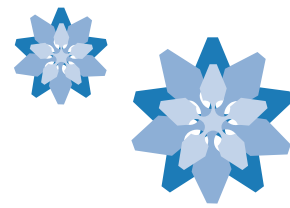


Life's Important Moments



New Members

Welcome New Members!

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

Airports

Thomas Arellanes
Angela Bell
Brenda Boyd
Dante Chinte
Robert Crump
Edward Davis
LaTonya Dawson
Moises Gomez
Cindy Harrell
Candace Hunter
Michelle Irwin
Shawn LaGrange
Tony Liao
William Randall
Felipe Rodriguez
Corona Rosales
Christina Shipman
Paul Stevenson
Thurman Thomas
Timothy Turner
Robert Walker
Joyce Webb

Aging

Renato Aguilera

City Attorney

William Carter

City Council

Felipe Chavez

CDD

Edward Erie
Nancy Herrera
Velinda Riparip

Controllers Office

Dahlia Duffy

Office of Finance

Alisa Shamam

LAFD

Dean Arrigoni
Jesse Beltran
Ryan Butts
John Cano
Juan Castillo
Dennis Clay
Jesse Contreras
James Czubek
Martin Enriquez
Daniel Foote
Nigel Francis
Richard Garza
Sandra Gonzalez
Martin Kehoe
Timothy Kelly
Devin McLaren
Lizandro Moreno
Ryan Prusa
Jason Reilly
Kenneth Reindl
Nicolas Riddall
David Rogers
Landon Rupright
Robert Sharrar
Paul Stine
Roger Vilaubi
Douglas Webb

Fire and Police Pensions

Joni Chavez

General Services

Misael Arceo
Felany Garcia
Ed Maxian

Don Ness

Yevgeniy Volynsky

Harbor

April Bennett
Edwin Fuertes

Housing

Lisa Durand
Joseph Plascencia
Jimmy Sih
Mandi Tom
Stella Trigueros

ITA

Virgilio Hermoso

Convention Center

Claudio Williams
Denise Chavez

Library

Olga Calacuayo
Michael Doiel
Samantha Murray
Cindy Vazquez

Personnel

Sandra Atere-Roberts

LAPD

Freddie Ackerley
Luis Alarcon
Shawn Anderson
Genaro Arredondo
Jose Basaldua
Angie Casarez
Rachelle Clayton-Smith
Wilma De la Cruz
Shenita Easter
Dawn Eck

Jerome Friez

Osvaldo Gonzalez

Maurice Hallauer

Marcos Hernandez-

Martinez

Craig Higa

Rowena Infante

Kimberly Jones-Harris

Sharon Lee

Rodolfo Lopez

Lena Mokdad

Maligi Nua Jr.

Rosa Orellana

Jeffrey Paillet

Julie Patton

Bridgete Peterson

Arturo Sandoval

Maria Silva

William Snowden

Camile Sosa

Theresa Stanford

Charles Surh

Deborah Thomas

Stephanie Tuller

Todd Waymire

Shanise Williams

PUBLIC WORKS

PW-Contract Administration

Rigoberto Loera

PW-Sanitation

Rudy Barcena
James Barrett
Guy Brown
Miguel Chavez-Franco
Makeva Conerly
Timmie De Ramos

Rodney Koger

Olga Krel

Mark Lansang

Vanessa Licea

James Moore

Stephanie Roberts

Divina Solomona

Kevin Wilcher

Russell Zamora

PW-Street Lighting

Frank Herrera

Lee Lucas

Tony Yanez

PW-Street Services

Kevin Geyen

Uriel Hernandez

Rec & Parks

Manuel Abaunza

Christine Abbott

Antonia Allyson

Shahnaz Badshah

Miguel Batres

Esperanza Cortez

Alice DeLeon

Diana Diankoff

Veronica Diaz

Jessica Dye

Marlene Esquivias

Teresa Estrada

Julia Furer

Alejandro Garcia

Donald Harrison

Paulette Hurd

Raquel Jamerson

David Johnson

Eva Lara

Clarice Lashley

Luis Mancia-Lazo

Johnny Martin

Joni McClain

Nicole McIntosh

Whalen Miller Jr.

Nancy Mineros

Gale Minnifield

Lucia Moran

Kiyuama Morgan

Marilyn Patterson

Reva Payne

Amara Perkins

Ernestina Quezada

June Ramirez

Rachel Ramirez

Chris Roberts

Barbara Robinson

Marcial Rodriguez

Cherry Slusher

Rogelio Solorzano

Arturo Soto

Lorne Spencer

Novell Thompson

Daniela Vergara

Transportation

Marvin Aldredge

Creshanda Miller

John Moody

David Robles

Alice Thomas-Leslie

DWP

Carlo Abrantes

Nicole Briseno

Denise Busby

Cesar Castro

Mario Ceja

Isaac Contreras

Bridget Duket

Carlos Enriquez

Jorge Flores

LaTonqua Franklin

Armando Gallardo

John Goodwin

Gerard Head

Marc Hughes

James Irvin

Ron Jennings

Manuel Jimenez Jr.

Royston Johnson

Dennis Jones

Nathan Mader

Ernesto Manacop

Martin Medina

Michael Mercado

Christopher Morales

Antonio Oushana

Randy Pittsley

Crystle Pressler

Karim Quintero

Carol Richardson

Leticia Rodriguez

Bernard Rogers

Eleuterio Saldivar

Kenneth Salinas

Benjamin Shortridge

Stella Sias

Annaka Telles

Michael Tharp

Arthur Torres

Pedro Tovar Jr.

Linda Urbina

Other

Trinidad Garcia



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



Quinceañera

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

Peace of Mind

by Tiffany Sy

The Club's Peace of Mind Expert



Cancer Insurance: So You Can Focus on Getting Well

The chance of a cancer diagnosis is higher for females than for males. But if you are male, you are not in the clear – one out of four men are diagnosed with cancer, so the odds aren't that great on your side, either.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Division of Cancer Prevention and Control has released statistics by cancer type and demographics. According to the organization, cancer claims the lives of more than half a million Americans each year and is the second leading cause of death, exceeded only by heart disease. Here are the top five cancers leading to death in order of the most incidences for men: prostate, lung, colon, urinary, and melanoma. For women: breast cancer takes the lead, followed by lung, colon, uterus, and thyroid.

Cancer does not discriminate against gender, age, or race. I recommend cancer insurance. If you have a family history of cancer, or you work in a highly polluted environment, you may be at greater risk of cancer.

The Club has researched multiple cancer insurance plans and weighed the benefits and affordable premiums. The Club has found a tremendous value with Humana Cash Cancer insurance. This plan pays out a benefit to supplement your lost cash

when dealing with fighting off cancer. It is not intended to replace your health insurance, but rather complement it by giving you an extra cushion of cash to pay off the things that are associated with treating cancer. The benefit is nontaxable, and the entire amount is delivered to you in the form of a check with no restrictions on how you spend it. That's right, no restrictions. So you can pay off those co-pays or co-insurance, travel expenses, childcare or household assistance, or supplement lost income from taking time off work.

With the Club's Cash Cancer insurance, you do not need to worry about which medical treatments or medications are covered and which aren't. It's as simple as this: The benefit is paid out to you upon diagnosis of internal cancer or malignant melanoma (deadly form of skin cancer). Why would you want to select an insurance plan that requires you to collect medical receipts and guess which one is reimbursable? This plan is clean and simple, with one claim filing and one benefit payout, so you can focus your energy on what's really important – getting yourself back to good health.

What happens if you've paid into this plan and are fortunate enough to evade cancer? If you have kept the policy for 20 years

with no claims, then you get all of your premiums back! On top of that, Humana will continue your Cash Cancer insurance for a lifetime. No, you didn't read that wrong, so let me say it again – you get all your money back and keep the coverage for your lifetime!

You and your family are eligible to apply if you have never been diagnosed with cancer and you are a Club Member in good standing.

Some of you may be thinking: How much is this plan going to cost me? The rates depend on your age at the time you begin the plan and are fixed, so rates do not go up with age. I encourage you to apply sooner than later (and risk being in a higher age bracket). If you leave the City or retire, this plan is portable and you can make arrangements with us to take it with you.

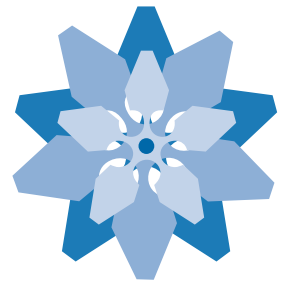
While our medical professionals feverishly race toward the cure for cancer, it's good to know that as we sit on the sidelines, we have a plan to protect ourselves against the costs of cancer diagnosis.

Contact me at
info@cityemployeesclub.com



Share your moments!

Did you get married? Have a baby? Get a promotion? 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



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

Ballard, Randall, DWP, 20
Bestwick, Henry, DWP, 10
Fuentes, Delinda, Rec and Parks, 12
Kearns, Michael, Public Works, 20
Massie, Jeannine, DWP, 72
McGee, Timothy, Personnel, 5
Navarro, Adrian, DWP, 28

Retired

Adelman, Elliott, Building and Safety, 34
Adrian, George, DWP, 32
Aki, Joseph, DWP, 32
Alderete, Robert, Transportation, 29
Allomong, Michael, Airports, 35
Anderson, David, DWP, 33
Barnes, Sterling, City Planning, 27
Bass, David, Library, 29

Bergmann, Philip, City Clerk, 23
Bethard, Orville, DWP, 30
Bourgeois, Lionel, DWP, 31
Bowsman, Rodney, DWP, 28
Bryant, Walter, Public Works, 25
Campbell, Robert, Personnel, 35
Carnevale, James, DWP, 34
Cleary, Thomas, DWP, 41
Deras, Joseph, Rec and Parks, 31
Doucet, Wilkin, Public Works, 42
Elmore, Carroll, Public Works, 5
Ewing, George, Harbor, 31
Gaynes, Ruth, Public Works, 15
Gilbert, Grover, Public Works, 28
Girlando, Ben, DWP, 25
Gonzalez, Olivia, DWP, 31
Hamilton, Leroy Jr., Library, 40

Handa, Patricia, DWP, 20
Harper, William, DWP, 31
Harris, Gerald, General Services, 30
Holden, Orton, DWP, 23
Jackson, Jackie, DWP, 41
Johnson, Judith, LAPD, 38
Jones, James, General Services, 33
Kezman, Charles, DWP, 27
Kohn, Wilma, LAPD, 20
Larson, Carol, Library, 18
Lennart, Leal, DWP, 31
Lipus, Bernard, Public Works, 25
Lockhart, William, Transportation, 38
Marsh, David, Public Works, 19
Martinez, Ruben, Airports, 37
Mathis, Leon, Public Works, 5
Meza, Jose, Rec and Parks, 27

Moltz, William, Housing, 12
Nunez, Robert, DWP, 12
Odum, Peter, DWP, 12
Ogle, Steven, DWP, 22
Panthen, Herman, DWP, 40
Perry, Woodrow, Harbor, 39
Rubidoux, Charles, DWP, 29
Scott, Charles, LAPD, 30
Steward, Elinor, DWP, 30
Sweeney, Thomas, Public Works, 30
Tatum, Viola, DWP, 22
Taylor, Thomas, DWP, 22
Thomas, Robert, Public Works, 26
Trevathan, Michael, LAFD, 26
Van Osten, Frances, DWP, 41
Yoshimura, William, LAPD, 31
Williams, Lloyd, DWP, 12
Zink, Joseph, LAPD, 28



Births

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



Dalilah G. Garcia, born Jan. 23 to Valerie Ruiz and Officer Gabriel Garcia, LAPD, (Central Division) and granddaughter of Delia Estrada (Public Works/Sanitation, East Valley).



Special Achievements

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



Yves Didier, Airport Police, writes: "The best days in our lives are the ones that happen without any pretense. This is what I once again realized when I took three of my Airport Police partners flying. [Yves was the pilot - Ed.] Two of them had never been in a small (single engine) aircraft before and were initially somewhat cautious about the experience. However, if a picture truly says more than a thousand words, I believe the attached image - taken upon our landing on Catalina Island on a beautiful Southern California weekend - speaks entire volumes." Pictured, from left: Ernesto (Ernie) Garcia, Gerard Kilayko and Daniel Yu. Congratulations on your great adventure, and the bravery of your passengers!



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 to talkback@cityemployeesclub.com



Weddings

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



Retirements

NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS	NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS	NAME	TITLE	DEPT	YEARS
Adam, Beverly	-	DWP	-	Duffy, Daniel	-	DWP	-	McInnis, Michael	-	DWP	-
Aguilar, Gracia	-	DWP	-	Duffy, Jann	-	DWP	-	McKinney, Robert	-	DWP	-
Aldrian, Mark	-	DWP	-	Fabros, Zenaida	-	DWP	-	Mitchell, Synthia	Clerk Typist	LAPD	31
Alvarado, Pedro	-	DWP	-	Feig, William	-	DWP	-	Morgan, William	-	DWP	-
Amos, Gerald	-	DWP	-	Flores, Ruben	-	DWP	-	Morton, Forrest	-	DWP	-
Anderson, Sharyl	-	DWP	-	Foegen, John	-	DWP	-	Mosley, Chandra	-	DWP	-
Aparicio, Sandra	-	DWP	-	Foster, Gary	-	DWP	-	Ortega, Anita	-	DWP	-
Arroyo, Antonina	-	DWP	-	Garcia, Alvaro	-	DWP	-	Palomino, Phyllis	-	DWP	-
Azhathu, Abraham	Special Prog. Asst. II	Rec and Parks	7	Gonzalez, Anthony	Man. Analyst II	Emer. Prep.	29	Perez, Jorge	Custodian	General Services	11
Babayans, Alfred	Build Mech. Engr. II	Building & Safety	19	Gonzalez, Eva	-	DWP	-	Pierce, Donna	-	DWP	-
Bartley, Stephen	-	DWP	-	Gonzalez, Carlos	Mgmt. Truck Operator	General Services	25	Putman, Michael	-	DWP	-
Bass, Thomas	-	DWP	-	Griffin, Jacqueline	-	DWP	-	Rocha, Javier	-	DWP	-
Berlant, David M.	Systems Analyst II	Public Works	22	Gunn, Paul	Equip. Operator	Public Works	31	Rowin, Timothy	-	DWP	-
Bland, Leon	-	DWP	-	Hanson, Donovan	-	DWP	-	Roy, Joseph	-	DWP	-
Brown, Sharon	Fingerprt Ident. Exp. III	LAPD	22	Hegland, Patricia	Traffic Officer II	Transportation	13	Ruidera, Julian	-	DWP	-
Brown, Stanley	-	DWP	-	Hernandez, Ruben	-	DWP	-	Sanchez, Paul	-	DWP	-
Buttery, Kenneth	-	DWP	-	Hernandez, Sal	-	DWP	-	Schweiner, Richard	-	DWP	-
Calderon, Lucita	-	DWP	-	Heston, Janet M.	Librarian III	Library	19	Silva, Manuel	-	DWP	-
Canales, Laura	-	DWP	-	Holland, Robert	Plumber Supervisor	General Services	22	Sims, Susan	Clerk Typist	City Clerk	7
Carlos, Luis	-	DWP	-	Holland, Robert	-	DWP	-	Sirls, Bobby	-	DWP	-
Chacon, Ruben	-	DWP	-	Jimenez, David	-	DWP	-	Tesseneer, John	-	DWP	-
Chan, Alvin	-	DWP	-	Jones, Gwendolyn	-	DWP	-	Truong, Michael	-	DWP	-
Chilingirian, Greg M.	Env. Engr. Assoc. IV	Public Works	18	Lamdagan, Concepcion	-	DWP	-	Villarreal, Carlos	Struct. Engr. Assoc. IV	Building & Safety	26
Cooke, Gerald	Equip. Operator	Public Works	25	Lau, James	-	DWP	-	Walker, Lendell	Sr. Custodian II	Airports	24
Covington, Larry	-	DWP	-	Lee, Lynette	-	DWP	-	Williams Jr., Billy	-	DWP	-
Dawson, Louis	-	DWP	-	Lopez, Cecilia M.	Clerk Typist	Library	18	Windt, Charles	-	DWP	-
De La Huelga, Enrique	Sr. Const. Inspector	Public Works	16	Lopez, Joseph	-	DWP	-	Wright, Sharon	-	DWP	-
Desai, Manoj	-	DWP	-	Louie, Andrew	-	DWP	-	Wu, Chuan-Hsier	-	DWP	-
Duncan, Jerrome N.	Dep. City Attorney III	City Attorney	20	Maese, Richard	-	DWP	-	Young, Samuel	-	DWP	-
				Manross, Rebecca	-	DWP	-				