Retirements and Promotions

Oro Loma is fortunate to have a staff of dedicated professionals working to provide customers with the best possible service at the lowest possible cost. Below are individuals who have recently retired or have been promoted.

**RETIREMENTS**

Together, Bert Gileno and Julie Kerr have provided exemplary service to the District for almost 55 years. We wish them well in their retirement.

Bert Gileno—The most experienced Lead Worker in the Collections Department, Bert was hired by Oro Loma on 1/3/78. After 33 years of dedicated service to the District, he retired on 12/27/10.

Julie Kerr—Julie began her career at Oro Loma on 6/26/89, as the Office Aide. Within three months, she was promoted to the District’s Administrative Assistant. She retired on 12/27/10, after 21½ years of dedicated service to Oro Loma.

**PROMOTIONS**

Earl Miranda—Hired on 07/23/07 as a Utility Worker Trainee in the Maintenance Department, Earl joined the Collections Department on 11/19/08 as a Collection System Trainee, and was promoted to Collection System Worker on 12/27/10.

Sally Green—Hired on 8/4/03 as Office Assistant in the Administration Department, Sally was promoted to District Secretary on 12/28/10.

Angelino Santos—Hired on 11/16/92 as an Electrical & Instrumentation Technician in the Maintenance Department, Angelino was promoted to Construction Inspector in the Engineering Department on 7/6/10, and reclassified to Field Engineer on 1/10/11.

No “Biodegradable” Food Scrap Bags

“Biodegradable” bags sold for use in collecting food scraps are made from potato or corn, which is readily biodegradable. However, the polymers used to bind the bag do not decompose under the time and temperatures under which Oro Loma’s green waste is composted. These bags must be picked out manually from the food scraps that Waste Management collects and discarded as trash.

If you wish to line your green pail before adding kitchen scraps, use a paper bag or folded newspaper. You may also use an empty milk carton or take-out container to collect your scraps before placing them into your green cart.

Thank you for making the Oro Loma food scrap recycling program such a success!