



CITY OF CERRITOS

City Councilmembers



Naresh Solanki Mayor

Term:
March 3, 2020–March 4, 2025



Chuong Vo Mayor Pro Tem

Term:
March 3, 2020–March 4, 2025



Bruce W. Barrows Councilmember

Term:
March 3, 2020–March 4, 2025
** Appointed May 28, 2020 to fill
the unexpired term of former
Councilmember Jim Edwards*



Lynda P. Johnson Councilmember

Term:
April 12, 2022–March 2, 2027



Frank Aurelio Yokoyama Councilmember

Term:
April 12, 2022–March 2, 2027

2024–2025 Mayoral Appointments

Internal Ad Hoc Working Groups

ABC Unified	Chuong Vo Lynda P. Johnson
Arts Program	Lynda P. Johnson
Auto Mall	Naresh Solanki
Budget/Finance	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows
Business/Industry	Naresh Solanki
Cerritos Community College District	Chuong Vo
Chamber of Commerce	Chuong Vo
City Charter Review	Bruce W. Barrows
Community Garden	Chuong Vo Bruce W. Barrows
Disaster Preparedness/ Emergency Management	Naresh Solanki Chuong Vo
Legislative	Lynda P. Johnson
Library	Bruce W. Barrows
L.A. County Public Health Dept.	Lynda P. Johnson
MIS/Technology	Chuong Vo Bruce W. Barrows
Parks and Recreation	Chuong Vo
Personnel	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows
Policy and Procedure	Chuong Vo Bruce W. Barrows
Protocol Manual	Bruce W. Barrows Chuong Vo
Public Safety	Chuong Vo Naresh Solanki
Senior Services/ Senior Center	Lynda P. Johnson
Southeast Gateway Line Project	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows

External Organizations

CA Contract Cities Association	Lynda P. Johnson Chuong Vo	Delegate Alternate
CA Joint Powers Insurance Authority	Chuong Vo Lynda P. Johnson	Delegate Alternate
Gateway Cities Council of Governments	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows	Delegate Alternate
Gateway Cities Council of Governments (91/605/405) Corridor Cities Committee	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows	Delegate Alternate
Gateway Cities Council of Governments Southeast Gateway Line Corridor Cities Committee	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows	Delegate Alternate
Independent Cities Association	Lynda P. Johnson Naresh Solanki	Delegate Alternate
League of California Cities and L.A. Regional Div. Rep.	Lynda P. Johnson Chuong Vo	Delegate Alternate
League of California Cities 2024 Annual General Assembly	Naresh Solanki Chuong Vo	Delegate Alternate
L.A.Co. City Selection Committee (Mayor—Delegate) (Mayor Pro Tem—Alternate)	Naresh Solanki Chuong Vo	Delegate Alternate
L.A. Co. Sanitation Districts (2, 3, 18 & 19) (Mayor—Delegate)	Naresh Solanki Bruce W. Barrows Chuong Vo Lynda P. Johnson Frank A. Yokoyama	Delegate 1st Alternate 2nd Alternate 3rd Alternate 4th Alternate
National League of Cities 2024 Annual Business Meeting	Frank A. Yokoyama	Delegate
Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board—Policy Board	Naresh Solanki Lynda P. Johnson	Delegate Alternate
Southeast Water Coalition Joint Powers Authority	Chuong Vo Naresh Solanki	Delegate Alternate
Southern California Assoc. of Governments	Lynda P. Johnson Chuong Vo	Delegate Alternate

2022–2025



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Appointments

Including the
California Maddy Act
Local Appointments List
GC §54972(a)

Updated as of January 9, 2025



2022-2025

Advisory Board Appointments

Terms end March 31, 2025 (Ordinance No. 1047)

Fine Arts and Historical Commission

Reviews matters pertaining to the Art in Public Places Program and matters of a historical nature

Five (5) member advisory body

Qualifications: City Resident (Resolution No. 2001-44)

Meetings: 3rd Thursday/odd-numbered months, 7 p.m.

Monthly Stipend: \$100 (Resolution No. 2001-44)

Mileage: IRS rate (Minute order 10/25/2007)

Member	Appointment Date	Appointed By
Kelly Colwell	July 14, 2022	Barrows
C.J. Villaluna Ratliff	May 26, 2022	Johnson
Parimal Shah	May 26, 2022	Solanki
Matthew S. Kauble	May 26, 2022	Vo
Michelle H. Guerrero	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama

Parks and Recreation Commission

Reviews matters pertaining to public parks and recreation programs and related projects

Five (5) member advisory body

Qualifications: City Resident (Ordinance No. 643)

Meetings: First Thursday/monthly, 7 p.m. (dark January and April)

Monthly Stipend: \$100 (Resolution No. 95-24)

Auto Allowance: \$50/month (Minute order 10/25/2007)

Member	Appointment Date	Appointed By
David Albright	September 12, 2024	Barrows
Ileana Prado	May 26, 2022	Johnson
Pino Pathak	May 26, 2022	Solanki
Steve W. Lin	June 27, 2024	Vo
Ashok "Pat" Patnaik	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama

Planning Commission

Reviews matters related to planning, land-use, and development

Five (5) member advisory body

Qualifications: City Resident (Ordinance No. 701)

Meetings: First Wednesday/monthly, 7 p.m.

Monthly Stipend: \$300 (Resolution No. 95-24)

Auto Allowance: \$50/month (Minute order 10/25/2007)

Member	Appointment Date	Appointed By
Gene Burd	August 10, 2023	Barrows
Deepak "DJ" Jhaveri	May 26, 2022	Johnson
Bhavin Gandhi	May 26, 2022	Solanki
Carla Gilhuys	May 26, 2022	Vo
Gloria Perlas Pulido	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama

Property Preservation Commission

Reviews matters pertaining to commercial and residential code violations, parkway trees, and oversees the annual City Wide Pride and Community Expo events

Five (5) member advisory body

Qualifications: City Resident (Council Protocol Manual); Persons Qualified to Opine on Matters Pertaining to Substandard Buildings and Property (Ordinance No. 753)

Meetings: Last Tuesday/monthly, 7 p.m. (dark December)

Monthly Stipend: \$100 (Resolution No. 95-24)

Auto Allowance: \$50/month (Minute order 10/25/2007)

Member	Appointment Date	Appointed By
Lew Gentiluomo	October 26, 2023	Barrows
Jignesh Chokshi	June 23, 2022	Johnson
Latha Vasani	May 26, 2022	Solanki
Jeannie Jung	May 26, 2022	Vo
Celia Spitzer	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama

Community Safety Committee

Reviews matters pertaining to citywide community safety

Ten (10) member advisory body

Qualifications: City Resident (Council Protocol Manual)

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday/odd-numbered months, 7 p.m.

Monthly Stipend: \$25 (Resolution No. 97-43)

Mileage: IRS rate (Minute order 10/25/2007)

Member	Appointment Date	Appointed By
Patrick "Maurice" Stitt	August 25, 2022	Barrows
Martin Flax	June 23, 2022	Barrows
Gordon Hom	May 26, 2022	Johnson
Leila Nam	May 26, 2022	Johnson
Pinal Doshi	May 26, 2022	Solanki
Eric Westphal	August 10, 2023	Solanki
Habib Ali	October 12, 2023	Vo
Mel Cortez	May 26, 2022	Vo
Sebastian Gonzalez	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama
Karen Wilson	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama

Let Freedom Ring Committee

Assists in planning and presentation of the City's Annual July 4th Celebration and Festival of Friendship

Ten (10) member advisory body

Qualifications: City Resident (Council Protocol Manual)

Meetings: As-called, 7 p.m.

Monthly Stipend: \$25 (Resolution No. 97-43)

Mileage: IRS rate (Minute order 10/25/2007)

Member	Appointment Date	Appointed By
Monica Ballentine	June 23, 2022	Barrows
Candy Yee	June 23, 2022	Barrows
Rosa Peters	March 28, 2024	Johnson
Dan E. Nino	May 26, 2022	Johnson
Daisy Mina Lagasca	September 14, 2023	Solanki
Leah Nass	September 14, 2023	Solanki
Sean Wang	April 27, 2023	Vo
Melissa Snyder	May 12, 2022	Vo
Hyun Kim	June 23, 2022	Yokoyama
Al Barlevy	September 14, 2023	Yokoyama

City Council Appointments of Residents to External Boards

Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board

Term: Two (2) year term

Qualifications: Private Sector, City of Cerritos

Member	Term	Affirmed By
Sanjay Trivedi	July 1, 2023–June 30, 2025	City Council
Jawahar Shah	July 1, 2024–June 30, 2026	City Council

Greater Los Angeles Vector Control Board

Two (2) or four (4) year term appointment

Qualifications: Resident/Voter, City of Cerritos

Member	Term	Appointed By
Mark Bollman	Jan. 1, 2024–Jan. 3, 2028	City Council

Bellflower Unified School District Citizens' Task Force Committee

Term: One (1) year term

Qualifications: Resident/Voter, City of Cerritos

Member	Term	Appointed By
Alan Snyder	2024–2025 Academic Year	City Council