

James I. Mateer

James Mateer (Jim) grew up in the northeast area of Los Angeles city. He graduated from Cal State L.A. in 1975 with his B.A. in Criminal Justice. Jim began his career in public service as a Reserve Police Officer in 1975. He began his career with the LAPD in 1977. Jim was promoted to sergeant in 1987. He retired from LAPD in August 2001, after serving his last six years in Hollywood Division.

Jim immediately began his second career with the Los Angeles World Airports. After graduating in Class 56, of the Rio Hondo Fire Academy, he was assigned as an Airport Safety Officer at Ontario International Airport.

Jim served as Treasure for the Retired LAPD Associates from 2010 until December 2014. He has served on the Board of the Los Angeles Retired Fire & Police Association since October of 2014.

Jim lives in San Dimas and has two adult children.