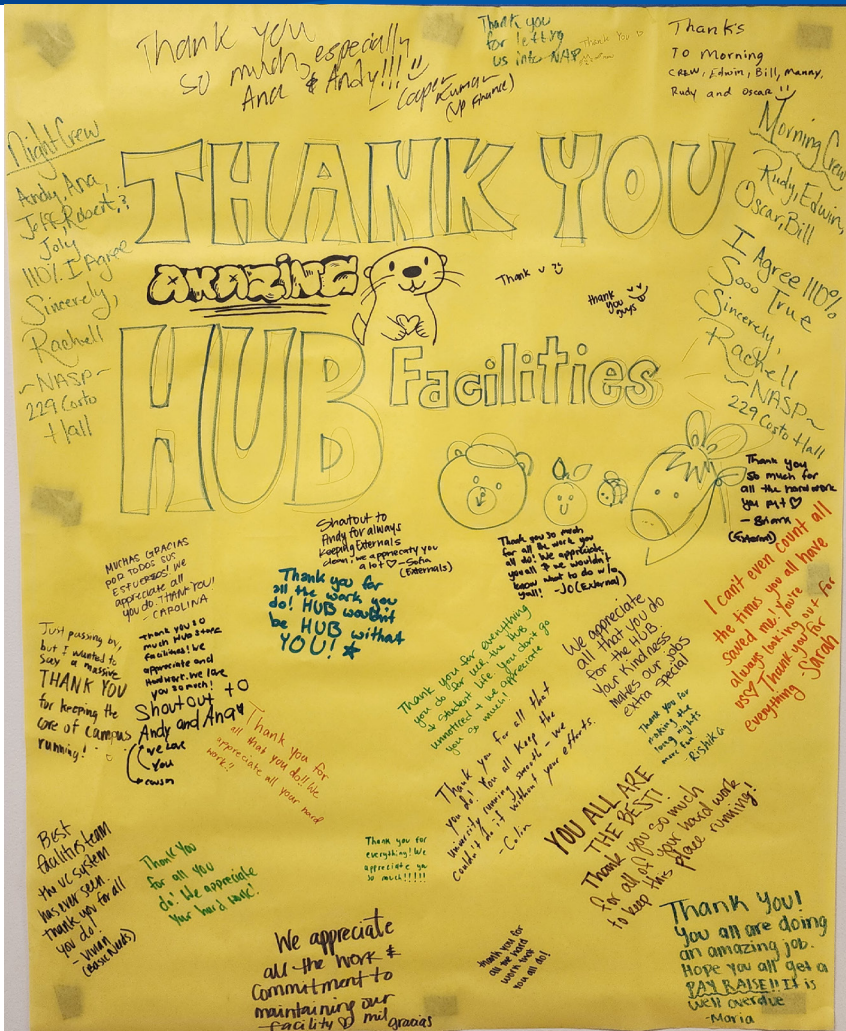


# FACILITIES FOCUS

ASSET • Central Plant • Client Support Services • Energy & Engineering  
Environmental & Resource Services • FS Administration • Maintenance Services

MAY 2025



## CELEBRATING NEW STAFF & PROMOTIONS!



**FRANCISCO GOMEZ**  
CUSTODIAL SUPERVISOR  
STARTED MAY 5



**RYAN HIGAREDA**  
LEAD CUSTODIAN  
PROMOTED APR. 21



**JOSEPH JURADO**  
BUILDING MAINT. WORKER  
STARTED MAR. 31



**JORGE LOZA MEDINA**  
SR. BUILDING MAINT. WRKR.  
PROMOTED MAY 5



## While You Were Out

Pilot program coming soon! To improve communication with building occupants, FS is introducing door hangers to leave notes about maintenance work.

## CAMPUS COMMUNITY THANKS

In a show of appreciation, student departments and office staff recognized our HUB facilities maintenance team for their hard work. They presented a poster with heartfelt notes and drawings, with messages such as, "Your kindness makes our jobs extra special," and "I wanted to say a massive thank you for keeping the core of campus running!" This gesture highlights the supportive and appreciative spirit of the campus community. Thank you!

## Introducing our new electric chainsaw

During Earth Week, supervisors Louie Garcia and John Starling demonstrated an innovative electric chainsaw, which is quieter, cleaner, and offers an hour of battery life. It only uses power when cutting, avoiding wasteful gas idling. Perfect for landscaping, this chainsaw is a step forward in eco-friendly technology.







**A BURST OF COLOR TO CELEBRATE THE CLASS OF 2025** Vibrant yellow marigolds paired with blue lobelia are newly planted to be in full bloom for graduation. Fresh mulch adds the finishing touch to this arrangement, promising a picturesque backdrop for the celebration. (UCR/Joe Candias)

## FS highlights sustainability during Earth Week

On Wednesday, April 23, FS participated with Burrtec Waste Industries Inc. to host tables at the Sustainability Showcase & Flea Market near the Bell Tower.

At the event, we showed off our new electric chainsaw and leaf blower equipment, displayed our centralized

waste stations, and discussed our Zero Waste Program.

We distributed FS tape measure key chains, snacks, and informative flyers. FS's display also included a Styrofoam brick compacted by Burrtec, which is recycled into photo frames and baseboards.

**College Corps Student Fellow Nishtha Shah represents the Facilities Services booth with landscape supervisors John Starling and Tos Ishida during Earth Week in front of the Rivera Library.**  
(UCR/Erin Chapman)



## FACILITIES FOCUS

### STAFF MILESTONES

#### 30 YEARS

Dale Mladenovic  
Labor Supervisor

#### 10 YEARS

Jeffrey Coppage  
Fire & Life Safety Mechanic  
Jesus Guzman  
Sr. Building Maint. Worker

### EMPLOYEES OF THE MONTH

Jeremy Horvath, Electrician  
Maintenance Services  
Anthony Morris, Zone Mechanic  
Maintenance Services

### ORGANIZATIONAL UPDATES

#### PURCHASING ASSISTANCE

- Chandhraas Mariserla is supporting the FS ASSET purchasing team as a limited appointment purchasing assistant.

#### KUDOS

- Sr. BMWs in the Building Mechanical/HVAC shop cleared space in the Butler building by removing pallet racks, storage shelving, and other items for disposal or recycling. They managed this while starting the new filter PM program and continuing campus water treatment. Great job Roland Perez, Robert Wessler, and Julian Parra.