

From left: LAPD Chief Charlie Beck, 37 years of City service and Sgt. II Kelly Benitez, Sr. Drill Instructor with the graduating class of January 2014.

































The LAPD Honor Guard, from left: Sgt. Tom Tavares, 32 years of City services: Sgt. Amy Wong, 20 years: Officer II Gloria Graces, 19 years; and Officer II Shawn

## **LAPD**

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## **New Detention Officers**

Police Dept. graduates new **Detention Officers.** 

The LAPD's Jail Division along with family and friends gathered March 21 at the LAPD Police Academy to celebrate the graduation of the Detention Officers class that began in January.

The ceremony began with a presentation of colors by the LAPD Honor Guard. Shenita Easter then sang the National Anthem with a salute the flag. The recruit class speech was given by Detention Officer John Paul Olivarez, Class President. The ceremony ended with the presentation of diplomas by LAPD Chief Charlie Beck.

It was a beautiful ceremony on an equally beautiful sunny day in Los Angeles. Congratulations to the graduating class of 2014!

Special thanks go to Christina Hernandez for her assistance.



Capt. III David A. Lindsay, 27 years of City service, performs uniform inspections.



The graduating class of January 2014 celebrates with the official cover to



January's graduating class of Detention Officers.



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