



From left: Retiree Tom Wendling, Electrical Supervisor, 25 years of City Service, Club Member; and Bob Hornschu, Load Dispatcher, 12 years.

Wendling His Way To Retirement

Tom Wendling retires from the Convention Center after 25 years of City service.

Story and photos by Debbie Schroyer, Club Counselor

What a great day for a retirement celebration! Tom Wendling retired after 25 years with the Convention Center-Electrical Division.

A luncheon was held in Tom's honor on May 10 that included lots of friends and co-workers from different divisions. Sometimes it seemed like a roast, but all in good fun! A slide show captured lots of wonderful memories too.

The event was held at the Convention Center. Congratulations, Tom! Enjoy your retirement.

And as always, thanks to Luis Aguilar, a great Club Member, for his assistance.



From left: Pouria Abassi, G.M. and CEO; Larry Rummons, Electrician, Retired, 37 years of City service; and Claudia Brett, Marketing, 30 years, Club Member.



From left: Corinne Randazzo, Exec. Asst., 27 years of City service, Club Member; and Michael McCarthy, Principal Clerk, 28 years, Club Member.



Agnes Ko, Sr. Management Analyst, 24 years of City service; and Paul Hanna, Cable Worker, 24 years.



From left: Luis Aguilar, Secretary Facilities Division, Club Member; and Retiree Tom Wendling, Electrical Supervisor, 25 years of City service, Club Member.



From left: Lara Tashjian, CT, 3 years of City service; Hedy Guinto, CT, 31 years, Club Member; Bryant Zuniga, Warehouse and Toolroom Worker, 2 years; and Troy Crawford, Electrician, 23 years.



From left: Damir Tomas, DWP, 10 years of City service, Club Member; and Luis Arida, Union Rep, Tom Fields, Building Supervisor, 27 years.



From left: Phillip Hill, Asst. GM and COO, Rachel Griffin, Exec. Admin. Asst., 35 years, Club Member; and Adria Ybarra, Management Analyst, 11 years, Club Member.



From left: Joe Jaramillo, Street Light Supervisor, 25 years of City service; Romeo Segui, Senior Tester, 28 years, Club Member; and Hai Nguyen, Electrical Tester DWP, 3 years, Club Member.



From left: Retiree Tom Wendling and Greg Lissow.



From left: Bob Bury, Electrician, Retired, 32 years of City service; Wayne Merrill, Electrician, Retired, 38 years, Club Member; Richard Quackenbush, Electrician, Retired, 27 years; and Joe Argento, Electrician, Retired, 36 years.



From left: Yvette Smith-Chatman, CSR, 21 years of City service; and Tiana Munoz, Management Aid, 12 years.



From left: Rick Luevano, Electrical Mechanical Supervisor, 19 years of City service, Club Member; Bruce Leitch, Electrician, DWP; Thomas De Sha, Sr. Lead Dispatcher, 28 years, Club Member; and James Masud, Supervisor, 22 years, Club Member.



Front row, from left: Arlene Rodriguez, DWP, 6 years of City service; Lara Tashjian, CT, 3 years; Hedy Guinto, CT, 31 years, Club Member; and Julia Lizarde, CT, 5 years. Back: Luis Aguilar, Secretary Facilities Division, Club Member; and Dennis Kotzman, Electrician, Retired, 36 years, Club Member.



From left: Russell Simms, Electrical Supervisor, Retired, 22 years of City service; Edward Verdugo, Sr. Electrician, Retired, 37 years; and Fernando Alegria, Retired, 34 years.



From left: Samson Shewalema, Signal Systems Supervisor, 13 years of City service, Club Member; Glen Bagby, Signal Systems Supervisor, 24 years; Carlos Henriquez, Transportation Engineer Associate, 15 years; and Luis Arida, Union Rep.



Kevin Rodriguez, Building Repair Supervisor and Club Member, shared "this date in history" from 1988 when Tom Wendling started.



Tom Fields presents Retiree Tom Wendling with a resolution.

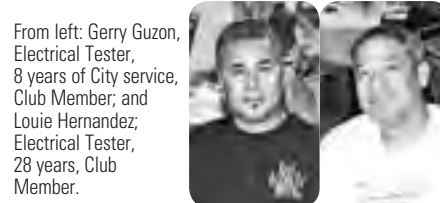


Fellow co-workers have some fun with Retiree Tom Wendling!



From left: Wayne Merrill, Electrician, Retired, 38 years of City service, Club Member; and Andy Martin, Helper, 30 years.

Russell Simms initially hired Tom Wendling.



From left: Gerry Guzon, Electrical Tester, 8 years of City service, Club Member; and Louie Hernandez, Electrical Tester, 28 years, Club Member.



Retired Electricians wish Tom well in retirement!



From left: Leopoldo Hernandez, Parking Manager, 31 years of City service, Club Member; Phillip Hill, Asst. GM and COO; Michael Carter, M&C; and Rey Castro, Chief Engineer, 22 years.



From left: Jesus Orozco, Electrical Mechanical Supervisor, 32 years of City service, Club Member; Art Sanchez, Cable Worker, 15 years; Troy Crawford, Electrician, 23 years; and Carlos Pola, DWP, Electrical Station Operator, 7 years.