North Central Animal Care Center - ID#A1030381



tuna

Tuna is a four-month-old female black and white domestic shorthair cat. She was surrendered by her owners because of allergies. She loves people and gets along well with other cats. She would make a wonderful companion! North Central Animal Care Center - ID#A1035400



gizmo

Gizmo is a 1 year old neutered orange and white domestic shorthair cat. He is chubby and lovable and likes to be held and scratched behind his ears. Please give him a home to live out the rest of his senior years! North Central Animal Care Center - ID#A1014871



red

Red is a three-month-old female fawn and white shorthaired rabbit. She was brought as a stray to the shelter in January and really needs to find a forever home. Please help Red find a family to love this summer! North Central Animal Care Center - ID#A1006172



Meet your New Hope coordinator!



All of the above animals are available for adoption at the North Central Animal Care Center, 3201 Lacy St. Los Angeles, 90031. Contact Anna Hernandez, New Hope and Bottle Baby Coordinator, (213) 485-5767.



Watch for special adoption promotions during July and August at www.laanimalservices.com