At a February, 2019 ICMA Board of Directors dinner in Long Beach where Jim Hankla and John Shirey were presented with Lifetime ICMA Memberships. Here are some Long Beach alums who gathered at the event: (L to R) Pat West, current Long Beach City Manager; Ed Shikada, Palo Alto City Manager; Ruth Shikada, Santa Clara Assistant City Manager; Wally Bobkiewicz, Evanston, IL, City Manager; John Shirey, former Long Beach ACM; Suzanne Mason, Consultant with Teri Black & Company; Gail Wasil, retired from City of Long Beach; Beverly O’Neill, former Long Beach Mayor; Jim Hankla, former Long Beach City Manager; Henry Taboada, former Long Beach City Manager; and Jerry Miller, former Long Beach City Manager.

Women Professionals Continuing Alphabetically From Manteca

This is the fourteenth in a series of newsletter issues acknowledging women professionals who work in California cities. The original objective was to identify women in answer to the rhetorical question: “Where are the women in city management?” Our look at the subject has discovered an impressive list of professional women in California local government.

This issue begins with women working in the City of Manteca and continues alphabetically to the City of Merced. We have tried to present a good representative list. Please accept our apologies for those deserving who we have missed or have failed to discover adequate profile information.

“Never regret anything that made you smile.”
– Mark Twain
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Manteca was founded in 1861 by Joshua Cowell. In 1873 the Central Pacific Railroad laid tracks through the community, and it is reported that residents referred to the town as “Cowell Station.” There was already a Cowell Station near Tracy to that did not stick. Manteca was incorporated in 1918, and Joshua Cowell became the city’s first Mayor. Tim Ogden is the Manteca City Manager, and Lisa Blackmon is the City Clerk. Jeri Tejeda is the Manteca Finance Director. She had worked for the city’s Finance Department for 12-years prior to her appointment as Director in 2017. She replaced Finance Director Suzanne Mallory who retired.

Jodie Estarziau has served as the Manteca Chief of Police since February, 2017. Jodie began her law enforcement career at the age of 16 as a member of the Manteca Police Cadet Corps. She then became a dispatcher, a Community Services Officer, and then she worked as a Police Officer. She was promoted to Sergeant in 2008 and Administrative Sergeant in 2011. Jodie became the rank of Lieutenant in 2016. When she was promoted from Lieutenant to Chief she became the first female Chief of Police in Manteca history.

Remembering an old friend!
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Maricopa is a Kern County community of 1,197 people. The town incorporated in July, 1911. The name was given to the oil-booming community when a station on the Sunset Western Railroad was established there in 1903. The first Lakeview gusher in 1910 gave Kern County its “First in Oil” claim in 1910. There are articles published in 2011 indicating that the tiny town may need to dismantle. At that time the Interim City Administrator was Lauri Robison, a former Deputy City Clerk, and it appears that Lauri is still serving (May, 2011-present).

Marina, California is in Monterey County. Marina was incorporated in November, 1975, and has a population estimated at 21,688. The Marina Post Office opened in 1916. The City’s history is linked with the history of Fort Ord, which was decommissioned in 1991. Layne Long is the Marina City Manager, and Anita Shepherd-Sharp is the City Clerk. Tina Nieto is the Chief of Police. Tina served in the United States Army Reserve for a month longer than 14-years and left the service as a Captain. She went to work as a Police Officer in the Los Angeles Police Department in June, 1989 and advanced through the ranks leaving the department with the rank of Captain in 2017; the year she was appointed Chief in the City of Marina. Tina earned a BA in criminal justice from California State University, Fullerton, and a Masters in leadership and management from the University of La Verne. In addition to her POST Certification, she completed an Executive Law Enforcement Program and the Executive Leadership Program at the University of Southern California (USC).

Other women professionals serving the City of Marina include: Judy Paterson, Administrative Analyst in Community Development; Christy Hopper, Planning Services Manager; Marilyn Lidyoff, Economic Development Coordinator; and Carolina Rivera, Administrative Assistant, Recreation & Cultural Services Director.

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Martinez is the county seat of Contra Costa County. The city was incorporated in April, 1876, and has a current day population estimated at 38,259. The new City Manager in Martinez is Eric Figueroa, who takes over on April 22 from Acting City Manager and Chief of Police Manjit Sappal. Eric will take the job that City Manager Brad Kilger retired from after a stellar career that included service as the President of the City Managers' Department of the League of California Cities.

Anne Cardwell, became the Assistant City Manager in Martinez in September, 2016. She left for a similar position in Vallejo in December, 2018 replacing Assistant City Manager Teri Killgore, who reigned in July, 2018. Before joining the Martinez city staff, Anne worked in the City of Benicia for 13-years, with her final assignments there as Assistant to the City Manager (2006-2008), Administrative Services Director (2008-2013) and Assistant City Manager (2013-2016). Anne earned a BA in psychology from the University of California, Berkeley and a Master’s degree in educational psychology from the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA).

Other women professional uncovered connected to the City of Martinez, include: Kathy DeVries, Information Systems Specialist; Valerie Fisher, Personnel Director; Rita Howe, Administrative Assistant; Patty Lorick, Recreation Supervisor; and Catherine “Kate” Campbell. Patty has worked for the city since February, 1986; some 33-plus years. She earned a BA in parks, recreation and leisure studies from East Carolina University. Apologies to all those we were unable to list.

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Wade McKinney, Indian Wells City Manager, is the recipient of the 2018 Wes McClure Award as the 2018 City Manager of Distinction. The presentation was made by Ken Pulskamp, Executive Director of CCMF. Trackdown “Congratulations” to Wade on this well-deserved recognition.

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This page features an image of Wade McKinney, Indian Wells City Manager, accepting an award. The text highlights McKinney’s accomplishments and contributions to the field of public sector management.

The photo captures McKinney holding an award, likely symbolizing recognition for his significant professional achievements. The context around the image emphasizes his leadership role and the accolades he has received, underscoring his influence in the city’s governance and management practices.
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Marysville is the county seat in Yuba County, and was incorporated in February, 1843. The estimated 2016 population was 12,249. Marti Brown is the Marysville City Manager and Persephonie Riley is the City Clerk. Marti is a member of ICMA. Marti began her working career in sales in 1997 with AT&T. In October, 2002 she went to work for the City of Berkeley as an Assistant Redevelopment Planner. She took a Senior Redevelopment Planner post with the Sacramento Housing & Redevelopment Agency in September, 2005. While working in Sacramento Marti was elected to the City of Vallejo City Council where she served from December, 2009 to January, 2014. In October, 2012 Marti became the Executive Director of the Franklin Boulevard Business Association in Sacramento, which in April, 2014 became the Franklin Neighborhood Development Corporation. Marti was hired to serve as the Community Development Director in the City of Arvin in August, 2016 and she joined the Marysville staff as City Manager in January, 2018. She earned a BA in international environmental studies from World College West, an MBA from Hope International University, and an MA in geography from San Francisco State University. She has served on many boards, commissions, committees and coalitions over the years.

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She joined the Chico city staff in 1994 as Community Services Officer (CSO), and in 2001 she took a Management Analyst with the Chico Police Department. In 2009 she moved to the City Manager's Office in a Management Analyst post. Deborah earned a BA in social work from California State University, Chico, and an MS in law from Champlain College.

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McFarland was incorporated in July, 1957 in Kern County. The city’s 2017 estimated population was 15,093. The town was founded in 1909 as a small agriculture and livestock area near a community called Hunt’s Siding. John Wooner is the City Manager, and the City Clerk is Claudia Ceja. Maria Lara is the McFarland Community Development Director, and Andrea Miranda is the city’s Economic Developer. Rocio Mosqueda is the McFarland Finance Director.

Mendota is a city in Fresno County that was incorporated in June, 1942. Starting in 1891 Mendota was a Southern Pacific Railroad storage and switching facility site. The first Post Office opened in 1892. The City is now identified as the Cantaloupe Center of the World. The 2016 population estimate was 11,418 people. Cristian Gonzalez is the City Manager, and Matt Flood is the City Clerk. Jennifer Lekumberry is the Mendota Director of Administrative Services. Prior to joining the city staff in February, 2017, Jennifer served as the Administrative Director for Rape Counseling Services of Fresno from November, 2008 until February, 2017. Jennifer earned an AA from West Hills College in Coalinga, a BS in finance from California State University, Stanislaus, and an MPA from American Public University.

Finance Administrative Supervisor, Nancy M. Diaz, joined the Mendota city staff in 2010 as an Administrative Assistant. Nancy was promoted to her current position in September, 2013. She earned a BS from California State University, Fresno.

Retired City Manager Tim Kerr. Tim served as City Manager in Livingston (1990-1998); Ceres (1998-2005); and Turlock (2006-2009). He previously served as Deputy County Administrator in San Benito County, and he held positions in Burbank, Rosemead and San Luis Obispo.

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Menifee incorporated in October, 2008 in Riverside County, and has an estimated 2017 population of 90,595. Armando G. Villa is the City Manager and Jeff Wyman is the Assistant City Manager. Armando previously served as City Manager in Calexico. Sarah Manwaring is the City Clerk. Cheryl Kitzerow is the Menifee Community Development Director, and Lisa Gordon is the Planning Manager.

Cheryl worked for a private planning firm in 1999-2001, and she joined the Escondido city staff in March, 2001 as an Assistant Planner. Cheryl was hired in Temecula in April, 2004 as an Associate Planner, and she was promoted to Economic Development Analyst in July, 2012. Cheryl became the Menifee Community Development Director in May, 2017. She earned a BA from the University of California, San Diego, and a MCP, masters in city planning, from San Diego State University. Cheryl participated in the 2016-2017 California State University, San Marcos Extended Leadership Academy.

Julie Woodruff left Menifee in 2017 to take a private sector job in San Diego after working as the Administrative Services Director (2013-2017), and Assistant to the City Manager (2009-2013).

Others found, past and present, in connection with Menifee, include: Kathy Bennett: Aviegail Barron, Administrative Analyst; Carmen Cave; and Phyllis Walker, Treasurer.

John F. Johnston, Mayor of the City of Ojai. John is a former City Manager in Artesia, and Ojai and served as the Interim City Manager in Ventura. He retired as the CAO in Ventura County.
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Menlo Park is in San Mateo County in the San Francisco Bay Area. The city incorporated in 1927, and has a 2016 population estimate of 33,888 people. Starla Jerome-Robinson is the Interim City Manager, Nick Pegueros is the Assistant City Manager, and Clay Curtin is the Assistant to the City Manager. Judi Herren is the City Clerk. Lenka Diaz is the Administrative Services Director. Lenka is the city’s Human Resources Manager. She joined the staff with 19-years of public service experience. Lenka previously worked as a Senior Analyst in Redwood City, and prior to that she worked in the City of Newark for 16-years in a number of administrative roles.

Interim City Manager Starla Jerome-Robinson has a long history in local government. She previously served as Assistant City Manager in Menlo Park from 2008 to 2015. Before that, Starla worked as Assistant City Manager in Los Altos from 1999 to 2008, Finance Director for the Town of Atherton from 1996 to 1999, and as Finance Director and other management-level positions with the City of Milpitas from 1980 to 1996. Starla earned a BA in urban studies from the University of California, Santa Barbara.

Nancy Melgar is a Contract Specialist in the Menlo Park Public Works Department. Rhonda Coffman is the Deputy Community Development Director, and Deanna Chow is the Assistant Community Development Director.

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–Chili Davis, Former MLB Player and Coach
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Merced is the county seat of Merced County. The city was incorporated in April, 1889. The 2018 estimated population was 86,750. Merced is known as the “Gateway to Yosemite.” The City Manager is Steven S. Carrigan.

Stephanie Dietz, a former Management Analyst for Merced County, is the Assistant City Manager. Stephanie started with the City of Merced in January, 2017. She had worked for the county for 10-years, and prior to that nearly three-years with the University of California, Merced. Stephanie is a graduate of Atwater High School, and earned a BA from California State University, Fresno, and a master’s from National University. She is also a graduate of the California State Association of Counties (CSAC) Senior Executive Credential Program.

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Picking Up the Pieces:
Congratulations to San Ramon Assistant City Manager Eric Figueroa, who has been selected to serve as the next City Manager in the City of Martinez. Eric has served as the San Ramon Assistant City Manager since 2014, and prior to that he served as a Public Affairs Manager for the League of California Cities between 2006 and 2014. Eric served as the Assistant to the City Manager in San Leandro between 2001 and 2006. Eric served as the President of MMANC in 2004-2005. Eric earned a BA from Claremont McKenna College and an MBA from the Haas School of Business from the University of California, Berkeley. After 18-years, 3 and a half as City Manager, Chris Freeland resigned from the West Covina city staff. Assistant City Manager Nikole Bresciani will serve as the Acting City Manager until further action is taken by the City Council. Nikole said that she is not interested in being City Manager. Also resigning from the West Covina staff are Human Resources and Risk Management Director Edward Macias and Finance Director Marcie Medina. Chris is a former Field Representative for Congressman David Dreier. He joined the West Covina staff in 2001 as Assistant to the City Manager. He became Deputy City Manager in 2011 and he was appointed City Manager in 2015. He earned a BA from California Polytechnic State University, Pomona and an MPA from California State University, Long Beach. Chris is a past President of MMANC (2006-2007). May 2 is the final day Fairfield City Manager David White will serve as Fairfield City Manager. Dave submitted his resignation in anticipation of accepting a Deputy City Manager post in the City of Berkeley. David was appointed City Manager in June, 2014 when he replaced retired City Manager Sean Quinn. David joined the Fairfield city staff in 2004 as a Senior Project Manager in the Economic Development Department. Interim City Manager Nick Kimball is the new City Manager in the City of the San Fernando. He joined the San Fernando city staff in 2014 as the Director of Finance. He previously held positions in Culver City and West Hollywood. He earned a BA in economics from Moravian College in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and a Master’s in public policy from the University of Southern California (USC). Peggy Flynn, 52, is the new City Manager in the City of Petaluma, starting February 25. Peggy succeeds longtime City Manager John Brown following his retirement. Assistant City Manager Scott Brodhun served as Interim City Manager until Peggy took office. Peggy previously worked as the Assistant City Manager in the City of Novato, and she worked for San Jose and for the Santa Clara Valley Water District prior to that. She also previously worked as an economic development consultant for the City of San Mateo, and with the Sonoma County Agricultural Preservation and Open Space District. Brian Gabler, 58, Simi Valley’s Economic Development Director has been appointed Interim City Manager effective April 4, succeeding City Manager Eric Levitt, who is the new City Manager in Alameda. Brian has worked for Simi Valley for nearly 33-years. Samantha Argabrite is a Simi Valley Deputy City Manager.

Corona City Manager Darrell Talbert resigned February 27, 2019. The Corona Assistant City Manager is Michele Nissen. Darrell served as a member of the Corona City Council between 1994 and 2006. He joined the Corona city staff in 2008, and worked as a Deputy Director of Community Development, Director of Redevelopment, Administrative Services Director, and Assistant City Manager. He served as City Manager for the past four-years. Michele has been named Acting City Manager. She is a former City Manager in Eastvale, and joined the Corona staff last July. T.J. Miller will serve as the City of Fresno Interim Parks, After School, Recreation, and Community Services Director while also continuing to work in her current role as Director of Customer Services and Analytics. Parvin Neloms Jr., who previously worked in Miami Gardens, Florida, is no long the Director. Parvin was hired by City Manager Wilma Quan and Mayor Lee Brand appointed Parvin in 2017. David Gassaway is the new City of Solvang City Manager beginning in April, 2019. David is the Community Development Director for Indian Wells. He was the Assistant to the City Manager in Indian Wells from May, 2014 to June, 2016. Before that he worked 5-years in administrative capacities for Rancho Cordova.
More Pieces Picked Up: City Manager Bryan Cook of the City of Temple City, previously held positions in South Gate (2005-2014) and West Hollywood (1999-2003). Bryan was the Assistant City Manager and Director of Finance in South Gate when he was appointed to his current post in Temple City where he took over from Interim City Manager Don Penman. Bryan earned a BA in political science and government from California State University, Los Angeles and an MPA from California State University, East Bay. Menlo Park Interim City Manager Starla Jerome-Robinson, 63, is the new Menlo Park City Manager. She was appointed “Interim” in October, 2018 when City Manager Alex McIntyre left to become the City Manager in Ventura. Starla worked as the Menlo Park Assistant City Manager from 2008 to 2015. She was Assistant City Manager in Los Altos before that (1999-2008). She previously served as Finance Director for the Town of Atherton and Milpitas. Starla earned a BA from the University of California, Santa Barbara. Bellflower City Manager Jeffrey L. Stewart began his public service career in 1985 in West Covina. He then worked for Rosemead in various management posts from 1986-1999. He took the El Segundo Assistant City Manager position in 1999 and Jeff was appointed City Manager in 2005. He became the Los Alamitos City Manager in 2009 and then joined the City of Bellflower as City Manager in January, 2012. Jeff earned a BA and MPA from California State University, Fullerton. Hollister City Manager Bill Avera will retire at the age of 52 after working for the city some 25-years. Bill joined the Hollister city staff in 1994. He became City Manager in 2013, first as Interim. Bill said that he may explore teaching after his retirement. His last day with the city will be in November. Rachel Barbosa is the Deputy City Manager for the City of South El Monte. She previously worked on the staff of members of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. She worked in the Second District and the First District. She worked in the South El Monte Office as a Field Deputy for Supervisor Hilda Solis. Clear Lake City Manager Greg Folsom has been selected to serve as City Manager in the City of Suisun City. Greg will replace retired City Manager Suzanne Bragdon. He has served as City Manager in Clear Lake since June, 2015. He previously served on the Planning Commission in the City of Menifee. Retired Windsor Town Manager Linda Kelly has relocated to the State of Washington, and currently serves as a Teaching Assistant at Central Washington University in Ellensburg, Washington. She is an instructor in the English Department. Linda previously served as Town Manager in Fairfax (2006-2008), City Manager in Sonoma (2008-2012), and Town Manager in Windsor (2012-2017). Linda also previously held positions in Atherton, Sunnyvale, Long Beach, Whittier, La Puente and Pasadena. John Shirey was in Long Beach February 8 at the invitation of ICMA to be presented a Life Membership at the Board of Directors dinner that evening. Jim Hankla was honored with his Life Membership, as well. Several members of the old Long Beach team were invited and attended. (Unfortunately, John Dever was unable to come at the last minute.) John says that it was a fun evening! Elk Grove City Manager Jason Behrmann, who succeeded City Manager Laura Gill who left in May, Jason previously worked for the City of Galt for more than 10-years, including 6-years as City Manager. He also had experience working for the cities of San Luis Obispo, Dublin and Bloomington, Indiana. He was hired in Elk Grove in 2015 at Assistant City Manager. Jason earned a BA from Brigham Young University, and a Master’s in public affairs from Indiana University. Retired La Mirada City Manager Gary Sloan and members of his former executive team recently met for lunch as they “keep it together.” Former Assistant City Manager Jerry Winterburn, former City Clerk Marilyn Wagner, and John DiMario and his wife shared a table for lunch. Though they no longer work together they have known each other for nearly 40-years. A little bird noted that the former La Mirada colleague ran into HdL Companies executive and former City Manager Lloyd de Llamas at the restaurant.

“There is no substitute for hard work.”
—Thomas Edison
“I never went into physics or the astronaut corps to become a role model. But after my first flight, it became clear to me that I was one. And I began to understand the importance of that to people. Young girls need to see role models in whatever careers they may choose, just so they can picture themselves doing those jobs someday. You can’t be what you can’t see.”

– Sally Ride, First American woman in space

Still More Pieces Picked Up: Bruce G. Lawson was an Administrative Intern in Tulare and San Mateo in 1964-1966. Bruce served as an Administrative Assistant in Placentia in 1966-1968, and then became Assistant City Manager in Corvallis, Oregon (1968-1971), and then Assistant City Manager in Belmont (1973-1973) became the City Manager in Los Altos Hills (1973—1974), and then City Manager in Belvedere (1974-1976). Bruce earned a BA from San Francisco State College, an MPA from California State University, Fullerton, and a PhD from Golden Gate University.

SHORTS: *Former Menifee City Manager Rob Johnson is the City Manager in San Jacinto. *Adelanto City Manager Jessie Flores, who has been on Administrative Leave, has been reinstated on a 3-2 vote. *Annabelle H. Aguilar is a Senior Management Analyst and City Clerk in the City of Riverbank, and in 2010, while a Deputy City Clerk, Annabelle was loaned to the City of Hughson to serve as Interim City Clerk for three-months. *Christian Christiansen was the City Manager in Desert Hot Springs 1978 before he became the City Manager in Redlands. *Fontana Deputy City Manager David Edgar is retiring at the end of March after more than 24-years with the city. *Addressing homeless use of City Hall, Sacramento will now prohibit people from sitting or lying down on City Hall property between the hours of 6 a.m. and 9 p.m., Monday through Friday. *South El Monte City Manager Jennifer Vasquez served as the Bradbury City Manager between March, 2006 and February, 2008. *Duarte Deputy City Manager Karen Herrera earned an MPA from California State University, Long Beach and a BA in communications from California State University, Fullerton. *Former Oceanside Finance Department official Carey Bryce has been appointed Internal Auditor in the City of Columbia, Missouri. *Members of the Carson City Council are in the process of recruiting for a new City Manager since City Manager Ken Farfsing resigned in December. *Former Artesia City Manager Jim Barisic, who served as an Administrative Intern in Paramount before serving in Vietnam with the U.S. Army, founded Brandywine Homes in 1994. *Jill R. Ingram has served as the City Manager in the City of Seal Beach since July 1, 2011. *Vallejo Assistant City Manager Anne Cardwell came to the city in December, 2018 after serving as the Assistant City Manager in Martinez starting in September, 2016. *Retired Monterey City Manager Fred Meurer is the Interim City Administrator in Sand City.

Part of the coast line along the Palos Verdes Peninsula.

A Mark Ochenduszko picture taken in Cuba.

“Analytics are part of the game and I had to adapt. I wanted to find out more on how we can help the players on the field be better and help the team win.” – Brad Ausmus, new Angels Manager and resident of the City of Del Mar.