



**REAL PEOPLE.**

**REAL WORK.**

# **EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION**

## **AWARDS AND PINS CEREMONY**

### **APRIL 21, 2026**





We just came off an incredible year marking the 125th anniversary of San Francisco Public Works – offering us a chance not only to look back on our work over the past century-plus, but also to reflect on how far we’ve come.

We all should be proud of the extraordinary range of the Public Works portfolio: cleaning streets, designing and delivering capital projects, caring for the urban forest, reining in illegal vending, enlivening neighborhoods in partnership with residents, paving roads and so much more. Whatever the City needs, Public Works finds a way to deliver – with heart, skill and dedication.

And none of this would be possible without the people who work here. Today, at our annual Public Works Week awards and pin ceremony, we’re celebrating our colleagues who are commemorating years-of-service milestones and recognizing individuals and teams for outstanding work over the past year.

I’m grateful every day to be part of the Public Works team and truly appreciate all you do.

**Happy Public Works Week 2026!**

**Carla Short, Director**



# **2026 EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION AWARDS CEREMONY**

- + WELCOME
- + PUBLIC WORKS VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR
- + COMMUNITY PARTNER
- + RISING STARS
- + CORE VALUES
- + SAFE DRIVING
- + SAFETY LEADERSHIP
- + MITCHELL SALAZAR GIVING BACK
- + BEST PLACE TO WORK
- + DRIVING INNOVATION AND EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE
- + STEWARDSHIP OF PUBLIC SPACES
- + BREATH OF LIFE
- + PROJECT OF THE YEAR
- + TEAM OF THE YEAR
- + EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR
- + YEARS OF SERVICE PINS

## PUBLIC WORKS VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Wallis Lee (PDD)

## COMMUNITY PARTNER

### INDIVIDUAL

Bob Hall, California Native Plant Society

### TEAM

Tenderloin Community Benefit District

## RISING STARS

**Project Delivery:** Brendan Jordan, Cole Miller

**Project Design and Development:** Ava Ross, Enrique Sanchez, Nate Kwong

**Finance and Administration:** Taylor Bauerle, Zhen He

**Operations:** Vivian Chong, Luz Ramos, Mario Basile

**Director's Office/Communications:** Nicholas Holsapple, Theresa Fong, Stellie Kim

## CORE VALUES

### INDIVIDUALS

Alice Ng (PJD) - Responsiveness

Gabe Llamas (OPS/BBSR)- Integrity

Chris Heredia (Policy and Communications) – Teamwork

Marianna Tovshteyn (HR/Health and Safety) – Safety

Asia Butler (Support Services) - Respect

## SAFE DRIVING

Brittany Brandon  
Guillermo Olimpiada

Mario Basile  
Nick Haase

Sabrina Soto  
Wayne Valaris

## SAFETY LEADERSHIP

LaVonda Williams (OPS/BUF)

## MITCHELL SALAZAR GIVING BACK

Tanika Gaines (Policy and Communications)

## BEST PLACE TO WORK

### INDIVIDUAL

Liz Binning (PDD)

### TEAM

Project Design and Development Administrative Support Team

## DRIVING INNOVATION & EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE

### INDIVIDUAL

Stephanie Yuan (PDD/BOE)

### TEAM | ALL PERMITS

#### PRIVATE SECTOR PERMITS

Berhane Gaime

Calvin Chan

Clinton Choy

Duston So

Emily Khin

Genelle Gonzalez

George Waskey

Gregory Slocum

Jonathan Young

Junlian Zhou

Kathy Liu

Kelly Albers

Kimberly Bustos

Lea Limbo

Leon Yen

Lorabelle Cook

Madison Tigbao

Marlena Cohen

Maryell Abella

Maura Martin

Michael Abella

Nahel Simon

Noah Joe

Ollie Sears

Patricia Leung

Rassendyll Dennis

Travis Kwong

Wendy Chan

Erik Hilstrom

Javier Rivera

Jinglu Gu

Jomari Fernandez

Sohaib Heravi

Theresa Muehlbauer

EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION AWARDS  
PUBLIC WORKS WEEK 2026

**BUF PERMITS**

Allegra Mautner  
Bryan Ong

Cerise Waiters  
Cadhan Sullivan

Letruc Vo  
Susan Nawbary

**DEVELOPMENT PERMITS**

Andres Uranga  
Carlos Hernandez  
Debra Lutske  
Eleanor Tang

Eric Lam  
Fran Cesarone  
John Kwong  
Kathleen Liongson

Liza Justo  
Noah Wong  
Teddy Sherbin

**STEWARDSHIP OF PUBLIC SPACES**

**INDIVIDUAL**

Robert Milton

**TEAM | STREETScape**

Arun Bhatia  
Carol Huang  
Ellen Lai

Jeffrey Jackson  
Lorina Louie  
Michelle Woo

Ruby Yu  
Trent Tieger  
Yvonne Hung

**BREATH OF LIFE**

**TEAM**

Aura Arcinaga  
Diana Lin  
Jilsia Gonzalez

Panos Panagopoulos  
Pansy Lam  
Nicole Spadone

Tiffany Justice  
Wyman Lee

**PROJECT OF THE YEAR**

**REAL PEOPLE. REAL WORK.**

Julian Pham

Patrick Riley

Nathan Rodis

## TEAM OF THE YEAR

### OCEANWIDE SIDEWALK RESTORATION

#### BBSR (BUILDING AND STREET)

Adrian Rivera III	Gilbert Williams	Michael Bollier
Andrew Young	Harry Singh	Michael Franov
Anthony Valdez	Jacob Nicol	Michael Nelson
Antoine Colbert	James Aylsworth	Mitch Wierzba
Bob Corriea	Jeffrey Soria	Modesto Martinez-Cerna
Charles Reynolds	John Carlo Romero	Randy Sullins
Chris Kazarian	Jorge Sarabia Hernandez	Richard Armstrong
Curt Dwyner	Jose Rodriguez	Richard Palacios Jr.
Dan Gomez	Junior Olomua	Rodolfo Silva
Danielle Ciardella	Kenny Huang	Selina Chen
Doug Joya	Kyle Wagner	Stephen Kish
Eric Carlsen	Larry Daniels	Steve Marinelli
Gabe Llamas	Matt Fegan	Thomas Patch
Gaunic Trehan	Maurice Broussard	Victor Vallejo

#### BUREAU OF URBAN FORESTRY - CEMENT

Craig White	Gabriel Arteaga	Sam Hong
Diego Chavez	Kristal Givens	Scotty Washington
Joevani Garcia	Marcos Vera	Wei Bo Wu

#### PROJECT DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT

Ray Lui

#### FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

Sindy Montufar

#### KEY PARTNERS

Nicole Cook (BSES)

Salvatore Pavone (SFMTA OHL)

## EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

Jonathan Vaing

# Congratulations

## YEARS OF SERVICE PINS

### 5 YEARS OF SERVICE

Amirhossein Norouzi

Antoine Young Sr

Cassandra Hom

Diego Chavez

Dina Rodriguez

Eun Joo Cho

Federico Diaz Jr

France Green

Stellie Kim

Jacob Lee

Jorge Sarabia Hernandez

Jose Rodriguez

Joshua Cudjoe

Joyce Bulatao

Juan Fuentes

Julio Vasquez Vega

Junlian Zhou

Justin Erwin

Ka Lai

Kristi Sevilla

Laurence Lau

Leo Torres

Liza Christine Justo

Lyle Norbert

Marcell Underwood

Martha Dehghani

Moises Vertiz

Morgan Wong

Paul Hayward

Philip Roberts

Ramiro Salazar

Rashida Saucier

Rene Ochoa Torres

Robert Rex Meneses Jr III

Santiago DeLao

Satvaran Sidhu

Shannon Do

Shu Juan Zhen

Shuzhuang Liu

Simon Tam

Steve Guevara

Tara Stevens

# 10 YEARS OF SERVICE

Aaron Khaw	Hyeja Jung	Patrick Ngo
Adrian Canedo	Imtiazahmed Saiyed	Paul Woolford
Alejandro Del Calvo	Ina Collins	Phillip Kong
Alfie Garcia	Jacky Ng	Priscilla Lefao
Alice Ng	Javier Tejada	Ramon Pena
Allegra Porchia	Jayne Da Silveira	Ramses Alvarez
Allison Chan	Jesse Blea	Raymond Cheng
Andre Harris Jr	John Dixon Sr	Redjil Mcleod
Andrew Sohn	John Duport	Reggie Stump
Antonio Garcia	Jonathan Cagwin	Reginald Holloway
Arun Bhatia	Josephine Wong	Renato Leonardo
Belle Macaranas	Joshua Vaughan	Rene Nevarez
Brent Marin	Junior Olomua	Richard Pender
Brett Desmarais	Kandice Podlone	Richard Armstrong
Bryan Ong	Karl Johnson	Rick Cortez
Cayla Andrews	Karrie Johnson	Ricky Choi
Charles Reynolds	Kenneth Buncum Jr	Russell Leong
Chi Hang Leung	Kenneth Ho	Saied Khan
Christopher Kazarian	Latania Mackey	Sherry Katz
Christopher Larson	Leah Lintz	Annie Maroney
Corey Jackson	Leandra Butler	Tammieka Peacock
Dan Criswell Baltazar	Loren Subia	Tedman Wong
Daniel Tan	Lorina Louie	Terence Xiao
Derric Gargaritano	Mariebelle Hansen	Terrance Perry
Deshawn Stallsworth	Mark Tallman	Thandar Aye
Dongji Wang	Markeisha Law	Tina Kwan
Donna Lee	Meiai Xie	Vanessa Lima
Donna Pinto	Michael Taylor Jr	Victor Tam
Dragomir Rajic	Michael Crooms	Vincent Kwok
Don Sy	Michael Guillory	Wallan Chan
Elizabeth Binning	Michael Rossetto	Wei Bo Wu
Erika Campos	Michael Hua	Winky Fung
Frank Perez	Michael Flores Jr	Winnie Chang
Gabriel Arteaga	MinFang Liang	Winny Saputra
Gaunic Trehan	Monica Autry	Lindsey Wu
George Yee	Nathaniel Washington	Yohannes Biratu
Glen James Jr	Oscar Li	Yong Ji Wong
Guillermo Olimpiada	Pamela Breaux	Yuchun Jin
Guo Shen Tan	Pano Ray	Yvonne Hung

## 15 YEARS OF SERVICE

Alexander Higuera  
Arlena Winn  
Au Bui  
Bassam Aldhafari  
Chadi Hajjar  
Chadwick Suntay  
Chester Gossett  
Cindy Tong  
Craig White  
Dao Tran  
Douglas Reed

Edi Mahargono  
Erika Tilney  
Isabella Li  
Jamal Katout  
John Lamonte  
John Sprinkle  
Joseph Wong  
Justin Foon  
Maria Sadia  
Maximo Valdes  
Nathan Rodis

Nicholas Bear  
Nicole Chan  
Olusoga Odufalu  
Patricia Solis  
Ricardo Sainz  
Richard Chircop  
Thomas Roitman  
Warren Hill  
Wilfredo David  
Xiu Fen Ye

## 20 YEARS OF SERVICE

Adrian Gonzalez  
Alex Murillo  
Amy Craven  
Andrea Chong  
Augusto Chavez  
Byron Paz  
Cedric McAfee  
Jerry Wong  
Christine Cayabyab  
Christopher Ochoa

Clottis Wright  
Dario Torio  
David Leung  
Derrick Chan  
Eric Lee  
Francis Or  
John Leal  
Jordan Cho  
Jose Flores  
Jennifer Marquez

Mary Ngwe  
Rafael Gutierrez  
Richard Lee  
Richard Bullock  
Salina Mickles  
Teenchee Le  
Timothy Barlow  
Tommy Lam  
Tsegereda Naizghi  
William Wood  
Yonas Hadgu

## 25 YEARS OF SERVICE

Abbas Naghavi  
Brian Pittman  
Cesario Aton III  
Jonathan Vaing  
Daniel Feerick  
Frank Bonilla  
Hector Alcasio

Heidi Rivoire  
Jose DeLuna  
Joseph Williams Jr  
Juan Diaz  
Kathleen O'Day  
Maurice Broussard  
Ralph Ray

Rassendyll Dennis  
Richard Graham  
Robert Tigbao  
Shao Wang  
William Bulkley  
Wyman Lee

## 30 YEARS OF SERVICE

Dirk Kellum  
John Leon  
Lesley Wong  
Patrick Meagher  
Teming Hsueh  
Wayne Chan

## 35 YEARS OF SERVICE

Ramon Kong

