Life's Important Moments

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Welcome New Members!

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

New Members

Airports

Maria Calderon Daniel Choi Alberto Gomez Leandra Gomez Lissay Ly Rafael Outley Renberto Palomeque Raul Reyes Sonya Sharp William Simmons

Tierra Watkins **City Attorney**

Raffy Astvasadoorian William Larsen Victor Martin Ana Muro

Jacqueline Turner

LAFD

Tom Valdespino **General Services**

James Perry Harbor

Erica Swift

Housing Martha Yslas

LAPD Juan Aragon Wusbaldo Batres Alan Boldman Roberto Bravo

Juanita Brown

Jackquiline Burrough Guillermo Camarena Nobbie Carr

Martha Castaneda Marleen Caudillo Jose Cuaresma Yvette Davis Irene Dela Rosa Andrew Fuentes Michael Gannon Raymond Green **David Grimes** Ronnesha Hunter

Clarence Knox

Leann Lansang

Shannon Lopez

Mayra Meza

Lazaro Ortega Wanda Owens Evelyn Perez Javier Quinones Craig Rawls Gregory Reed Timothy Reyes Kelly Shannan Heidi Stoecklein

Daryl Mulligan John Oliver Osorio

Christopher Moore

Patricia Sutton Maureen Tuli

Po-Chien Wang

Kathy Williams

Paul Vu

PW-Contract

Administration Leodovico Obedoza Wendy Young

PW-Sanitation Melford Oshon

James Vaughn **PW-Street Lighting**

PUBLIC WORKS

Kevin Goldstein **PW-Street Services**

Roque Argote Moses Merchain

Rec & Parks Shaquille Arellano

Alicia Jimenez David Moreno

Jeremy Thomas **Transportation**

Regina Donaldson Francisco Renteria Felicia Tate

Retired

Danilo Abalos Dorothy McFadgen Frank Noguera Barbara Ross Mattie Thompson

DWP

Rukshan Evans James Han Mark Hernandez Anthony Johnson Licia King Richard Luna Joseph Maberto Darren Mould Daniel Prado Garrett Tatsumi

Other

Beatriz Cortez Mariana Guevara Barbara Guillory Sandra Margolis Veronica Mevorach Edvin Minasian Kenneth Platner Joanne Venditto Barbara Williams Bessie Williams

Births

Alexander Ali Boulden, born Oct. 25 to Katrina and Alexander Boulden. Alexander Ali Boulden is the first grandson of, Dwain E. Henry, Lead Sr. Gardener, Rec and Parks, 28 years of service in the Golf Division.

Special Achievements



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Personnel.

Bellard Evans,





The Club's Gedina Bergstrom, Club Counselor, found her voice on... NBC's "The Voice". She went through the long audition process, and on Oct. 1,

she appeared on the show performing a blind audition. While the celebrity judges were impressed, they declined to move her forward in the singing competition. More than 50,000 tried out last spring, she says. "Being on the show was a huge accomplishment," Gedina says. "I sang on TV, and I killed it. I wouldn't change a thing. I am so grateful for the experience, and I would encourage anyone who can sing to try out." Congratulations, Gedina.





Michael Hernandez (right) is a sharpshooter for the U.S. Army. He's the godson of Mike Perez, Retired (left). They are pictured at Ft. Jackson, S.C.

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 Biggart, Thomas, DWP, 30 Brown, Jimmie, DWP, 32 Colombo, Helen, DWP, 13 Dennison, Phillippa, Transportation, 22 Hodges, Patrick, Harbor, 14

Nocas, Andrew, City Attorney, 12 Vega, Diane, Transportation, 3

Retired

Aldrete, Blas, DWP, 31 Brambila, Luis, General Services, 31 Brooks, Walter, DWP, 24 Brown, Edgar, DWP, 32 Brown, Roy, Municipal Auditorium, 22 Buchanan, William, DWP, 31 Callaway, Leon, Harbor, 35 Cameron, David, Airports, 31 Carmichael, Alonzo, Rec and Parks, 43

Charlton, Mary, Transportation, 7 Cirel, Joseph, DWP, 19 Collet, John, DWP, 35 Corralejo, Joseph, DWP, 25 Crooms, Van, DWP, 20 Devezin, Lafayette, DWP, 21 Dixon, Robert, DWP 28 Duffy, Jann, DWP, 22 Escalante, Jose, DWP, 31 Evans, Olga, DWP, 31 Flores, Armando, Building and Safety, 41 Foster, Curmit, DWP, 31 Gamble, Donald, General Services, 33 George, Martin, Public Works, 25 Hastings Jr., Daniel, DWP, 35 Hebert, Carlos, General Services, 15 Hernandez, Andrew, DWP, 32 Holmes, Lawrence, Public Works, 30 Jackson, Arthur, Rec and Parks, 14

Joffe, Connie, Library, 27 Jones, Dorothy, Building and Safety, 18 Kinkella, Rudolph, DWP, 30 Koeritz, Charles, DWP, 23 Kreutz, Robert, Public Works, 11 Kurita, Yoshio, Public Works, 23 Lukas, Anton, LAPD, 13 Marshall, Dennis, DWP, 35 McPherson, Gene, Public Works, 37 Meadows, Fred, Public Works, 24 Meylach, Sol, DWP, 16 Mitchell, Charles, Zoo, 35 Mikol, Edward, DWP, 36 Miller, Sheldon, DWP, 32 Montgomery, Charles, Planning, 31 Outley, Sandra, DWP, 30 Pesqueira, Carmen, Personnel, 41 Pettigrew, John, Public Works, 18 Pierce, Kenneth, General Services, 23

Powell, Adrienne, Public Works, 31 Ow, Everett, Public Works, 21 Reed, David, Public Works, 10 Reynolds, Edward, Public Works, 25 Ross, Lanny, General Services, 30 Rossman, Donald, City Attorney, 22 Ruscito, Angelo, Building and Safety, 21 Sawyer, Elton, Public Works, 12 Scheffler, Arlt, DWP, 11 Thome, Frank, General Services, 12 Thompson, Tommy, Public Works, 18 Thun, Esau, DWP, 31 Tomita, Toshiaki, DWP, 33 Watanabe Tom General Services 17 White, Clayton, Public Works, 36 Whitton, Robert, DWP, 19 Willis, George, Public Works, 22 Woo, Robert, DWP, 35.



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



Weddings

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Peace of Mind

by Tiffany Sy The Club's Peace of Mind Expert

Long-Term Care and Retirement

There is a critical need in America to prepare consumers to afford the costs of long-term care. Long-term care insurance (LTCi) is designed to cover the costs associated with aging. LTCi provides benefits toward nursing care facility services, assisted living facility and in-home custodial care. There is a big misconception that health insurance or Medicare covers long-term care - it does not! Retirees can deplete their savings, assets, and retirement

income when the unexpected occurs. The need for long-term care arises and they are financially unprepared!

The City Employees Club of Los Angeles offers a group-exclusive long-term care insurance plan through Unum Life Insurance Company of America. This LTCi plan will provide a monthly benefit (\$1,000 - \$5,000) in the form of a tax-free check payable directly to the insured person to cover the cost of custodial, nursing and

assisted care. Our plan allows you the freedom to take this plan with you anywhere in the United States to any board licensed nursing care facility, assisted living facility or in the comfort of your own home.

Your age at the time of the application is also a determining factor of your premium. Our rates are fixed, which means they do not go up with age! The younger you are when you purchase the insurance, the lower your rates will be.

There is still time to lock in your rates for the 2013 calendar year on our group long-term care insurance plan for active employees, retirees, spouses and parents. Come in to the Club Store and see your benefit counselor before the end of the year for a consultation or call us for your infor-

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mation kit.

