

City of Long Beach Working Together to Serve

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To:

Honorable Mayor and City Council

From:

Mario R. Beas, Executive Director - Civil Service

Subject:

Recruitment Outreach Efforts

As requested by the Personnel Civil Service Committee of the City Council, this report will outline the process and resources utilized when attracting qualified candidates who reflect our diverse community for vacancies with the City of Long Beach.

The Recruitment Services Division of the Civil Service Department is responsible for this effort and takes great pride in marketing the City of Long Beach as an "employer of choice". Candidates are sought for all classified vacancies that span 16 departments.

Personnel requisitions are received in the Civil Service Department for vacancies from any of 300 unique classifications representing all four appointing authorities. For each vacancy the Civil Service Department conducts research and evaluates the past recruitment and examination process, the current needs of the department(s), the current workforce analysis, and the best possible plan for providing a quality candidate pool to meet the variety of needs of the department(s) that utilize the classification.

Analysts from the Recruitment Division then meet with representatives from the department(s) with vacancies that use the classification, who are considered subject matter experts in their field, to discuss possible outreach recruitment tools that can be utilized. This information coupled with the information that Civil Service Department staff has compiled is then combined to create a targeted outreach recruitment plan for the specific vacancy. Targeted plans are developed for every examination that is conducted by the Civil Service Department. Information that is received from the hiring departments is then placed in the database of outreach recruitment sources that the Recruitment Services Division maintains.

This database is continually updated and enhanced with each recruitment. In addition each recruitment has a baseline plan that includes placement on; 24-hour job recruitment line, intranet/internet, Hometown TV and E-blast mailing list. Candidates that have expressed interest in a particular classification during the previous year when the position was not available and completed an interest card are also notified of the vacancy.

Finally the following is a detailed description of resources that have been utilized in past targeted recruitments.

Examples of resources in the Recruitment Services Division databases include:

Journals/Publications/Newspapers

Asian/Pacific Islander Now Black Career Now Centro CHA Hispanic Hotline LA Watts Times Long Beach Leader Los Angeles Sentinel NAACP Newsletter

American Police Beat
Electrical News
Family Health Guide
Jobs Available
Jobs Magazine
LBUSD Lunch Menu
Military Press
Navy Dispatch
The Employment Guide
The Log – marina jobs
The 49er
The Viking
The Wave Newsletter (City of Long Beach)
Western City Magazine
Working World

Beachcomber
Downtown Gazette
Grunion Gazette
La Opinion
Long Beach Business Journal
The View
Press Telegram
Super Saver
USA Today

Websites

American Association of Port authorities-Posts Harbor jobs only

American Library Association - Library jobs

American Planning Association – Planning jobs nationwide

American Planning Association Inland Empire – local Planning jobs

American Planning Association Los Angeles Section – local Planning jobs

American Society of Civil Engineers - Civil Engineers

American Society of Mechanical Engineers – Mechanical Engineers

Association of California Water Agencies - water utility jobs

Association of Marina Industries – marina jobs

Blackweekly - professional jobs

Cal Jobs - most job markets in California

California Association of Code Enforcement – code enforcement jobs

California Association of Environmental Professionals – environmental jobs

California Association for Local Economic Development –community development jobs

California Building Officials – planning & building jobs/community development

California Job Bank – most job markets in California

Caljobs - most job markets in California

California Library Association – library jobs

California Municipal Utilities Association – utility jobs

California Parks and Recreation Society – Parks and Recreation jobs

California Public Employees Labor Relations Association – human resources jobs

California Redevelopment Association – community development jobs

California Water Environment Association – water utility jobs

Careerbuilder – all job markets nationwide

Dice - technology jobs

Diversitycitymedia – all job markets

Gaywork - gay and lesbian community

Governmentjobs – public sector jobs

Helmets to Hardhats - heavy equipment jobs

ITE - technology jobs

International Association of Plumbing & Mechanical Officials – plumbing/mechanical jobs

International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers - electrical jobs

International Code Council – code enforcement jobs

Information Systems Audit and Control Association – information systems jobs

Institute of Transportation Engineers – transportation engineers

Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers – electrical and electronic engineers

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Job Spider - technology jobs

Jobsummit – all job markets

Job Village - most job markets

LA Basin Chapter ICBO – building officials in LA area

Marina Recreation Association - marina jobs

Marine for Life - safety, heavy equipment jobs and trades

Maritime jobs - marina jobs

Mechanical Electrical Plumbing – mechanical, electrical and plumbing jobs

Military - military outplacement

Military4Life - military outplacement

Monstertrak- college students and recent graduates

MCLS - Library jobs

Municipal Management Association of Southern California – public sector management jobs

NAACP – all job markets

National Community Development Association - community development jobs

National Recreation & Park Association – parks and recreation jobs

National Society of Black Engineers – African American engineers

National Society of Professional Engineers - engineers

National Trust Forum - historic preservation jobs

National Urban League - all job markets

Neogov – government jobs

Nurseweek - nursing jobs

Planetizen - planning jobs

Preserve Net - preservation jobs

Professionals in Human Resources Association – human resources jobs

Saludos Hispanos - all job markets

Society for Conservation GIS – geographic information systems jobs

Society of Black Engineers - engineers

Southern California Urban and Regional Information Systems Association – geographic information systems jobs

Structural Engineers Association International – structural engineering jobs

Structural Engineers Association – structural engineering jobs

The Log – all jobs

The Planning and Conservation League - environmental jobs

Urban Planning Now – urban planning jobs

Water Environment Federation – water utility jobs

Western City Magazine - public sector jobs

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RADIO STATIONS

KJLH 102.3 FM KKBT 100.3 FM KDAY 93.5 FM KTWV 94.7 FM KHHT 92.3 FM KTYM 1460 AM (Christian Radio)

TELEVISION

BET – Black Entertainment Television COMEDY CENTRAL ESPN FSW (Fox Sports West) FSW2 (Fox Sports West 2) FX GALA Vision MTV TBS TNT USA USA VH1

SPECIAL MAILING/EBLAST

Historical Black Colleges and Universities
Black Law Associations
100 Black Men
Latino Police Officer Association
LBPD Advisory Groups
National Black Police Officer's Association
USC Black Administrators
LB Neighborhood & Community Groups
Police Academies & Training Centers
State of California (Professional lists for engineers, environmental health specialists, nutritionists, etc)
General Recruitment Mailing List (Gov't, Educational Institutions, Employment Agencies...)

BILLBOARD ADVERTISING

Cal Worthington
Long Beach Performing Arts Center
Hollypark Casino
Crystal Casino
Bus Kings (Long Beach Transit)
Mall Advertising (Baldwin Hills/Crenshaw Plaza, Fox Hills Mall, Hollywood & Highland (Kodak), Paseo Colorado, South Bay Galleria, Victoria Gardens, LB Towne Center)
Campus Kiosks Posters (UCLA, CSULB, USC, UCI, SDSU, Fullerton)

MOVIE THEATRE ADVERTISING*

Edwards Theatres Regal Theatres Magic Johnson Theatres

*Advertisements placed in five county area.

CHURCH VISITS

Grant AME Church
Christ Second Baptist Church
Ebenezer Baptist Church
North Long Beach Community Worship Center
St. John Baptist Church
St. Luke Episcopal Church
Greater Open Door
Antioch Baptist Church
Long Beach Community Worship Center
Pacific Baptist Church
Seventh Day Adventist Church