



## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RAPID TRANSIT DISTRICT



REELECTED—Los Angeles attorney Thomas G. Neusom (left) congratulates Dr. Norman Topping as the two men were reelected for another term to head the District's Board of Directors.

### Topping and Neusom Reelected to Head RTD Board

Dr. Norman Topping, president of RTD, and Thomas G. Neusom, vice-president, were unanimously reelected for another term by their fellow Directors Tuesday (March 7).

The reelection marked Neusom's third term as vice president.

Topping, an appointee to the Board by Mayor Sam Yorty, has been with the District since 1964. Long an advocate of

improved public transportation in the Los Angeles area, Dr. Topping is chancellor and former president of the University of Southern California.

A Los Angeles attorney, Neusom was appointed to the Board in 1969 by Supervisor Kenneth Hahn and is a former member of the County's Assessment Appeals Board.

## Bus Service Resumes Throughout District As Mechanic Strike Ends

For the first time in seven days the cold engines of 1,511 RTD buses roared to life.

At precisely 3:11 a.m. Monday, March 6, RTD Operator C. W. Brumwell pulled freshly washed and newly serviced Bus 2106 off the line at Division 2 and line 47 was back in operation.

District buses went out of service at 12:01 a.m. the previous Monday when 650 RTD mechanics went out on strike. Bus operators honored their picket line and Extracar service ended in the District's four-county operating area.

### 753 Operators To Receive Safe Driving Awards

Seven hundred and fifty-three RTD Operators will receive National Safety Council safe driving pins for the second phase of RTD's 1971 safety program.

Among the recipients are five operators who have driven for 27 years without a chargeable accident — fourteen operators have 26 year "pins" and 235 operators have pins covering between 20 and 25 years of safe driving.

The operators eligible to wear the 27 year pins are: Vernon C. Engle, Oscar F. Johnson and Robert W. Steedman of Division 9; David B. White of Division 10; and Edwin H. Bowles of Division 18. Each of these men have driven 27 years without a chargeable accident and are among a very select few throughout the United States eligible to wear that pin.

"Presentation of the safe driving pins will take place after completion of our annual system shake-up which is currently underway," remarked Max L. Rise, general superintendent of transportation. "I have sent the list of Operators eligible for awards to the National Safety Council, each pin will note the years the operator has driven without a chargeable accident. As soon as the pins are received, a week will be selected during which time we'll present the pins to the operators."

Twice yearly RTD presents safe driving awards to its operators. The first phase took place during the week of September 27 through October 1 and covered the period from January 1 to June 30. At that time 817 "pins" were given out. The second phase covers the period from July 1 to December 31 and 753 Operators will be receiving awards for that time. A total

A new labor contract covering the mechanics was ratified Saturday, March 4, and approved by RTD Directors. On Sunday, March 5, mechanics began to ready the District's 1,511 buses for Monday's start of operations.

The ratified agreement provides for:

- A 33-month contract retroactive to September 1, 1971.
- Pay increases of 5½% retroactive to September 1, 1971, again on September 1, 1972, and on September 1, 1973.
- A cost-of-living clause, effective March 1, 1972.
- Expanded vacation benefits.
- Increased District contributions to the health and welfare fund — from \$33.17 to \$48.17 per month per employee over the period of the contract.

RTD General Manager Jack R. Gilstrap said "The new contract is fair to the employees and equitable to the transit riders and the taxpayers of the District whose money supports this public agency."

Certain terms of the contract, he said, go slightly beyond the recommendations of the Governor's Fact-Finding Commission, which had earlier entered the dispute between the District and the ATU.

"However," he continued, "since the contract is on the basis of 33 months instead of two years as proposed by the Commission, we believe the overall settlement is within the framework of the Commission's recommendations."

"Of particular significance is the agreement by labor and management to hold to the 5.5% wage increase per year which was a key recommendation of the Commission and which is the wage guideline of the President's Wage and Price Control Board."

Increased costs of the contract can be met without a fare

### \$9 Billion Housing Bill Has Provision For Rapid Transit

A \$9 billion housing bill approved by the U.S. Senate March 3 contains provisions for subsidizing mass transit operating deficits. The bill contains an amendment by Senator Jacob Javitz (D-New York) for \$400 million a year, for two years, for transit subsidies.

In addition, transit is put on a parity with highways with the grant ratio established on a 90-10 basis, rather than ¾. The Bill, S. 3245, must still be approved by the House of Representatives.

RTD General Manager Jack R. Gilstrap joined other transit officials in testifying in Washington in late February on the need for the legislation and wired Senators Cranston and Tunney seeking their support of the measure.

### Park-Ride Facility Growing Steadily

The number of passholders at RTD's Convention Center Park-Ride facility has been increasing at a steady pace as additional tenants occupy the Arco Plaza complex.

With the move of the law firm of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher and additional Bank of America employees last month, the number of passholders increased from 275 to 336. The major participant in the program, according to Charley Haudenschild, RTD's deputy administrator-planning and real estate, is the Bank of America with 185 passholders.

"Other major participants," he continued, "include the Atlantic Richfield Company and the firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Company."

### L.A. City Council To Use SB325 Funds For Rapid Transit

On Thursday of last week (March 3), the Los Angeles City Council voted to impound the city's revenues from Senate Bill 325.

In taking the action, the Council spelled out its willingness to contribute \$4 million over the next 10 years for rapid transit development, provided federal matching funds are forthcoming and the line priorities are agreeable.

The city will join the District in seeking federal funds for a technical grant to determine the financial feasibility and priority development of the first-stage rapid transit construction.

**Give Blood**

## Safety Awards

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of 1,570 safe driving pins will be awarded to operators for 1971.

Operators receiving safe driving awards during the second phase of the 1971 program are listed below in alphabetical order, by divisions and with the number of safe driving years in parenthesis behind their name.

### Division 1

Heriberto C. Alvarez (1); Stanley R. Anstine (19); Kenneth M. Austin (2); Lamar Ball (4); Fernando Basulto (1); Charles J. Bearden (1); B. Bilbrew (1); Threartis E. Blue (1); Alvaro Bolands (1); Greg R. Bowman (1); Charles E. Burt, Jr. (7); Louie H. Castro (19); William Chandler (4); Carlos Conejo (4); Elizar Contreras (2); Thomas Copeland (10); David L. Cruz (8); Robert S. Daniels (4); Raymond A. Debrano (16); Dennis W. Dietz (4); Alfred E. Fant (4); Thomas Fulton (2); Wayne W. Galewski (4); Walter K. Garvin (2); Gilbert V. Gutierrez (5); George Herrera (14); Thomas Jackson (1); Winfield Jeans (4); Harold F. Johnson (9); Wilmer E. Johnson (2); Albert Judson (7); Jack M. Lyddiard (26); Monrow Mabon (2); Joseph K. Macek (3); Lionel Manuel (6); Conrad L. Mason (7); Robert McDonald (1); James P. McGranor (11); Paul L. McMillian (12); Willie R. Moore (15); Charles M. Mora (17); James A. Phelps (25); Apolinar E. Pimentel (1); Charles Ross (1); Joseph L. Rucker (7); Encarnacion V. Santos (23); Jerry Schroeder (1); John B. Sholander (20); James P. Stovall (1); Alfonso G. Vejar (17); Wolfgang Weichert (17); Leonard W. Wilkes (4); Charles R. Williams (1); John E. Williams, Jr. (2); Allen W. Wooley (6).

### Division 2

Harold D. Aalgaard (10); Virgil M. Adamson (21); Wendell L. Agee (2); J. U. Aguirre (23); J. Aiken (1); Roland J. Alexander (24); E. S. Allen (1); Gilbert C. Alvarado (9); Max W. Andrew (8); Emil R. Austin (11); J. W. Bass (2); F. H. Belk (18); Joe G. Benard (2); Isaac L. Bishop (2); Wymon Brady, Jr. (2); William C. Bridgman (2); Perry Brown (22); Clarence Brumwell (23); Rafael A. Camunas (11); Berlie W. Cantrell (25); L. Cappello (23); Charles E. Cheatham (3); Robbie H. Coleman (23); Arthur Conley (10); Walter E. Copeland (2); Kermit G. Crownover (24); Francis T. Davie (10); Mark H. Dawson (4); Dewitt Duke (11); Ed S. Estrada (11); Billy J. Evans (9); E. F. Finley (2); Walter M. Flewellen (10); Theodore Ford, Jr. (2); Lawless Gibson, Jr. (3); Carl G. Gliottone (22); Theodore D. Greene (7); Ros-sie T. Gregory (3); Jose D. Gutierrez (2); James B. Haining (9); Lyle M. Hamilton (22); Fred W. Happel (26); Joe N. Harbor (3); Leon Harrison

(4); Roy L. Hayes (17); Earl J. Hennessey (10); Percy B. Hill (19); Harold W. Hopkins (2); James Hunter (10); Paul E. Johnson (8); Walter C. Johnson (6); Johnnie L. Johnson (3); Charles A. Johnson (2); H. Johnson (1); James W. Jones (9); Clyde E. Jordan (1); Dexter V. Kern (8); John H. Kosman (7); Lyle J. Lampshire (24); Alfred H. Lester (18); Everett E. Lewis (2); Horace Lewis (1); Konstantine M. Lucas (2); Owen Malone (5); Frank J. Medvedik (15); H. Mendoza (1); Edward L. Messner (10); L. J. Morris (21); Shepperd Mouldin (2); Samuel Myers (5); William R. Parent (1); Thomas E. Paris (1); Lawrence P. Parker (7); T. H. Patrick (1); William Payton III (9); Joseph Pencak (19); T. Perry, Jr. (3); John H. Phelps (2); Donnell Reed (21); Johnnie J. Reubin (4); Isiah Robinson (7); Samuel Rogers, Jr. (1); Gilbert D. Romero (1); William T. Ryan (1); Alfonso Serrano (2); C. J. Shaw (13); Robert L. Shelton (2); Cleveland Simongton (14); John W. Simmons (1); A. G. Smith (1); Eric H. Smith (8); Jeff Spivey (2); William E. Steers (12); Paul Stephens (2); Leon Stevenson (1); Althonia Stokes (2); Charles M. Sugarman (5); Paul E. Taylor (5); M. M. Taylor (1); Alex Thomas (2); Mark Thompson (24); Frank E. Thompson (4); Jessie K. Tolbert (2); Steven B. Wade (2); Thomas E. Walls (11); L. G. Warren (21); Theodore Wedlow (16); Cecil L. Williams (2); Ivory C. Williams (1); Curtis J. Wyrick (3); Frank Zanotti (2).

### Division 3

Rudy Alvarez (1); Harry E. Bailey (12); Donald E. Barr (6); V. Barta (3); John W. Brewer (7); Richard L. Carbone (1); Walter R. Copithorne (25); Jean R. Decoste (7); Ignacio Delatorre (13); Robert D. Edwards (1); Clifford Ellyson (7); J. N. Fabiano (3); Gerald A. Ferguson (16); Lawrence R. Finders (24); James H. Fluellen (1); Harold G. Gardner (16); Jesus L. Gevara (14); Salvador R. Gonzalez (8); John C. Gough (10); J. N. Guckavan (1); Jethro Hassen (9); Jesse L. Hernandez (3); William O. Hicks (15); Charles E. Higgins (2); William R. Hines (2); Dayton L. Holloway (25); Alfred R. Howe (11); R. F. Jaquez (1); R. L. Jarvis (1); Louis E. Keelin (10); Lowell B. Lewis (2); Evon C. Lyons (2); John H. Moore (2); Phillip N. Plantamura (3); Raul Resendiz (2); Albert Rodriguez (2); Ralph Ruiz (3); Lazaro G. Samudio, Jr. (3); Jack E. Schluneger (14); Jose Servin (2); Robert V. Simmons (1); Paul W. Spiller (24); Harold L. Spooner (10); Bibin W. Thompson (21); Charles Walker, Jr. (16); E. J. Warburton (21); George P. Zumkley (1).

### Division 4

William D. Adkison (25); William E. Alexander (23); George N. Alexander (20);

Raymond W. Beckman (18); Buford H. Bell (1); William H. Bentley (9); James E. Bernard (11); Jack W. Blakey (13); Luther Brown (3); Quincy L. Bush (2); Leroy Carter (5); Elliott M. Chavers (1); Raymond R. Cuesta (16); Hugh E. Daniels (6); Curtis Davis, Jr. (4); Marvin M. Debrunner (23); George A. R. Douglas (2); David L. Dukes (3); Harold Fields (1); Aurelien C. Fouroux (14); Walter R. Franklin (6); Willie J. Franklin (2); James H. Fuller (14); Oscar Gibson (11); Charles H. Hagen (3); Clemand L. Harvey (9); Ronald E. Haynes (2); Lars D. Jensen (12); Samuel Johnson (1); Stanton K. Johnson (18); Charles A. Johnson (6); Horace L. Johnson (3); Gilbert Johnson (2); L. R. Kennedy (3); Irne J. King (12); Gerald V. Lacey (2); Eugene D. Lee (11); Charles R. Mahoney (7); Richard A. McCullen (2); George A. McDaniel (9); Samuel R. Miser (20); Fleton Moore, Jr. (8); Lawrence L. Moss (15); Roandl G. Murphy (1); Keramith A. Muthleb (9); Michiaiah Pegues (8); Edmond C. Pemberton (4); R. D. Perarce (10); Roy A. Perry, Jr. (10); J. Poche (1); John F. Polaco (11); Otis R. Porche (9); Freddie E. Powers (2); Robert L. Reamer (2); Harold N. Reid (5); Lawrence A. Richards (1); Lawrence Rodgers (1); Johnnie Ruff (7); Z. D. Rutherford (2); James B. Scoggins (11); B. E. Shade (13); L. B. Sheehan (25); George B. Shinn (10); Wilmer T. Shumake (7); Bruce R. Smith (11); Calvin W. Smith (6); Floyd J. Smith (5); J. I. Smith (1); Wilfred D. Smith (1); Lonnie Stanberry, Jr. (1); Harry Standberry (10); Billy J. Thomas (1); W. D. Thompson (19); Jimmy L. Tucker (1); Hugh P. Van Patten (23); John W. Walth (6); Ralph R. Washington (2); Roandl E. Wells (2); James P. Wendruck (17); Ralph Wilson (4); Sam Wolfe (2).

### Division 5

William H. Anderson (3); Donald L. Anderson (2); K. C. Badon (1); Ernest G. Bailey (2); Bennie L. Baker (1); William A. Ballard (1); Emmett R. Bell (19); Sam L. Bell (13); Jake L. Billinger (2); Claude H. Brown (4); Willie L. Brown (11); Willie A. Brown (1); Odell Carter (2); Herbert Ceasar (1); Lavelle Conley, Jr. (3); Joseph N. Crawford (10); Lee R. Criss (2); John H. Dunn (18); Herman V. Edwards (15); Clifford Ellison (2); Robert M. Fitzpatrick (3); Robert L. Foreman (2); Charles E. Glover (5); Willie J. Greene (10); Robert L. Greer (7); Sterling Hampton (3); Raymond C. Johnson (21); Howard M. Johnson (19); Willie J. Kelson (5); Roger J. Lightell (2); Frank K. Lilley (24); Hamilton Lynum (12); Charles L. Malone, Jr. (1); Richard C. Maye (11); Ernest B. McCarns (12); Willie McCoy (10); Albert J. McKnight (4); Lawrence O. Mitchell (2);

Napolian Parker (1); Harry A. Payne (5); Isam Pegues (4); Charles F. Powell (3); Riley O. Rutherford (21); Walter J. Sattiewhite (17); Raymond V. Thomas (12); Jimmie B. Thompson (2); Kermit L. Thornton (3); Edward E. Townsend (3); Hillard V. Vickers, Jr. (3); Walter A. Wadlington (5); John K. Walker (2); G. White (1); Benjamin L. Williams (2); J. S. Williams (2); Walter R. Winbush (1); Gerald T. Wrenn (3).

### Division 6

G. R. Andrade (20); Homer D. Apel (11); Hugh M. Biggs (7); Paul J. Biggs (1); Shea On Chu (1); Leroy Currie (8); Lloyd M. Carlson (11); Homer G. Eamigh (22); Bartolome Escalas (4); Robert L. Fisher (5); William J. Galloway (10); J. B. Garnett (13); A. E. Gray (13); Eddie L. Gustin (2); Roy E. Hersberger (9); K. T. Hicks (18); J. Krietzman (26); J. D. Lucas (23); Kenneth A. Mitchell (10); F. P. Nanny (20); H. J. Owens (20); William F. Perry (4); Charles L. Reece (8); Lazern V. Smith (6); Charles V. Stanley (2); James W. Stevens (10); Frank P. Tuman (4); Thomas E. Vaughn (6); Richard L. Webster (11); Zygmunt Weyna (14); Earl V. Wieringa (6); Sylvanus Williams (1).

### Division 7

James R. Aloia (1); Walter R. Ashton (14); James Austin (1); Walter Bables, Jr. (11); Eugene Barbee (10); R. E. Bennett (3); J. W. Berry (1); R. W. Bogenberger (10); Nathan H. Boyd (2); James Bradley (17); Alphonse R. Brown (14); Donald K. Brown (7); Jasper E. Bullock (3); Robert Burks, Jr. (13); Columbus Burnette (8); Walter J. Carmier (4); Jerry D. Duncan (1); William L. Emmons (2); Jack P. Farley (4); Gary A. Fisher (1); Willie J. Fontenoi (2); Salvador H. Gaitano (9); Carlos S. Garcia (2); Early Gentry, Jr. (10); Pressnell C. Gilbert (5); Robert H. Hall (4); Lon Harris, Jr. (2); Raymond E. Has-sen (8); Raymond H. Hawkins (2); Ezra Hill (6); Jordan G. Holiand (7); E. O. Holmes (12); Rufus Hudson (12); J. Ingram (11); Richard E. Jackson (2); Joseph H. Johnson (1); John W. Johnson, Jr. (1); Howard C. Lasher (17); Reginald W. Martin (10); Howard E. McDowan (3); E. E. Meek (10); John W. Menzies (8); Joe F. Oliver (2); Pink C. Rabb (20); Edward P. Reed (2); Paul R. Reed (1); Robert J. Robinson (22); Armand O. Rogers (10); M. J. Saniga (12); John R. Serrao (2); Meredith C. Sidney (1); Harry C. Simmons (2); A. J. Spizzirri (8); Max B. Stewart (25); Gordon M. Stoute (16); F. M. Strom (16); Henry L. Taylor (1); Julius S. Theisen (15); Leslie J. Thompson (2); Tyrone Tucker (3); Benny R. Turner (1); Steve R. Villalovos (2); Kenneth O. Walker (1); Francis R. Walsh (11); Clifton E. Ward (8); Anderson Washington (2); Michael O. White (2); Alton

Williams (1); John C. Williams (1); Algernon A. Wise (10); C. W. Wisler (19); Earl H. Wright (1); David Young (1).

### Division 8

Milton A. Arnold (5); Clinton A. Baden (10); R. E. Bair (15); N. P. Beauchamp (22); A. B. Bogartz (23); John H. Booth (1); Ronald Borokoff (1); J. L. Brandon (14); William E. Brolior (3); Robert C. Buchanan (4); Mercer R. Cantrell (14); Donald R. Case (8); Raymond Casis (1); W. S. Churchill (20); G. K. Copenhaver (11); John Corr (13); Alma D. Dain (9); C. B. Dark (13); John Deim (5); Ronald L. Deller (6); John A. Donovan (16); Leslie F. Douglas (22); Louis J. Edenhofer (10); Mike Estrada, Jr. (8); M. R. Farmer (13); Benny L. Fox (2); L. P. Gappae (24); S. E. Gee (22); Gene L. Gennarini (12); James T. Gleason (2); Derrel H. Green (1); E. E. Green (22); Edwin M. Haas (9); L. F. Hall (25); John J. Harrigan (5); E. B. Hughes (22); L. E. Jepsen (18); Charles R. Jenkins (2); Stephen Jessuls (20); R. E. Johnson (12); William L. Kimmey (7); Rudy K. Lang (11); E. L. Lees (11); Leonard Levy (7); Arthur S. Lloyd (5); Sally A. Mackin (12); Robert Marquardt (4); Ernest J. Marshall (6); R. H. McBride (21); R. N. McCambridge (4); George R. McKenzie (12); William C. Merola (9); R. T. Miller (12); H. J. Moberly (15); Irving Modell (10); Wayne T. Murphy (5); Ronald D. Neill (11); R. Ost (17); Stanley L. Owens (2); Jerome J. Paciolla (2); Leo H. Perea (10); Joseph A. Pistone (18); Merckell Posey (9); Alfred Rappaport (22); C. E. Ravens (13); Harold E. Richardson (11); E. E. Seehoffer (15); A. J. Smith (20); Orvil H. Smith (21); R. L. Smith (14); Angelo Suppa, Jr. (25); S. C. Swanson (23); L. B. Taylor (11); Bert J. Tetley (4); T. K. Tezak (15); R. A. Thacker (17); R. S. Turner (20); Leslie L. Vance (2); James W. Weaver (8); Robert P. Williams (5); Jake Winston, Jr. (9); Roger B. Wooten (14).

### Divisions 9 & 13

C. W. Alexander (20); Arthur P. Anderson (23); James E. Barrett (6); Kerman C. Brooks (18); Nobles L. Brown (18); W. S. Bryant (25); O. Burns (20); R. A. Christensen (1); Stanley Christenson (21); Bernard W. Cliff (20); Joseph H. Coates (16); Charles R. Cobb (2); John H. Cockburn (11); Rachel D. Congiardo (16); Donald R. Cooper (13); J. F. Costello (24); Robert F. Coulter (26); W. L. Creel (12); Eugene A. Cumbie (10); A. E. Davison (14); J. R. Dingey (23); A. P. Drazin (15); Eyad El Fattal (10); Eugene C. Elias (3); V. C. Engel (27); Herbert E. Flanagan (22); R. L. Flemming (20); D. B. Galvez (12); W. G. Gekas (21); M. L. Goddard (21); E. L. Goebel (21); A. M. Hall (21); F. W. Hall (21); Murle A. Hall (7); Robert L. Hanna (20); F.

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RTD's senior operator Kermit G. Crownover shakes hands with Division 2 manager Verle Wetmore after recording his bid to stay with Division 2.



Operators keep track of open runs as it nears time for them to bid.



Three operators check seniority list.

### 12th Annual System Shake-up

The District's 1972 Annual System Shake-up got underway February 18 at Division 3. Now in its 12th year, the shake-up became a yearly affair after 1961.

First to bid was Operator Kermit G. Crownover, a 42.8 year veteran of public transportation. He elected to stay at Division 2.

Effective date for this year's bidding will be Monday, April 9.

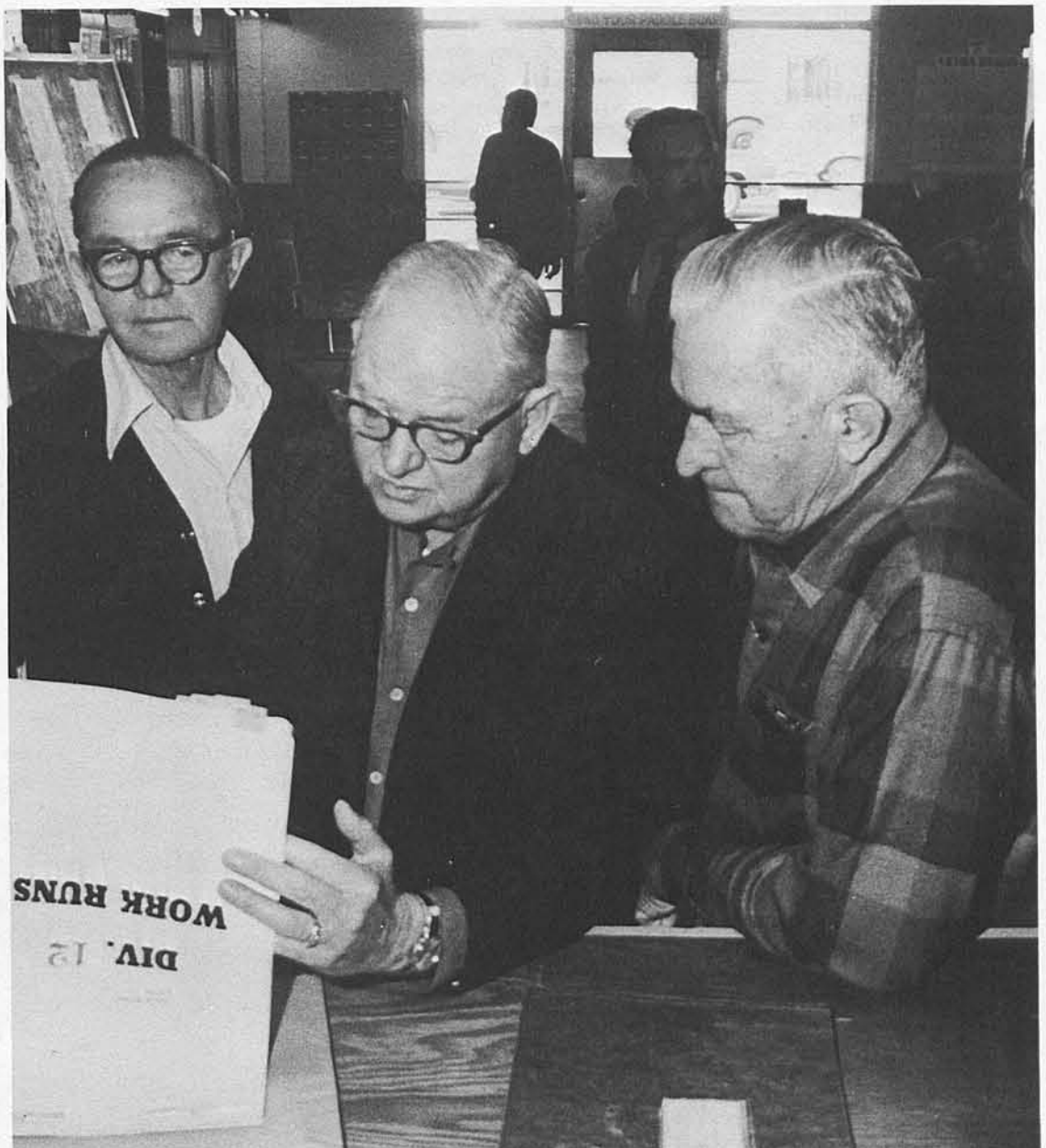
At press time 2583 operators qualified for the bid list. This figure could change if additional operators qualify before the bids closed on Monday, March 13.



Operator George F. Luke elects to stay with Division 11. Division Manager Frank J. Matzner signals that Luke's bid has been recorded and to proceed with the bidding.



Jack Greasy, Division 9 assistant manager, marks down operators bid.



Operator Upton L. Smith of Division 12 checks "open runs" in Division 12's bid book as Operators Grant C. Williams (left) and Charles E. Johnson (right) look on.



Operators (left to right) John Goines, Edward O. Mesa, Willie Goodman and Houston E. Culpepper check Division 1-11 board and run list.

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M. Harley (25); Ronald G. Harris (10); J. R. Hernandez (8); Roy E. Horton (7); H. W. Humphreys (26); S. Ralph Jaffe (10); James M. Jernigan (9); Oscar F. Johnson (27); L. H. Kemble (13); W. Keup (14); J. W. Kipp (24); Fred W. Koenig (8); F. W. Lenard (17); A. T. Lipford (19); Bobby R. Little (3); Carl D. Maring (3); Fred Martinez (7); A. J. Mashburn, Jr. (5); W. L. Maurer (25); J. W. May (19); Lawrence E. McCrary (7); Edward P. Miller (16); R. J. Miller (22); James W. Morris (13); Donald L. Morse (16); C. Mosher (22); Philip E. Nally (3); Philip P. Onderco (8); J. R. Payne (12); Clifford F. Querl (13); T. H. Randall (25); Eugene Reid (8); Harold L. Tiek (5); Max C. Rochford (17); Armando Rodriguez (2); Don L. Rorman (5); Nicholas J. Ross (14); Robert L. Royal, Jr. (9); Bert G. Ruiz (23); J. G. Scarlett (20); E. Schafer (16); W. V. Schuman (13); Frank R. Scott (3); G. Serres (25); B. M. Sherrell (15); Herbert Spencer (10); Robert W. Steedman (27); K. G. Steinert (22); Robert W. Stillwell (8); C. G. Studer (17); Foster R. Thompson (6); D. S. Varela (25); Oren A. Wellmerling (15); J. E. Wharton (23); D. Wheeler (18); Roger G. Wilkinson (22); John Williamson (10); James Williamson (23); Fred Young (12); Walter A. Young (17);.

### Division 10

Thomas J. Allen (10); Edward L. Amundson (9); Charles L. Barnhart (5); Charlie M. Bolden (1); Carson H. Cantrell (13); Jusus J. Carrasco (2); Guadalupe D. Charles (4); S. Chevlin (24); R. E. Conkling (21); William S. Dent (23); James L. Gardner (9); Alfonso J. Gonzalez (5); Archie F. Grant, Jr. (6); Hugh B. Group (3); Owen H. Hale (13); J. R. Hall (1); Gorman W. Hall (22); R. L. Harter (22); Bernard E. Hilaman (6); J. E. Hufstetler (8); D. T. Hutton (11); Cleveland E. Joiner (2); David E. Kautter (22); Paul E. Knox (10); V. L. La France (19); Guadalupe

Mageno (2); J. E. Martin (10); A. L. Moore (1); Virgil O. Nesbitt (21); Santiago J. Ortiz (7); Victor O. Ortiz (5); Frederick Ostrowski (13); Joseph Parisi (3); Charles W. Pedersen (16); Ernest M. Perhus (11); Henrique L. Pineda (12); Jesus O. Ruiz (3); Rhodney E. Shorts (1); William F. Siedenbug (1); E. R. Thommes (14); P. Villarreal, Jr.; Glenn R. Wheeler (3); David B. White (27); William C. L. White (18); Marvin J. Woodie (1).

### Division 11

Isaiah O. Addison (15); D. F. Bradley (16); Nathaniel Cain (11); D. L. Collins (21); Benjamin Cooper (11); Glen R. Deford (16); Tommie Dorsey (2); Gerald B. Durant (6); Lowell Feigenbaum (17); Santiago J. Figueroa (2); Jesus R. Guajardo (1); George A. Hall (16); Napoleon Hutchinson (10); Thomas R. Lloyd (3); Lauren J. Loker (17); David C. Moore (8); Russell C. Oja (8); Robert E. Oliver (9); Clifton O. Owens (2); William Padilia (4); Manuel Perez (4); Roscoe Q. Proctor, Jr. (3); R. C. Rothermel (15); Borys G. Schwimer (15); Eugene H. Sims (9); Richard L. Small (4); Maurice B. Smith (1); Renauld T. Spann (2); Horace Stewart (3); Fred Tunstall (2); Daniel R. Turner (1); Willard D. Williams (21); J. E. Wise (9).

### Division 12

R. G. Alexander, Jr. (4); W. W. Bradley (20); Jerry W. Brett (2); Ernest N. Brunswick (10); Richard R. Bunch (2); J. M. Burney (1); Joseph W. Cartwright (18); Laurent E. Cote (3); Darl F. De Waal (1); L. B. Disney (14); Donald R. Dube (12); Frederick C. Fach (20); Leonard A. Finn (8); Isabelle G. Gaul (16); P. J. Guinan (15); Ralph D. Hamilton (12); William H. Hicks (11); Joseph M. Hiram (14); Morris D. Jackson (10); Robert L. Joy (12); Robert D. Kramer (2); M. E. Kittinger (23); Joseph J. Lafond (16); P. J. Lepage (14); David M. Logsdon (2); Harry P. Maguier (20); Howard Maher (1); Robert L. McMorris (5); E. A. O'Connor (22); Harold W. Pratt (18); Biaggio J. Raziano (3); L. S. Redmond (15); Wilbur T. Rouse (25); N. Savage (10); Donald Schneider (1); K. V. Scott (7); Luke E. Scott (4); H. J. Sherfey (1); U. L. Smith (20); Glenn R. Stone (1); Walter R. Underwood (3); N. L. Waltrip (11); D. R. Wisser (12); Robert M. Wright (1).

### Division 18

Norman C. Bassham (13); E. R. Bowers (26); E. H. Bowles (27); David M. Bush (7); R. R. Cross (26); Edward D. Deardoff (2); Frank El Fattal (10); R. L. Folsom (26); W. V. Graham (19); A. Gray (8); G. E. Gudbranson (23); Warren D. Hall (6); Daniel R. Keen (2); Thomas J. King (2); William T. Maxwell (2); Roger A. McEvoy (8); Orville P. McRiley (5); G. McRiley (13); E. A. Meyer (26); Glenn D. Mulder (2); A. E. Mulsoff

(19); S. E. Nutte (25); Richard F. O'Neill (2); James Padilla (1); D. E. Smith (6); C. G. Urschell (10); D. E. Walsh (15); Don E. Warehime (18); Robert L. Waters (2); Dee A. Zeller (3).

## Service Resumes

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increase at this time, Gilstrap said.

"I am grateful," he concluded, "to both management and union negotiators and especially to State Conciliator Louis Gilbert, all of whom worked many hours, often overnight, to resolve our differences."

Commuters who purchased February or March passes were offered cash refunds, or credit for the period during the strike when the passes could not be used.

Refunds were made only at RTD's downtown Service center at 1060 S. Broadway and RTD/Greyhound depot, with hundreds of commuters taking advantage of the resumption of sales Monday morning (March 6).

## VITAL STATISTICS

In memorium to employees who have devoted much of their lifetime in a profession designed to move people.

**JOHN H. BAURHENN**  
Clerk  
1-26-72/RETIRED: 11-1-55  
Years of Service: 11

**EARLY W. BYRD**  
Operator  
2-9-72/RETIRED: 11-2-59  
Years of Service: 28

# February Operator Of The Month



BELL OPERATOR HONORED—Lyle J. Lampshire (LEFT) of Bell has been honored as RTD's February "Operator of the Month." Director Herbert H. Krauch presents the courtesy plaque to the 31-year veteran of public transportation. Lampshire was nominated for the award by one of the commuters on Line 77, noting his "always cheerful attitude." During the forthcoming safety award pin presentations Lampshire will receive his 24-safe driving pin.

## SCRTD Blood Bank Needs Donors

Many RTD employees and their families needed blood this last year and the blood was available—in the SCRTD Blood Bank.

Today, this blood reserve is nearly depleted. More blood is needed if the blood bank is to continue its good work.

Anyone interested in giving blood should contact a local

American Red Cross Center of the Los Angeles Regional Blood Center at 1130 Vermont Ave.

When donating, tell the Red Cross representative that you are a member of a participating group—the SCRTD Blood Bank, and that blood will be credited to the District's blood bank.



PATHS CROSS AT RTD BOARD MEETING—Two Urban Mass Transportation Administration representatives meet in Los Angeles while on different UMTA projects. The two, (RIGHT TO LEFT) Peter N. Stowell, senior transportation representative and Marlene Klein, transportation representative, discussed UMTA funding with RTD President Norman Topping and RTD General Manager Jack R. Gilstrap. Miss Klein was in Los Angeles for a planning study discussion and Stowell was reviewing capital projects being funded by UMTA.

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