



## Winter 2024 Newsletter

Make 2024 a Green New Year! Together, we can make Culver City more sustainable and a better place to live.



### Put Your Waste to Work

Are you a landscaper or work at a multi-family dwelling? Don't throw away your organic waste! Garden waste, lawn clippings, and food scraps should be placed in the green cart or composted. A little effort goes a long way!

### Plant Sustainable Roots Today

You got a green thumb? Let's make it even greener! Swap pesticides for compost. Mix compost with topsoil or another gardening fill to help plants thrive. For best growing results, a 60/40 split (60% topsoil and 40% compost) is recommended.



### Upcoming E-Waste Collection & Paper Shredding Event

Dispose of your old electronics in a socially and ecologically responsible way on Saturday, February 10, 2024 from 09:00 AM - 01:00 PM. Drive up, drop off, and drive away...we'll remove the items from your car.

### And the Winner is...Culver City!

Culver City won American Public Works Association's BEST award for the Mesmer Low Flow Diversion Project. This project improves water quality by capturing dry-weather runoff from Centinela Creek and diverts the water to Hyperion Water Reclamation Plant to reuse as recycled water.



### Party Like There's No Tomorrow

Culver City Public Works is practicing what we preach. We hosted a Zero Waste holiday party with reusable utensils, dishware, and drinkware. The party demonstrated that joyful occasions can be both festive and environmentally conscious. This year, let's strive to minimize our ecological footprint and promote sustainable lifestyles.

### Your Input is Important!

The City needs your feedback on the Syd Kronenthal Park Stormwater Capture project! The goal of the project is to create a water storage system below the park ballfields. Click on the button below for a short and simple survey to let us know how the collected water should be used.



[Take our short survey!](#)



### Save the Date: SB1383 Virtual Meeting for Multi-Family Buildings

Scan or click the QR code to sign up for a virtual meeting on March 5, 2024 to discuss the City's Organics Recycling program for multi-family dwellings! Want to represent your property? Send an email to [sustainability@culvercity.org](mailto:sustainability@culvercity.org) and let us know!

### Employee Spotlight

#### Richard Smith

**Job Motivation** – Taking care of my family

**Favorite thing about Culver City** – Easy access and small, friendly city that has a strong impact

**Comfort meal** – Chef salad

**Hero/Heroine** – My dad



#### Francisco Olague

**Job Motivation** – Satisfied customers

**Favorite thing about Culver City** – Beautiful city with clean streets

**Comfort meal** – Juicy cheeseburger

**Hero/Heroine** – My parents (taught me to work hard)



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