



# 2024 Calendar & Benefits

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This calendar and benefits booklet is designed to give PPOA members a brief overview of the many exclusive benefits, perks and privileges to which they are entitled.

For more information about PPOA or any of the benefits listed in this calendar and benefits booklet, please call (800) 747-PPOA or visit our website at *PPOA.com*.

Save this booklet throughout 2024 to use as a resource for PPOA benefits and event dates.

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# 2024 HOLIDAYS

## January

- 1** New Year's Day
- 15** Martin Luther King Jr. Day

## February

- 14 Valentine's Day
- 14 Ash Wednesday
- 19** Presidents Day

## March

- 10 Daylight Saving Time Begins
- 17 St. Patrick's Day
- 31 Cesar Chavez Day
- 31 Easter

## April

- 1** Cesar Chavez Day (Observed)
- 24 Administrative Professionals Day

## May

- 12 Mother's Day
- 18 Armed Forces Day
- 27** Memorial Day

## June

- 14 Flag Day
- 16 Father's Day
- 19** Juneteenth

## July

- 4** Independence Day

## September

- 2** Labor Day

## October

- 14** Indigenous Peoples Day
- 31 Halloween

## November

- 3 Daylight Saving Time Ends
- 11** Veterans Day
- 28** Thanksgiving
- 29** Day After Thanksgiving

## December

- 24 Christmas Eve
- 25** Christmas Day
- 31 New Year's Eve

Dates in **bold** are L.A. County holidays.

## JANUARY 2024

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	<div>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</div> <div>PPOA Office Closed</div>		
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Presidents Day PPOA Office Closed																					PPOA Board Meeting Valentine's Day Ash Wednesday						
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														PPOA Delegates Meeting (Location TBA)													

# February 2024

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# LEGAL REPRESENTATION

## Labor Representatives

The most important role of a union is to safeguard the job and rights of every member. PPOA takes this role extremely seriously — that's why experienced labor representatives are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week for our members. PPOA's team of seasoned professionals assists members on a daily basis with grievances, IAB interviews, administrative appeals hearings (including *Skelly*) and more. Every member of the PPOA defense rep team has more than 25 years of invaluable experience with L.A. County law enforcement.

## Attorneys

PPOA members benefit from the expertise of attorneys specializing in everything from workers' compensation to the Peace Officers' Bill of Rights. Every active, full PPOA member is afforded representation from an attorney for ERCOM/civil service, use of force and shootings. Our legal experts hail from distinguished law firms throughout Southern California. (A list of the firms affiliated with PPOA is on page 30.)

## Free Non-Job-Related Legal Advice

Protecting your interests at home is important, too. That's why every active, full PPOA member is entitled to a free one-hour consultation each year with an attorney to discuss matters not related to work.

## Legal Defense Plan

All active, full PPOA members are enrolled in the Fraternal Order of Police Legal Defense Plan. This plan provides defense coverage for civil and criminal actions arising in the scope of law enforcement duties. The coverage has no limits on defense costs when using a plan attorney, although members do have the right to choose their own attorney (subject to deductible and cost limit).

## Bargaining Units

PPOA is the exclusive bargaining agent for thousands of employees of the L.A. County Sheriff's Department, the District Attorney's Office and Department of Medical Examiner. PPOA is the only union that can negotiate for their wages, hours and working conditions, and only PPOA members have the right to ratify a potential contract.

## Salary

Salary contract negotiating teams are composed of rank-and-file PPOA members from each respective bargaining unit. PPOA bargaining units include:

- Unit 612 (Sworn: Sheriff, District Attorney)
- Unit 614 (Professional staff: Sheriff, Medical Examiner)
- Unit 621 (Professional staff: Sheriff)
- Unit 631 (Sworn: Medical Examiner)
- Unit 632 (Sworn: Medical Examiner)

## Fringe Benefits

PPOA members receive a number of negotiated fringe benefits from the County of Los Angeles. These countywide benefits are negotiated collectively by 14 county unions (including PPOA) known as the Coalition of County Unions. The benefits include "Choices" medical, dental, vision, vacation, sick leave, "Horizons," holidays and retirement benefits — every one of them vital to the quality of life for PPOA members and their families.

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Daylight Saving Time Begins

PPOA Board Meeting

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St. Patrick's Day

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Easter

Cesar Chavez Day



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March 2024

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Baker to Vegas  
Challenge Cup Relay  
(through 3/24; visit  
*BakerVegas.net* for  
updates)

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
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	<b>Cesar Chavez Day (Observed)</b> PPOA Office Closed		
7	8	9	10
Annual LASD Retiree Roundup (Laughlin, NV, through 4/10)			PPOA Board Meeting
14	15	16	17
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			Administrative Professionals Day
28	29	30	

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	PPOA College Scholarship Application Deadline	

# April 2024

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24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30	26	27	28	29	30	31	

# INSURANCE

## Valuable Protection at No Cost

All active, full PPOA members are provided with a \$2,000 life insurance and \$2,000 accidental death and dismemberment (AD&D) policy at no cost, carried by Voya Insurance.

## Peace Officers Relief Fund (PORF)

Active peace officers (defined by P.C. 830.1) in Unit 612 (LASD sergeants and lieutenants, DA sergeants and lieutenants) are participants at no cost. Coverage includes long-term disability and a \$125,000 life insurance policy.

## Group Term Life and AD&D Insurance

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## Voluntary Term Life for Dependents

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California Peace Officers' Memorial Candlelight Vigil (Sacramento)							California Peace Officers' Memorial Enrollment Ceremony (Capitol Mall, Sacramento)														PPOA Board Meeting													
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Mother's Day																					National Peace Officers Memorial Day Annual National Peace Officers' Memorial Service (Washington, D.C.)													
19							20							21							22													
																					L.A. County Peace Officer Memorial Ceremony (Biscailuz Center)													
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							Memorial Day PPOA Office Closed														PPOA Delegates Meeting (Location TBA)													

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	May 2024
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		Armed Forces Day	
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# POLITICAL MUSCLE

## Legislation

PPOA's record of legislative influence stretches back to the 1960s. Political strategies orchestrated by our Board of Directors and full-time lobbyists in Sacramento have resulted in hundreds of laws being passed that directly affect PPOA members. These include paid time off for line-of-duty injuries; military buyback program in Los Angeles County; County-issued safety equipment; increased benefits for families of officers killed in the line of duty; confidentiality of peace officer personnel records; medical presumptions (cancer, heart disease, lower-back injuries, MRSA staph infections, etc.) and more.

PPOA's affiliation with the Fraternal Order of Police also affords our members significant political influence at the federal level.





## Political Action

PPOA members formed a specialized political action committee (PAC Plus) in 1999 to establish a stronger, more effective presence in local politics, particularly in Los Angeles County. Today, hundreds of PPOA members voluntarily contribute to PAC Plus.

If you would like to help PPOA wield more political influence when it comes to addressing the rights and benefits of public safety personnel, please contribute to PPOA PAC Plus. Call (323) 261-3010 or visit *PPOA.com* for more info.



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1. Finding a new loan option



## 2. Collaboration and organization online



### 3. Loan estimate and best lending options



#### 4. Submit application



## 5. Mortgage processing



## 6. Approval & closing

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CONCIERGE REAL ESTATE  
AND LENDING SERVICES



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												PPOA Board Meeting							
16		17					18					19							
Father's Day												Juneteenth PPOA Office Closed							
23		24					25					26							
30		16th Annual PPOA Peace Officer Memorial Golf Tournament (Friendly Hills Country Club, Whittier)																	

THURSDAY

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SATURDAY

June 2024

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U.S. Police & Fire  
Championships  
(San Diego,  
through 6/15;  
visit [USPFC.org](https://www.uspfc.org)  
for updates)

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Flag Day

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			PPOA Board Meeting
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THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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<b>Independence Day</b> PPOA Office Closed		
11	12	13
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	24th Annual PPOA Fishing Trip	
25	26	27

July 2024

JUNE 2024							AUGUST 2024						
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		PPOA Board Meeting	
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		23rd Annual PPOA BBQ & General Membership Meeting (Biscailuz Center)	

# August 2024

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## Friends in High Places

Over the last seven decades, PPOA has established itself as one of California's most respected and influential law enforcement labor unions. In doing so, PPOA has fostered solid relationships with a number of significant associations and law firms.

The following list is a small sample of PPOA's affiliations:

- Southern California Alliance of Law Enforcement
- California Coalition of Law Enforcement Associations
- Fraternal Order of Police
- Public Employees Staff Organization
- California Peace Officers' Memorial Foundation
- Coalition of County Unions
- Los Angeles County Federation of Labor
- National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems
- International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans
- American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)

## Law Firms

- Law Offices of James J. Cunningham (*labor issues*)
- Law Offices of Saku Ethir (*labor issues*)
- The Gibbons Firm (*labor issues*)
- Law Offices of Charles Goldwasser (*labor issues*)
- Hayes, Ortega & Sanchez, LLP (*labor issues*)
- Rains, Lucia, Stern, St. Phalle and Silver, PC (*labor and pension issues*)
- Reich, Adell & Cvitan (*political and labor issues*)
- Stone Busailah, LLP (*police law and litigation*)
- Lewis, Marenstein, Wicke, Sherwin & Lee, LLP (*workers' compensation*)
- Straussner Sherman Lonné Treger Helquist (*workers' compensation*)



## Charitable Foundation

PPOA is home to the Star & Shield Foundation, which provides support (financial and otherwise) to families of fallen officers and PPOA members in need. In fact, our Foundation makes it a point to support the family of every California peace officer killed in the line of duty. PPOA representatives also transport the Foundation's barbecue trailer to events throughout the county in order to help raise funds for families of PPOA members in need. The Foundation was founded in 2000 and has assisted hundreds of PPOA members and charitable causes.

Financial support for the Star & Shield Foundation comes primarily from donations and fundraising events. For more information, please visit *PPOA.com* or call (800) 747-PPOA.



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# September 2024

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# COMMUNICATION AND MORE

## **Star & Shield Magazine**

PPOA membership includes a complimentary subscription to *Star & Shield* magazine — a reliable source of information about issues affecting PPOA members.

## **Delegates**

PPOA is represented by more than 100 delegates at work sites throughout the county. Delegates are key to channeling information between union Board, staff and membership. PPOA hosts quarterly delegates meetings, and attendees include union staff and Board, attorneys, County officials and political leaders. Meetings traditionally include dinner, guest speakers and breakout sessions for each bargaining unit. Delegates are first to hear from the union of events affecting PPOA members, including negotiations and legislation. Delegates also receive monthly mailings from PPOA to share with members in the workplace. If you would like to represent your unit at the next delegates meeting, please send an email to [info@ppoa.com](mailto:info@ppoa.com).

## **Website**

PPOA's website ([PPOA.com](http://PPOA.com)) contains news updates, contracts, exclusive membership resources and email links to the union's staff and Board members.

## **Social Media**

Connect with PPOA on Facebook, X (Twitter) and Instagram for updates, event photos, law enforcement news and special offers.

## **Email Blasts**

PPOA sends regular email blasts to the membership when timely alerts are necessary. These include the Week in Review each Saturday morning to keep members up to date on union issues, accomplishments and challenges ahead. Please send your personal (non-Department) email address to [info@ppoa.com](mailto:info@ppoa.com) along with full name and employee number to be placed on the email list.

## **Mobile App**

The PPOA mobile app allows members to reach a union rep 24/7, access member resources and more. The app is available in the Google Play and Apple App stores.

## **Calendar and Benefits Book**

PPOA supplies its members an annual calendar and benefits booklet featuring an overview of PPOA benefits and resources in an easy-to-carry, at-a-glance format. The booklet also includes a blue-pages directory and valuable discounts with businesses supportive of PPOA members.

## **PPOA Conference Center**

PPOA proudly maintains a modern, multipurpose conference center at the union headquarters in San Dimas. The center is available for use by members and is used for meetings, negotiations and various County-sanctioned events.

## **Pre-Labor Day BBQ and General Membership Meeting**

Members of PPOA are treated to a day of free food, fun and valuable information every year as part of PPOA's Pre-Labor Day BBQ. Hundreds of members take part in the annual festivities to honor the history of America's labor movement.

## **Annual Fishing Trip**

PPOA charts a private boat each summer for members and guests to enjoy a day of fishing between Long Beach and Catalina Island.

## **Annual PPOA Retiree Luncheon**

For the past 19 years, PPOA has hosted a free luncheon at the Sheraton Fairplex to help our retired members reunite with former partners and friends.

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# November 2024

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# December 2024

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# PPOA DISCOUNTS

## Bang for Your Buck

One of PPOA's most popular benefits is its impressive array of exclusive discounts. From theater tickets to LASD uniforms, PPOA is the one-stop shop for budget-conscious deals and members-only savings.

The following list of destinations, products and services is subject to change. Please call PPOA to verify which tickets are available.

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- Body scan and consultation
- Estate planning
- Harkins Theatres
- Huntington Library
- Knott's Berry Farm
- LASD uniforms
- Legoland
- Long Beach Aquarium
- Los Angeles Zoo
- Medieval Times
- Notary service (free)
- Purchasing Power
- Regal Edwards Theatre
- San Diego Wild Animal Park
- San Diego Zoo
- SeaWorld
- See's Candies
- Universal Studios

For more information, call (800) 747-PPOA, or visit *PPOA.com*.

# STAFF AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

## Experience Matters

The PPOA office building in San Dimas houses an experienced team of full-time professionals, including labor reps, administrators, the Association's executive director and the Board president. Members who call PPOA can speak to a live person 24 hours a day, and labor reps are available to handle urgent issues seven days a week. Staff members have expertise in a variety of areas, including employee rights, contracts, legislation and more.

The PPOA Board of Directors is composed of rank-and-file members from each bargaining unit. Directors are elected by their peers to two-year terms. Board meetings are held every month and are open to the general membership. Collectively, the current PPOA Board brings more than 300 years of County experience to the table.

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