

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!*, 120 West 2nd Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012



New Members

Welcome New Members!

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

Airports

Juan Alba
Jessie Brown
Maria Iniguez
George Pierce III
Estelle Stevens

Finance

Renee Ramirez

General Services

Kevin Dawson
Juan Gonzalez
Juan Navarro

Housing

Brittany Batong
Mark Holloway
Tyesha Mims
Anita Sibayan

LAPD

Jami Aiken
Paula Alvarez
Shawn Beale
John Borquez
Alison Cate
Vivian Chester
Margaret Collier
Victor Corella
Gary Correa
Keith Davis
Leeann Flores
David Gomez
Josuel Gooden
Robin Grasso
Donna Harris
Peter Harris
Leticia Hayakawa
Eric Holyfield
Mark Horton
Allison Hoshizaki
Andrew Hwang
Cristina Korne
Timothy McCarthy
Edward Osipian
Dennis Quiles
Antonio Quirante
Michelle Richards

Cindy Robles
Ricky Santos
Robert Sieger
Amira Smith
Lia Vargas
Michelle Veenstna
London Ward
Phillip Watson Jr.
Artillar Watts

PUBLIC WORKS

Sanitation

Bruce Aker
Robert Bustamante
Philip Gomez, Sr.
Hollis Gould
Sarah Jones
Adan Moreno
John Newsom
Trent Richer
John Van Der Gugten

Street Services

Valerie Huerta

Rec and Parks

Simon Guzman
Jacqueline Koci
Sharon Nishihara
Leilani Reed
Johnny Rivera
Danny Scott
Joshua Viscarra-Estrada
Walidah Williams

Transportation

Tariq Halcromb
Edwin Koja
Jose Ramirez

DWP

Nick Banuelos
Corazon Bautista
John Cox
Shuandy Galvez
Diane Price
Joan Alexandria Tagle-Wong
Arthur Torres
Calvin Wiebe

Retired

John Cota
Angela Yeung

Other

Jose Almaraz
Joel Amador
Jesus Barba
Raymond Bennett
Sean Bukowski
Shawn Bushler
Camilo Casas Jr.
Herman Castillo
Michael Cayton
Pamela Clardy
Benjamin Conant
Guillermo Contreras
Edward Cosio
Canddice DeCastro
Jay Delos Santos
Suren Franklin
Christopher Garcia
Luis Gonzalez
Robert Hernandez
Philip Horton
Gina Hubert
Josue Jimenez
Hope Lage
Chi Lam
Mark Leyva
Allan Liquigan
Miguel Miranda
Terri Monk
Ralph Moyano
Leslie Peacock
Gilbert Quiroz
Zachary Romanak
Stephen Sanchez
Javier Serafin
Tarek Souhaid
Michael Williams
Mark Yates



In Memoriam

Our thoughts and condolences are with the family and friends of the following current and retired City employees who have passed away. The number after the name indicates years of service.

Active

Bonpua, Charmette Pioquinto, Council, 4
Chapman, Joyce, Public Works, 4
Daw, Najib, Public Works, 23
Kramer, Pamela, City Attorney, 19
Marshall, Tewana, Airports, 2
Miyamoto, Yukio, Public Works, 23
Moore, Benjamin Lee, General Services, 12

Retired

Albriton, William, Building and Safety, 36
Bailey, Willie, Airports, 21
Beals, Ruth, Clerk Typist, 30
Blanton, Raymond, Public Works, 37
Bobbs, William, Public Works, 34
Boudreau, Leon, Personnel, 34
Callaway, Glenn, DWP, 29
Campbell, William, DWP, 30
Caudle, Jerry Ann, LAFD, 33
Chavez, Julian, Public Works, 18
Clardy Jr., Percy, DWP, 19
Cogbill, Socorro, Library, 17
Conley, Ralph, DWP, 35
Councilman, Carlton, Airports, 20
Dandos, John, DWP, 27
Demas, Theodore, Convention Center, 24
Dodson, James, Public Works, 10
Escarcega, Tomas, General Services, 21
Esquer, George, Public Works, 33
Falt, Richard, General Services, 29
Fappiano, Felix, DWP, 27

Figueroa, Fernando, LAPD, 33
Frierson, Edward, Animal Services, 20
Gomez, Concepcion, General Services, 23
Gonzales, Heriberto, Transportation, 31
Hanson, Carol, DWP, 19
Houchen, Marilyn, DWP, 18
Jarmon, LaVerne, LAPD, 18
Johnson, A.O., Public Works, 23
Jones, Sedalia, City Clerk, 26
Keilen, Ralph, DWP, 28
Krastrman, Hank, Building and Safety, 13
Leach, Robert, Public Works, 32
Lindsey, Theresa, DWP, 13
Meyers, Zethel, Public Works, 39
Oliver, Vincent, DWP, 28
Owens, John, DWP, 17
Peterson, Rosemary, LAPD, 38
Quimby, Roger, Library, 35
Ramos, Ruben, DWP, 16
Rosenberry, Georgia, Public Works, 14
Rossteuscher, Mary, LAPD, 18
Santillano, Perfecto, DWP, 32
Sprunger, William, Public Works, 26
Swirin, Norman, Library, 10
Taylor, May, Public Works, 29
Videau, Bobbie, Transportation, 12
Thurston, Raymond, DWP, 36
Walsh, Ruth, Public Works, 37
Woodard, Winifred, DWP, 29
Wray, Charles, Public Works, 11



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, 120 West 2nd Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012. Send digital photos to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



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NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS	NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS
Acevedo, Dennis	Env. Compliance Insp.	Public Works	33	Brown, Dorothy	Sr. Clerk Typist	Public Works	25
Aglibot, Lawrence	Sr. Gardener	Rec and Parks	19	Brown, Gary	Envir. Affairs Ofcr.	Airports	33
Alcala, Albert	Park Services Att.	Rec and Parks	35	Brown, Lilkenynna	Clerk Typist	LAPD	36
Alejandrino, Leslie	Mech. Engr. Assoc.	Building and Safety	28	Brown, Patricia	Assoc. Zoning Admin.	Planning	31
Alston, Donna	Management Asst.	LAPD	20	Bryant, David	City Atty. Investigator	City Attorney	13
Alvarado, Salvador	Plumber General Services	28	Buck, Allan	Risk Manager	Airports	35	
Alvarez, Michael	-	DWP	-	Buggs, Willie Joe	Storekeeper	City Clerk	32
Armijo, Robert	Air Cond. Mech.	General Services	16	Burkley, Brenda	Clerk Typist	LAPD	30
Aros, Rachel	-	DWP	-	Burns, Evelyn	Clerk Typist	LAPD	17
Ayala, Mary	Exec. Admin. Asst.	LAPD	46	Burwell, David	Maintenance Laborer	Public Works	30
Bahn, Ronald	Auto Electrician	General Services	24	Caballero, Arcadia	Accountant	ITA	28
Bartle, Robert	Sr. Construction Insp.	Public Works	56	Cairns, Susan	Sr. Clerk Typist	LAPD	30
Barton, Shirley	Clerk Typist	Library	17	Callaway, Gloria	Workers Comp Aide	Personnel	33
Basoco, Yolanda	Sr. Mgmt. Analyst	Public Works	39	Cascone, Louis	Printing Press Opr.	General Services	31
Bass, Almary	Sr. Clerk Typist	Airports	37	Ceci, Jay	-	DWP	-
Bates, Gloria	Management Analyst	LAPD	24	Chaney, Robert	-	DWP	-
Baysic, Benjamin	Construction Estimator	Public Works	29	Chang, Carolyn	Pr. Accountant	General Services	31
Bengtsson, Chris	-	DWP	-	Chatman, Donna	Sr. Workers Comp Anst.	Personnel	30
Bennett, John	-	DWP	-	Chavez, Anna	-	DWP	-
Benton, Brenda	Clerk Typist	LAPD	34	Choi, Jean Soon	Data Process Tech	ITA	35
Bermudes, Rudolph	Maint. Constr. Helper	General Services	24	Chow, Debra	Detention Officer	LAPD	10
Bolden, William	Street Services Supv.	Public Works	34	Christanelli, Ronald	Bus Operator Supv.	Airports	28
Bond, Etsuko	Clerk Typist	LAPD	32	Cole, Mark	-	DWP	-
Borisoff, Alex	Elec. Constr. Estimator	Public Works	28	Coleman, Jerry	Maint. Laborer	Transportation	30
Bravo, Romero	-	DWP	-	Contreras, Robert	Irrigation Specialist	Rec and Parks	26
Bratton, Martha Ann	Clerk Typist	Library	25	Conyers, Charles	Management Analyst	Rec and Parks	11



Quinceañera

Have a photo of a recent quinceañera? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Graduations

Alive! is delighted to publish graduation photos of Club members and their children. Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Births



Madison Marie Medina, born Dec. 1, to Mark and Monica Medina. Madison is the ninth grandchild of Red Medina, Construction Inspector, Public Works/Contract Admin, and Lupe Medina, Club Administrative Representative.



Christian Guevara, born Sept. 3 to Hugo and Christina Guevara. Hugo is a Waste Water Treatment Mechanic I at Hyperion Treatment Plant.



Taylor Isabella Patino, born Dec 16 to Chris Patino and Staci Avila, Rec and Parks/Aquatics. Taylor is the first granddaughter to Frank Avila, Rec and Parks Mechanical Repairer Supervisor, Citywide Construction.



Khoy Channing Lee Clements, born Nov. 18, to Troy Clements and Sa'Brina Tasker-Clements. Sa'Brina is a Communication Information Representative III, Airport Police, Airports.



Sophia Anne Aubin, born Feb. 24 to Michael and Perlita Aubin. Michael Aubin works for Airports.



Isaac Martin Guevara, born Oct. 22, 2007 to Hugo and Christina Guevara. Hugo is a Waste Water Treatment Mechanic I, Hyperion Treatment Plant, Public Works/Sanitation.



Bradley Charles Gunawan, born Feb. 7 to Sheila and Danny Gunawan. Danny is an Electrical Design Engineer, DWP.



Mason James Mastroli, born Jan. 5 to Anthony and Kristie Mastroli, LAFD Shops.

Have a photo of a recent newborn? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com

Peace of Mind For Retirees

Leaving the City? Keep the Club!

BY TIFFANY SY

The Club's Peace of Mind Expert



Hi, I'm Tiffany Sy, the Club's in-house Member Benefits Generalist and "Peace of Mind" expert! I'll be writing a column in *Alive!* about special tips and advice for Club Members.

Congratulations to all of our fortunate City employees who are retiring early and to those who are simply ready to close this chapter in their career with the City. This is an exciting time, and we understand that you want to charge head on to your next vacation destination, learn a new hobby, or enjoy your newfound freedom in the comfort of your home with your family. Whatever it is that your heart desires, you certainly deserve it!

During the transition, we also understand that tying up loose ends requires time and careful attention. As your Retiree Benefits Counselor, I've heard from numerous retirees about the concerns involved. The combination of the experi-

ences I've shared with our members in response to the City's announcement of thousands of early retirees has inspired me to write this column. I would like to offer my assistance and bring you peace of mind. It is my responsibility to present your retiree options and smoothly transition your benefits as simply and efficiently as possible.

Allow me to explain how you may continue your benefits with the Club. With the exception of Short Term Disability and Long Term Disability, most of your insurance plans may continue as a retiree, and monthly deductions can also continue from your pension. For retirees, Club memberships are available at a reduced rate of \$2.50 per month. The following can be continued with your Club Membership: Life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment (restrictions apply if you are over 60 years of age), long-term care, cash cancer plan, legal plan, and pet and auto insurance.

The first step of continuing all your great

benefits with the Club is as simple as filling out an application. Kindly notify us of your retirement, and I will send you a retiree form in the mail.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, your "Peace of Mind Expert." Come see me at the Club Store downtown at 120 West 2nd Street or call me at (800) 464-0452, ext. 202.

For you computer-savvy retirees, I can also be reached via email at tsy@cityemployeesclub.com. I look forward to speaking with you!

I, and everyone here at the Club, wish to thank you for choosing our City of Angels to share all of those hardworking years of your career.

Stay tuned for next month's column on the topic of Long-Term Care: *How to Protect Your Retirement Income*



Having a Retirement Party?

Do you have an upcoming retirement party? Would you like for the event to appear in *Alive!*? If so, let me know at (800) 464-0452, ext. 202.

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Special Achievements

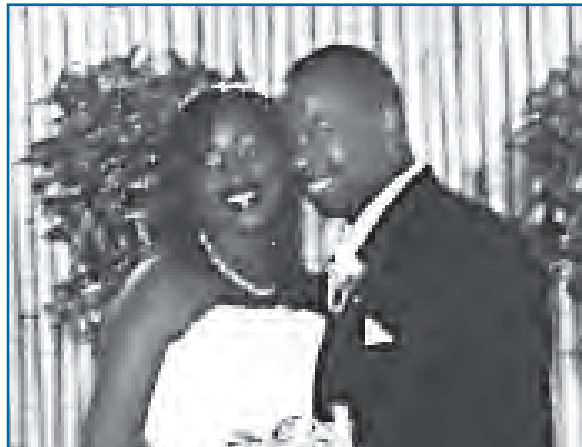


J'zon Collins was named the valedictorian for his eighth-grade class. He attends Lifeline Charter School in Compton. He's the son of Jerry and Tamara Armstrong, Harbor.

Have you or your children recently achieved something special? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Weddings



Earl Wright III, Police Officer II, LAPD, and Keyosha Armstrong, May 23, 2009 at the Tropicana Hotel in Las Vegas. Earl III is the son of Earl Wright Jr., Sr. Lead Officer, LAPD, and Lynne Wright, Principal Communications Operator, Airport Police.

Have a photo of a recent wedding? Send a high resolution photo and the appropriate information to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Retirements, *continued from Page 44*

NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS
Cortinas, Betty	Sr. Clerk Typist	Building and Safety	25
Cotton, Wesley	Sr. Traffic Supv.	Transportation	26
Cureton Jr., Gonzelo	-	DWP	-
Dabbs Mann, Gloria	Dep. City Atty.	City Attorney	36
Dallas, Jerry	Bus Operator	Airports	18
Dean, David	Ch. Constr. Inspector	Public Works	31
Delgado, Gilardo	Welder	General Services	30
Delgado, Linda	Workers Comp Analyst	Personnel	26
DeMaster, Saant	Drafting Aide	Planning	27
Dionisio, Alex	Clerk Typist	Library	23
Doane, Larry	-	DWP	-
Doraiswamy, Cadambi	Accounting Clerk	Finance	28
Douglas, Pamela	Dep. City Atty.	City Attorney	34
Dungo, Jesus	Tax Renewal Asst.	Finance	10
Dunne, Laura Anne	Sr. Clerk Typist	Public Works	30
Edwards, Gary David	Mech. Helper	Public Works	19
Efferson, Joseph	Custodian	Airports	23
Enriquez, Richard	Rec. Facility Director	Rec and Parks	32
Ephraim, Julius	Planning Asst.	Planning	23
Fenderson, Alex	Traffic Paint. Sign Post	Transportation	32
Finneran, John	Welder	General Services	20
Flemmings, Sharron	Personnel Analyst	Personnel	30
Folgate, Robert	Field Engr. Aide	Public Works	33
Fournier, Marguerite	Management Analyst	LAPD	18
Fuller, Steve	-	DWP	-
Gabel, Emily Jean	Pr. City Planner	Planning	34
Gallardo, Ronald	Street Lighting Elec.	Public Works	30
Gallegos, Anastacio	Housing Inspector	Housing	17
Garcia, Alexander	City Atty. Investigator	City Attorney	13
Garcia, Samuel	Sr. Build. Mech. Insp.	Building and Safety	34
Gaw, Myamya	Env. Compliance Insp.	Public Works	32
Gibson, Lionel	Civil Engr. Draft Tech.	Public Works	32
Gilmore, Willie	Traffic Paint. Sign Post	Transportation	38
Gonzales, Ned	Sr. Accountant	Airports	27
Gorum, Judith	Exec. Admin. Asst.	Airports	24
Graves, Jacqueline	Exec. Admin. Asst.	Airports	34
Griego, Gloria	Sr. Clerk Typist	Personnel	30
Guss, Iskender Alex	Industrial Hygenist	Personnel	30
Gutierrez, Hugo	-	DWP	-
Hawes, Rosalyn	Sr. Clerk Typist	LAPD	35
Ho, William	Civil Engr. Draft Tech	Transportation	23
Hobson, Michael	Park Services	Rec and Parks At.	34
Hosterman, Laurence	Mech. Repairer	Airports	37
Huang, Andrew	Environmental Supv.	Airports	14
Huang, Anne	Programmer/Analyst	ITA	33
Huang, Ming Hsin	Civil Engr. Draft Tech	Public Works	30
Huerta, Rafael	Civil Engr. Draft Tech.	Public Works	21
Hyde, Jere	-	DWP	-
Hyde, John	Inspector Building and Safety	25	
Ingalla, Alfredo	Civil Engr. Associate	Public Works	30
Jabido, Angelito	Accounting Clerk	Treasurer	26
Jackson, Carolyn	Sr. Mgmt. Analyst	Transportation	34
Jenkins Jr., David	-	DWP	-
Johnson, Audrey	Legal Secretary	City Attorney	35
Johnson, Brenda	Sr. Custodian	General Services	24
Johnson, Charles	-	DWP	-
Kan, Sherri	Management Analyst	Public Works	28
Kane, Michael	-	DWP	-
Key, Eldon	Sr. Build. Mech. Insp.	Building and Safety	34
Kleban, Daniel	Dep. City Attorney	City Attorney	23
Krall, Steven	Sr. Heating/Refrig. Insp.	Building and Safety	30
Kuan, Tsun	Civil Eng. Associate	Public Works	23
Larino, Melencio	Building Operating Engr.	General Services	29
Larson, Leon	Housing Inspector	Housing	14
Lee, Joong	Ch. Aud. Controller	Controller	34
Lewis, Albert	Pr. Storekeeper	General Services	39
Leyden, Lourdes	Clerk Typist	LAPD	25
Lim, Robert	Transp. Eng. Assoc.	Transportation	26
Lindsey, Joann	Witness Service Coord.	City Attorney	32
Lipkowski, Russell	Supt. of Operations	Airports	25
Lomsky, Naomi	Supervising Tran. Planner	Transportation	30
Lubs, Randall	-	DWP	-
Mackey, Nancy	Sr. Clerk Typist	Public Works	29
Macleod, Mary Ann	Sr. Clerk Typist	Airports	35

NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS
Majak, Zdzislaw	Building Inspector	Building and Safety	23
Marilao, Danny	Accountant	Transportation	15
Markham, Ernest	Building Mech. Inspector	Building and Safety	22
Martin, David	Build. Mech. Engr.	Public Works	25
Martinez, Jerry	Build. Inspector	Building and Safety	28
Mason, Dorothy	Personnel Analyst	Personnel	35
Maxwell, Helga	Management Analyst	General Services	18
Maynard, Sherry	PSR	LAPD	33
McClelland, Linda	Sr. Clerk Finance	32	
McDermott, Carol	Sr. Gardener	Public Works	32
McDonough, Kevin	-	DWP	-
McHargue, Paula	Supervsg. Trans. Planner	Airports	30
Meeks, Terry	-	DWP	-
Meichtry, Kenneth	Street Svcs. Supt.	Public Works	19
Meighan, Barbara	Accounting Clerk	Transportation	34
Mejia, Rosendo	Legal Secretary	City Attorney	32
Metcalfe, Daphne	Sr. Clerk Typist	LAPD	33
Meza, Francisco	-	DWP	-
Mollman, Grant	Supt. of Operations	Airports	25
Morales, Rene	Security Officer	General Services	25
Morris, Sharon	Asst. General Manager	CDD	26
Munoz, Gilbert	Maint. and Constr. Help.	General Services	33
Nazarian, Gregory	-	DWP	-
Nellum, Elbert	Gardener Caretaker	Rec and Parks	30
Nelson, Laurence	Signal Sys. Electrician	Transportation	30
Newman, Shirley	Transitional Worker	Airports	34
Nguyen Cung	Custodian	General Services	26
Osbourne, Gloria	Sr. Clerk Typist	ITA	28
Pearson, Paul	Sr. Build. Mech. Insp.	Building and Safety	30
Perez, Leandro	Maint. Laborer	Public Works	26
Persi, Steven	-	DWP	-
Pfeiffer, Robert	-	DWP	-
Policarpio, Naty	Sr. Accountant	Transportation	31
Prado, Arturo	Accounting Clerk	Library	30
Quinton, Wayne	Sr. Custodian	Airports	41
Redwine, Debra Ann	Sr. Clerk Typist	Airports	30
Reyna, Oscar	Street Ltg. Elec.	Public Works	26
Rojas, Rosalia	Management Analyst	LAPD	35
Ryerson, Frederick	-	DWP	-
Savellano, Nestor	Sr. Accountant	Controller	26
Scherbenski, Jerome	-	DWP	-
Schneider, David	-	DWP	-
Shim, Choon Khil	Programmer/Analyst	ITA	32
Smith, Bradford	Pr. Construction Insp.	Public Works	28
Stark, Douglas	-	DWP	-
Stephens, Marilyn	-	DWP	-
Sulit, Cristina	Management Analyst	LAPD	24
Taga, Janet	Sr. Systems Analyst	LAFD	35
Thompson, Crawford	Traffic Paint Sign Post	Transportation	30
Thompson, Gregory	-	DWP	-
Torres, Fernando	Custodian	Airports	32
Tran, Van	Sr. Clerk Typist	LAFD	30
Tucker, Sandra	-	DWP	-
Vaccaro, David	Pr. Inspector	Building and Safety	34
Vella, Marlene	Sr. Real Estate Officer	Airports	31
Vitangcol, Cesar	-	DWP	-
Vizcarra, Rodolfo	Storekeeper	General Services	28
Wang, Joseph	Transp. Eng. Assoc.	Transportation	30
Weisel, Cheryl	-	DWP	-
Wells, Bobby	-	DWP	-
Willis, Louis	Carpenter	General Services	34
Winfrey, Thomas	Public Relations Dir.	Airports	30
Winkler, Christopher	-	DWP	-
Woo, Yin Man	Accounting Clerk	Transportation	30
Wright, Ricardo	Sr. Security Officer	General Services	35
Ybarra, Martha	Library Asst.	Library	30
Zendejas, Virginia	Personnel Analyst	LAPD	31
Zuniga, Marisela	Clerk Steno	LAPD	32