

My wife Mareta and I choose to raise our family in Long Beach (35 year resident) because of its unique character. As your City Council representative, I will dedicate myself to improving the quality of life for our families. I will support community-based policing and work to expand programs that keep our children out of gangs and off drugs. I will clean up Long Beach and create opportunities for our residents.

As a consensus builder my leadership style requires public participation, people power! As a 25-year Church pastor my experience include:

- advocating for the have nots,
- creating leadership programs for the youth,
- teaching financial literacy,
- providing sanctuary.

Priorities:

- Affordable Housing
- Expand City programs for children/teens
- Address teenage unemployment
- Promote small business/community development
- Increase entrepreneurial opportunities

I understand competing goals and the conflicts that can occur. I am an independent thinker who possesses the experience necessary for effective city governance. I respectfully ask for your vote November 5, 2019

Education:

- Bachelor's degree – Civil Engineering (University of Hawaii)
- Master's degree – Business Administration (CSU Long Beach)
- Master's & Doctor's Degree – Theology (Claremont)

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