CANDIDATE STATEMENT

"Women belong in all places where decisions are being made. It shouldn't be that women are the exception."

-Ruth Bader Ginsburg

Justice Ginsburg understood the impact of women and not only believed in them, but also recognized their diverse perspective and power. If elected to be part of town council census tract 4610, I hope to continue with Justice Ginsburg's legacy and create impact in my community that goes beyond my tenure.

As an Altadena native and resident for over three decades, I have seen Altadena blossom. As a native, I understand the needs of all of the citizens of Altadena – from our school children to our growing senior population. I am confident in my ability to provide sensible recommendations and keep the growth of Altadena fulfilling to the community. I have an extensive background in finance and accounting as it relates to real estate and hope to apply those skills to the position. Additionally, I have prior work experience in community development and outreach where extensive attention to detail and review of permitting laws was critical. I am confident in my ability to provide sound town council decision and will strive to keep a keen focus on:

- Supporting local business through job creation and economic development.
- Increasing public safety that allows for a more walkable and bikeable Altadena.
- Increasing community activities that engage our youth and retired citizens.

Building our community is a collaborative effort, I kindly ask for your vote as we all move forward with a prosperous Altadena. Together we can build and sustain a stronger community.

Please vote for Sandra Gonzalez Gutierrez for census tract 4610!