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METRO HONOR ROLL - Class of 2006

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Congratulations, Class of 2006! The years, hours and late nights of study you have dedicated to reaching your goal of graduation all now seem worthwhile and you can celebrate! You and your families those who supported you over the years - also can take pride in your accomplishment. Trust in the skills you have acquired and the foundation you have laid for your future. Celebrate your achievement. You have truly earned it.

-- Roger Snoble, CEO

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Arcadio Alvarez, son of Rail Operator Ramon Alvarez, graduated from the California Culinary Institute with an AA in the Le Cordon Bleu program.

Veronica S. Alvarez, daughter of Bus Operator Manuel Alvarez, graduated from Warren High School, Downey.

Maureen E. Andrade, daughter of Rail Operator Gladis E. Nuila, graduated from Mt. San Antonio College with an AA, Psychology, honor roll student.

Yasmeen I Andrade, daughter of Rail Operator Gladis E. Nuila, graduated from Walnut High School, "Best of the Best" National award.

Jennifer Angulo, daughter of Bus Operator Carlos Angulo, graduated from Citrus College with an AS in Social Behavior Sciences and an AA in Cosmetology.

Karla Angulo, daughter of Bus Operator Carlos Angulo, graduated from Cal Poly Pomona with a BA in Communications.

Angela Arreola, daughter of Master Mechanic Albert Arreola Semadeni, graduated from Etiwanda High School, Cum Laude Society, Golden State Seal Merit Diploma, GPA Academic Honors.

Brian Astredo, son of Fleet Management and Support Services Manager Patrick Astredo, graduated from Loyola Marymount University with a BA in Communications.

Patrick Astredo, Fleet Management and Support Services Manager, graduated from the University of Phoenix with a BA in Business, Magna Cum Laude.

Angelo Atienza, son of Management Audit Services Senior Auditor Willie Atienza, graduated from Don Bosco College of Science and Technology with an AS, Power and Transportation, First honors, second in class.

John Phillip Autry, II, son of Storekeeper John Autry, Sr., graduated from Fairfax High School.

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Maria E. Barbosa, daughter of Mechanic "A" Jose A. Barbosa, graduated from Norwalk High School.

Maribel E. Barbosa, daughter of Mechanic "A" Jose A. Barbosa, graduated from Norwalk High School.

Brooklyn Beckwith, daughter of Bus Operator Veronica Beckwith, graduated from Victor Valley High School, Honor Roll student, College Bound program scholar.

Joel O'Neal Bell, son of San Gabriel Valley Sector Service Director Delandrea McDaniels, graduated from Wilmer Amina Carter High School.

Wayne Bryant Bergeron, Administrative Analyst, graduated from University of Redlands with an MA in Management, Whitehead Leadership Society.

Nicholas Blake, son of Service Performance Schedule Checker Holly Blake, graduated from CSU Fullerton with a BA in Psychology.

Ri'Nesha Blue, daughter of Bus Operator Shemika Blue, graduated from Norwalk High School.

Danielle Boutier, Director, Communication Services, graduated from USC with an MA in Communication Management.

Bridget Nicole Bozeman, daughter of Benefits Technician Brenda Bozeman, graduated from Junipero Serra High School in Gardena.

Barbara Burns, Assistant Manager, Transit Safety Education, Community Relations, graduated from CSU Los Angeles with an MS in Public Administration, with honors.

Cindy Butalia, Customer Information Agent, graduated from CSU Los Angeles with a BA in Liberal Studies.

Martha Butler, Transportation Planning Manager IV, graduated from CSU Los Angeles with an MS in Public Administration.

Tara Butler, daughter of Transportation Planning Manager IV Martha Butler, graduated from UC San Diego.

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Ana Luisa Katigbak Cabrales, daughter of Accounting Supervisor Sonny Cabrales, graduated from Rio Hondo College with a BS in Nursing, College Scholar.

Phillip Cano, son of Service Attendant Cheryl Rakisits, graduated from Crescenta Valley High School in La Crescenta.

Eddie Martin Carter, son of Bus Operator Venetta A. Carter, graduated from California Tech High School.

Casey D. Cervantes, daughter of Rail Transportation Operations Supervisor Esperanza Diosdado, graduated from Glendora High School.

Ricardo J. Chairez, son of Pension and Benefits Technician Rudy Chairez, graduated from Alta Loma High School in Rancho Cucamunga.

Michele Chau, Recording Secretary, Board Administration, graduated from CSU Long Beach with a Masters of Public Policy/Administration, Outstanding Graduate Student Award, 4.0 GPA Award.

Bianca Suzanne Collins, daughter of Procurement Purchase Contract Manager Brian J. Collins, graduated from Chaminade College Preparatory in West Hills.

Angela B. Cox, daughter of Acting TOS Richard D. Cox, graduated from Westchester High School.

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Christopher Dames, son of Deputy Executive Officer Roger F. Dames, graduated from Massachusets Institute of Technology with a Ph.D in Mechanical Engineering.

Molly Dames, daughter of Deputy Executive Officer Roger F. Dames, graduated from UC Santa Cruz with a Masters of Education.

Britney Daniels, daughter of Rail TOS Joe Daniels and Schedule Checker Cheron Anthony, graduated from Taft High School in Woodland Hills, Honor Roll.

Nicole Day, daughter of RFS Supervisor Ronald Green, graduated from Richard Gar High School in Cerritos, High Honors, Cerritos College Honors Society, Who's Who of American High School Students, full scholarship to UC Berkeley.

Grace C. De Guzman, daughter of Senior Accountant Silverio A. De Guzman, Jr., graduated from UC San Diego with an MD in Emergency Medicine.

Angelica Diana DePompa, daughter of Office of the CEO Executive Secretary Rubi DePompa, graduated from Schurr High School in Montebello.

Brian Christopher Dominguez, son of Senior Real Estate Officer Diane Dominguez, graduated from Don Bosco Technical Institute and High School.

Brian Anthony Douglas, son of Senior Risk Analyst Bill Douglas, graduated from Monrovia High School.

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E

Angelo Erese, Financial Analyst, Treasury, graduated from University of La Verne with an MBA in Finance and International Business.

Albert Escarcega, Digital Systems Technician, ITS, graduated from Azusa Pacific University with a BS in Computer Information Systems.

Lisa Marie Esquivel, daughter of Operations Central Instruction TOS Brenda Esquivel, graduated from Azuza Pacific University with a BA in Human Development.

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F

Alexis T. Fenderson, daughter of Bus Operator Stephanie Rhodes, graduated from Antelope Valley College with an AA in Liberal Arts.

Weihua Feng, Research and Development Intern, graduated from USC with an MA in Public Administration.

Timothy Finn, son of Gateway Cities Service Sector Administrative Analyst Donna Finn, graduated from Cal Poly Pomona with an MA in Urban and Regional Planning.

Karen Fitzgerrell, daughter of Maintenance Specialist Bruce Fitzgerrell, graduated from St. Bernard High School in Playa Del Rey, President's Education Award, Diploma with Honors, UC Riverside Honors Program.

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Oscar Gamboa, Jr., son of Equipment Records Specialist Oscar C. Gamboa, Sr., graduated from the Los Angeles Police Academy.

Autumn Gayles, daughter of Equipment Maintenance Supervisor Ernest Gayles, graduated from Pasadena High School.

Stephean Gayles, son of Equipment Maintenance Supervisor Ernest Gayles, graduated from Palmdale High School.

Phillip Michael Garcia, son of Bus Operators Phil Garcia and Judy Garcia, graduated from Schurr High School in Montebello.

Ryan Gephart, son of Regional Transit Planning Director Rex Gephart, graduated from Yale University with an MS in Computer Science and Economics, Magna Cum Laude.

Ryan Anthony Griffen, son of Maintenance Instructor Darryl Griffen, graduated from Montebello High School.

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Angela Therese Guevara, daughter of Payroll Clerk Edwin Guevara, graduated from Cal Poly Pomona with a BS in Business Administration, Finance Real Estate and Business Law.

Carla Therese Guevara, daughter of Payroll Clerk Edwin Guevara, graduated from Holy Family High School.

Gabriel Guillen, Bus Operator, graduated from UCLA with a BA in Sociology.

Angelina Cristine Guiterrez, daughter of Materiel Supervisor Dino Gutierrez, graduated from Nogales High School.

Noah Dino Gutierrez, son of Materiel Supervisor Dino Gutierrez, graduated from UCLA with a BA in Anthropology.

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Adrienne Higbee, daughter of Bus Operator Robert Higbee, graduated from Moorpark College High School. **Marcia A. Howard**, daughter of Bus Operator Lourdes M. Pagan, graduated from Paramount High School.

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Kelley Jackson, Administrative Intern, Research and Development, graduated from UCLA with an MA in Urban Planning.

Tom Jasmin, Director, Bus Operations Control, graduated from CSU Los Angeles with an MS in Public Administration.

Amy Vanessa Jimenez, daughter of Bus Operator Gabriel Jimenez, graduated from San Gabriel Mission High School, National Honor Society, Service Leadership award.

Gregory L. Johnson, son of Service Attendant Leader Karen L. Hall, graduated from UCLA with a BA in African-American Studies.

Donte Lamar Jones, son of Bus Operator Sonja Jones, graduated from Gardena High School.

Paula J. Jurado, Administrative Intern, Diversity and Economic Opportunity and daughter of TOS Martin Jurado and TOS Fransica Montes-Jurado, graduated from CSU Long Beach with a BA in Anthropology.

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Jenna Kachour, Administrative Intern, Central Area Team, graduated from USC with a BS in Policy, Management and Planning, Dean's Letter of Merit, Presidential Scholar, Town and Gown Scholar.

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L

Courtney Lancton, daughter of Risk Management Administrative Aide Bernadette Wesley, graduated from John Muir High School in Pasadena.

Jeanette C. Lee, daughter of Rail Operator Michael E. Lee, graduated from Lancaster High School.

Michael E. Lee, Jr., son of Rail Operator Michael E. Lee, graduated from Grizzly Youth Academy.

Anna Lonyai, daughter of Maintenance Manager Frank Lonyai, graduated from Harvard University with a BA in Neurobiology, Magna Cum Laude.

Christopher I an Lopez, son of Procurement Contract Administrator Leonardo M. Lopez, graduated from UCLA with a BS in Biochemistry.

Denise C. Lozano, daughter of Mechanic "A" Jaime D. Lozano, graduated from West Covina High School, Honor Roll student.

Diane Ly, daughter of Electronic Communications Technician Buu Ngoc Ly, graduated from UC Riverside with a BS in Business Administration.

John Ly, son of Service Attendant Leader Van Ly, graduated from UC Davis with an MA in Law.

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M

Ayisha Macias, daughter of Facilities Maintenance Supervisor Isabel Sanchez, graduated from UCLA with a BA in History.

Heaven Leigh Maddox, daughter of Logistics Receiving Clerk Anthony P. Maddox, graduated from Wilson High School, San Luis Obispo.

Terry Martin, son of Equiptment Records Specialist Les Candler-Martin, graduated from Long Beach Polytechnic High School.

James P. Martinez, son of Weld Shop Leadman Phil Martinez, graduated from UC Riverside with a BA in Political Science.

Alex Matias, son of Human Resources Supervisor Emily Matias, graduated from Quartz Hill High School, Valedictorian.

Justin McWhorter, son of Revenue Senior Supervisor Beverly Williams, graduated from Rialto High School, AVID.

Jessica Meaney, Administrative Intern, Customer Programs and Services, graduated from CSU Long Beach with an MS in Urban Sociology.

Melody Yolanda Medina, daughter of Mopper/Waxer Yolanda Becerra, graduated from CSU Los Angeles with a BA in Criminal Justice.

Marc R. Mendoza, son of Senior Administrative Analyst Annette Mendoza, graduated from Canyon High School in Anaheim.

Oscar O. Mendoza, Jr., son of Mail Carrier Oscar O. Mendoza, Sr., graduated from Monroe High School in North Hills.

Sarah D. Mills, daughter of Assistant Treasurer Donna R. Mills, graduated from Harvard-Westlake High School in North Hollywood, National Merit Scholar.

Ashley Molina, Administrative Intern, Community Relations, graduated from USC with BA in International Relations and a BS in Public Policy, Management and Planning.

Caroline Moreno, daughter of Rail TOS Hector Moreno, graduated from Gahr High School in Cerritos.

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Corey James Newman, son of Non-Revenue Rail Mechanic James Newman, graduated from Cresenta Valley High in La Cresenta, John Phillip Sousa Award, Community Service Award.

James Nicasio, son of Controller Josie Nicasio, graduated from Loyola High School.



Michelle Lauren Ortiz, daughter of Executive Secretary Margarita Ortiz, graduated from Cal Poly Pomona with a BA, International Business, and a BA, Marketing.



Edward R. Perez, son of Bus Operator Eduardo A. Perez, graduated from UC Riverside with a BA in Political Science.

Stephanie R. Perez, daughter of Bus Operator Eduardo A. Perez, graduated from UC Riverside with a BA in Mathematics.

Jessica N. Portis, daughter of Service Attendant Darrell Portis, graduated from Garey High School in Pomona.

Kathleen Prater, daughter of Customer Information Agent Diana Prater, graduated from Granada Hills Charter School, Honor Roll.

Shawnita C. Preyer, daughter of Bus Operator Estralletta Wilson, graduated from CSU Northridge with a BS in Biology, Dean's List.

Michael Aaron Price, son of Senior Communications Officer Yvonne Price, graduated from Los Alamitos High School.

Elizabeth Pulido, Administrative Intern, Contract Compliance, Diversity & Economic Opportunity, graduated from Loyola Marymount University with a BA in Sociology, Outstanding Service Medal for Mock Trail.

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Marisa Quintanar, daughter of Los Angeles City Fire Dept. Battalion Chief John L. Quintanar, graduated from University of Massachusetts at Amhearst with a BA in English, Cum Laude.



Martin Reyes, son of Bus Operator Gloria Arzu, graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School in Los Angeles.

Maria E. Rodriguez, wife of Mechanic A Leader Johnny Rodriguez, graduated from Cerritos Community College with an AA in pharmacy technology.

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Clarissa A. Salazar, daughter of Bus Operator Lorena Arellano, graduated from Garfield High School.

Joel Sanchez, husband of Human Resources Employment Services Clerk Leticia L. Felix-Sanchez, graduated from Pasadena City College with an AS in Radiology.

Leticia L. Felix-Sanchez, Human Resources Employment Services Clerk graduated from Cal Poly Pomona with a BS in Human Resources.

Nicholas Alexander Sanchez, son of ITS Senior Secretary Rose Ann Sanchez, graduated from Mt. San Antonio College with an AA in Natural Sciences and an AA in Social Behavior Science, Alpha Gama Sigma, Phi Theta Kapa, National Society of Honors Program.

Sherwin Sanchez, son of Mechanic "A" Jesus Sanchez, graduated from Cal Poly Pomona High School.

Corinne L. Santos, daughter of Senior Accountant Danny A. Santos, graduated from UCLA as an MSN, Family Nurse Practitioner.

Kosala Seneviratne, daughter of Bus Operator Srilal Seneviratne, graduated from CSU Northridge with a BSC in Accountancy/Business Administration.

Joshua David Serrano, son of Non-Revenue Rail Mechanic Leader Roger Serrano, graduated from Diamond Bar High School.

Peter Brian Serrano, Jr., son of Accountant Peter Serrano, Sr., graduated from South Pasadena High School.

Jennifer Shelburne, daughter of Rail Service Development Manager Bruce Shelburne, graduated from CSU Channel Islands with a BA in Liberal Studies, Cum Laude, Program Honors, Liberal Studies Department.

Christopher Scott Shelton, son of Passenger Relations Representative Monica Macon, graduated from Fairfax High School.

Ashley Gladys Sheppard, daughter of TOS Jural J. Sheppard, graduated from Orville Wright High School in Los Angeles.

Amy Shimamoto, daughter of Mechanic "A" Glenn Shimamoto, graduated from Schurr High School in Montebello.

Anthony Simiele, Mechanic "A", graduated from CSU Bakersfield with a BS in Economics.

Denise Marie Silva, daughter of Executive Secretary Elizabeth Silva, graduated from UCLA with a BA in Political Science.

Reina V. Slutske, Communications Intern, graduated from CSU Fullerton with a BA in Communications, Golden Key Honors Society.

Damian C. Spells, daughter of Administration and Financial Services Manager Myrine White, graduated from Pacific Lutheran High School in Torrance.

David Sutton, Jr., son of Director of Metro Commute Services David Sutton, Sr., graduated from Brethren Christian High School in Huntington Beach.

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T

John Tena, son of Service Attendant Frances Hammond, graduated from Cerritos College with an AA in Electronics, High Honors.

Ron Michael Terrazas, son of Property Maintainer A Leader Ronny E. Terrazas, graduated from Don Bosco Technical Institute with an AS in Power and Transportation.

Andrew Trujillo, son of TOS Gabriela Higueros, graduated from Gamesha High School in Pomona, Superior Cadet Award and Purple Heart in Leadership, JROTC.

Pamela Tu, daughter of Transportation Planning Manager III Kathy Banh, graduated from Arcadia High School.

Andrey Tucker-Wells, son of Bus Operator Jimmy Sullivan, graduated from Wilson High School.

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George A. Vargas, son of Mecharic Leader Julio Vargas, graduated from Lancaster High School.



Sarah R. Wielandt, daughter of Procurement Buyer Henry J. Wielandt, graduated from South Hills High School in Covina, All-League Scholar, President's Outstanding Academic Achievement Award.

Larry Willis, husband of Facilities Engineering/Maintenance Analyst Renee C. Willis, graduated from Azusa Pacific University with an MA in Education.

Sarah Winfrey, Communications Intern, graduated from Cal State

Fullerton with a BA in Communications.

Victoria Woods-Jenkins, Senior Community Relations Officer, graduated with an MA in Organizational Management.

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Zhefei Xiong, Administrative Intern, Diversity and Economic Opportunity Department, graduated from USC with a Masters in Planning.

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Jonathan Peter Yanez, son of Mechanic "A" Leadman Pete Yanez, graduated from El Rancho High School.

Durwood Yee, Stops and Zones Supervisor, graduated from CSU Los Angeles with an MS in Public Administration.

Lisa Patricia Hawk Young, daughter of Office of Board Secretary Administrative Aide Joanne Harper, graduated from Woodbury University with an MBA in Finance.

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Thomas Zhao, Engineer, Rail Fleet Services, graduated from Cal Poly Pomona with an MBA in Management.

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