

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT RECOGNITION

City Council May 23, 2023

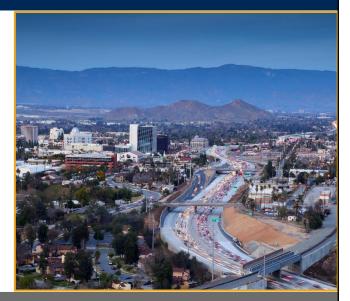
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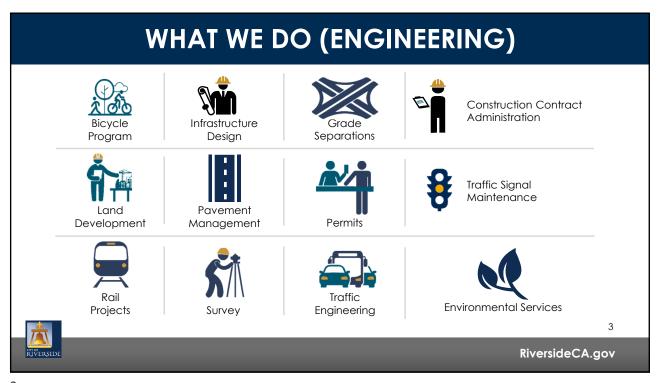
OUR MISSION

To enhance the quality of life for City residents and businesses by operating and maintaining the City's streets, trees, landscape, wastewater, storm drain and refuse systems in the most effective, efficient, and responsible manner.

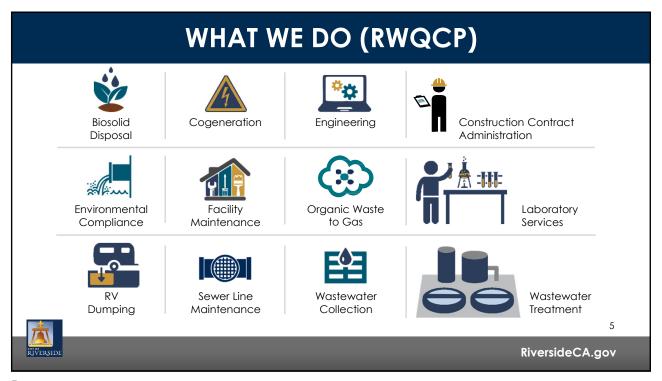




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KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS (2022)

- 1,014 Permits Issued with a 97% Positive Rating for in-person visits (for all OSS)
- Applied for, and received, over \$20M in Active Transportation & Traffic Safety Grants
- FY 22/23 Pavement Management Program will impact 70.1 miles of roadways
- 127,377 SF potholes repaired
- Addressed 2,560 illegal dumping complaints
- With additional Measure Z funds, improved frequency of tree trimming & planted more trees
- 4,088 Environmental Compliance inspections
- Conducted 58,149 lab analyses at the RWQCP



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NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK (MAY 21-27)



'Public works is the thread that connects us all, no matter where we live in the world. Every public works professional strives to improve the quality of life for the community they serve, leading to healthier, happier communities. Join us in celebrating the quiet work these professionals do that makes life better for all of us.'

- American Public Works Association

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PARKING SERVICES DIVISION



WHAT THEY DO

- Oversee the enforcement and operation of 5 parking garages, 14 surface lots, and 1,263 on-street metered spaces.
- Adopted new Parking Rates and Hours Schedule
- Responded to 2,009 calls for service, serviced 888 front counter customers and addressed 1,454 abandoned vehicles.

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WASTEWATER & SIDEWALK INFRASTRUCTURE DIVISION



WHAT THEY DO

- Help Maintain 800 miles of sewer pipes, 16500 sewer manholes, 77,750 laterals, and 19 sewer lift stations.
- Prepare plans to repair, construct, and seek grant funds for sidewalk improvements.
- Managing the Adams Street at SR-91 Interchange Project

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DEPARTMENT SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS

CUSTOMER SERVICE AWARD

SAFETY AWARD



Katie Beridon



Matt Sanderson

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PUBLIC WORKS PARTNER OF THE YEAR

Public Works is pleased to present its inaugural "Partner of the Year" award to Deputy City Attorney II **Ruthann Salera**. Ruthann has provided years of support to the Public Works Department, and **played a critical role in major Public Works efforts** including: Solid Waste contracts and rate setting, Transportation Board, the Riverside PACT, and much more. Ruthann cares deeply about the impact her legal work has on the Department and our City's residents.



Ruthann Salera

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RECOMMENDATION

That the City Council receive and file this report and presentation.

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