| **Admin**  **Recognized** | **Classification** | **Department** | **Recognition** | **Relationship to Admin** |
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| Angela Simmons | Executive Assistant II | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | Angela is new to her role supporting the DAJD Director's office. She is amazing! She is thoughtful, organized and driven. She brings kindness, humility and a genuine service ethic that serves DAJD well. You are appreciated! | Deputy Director |
| Angela Simmons | Executive Assistant II | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | Angela is always an exemplary professional, but in 2022 she helped plan, set up, and facilitate a great DAJD leadership meeting that was a standout event!! | Peer |
| Betty Jimerson | Administrative Specialist III | King County Superior Court (KCSC) | Betty is always full of positive energy, uplifting others around her. Betty was part of the negotiating teams for our current contract. Betty then stepped up to be the Vice President of 2084-SC when our President left employment at King County supporting the interim President (me). She has been a valuable member of our Eboard! | Peer |
| Carolyn Morales | Administrator | Department of Executive Services (DES) | While positions were being filled, she took on a lot of extra work to keep things afloat. She also is always looking to help everyone out and is more than willing to assist when needed. She is an overall great person at the county! | Peer |
| Chris Hong | Administrative Specialist II | King County Superior Court (KCSC) | Chris Hong is one of the most hard working administrative specialists. He works diligently with the juvenile prosecutor's office on a regular basis handling cases, along with his other admin job duties. When any juvenile probation counselor has to get information and their admin specialist is off work or not available, but information is needed immediately, Chris always gets back to you right away and resolves the issue or gets the information. Chris always does this without complaint and maybe with a lighthearted joke or two to uplift your day. Chris is always willing to take on new job duties without complaint and always willing to go above and beyond to help all his coworkers. | Peer |
| Chris Hong | Administrative Specialist II | King County Superior Court (KCSC) | Chris is the go to person for for all procedures related to Juvenile Court Orders and operation of the various data bases required for scheduling of Juvenile Court Hearings and filing of Juvenile Court Orders. Chris has always been available to problem solve when i've needed his help to correct my mistakes. He has a great sense of humor Chris has a great sense of humor and I enjoy working with him. | Co Worker |
| Cindy Hachtel | Transit Administrative Specialist III | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | It's a great pleasure to acknowledge Cindy, and her highly professional and expert skills on the Customer Information Office team. Cindy manages a very busy schedule and timekeeping for a large group of customer-facing staff -- this requires efficiency, attention to detail and caring for her colleagues. I appreciate Cindy's ability to "get things done" calmly and with a generous attitude. Thank you, Cindy | Manager |
| Destiny Milliken | Transit Administrative Support Specialist III | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Destiny is highly talented member of our team. Recently, she has stepped up to take on extra duties at our shop due to a position vacancy. Destiny is an invaluable asset to our team. | Supervisor |
| Erika Overall | Executive Assistant | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | Erika has been with DAJD for a number of years and continues to be a rock star who can be relied upon to keep things organized, moving forward, and done. Erika brings levity, humility and outstanding service to the work of our organization. I appreciate all that she does for DAJD. Thank you! | Deputy Director |
| Erin Laverenz, Gina Lin, Terry Boyle | Administrative Specialist II | Department of Local Services (DLS) | All 3 have stepped up and taking on another unit in addition to theirs to support the section while another co-worker is on leave. This additional duty of work has doubled their workload, but they continue to provide excellent service to both units they are temporarily supporting, in addition the section and the constituents in their regions. | Peer |
| Heather Patrick | Customer Service Assistant -SC | Department of Community & Human Services (DCHS) | Heather has Outstanding Customer Service and Excellence in Community Service | Peer |
| Jennifer Loyd | Administrative Specialist III | Department of Public Health (DPH) | During the pandemic as the CHS Division's fleet coordinator, Jennifer was masterful at maintaining the division vehicles. She made sure there were working vehicles available for those that needed them when they needed them. She saved the taxpayers of King County countless dollars by making sure vehicles were driven regularly and did all she could to ensure vehicles didn't require unnecessary trips to the garage. All the fleet work was done while Jennifer, who also serves as CHS’s OATS (Orientation and Training Series) coordinator, made sure OATS sessions for newly hired employees never stopped during COVID; instead, she transitioned to a virtual format and continued to make sure new CHS employees got the soft landing they need. | Supervisor |
| Julie Allen | Administrative Specialist III | King County Superior Court (KCSC) | Julie Allen is always willing to help when asked and responds very promptly. She has been the Admin Rep for our local 2084 SC and does an excellent job advocating for her peers. She was on the negotiating team for our current contracts for the first time, as I was to, and supported me when our union president left employment with King County in the middle of negations. I could not have done it without her and one other Admin on the negotiating team for the union. Admins Rock! | Peer |
| Julie Hasz | Administrative Specialist III | Department of Public Health (DPH) | Julie is an integral part of the CHS division, rarely turning down an opportunity to pick up slack and lend her efforts and/or expertise when needed. Julie continued to perform her day-to-day duties for CHS while helping maintain the supply chain for the Isolation and Quarantine team of the COVID response. The hardest part of managing Julie is making sure she creates healthy boundaries and understands it’s ok to say “no.” | Supervisor |
| Kelly Uyehara | Administrative Specialist | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | I have been with DAJD for 10 years but only recently have been fortunate to get to work with Kelly more. I struggle with spelling her last name after many many emails and am thankful for autocorrect! Kelly understand and appreciates the change we are working toward in DAJD and will be a key partner as we move forward. I'm thrilled to have someone who will champion change. Thank you Kelly! | Deputy Director |
| Kelly Uyehara | Administrative Specialist III | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | Kelly works wonders to support and engage members of our team. Her expertise managing and ensuring day-to-day essential operations are completed on time is greatly appreciated. Kelly has a knack for identifying strategies to run operations more efficiently and effectively. | Supervisor |
| Kimberly Robinson | Administrator II | Department of Human Resources (DHR) | Kimberly is like an information vault. She has so much knowledge and is always willing to help. | Peer |
| Linda Eaves | Transit Administrative Specialist III | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Linda is a caring professional who ensures that things runs smoothly in Metro's Customer Communications and Services section. She takes lead on payment and procurement for Marketing and Service Information, as well as across th, and often has to work on complex efforts with tight timelines. She makes sure this work gets done in a correct and timely fashion. Linda has a host of other duties as well. I appreciate Linda's leadership in sharing information and improving processes. Thank you, Linda! | Manager |
| Lisa Whitney | Administrator I | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Lisa always has an always sunny attitude. She goes out of her way to find answers. She tries to keep it light even during the hectic times. | Peer |
| Lynda Cruz | Administrative Specialist III | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | Lynda has served King County for over 3 decades. Lynda positively contributes to the overall performance of the Juvenile Division through consistent and high-quality work. Lynda's superior customer service skills have also ensured that Juvenile Division staff needs are supported. | Supervisor |
| Machelle Jones | Administrative Specialist III | Department of Natural Resources & Parks (DNRP) | Machelle is a wealth of knowledge and is incredibly kind and generous with her time. She has been essential in helping me learn the ropes of being a Parks admin since I started my position 8 months ago. I always look forward to working with Machelle! | Peer |
| Marla Rivas Oughton | Executive Assistant | Department of Natural Resources & Parks (DNRP) | Marla is a consummate professional, ably handling a wide variety of administrative duties for Wastewater Treatment Division and providing top-notch executive assistance to the division director and deputy director. I especially appreciate her ability and willingness to think ahead for the division's needs, to make solid recommendations to help improve efficiency and her consistently good humor and warm character. | Director |
| Marni Donnelly | Executive Assistant | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | I appreciate Marni's professionalism, attention to detail and responsiveness. Marni helps us manage our recruitments across Mobility, as well as divisionwide meetings. When I work with Marni, I always feel prepared and knowledgeable. In addition to that, Marni is such a caring person. Thank you! | Manager |
| Mary Chege | Administrator II | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Mary was so very helpful when I first onboarded at Metro! She took time to help me understand Capital Division and provided speedy and relevant help whenever I had an issue. She is a kind and compassionate person, and a great administrator! | Peer |
| Pam Schellhase | Admin Spec II - Scheduler | Department of Natural Resources & Parks (DNRP) | Pam has worked for the County in the Customer Services field for over 30 years. If you've ever booked a field, a campsite, a picnic shelter or a trail for an event you've probably interacted with Pam. She is a very skilled scheduler and has great customer service skills. I've been able to depend on Pam for the 23 years I've been her supervisor to be professional, courteous, prompt and reliable. | Supervisor |
| Sam Wick | Administrator I | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Sam Wick grew up in a Metro family, and we are glad to welcome them to their first Metro professional opinion. Their love for Metro and for helping others shows up daily -- they continually volunteer for new tasks and accept new assignments without hesitation. I rely on Sam's excellent writing skills for our weekly report to leadership, among other things. | Manager |
| Shaun Kemp | Transit Administrative Support Specialist III | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Shaun is a rock star in our division and an invaluable member of our team. She is a consistent performer and no task is too big for her to handle. | Supervisor |
| Traci Case | Executive Assistant I | Department of Adult & Juvenile Detention (DAJD) | Hardworking, dedicated and willing to take on several projects simultaneously. | Manager |
| Treona Davis | Administrator I | Metro Transit Department (MTD) | Thank you, Treona, for your continued leadership in CCS As one of example of many, in the past few months you have shared your meeting facilitation skills and creativity to greatly improve the Customer Communications & Services leadership meetings. | Manager |