



**Richard Lee**

**Principal Public Relations Representative**

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## **BIOGRAPHY**

Richard Lee is a Senior Public Information Officer with the Department of Public Works Public Affairs Office. In this position, he serves as liaison to the Bureau of Street Services and Public Works representative for Council Districts 9 and 15.

Lee is the lead outreach support provider for the Multi-Family Recycling Program and PAO liaison to Neighborhood Councils. Among Lee's other notable PR campaigns are the TEAM LA Wastewater Program, the Department of Public Works Partnerships Program and the Hyperion Treatment Plant upgrade. He is the Public Relations representative for the Southern California Chapter of the American Public Works Association. Also, Lee is a member of the California Association of Public Information Officials and serves as a Public Information Officer liaison to the California League of Cities.

A retired United States Army American Forces Radio and Television broadcast journalist, Lee also is a former news reporter for radio stations in Los Angeles and Palm Springs . He also is a former staff writer for a Los Angeles community newspaper.

Lee received his bachelor's degree in radio and television broadcasting from California State University , Los Angeles and a postgraduate professional certification in public relations from the University of California Los Angeles . A Los Angeles native, Lee is married and enjoys self-improvement, community service and playing golf.