

CITY OF LOS ANGELES



RESOLUTION

Carlos Rios

WHEREAS, Carlos Rios has devoted more than three decades of distinguished public service to the City of Los Angeles, helping ensure that Los Angeles remains at the forefront of urban mobility through visionary leadership and the advancement of critical transportation projects rooted in safety, reliability, and accessibility; and

WHEREAS, since beginning his career with the City of Los Angeles on November 13, 1994, he has played an instrumental role in shaping policies and systems that strengthened the City's ability to deliver transportation improvements more efficiently and effectively; and

WHEREAS, as Principal Transportation Engineer in the Capital Projects Bureau, the cornerstone of the Los Angeles Department of Transportation's infrastructure initiatives, he led transformative citywide projects and managed a grant portfolio exceeding \$388 million, helping secure and deliver investments that improved the lives of Angelenos; and

WHEREAS, alongside his team, he helped build LADOT's extensive portfolio of more than \$300 million in capital grant-funded projects, advancing long-term traffic safety improvements and laying the groundwork for a safer and more connected Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, he earned the admiration of colleagues as a trusted leader and beloved supervisor who fostered growth, inspired confidence, and built an inclusive workplace culture, demonstrating a deep commitment to mentorship and the professional development of those around him; and

WHEREAS, he has proudly celebrated his Peruvian heritage, realizing his family's aspirations as a first-generation college graduate and sharing the richness of his culture and experiences with his colleagues and community; and

WHEREAS, beyond his professional accomplishments, he remains grounded in the things that bring him joy and purpose: his love of tai chi, Dodgers baseball, and above all, his devotion to his wife, Delia, and their three children, Alessandra, Isabella, and Anthony; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Los Angeles City Council hereby honors and celebrates **CARLOS RIOS** on the occasion of his retirement from the Los Angeles Department of Transportation, recognizing his extraordinary career of service, his lasting contributions to the City of Los Angeles, and the profound impact he has made on colleagues, communities, and generations of public servants.

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YSABEL JURADO
Councilmember, 14th District

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Marcia Jean Gayle

WHEREAS, Marcia Jean Gayle was a respected advocate, producer, and community leader whose life and work reflected an unwavering commitment to disability rights, public engagement, and the advancement of a more inclusive Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, after contracting polio at the age of seven, Marcia transformed personal adversity into a lifelong mission of service, becoming a powerful voice for disability awareness and ensuring that people with disabilities were seen, heard, and valued throughout the City of Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, as the host and producer of the Emmy-nominated television program *New Forces*, she elevated critical conversations surrounding disability and community life, using media as a platform to educate, empower, and inspire audiences across the region; and

WHEREAS, she further dedicated herself to public service as a Board Member of Communities Actively Living Independent and Free (CALIF), an Independent Living Center in Downtown Los Angeles, where her advocacy, leadership, and presence were felt throughout the disability community and beyond; and

WHEREAS, through her tireless efforts to expand awareness, accessibility, and opportunity, Marcia helped create a more equitable city and left a lasting legacy that continues to inspire advocates, community leaders, and future generations; and

WHEREAS, the Betty Wilson Humanitarian Award of Excellence recognizes individuals whose extraordinary contributions have advanced disability awareness, expanded accessibility, and improved the quality of life for people with disabilities throughout the City of Los Angeles; and

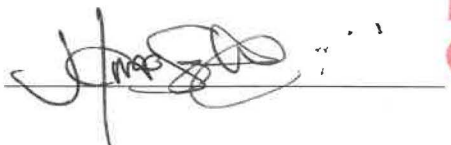
WHEREAS, Marcia Jean Gayle's lifetime of advocacy, leadership, and service exemplifies the spirit and purpose of this award, making her a fitting and deserving inaugural recipient;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Los Angeles City Council hereby posthumously honors **MARCIA JEAN GAYLE** as the inaugural recipient of the Betty Wilson Humanitarian Award of Excellence, recognizing her enduring legacy of service, advocacy, and leadership, and her profound impact on uplifting voices and advancing inclusion for the disability community.

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YSABEL JURADO
Councilmember, 14th District

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Sylvia Jauregui

WHEREAS, Sylvia Jauregui, is retiring after over 35 ½ years of distinguished public service in municipal administration, decades of dedication exemplifying excellence; and

WHEREAS, Sylvia began her municipal career with the City on December 3, 1990, as a Clerk Typist with the Office of the City Administrative Officer in the Administrative Support Group and in 1998, while assigned to the Employee Relations Division, Sylvia was promoted to Senior Administrative Clerk, where she continued providing exceptional administrative support; and

WHEREAS, in 2001, Sylvia was promoted to Principal Clerk, where she supervised the Administrative Support Group, and in 2023 was promoted to Chief Clerk, a position in which she continued to demonstrate exceptional leadership and dedication until her retirement after 35 ½ years of distinguished service to the City; and

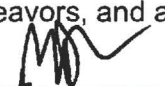
WHEREAS, since the early 2000s, Sylvia has demonstrated exemplary leadership and administrative expertise in overseeing administrative operations, coordinating departmental activities, maintaining efficient office procedures, and supporting staff and executive management with professionalism and dedication; and

WHEREAS, in 2020, her dedication was particularly evident during the Covid-19 Pandemic, during which she ensured the continuity of essential operations, including assisting in the development and implementation of remote operations, and provided seamless support to the Office of the City Administrative Officer; and

WHEREAS, throughout her 35 ½ year career, solely within the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Sylvia worked in support of seven confirmed City Administrative Officers and two interim City Administrative Officers, and played a key role in the formulation and production of more than 4,100 budget memos and 25 annual budgets throughout her distinguished career with the City of Los Angeles; and

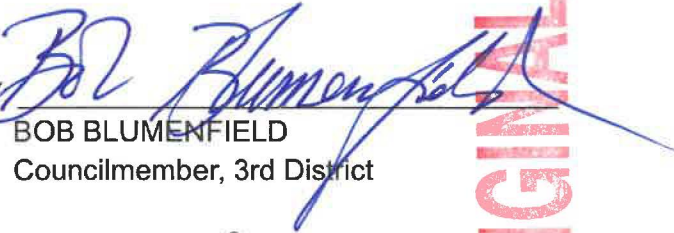
WHEREAS, Sylvia is the proud mother of two sons, Aaron and Adrian; devoted partner to Ruben; and loving grandmother to her three grandchildren, Issac, Selena, and Olivia; and after 35 ½ years of dedicated, diligent, and distinguished service to the City of Los Angeles, has decided to embark on her next adventure in retirement from the City of Los Angeles; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that by adoption of this resolution, the Los Angeles City Council, hereby extends its sincere appreciation and gratitude to SYLVIA JAUREGUI, for her exceptional service, diligence and dedication to improving the quality of life for all during her more than 35 1/2 years of public service, working on behalf of the residents of the City of Los Angeles, and extend best wishes for continued health and success in all of her future endeavors, and a long and happy retirement.

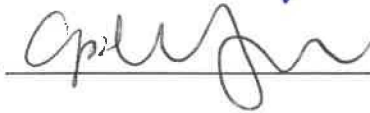

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