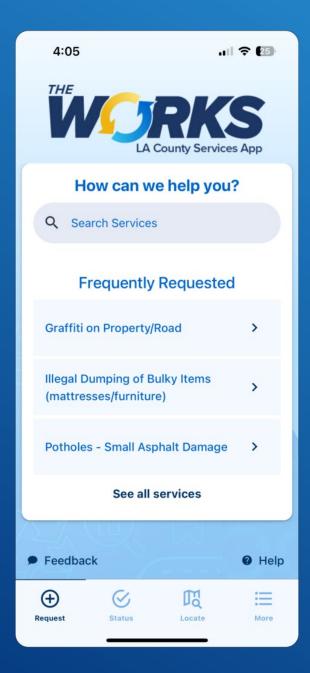
The Works

March 12, 2025: Community Services Cluster Meeting

Presented by: John Calas, Chief Information Officer





Background



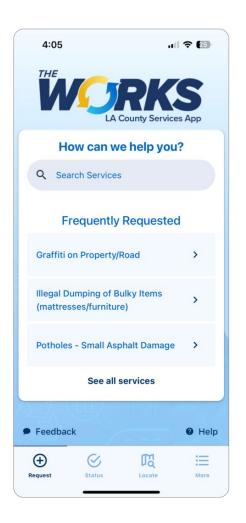
The Works is a one-stop solution for customers to report and track service requests.

First released in 2011

Major refresh in April 2024

Five departments currently use The Works:

Department of Economic Opportunity, Parks, Public Health, Public Works, and Regional Planning



Functionality



The Works has three core functions:

Request: Create new issue or service requests

Status: View status of your submitted requests

Locate: Find available services in your area



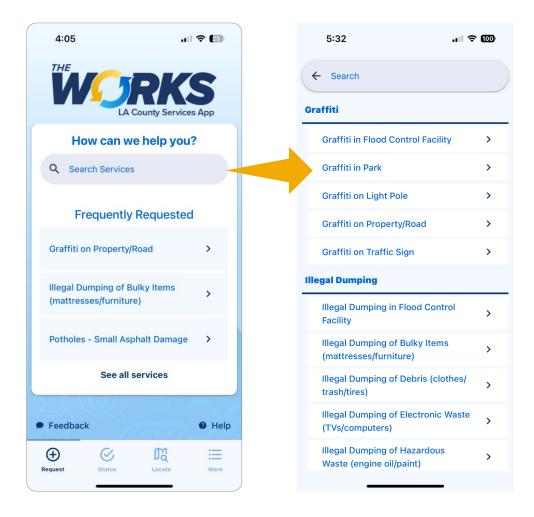
Request: Workflow - Category



The Works employs a simple workflow for customers to use to request service.

Select a Category: Search or scroll for the service you would like to request

Currently, there are 81 services to choose from



Request: Workflow - Location

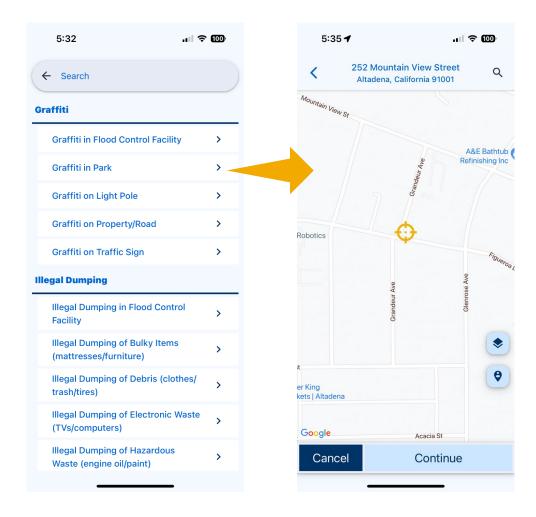


The Works employs a simple workflow for customers to use to request service.

Set a Location: Search for an address or place the cursor on the location of your request



We use GIS to check the service type against the location to determine if we provide service for that area



Request: Workflow - Contact

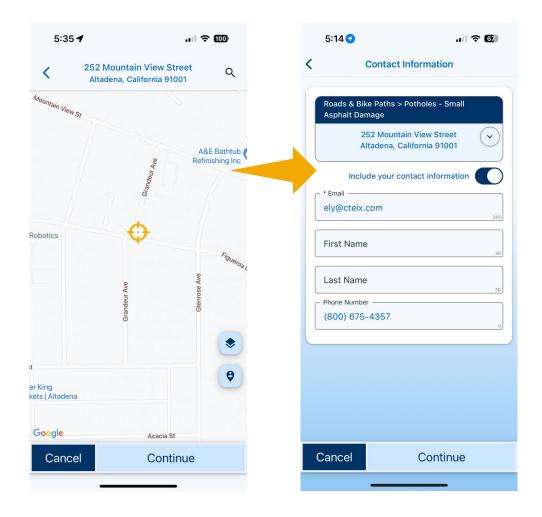


The Works employs a simple workflow for customers to use to request service.

Add Your Contact Information: Add your information for us to contact you about your request



You are not required to add your information. You can always submit requests anonymously



Request: Workflow - Photos

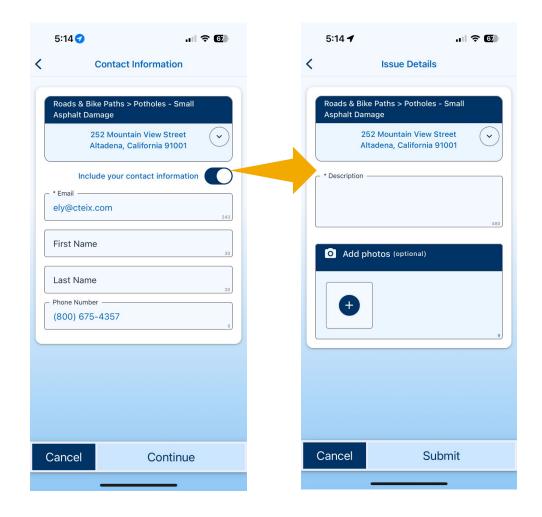


The Works employs a simple workflow for customers to use to request service.

Add Other Details: Add photos and a description to add context to your request



Once submitted, the request is routed to the appropriate team at Public Works or to the other participating departments



Status



At any time, the customer can get a status update for their requests.

You can filter by **Latest**, **Pending**, or **Completed** requests



Locate

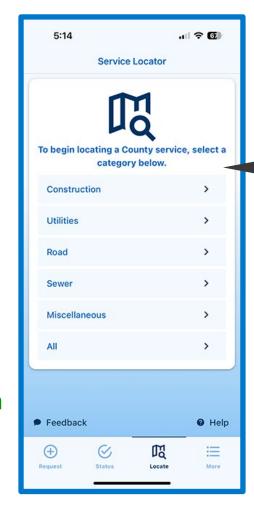


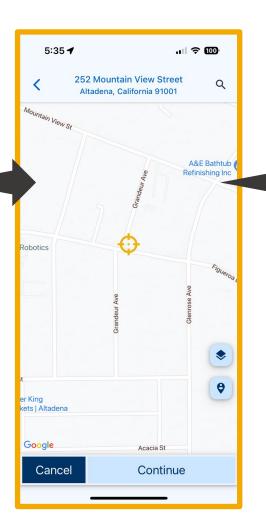
You can also locate County services near you using The Works.

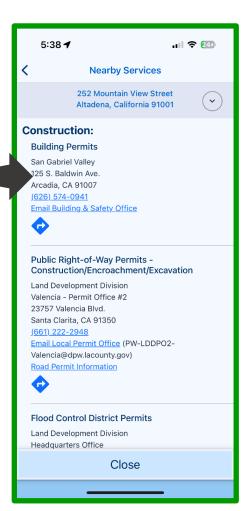
You can filter by various functions or choose to see all services

You select your location

Then, nearby services are shown

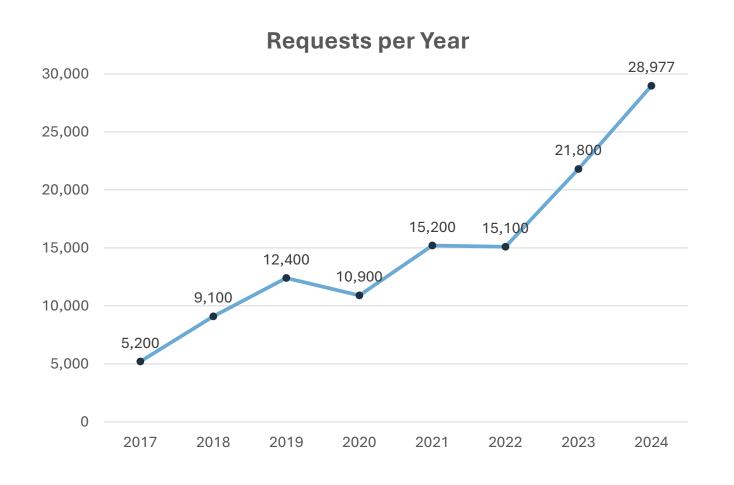






Statistics





Downloads

- iOS: 22,900 (5,508 in 2024)
- Android: 15,500 (2,491 in 2024)

Most Commonly Reported Issues

- 1. Graffiti Abatement
- 2. Illegal Dumping
- 3. Homeless Encampment Requests

Thank You



http://pw.lacounty.gov/theworks