

SARAH GREEN

DEPUTY DIRECTOR

HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT



STAFFING ANNOUNCEMENT

The Department of Human Resources is excited to announce the appointment of Sarah Green to Deputy Director of Human Resources.

As Deputy Director, Sarah will work closely with the Director of Human Resources and serve as the Department's operational executive leader, overseeing daily operations across all Bureaus to ensure responsive, accountable, and high-quality service delivery. She will also partner with City departments to move strategic priorities forward.

Sarah has over a decade of public service and has most recently served as the Chief of Labor Relations for the City of Long Beach Human Resources Department, leading labor relations efforts with the City's 11 recognized employee organizations representing more than 6,000 employees. She successfully led and facilitated high-profile meet-and-confer processes, including the historic merger of the Human Resources and Civil Service Departments following the passage of Measure JB, demonstrating strong leadership in policy modernization, organizational change management, and post-merger cultural stabilization.

Previously, Sarah served as the Administrative Officer for the Long Beach Fire Department, overseeing personnel operations including payroll, labor relations, workers' compensation, return-to-work coordination, investigations, and disciplinary processes, reinforcing consistent and solution-oriented service delivery within a large public-sector organization.

Sarah also brings extensive executive-level legal and operational leadership experience through prior service as a Deputy City Attorney for the Long Beach City Attorney's Office and as an attorney in the United States Army, where she advised leadership on complex operational, legal, emergency management, and public safety matters, demonstrating sound judgment, executive presence, and the ability to lead effectively in high-pressure environments.

We are excited to welcome Sarah into this critical leadership role. Please join us in congratulating her on this well-deserved appointment!

