

July 2025 Employee of the Month

Transit Service Delivery and Planning



Vondala Whitehead Bus Operator

Operator Vondala Whitehead has been with LBT for 11 years and this is her first employee of the month nomination. She is currently assigned to LBT2 and comes to work with a great attitude, greeting her coworkers and customers with a smile. She is currently working as an extra board, a role in which she is proactive about ensuring service is covered. Operator Whitehead demonstrates her professionalism through her performance, arriving and departing on time every day, in addition to zero preventable accidents or complaints recently. Her positivity and work ethic make her an excellent member of the LBT team.



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Maintenance and Infrastructure



Marlon Perez
Mechanic

Mechanic Marlon Perez has been with LBT for 27 years and this is his seventh employee of the month nomination. His supervisors commend him on his positive attitude and strong work ethic. Marlon ensures buses are serviced thoroughly and ready for reliable service each day, taking pride in his work and sharing knowledge with his coworkers. He is currently assigned to LBT1 and sets a good example for his team by maintaining a steady pace of work, attention to detail and encourages others to go the extra mile.



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Administrative Staff



James Tai Executive Assistant to the Deputy CEO

James Tai serves as Executive Assistant to the Deputy CEO and this is his third employee of the month nomination. He joined LBT in 2018 as the Administrative Assistant to the Finance and Budget Department and was promoted to his current role in 2023. James handles all matters related to LBT's Corporate Office with prompt responsiveness and attention to detail. He begins each day with a walk through of the building to ensure facilities are safe and clean for LBT staff and other tenants, proactively addressing any incidents that may arise. In his duties, he approaches all of his tasks with a sense of ownership and is dedicated to supporting his coworkers. In addition to his daily tasks, James also contributes to the agency by being a member of the employee engagement committee and participating regularly in the safety blitz. James demonstrates his commitment to LBT's internal customers through his level of care, dependability and professionalism.

