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CITY OF SANTA ANA
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, WARD 2**

Occupation: Businesswoman /City Commissioner

Santa Ana is a diverse community that requires smart, responsible leadership if we are to succeed in the 21st Century. I will bring that leadership to the Santa Ana City Council.

I graduated from Spurgeon and Santa Ana High School and earned my Degree from Santa Ana College. We didn't have much money growing up, but like so many others, with access to education and hard work I have gone on to a successful professional career, working as a Human Resource Director for a major Santa Ana business.

A member and volunteer of the Boys and Girls Club since 1993, I have provided support and guidance to young students and have been recognized for my work on Project Pride, a nationally renowned after-school gang prevention program. I am currently a Santa Ana Parks and Recreation Commissioner.

Investing in premier law enforcement is my top priority. I support funding for programs that reduce drug trafficking in our neighborhoods and improved police response time.

I stand with Neighborhood Associations in their efforts to free our community of gangs and graffiti and will work for partnerships with our school districts to provide our children with a safe environment, additional parks and increased recreational programs.

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