

**INLAND EMPIRE LABOR COUNCIL  
AFL-CIO**

# VOTER GUIDE



**NOVEMBER 5TH, 2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

**BE A PART OF CREATING A STRONGER INLAND EMPIRE BY  
VOTING FOR THE BEST CANDIDATES FOR WORKING  
FAMILIES!**



**WE ARE ONE MOVEMENT!**

Mail in or drop off your ballot by November 5th!  
Visit your County Registrar's Website for Ballot Drop-Off Locations!  
San Bernardino County: [elections.sbcounty.gov](https://elections.sbcounty.gov)  
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[ielabor.org](https://ielabor.org)



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**United States Senator**

**ADAM SCHIFF**

U.S. Senate  
[adamschiff.com](http://adamschiff.com)

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**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 23**

**DEREK MARSHALL**

[derekmarshallca.com](http://derekmarshallca.com)

**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 25**

**DR. RAUL RUIZ**

[drraulruiz.com](http://drraulruiz.com)

**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 28**

**JUDY CHU**

[judychu.org](http://judychu.org)

**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 33**

**PETE AGUILAR**

[peteaguilar.com](http://peteaguilar.com)

**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 39**

**MARK TAKANO**

[marktakano.com](http://marktakano.com)

**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 40**

**JOE KERR**

[joekerrforcongress.com](http://joekerrforcongress.com)

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**UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 41**

**WILLIAM 'WILL' ROLLINS**

[willrollinsforcongress.com](http://willrollinsforcongress.com)



"I'm thrilled to have the endorsement of the Inland Empire Labor Council. I'm running to usher in new generation of leadership that will support the PRO Act, fight to increase the minimum wage, and ensure that public funds are used to create good, union jobs. We have plentiful opportunities across the Inland Empire to create thousands of good-paying union jobs in the green energy economy that will bolster our infrastructure, improve public transit, and protect our planet — and I look forward to partnering with organized labor to turn these opportunities into reality."

## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 19

**LISA MIDDLETON**  
*electlisamiddleton.com*

"I am deeply proud and humbled to be endorsed by the hard-working members that power the Inland Empire Labor Council AFL-CIO. Throughout my career in public service, I have always been a strong advocate for working families, standing in solidarity on picket lines, fighting for fair wages and benefits, delivering more family-sustaining jobs, and expanding worker protections. In Sacramento, I will always be your champion in the fight for an economy that works for everyone."



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## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 23

**KIPP MUELLER**  
*kippforsenate.com*

## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 25

**SASHA RENEE PEREZ**  
*sashareneeperez.com*

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## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 29

**ELOISE GOMEZ - REYES**  
*eloiseforsenate.com*



"As special interests line their pockets and greedy corporations make record profits, it's clearer than ever that workers deserve leaders in Sacramento who will be strong and effective leaders. Throughout my career in the Assembly, I've stood up for working families, taking action to expand worker protections, support equal pay and paid leave, and stop employment discrimination. I'm honored to be endorsed by the Inland Empire Labor Council, among multiple labor unions which represent hundreds of thousands of members in California. I'll continue my commitment to fight for workers in the State Senate and prioritize worker protections and good-paying jobs that strengthen our communities."

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## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 31

**SABRINA CERVANTES**  
*sabrinacervantes.com*



STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 36

**JOEY ACUÑA**

*joeyacuna.com*

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STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 39

**JUAN CARRILLO**

*votejuancarrillo.com*

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STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 45

**JAMES RAMOS**

*jamesramos.org*

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STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 58

**CLARISSA CERVANTES**

*clarissacervantes.com*

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STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 60

**COREY JACKSON**


*coreyajackson.net*

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STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 63

**CHRIS SHOULTS**

*shoults4assembly.com*





**STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 47**



**CHRISTY HOLSTEGE**  
*christyholstege.com*

“I’m proud to be a fierce advocate for labor unions. As Mayor of Palm Springs, I passed a Community Workforce Agreement, hero pay for essential workers, and strong worker protections throughout the city. I’ve stood by strikes, never crossed a picket line, and prioritized working Californians. Unions are crucial for the middle class and our democracy. As your representative, I pledge to continue fighting for workers’ rights, collaborating closely with labor unions to build a more just and equitable California. Join me in championing a future where the strength of our unions uplifts the prosperity of every working family.”

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**STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 50**

**United Steelworkers**  
**Inland Empire Legislative Education**  
**Committee**  
**Endorses:**  
**Adam Perez**



# Riverside County

RIVERSIDE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS,  
DISTRICT 1

**JOSE MEDINA**  
*josemedinaforsupervisor.com*

**RICHARD ROTH**  
*generalroth.com*

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CITY OF COACHELLA, CITY COUNCIL

**KIMBERLY MIRANDA**

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CITY OF DESERT HOT SPRINGS, MAYOR

**RUSSELL BETTS**  
*electrussbetts.com*

CITY OF DESERT HOT SPRINGS, CITY COUNCIL,  
DISTRICT 2

**ROGER NUÑEZ**  
*nunezfordhs.com*

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CITY OF INDIO, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5

**BENJAMIN 'BEN' GUITRON**  
*benguitron.com*

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CITY OF JURUPA VALLEY, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 2

**GUILLERMO 'WILLY' SILVA**



CITY OF JURUPA VALLEY, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4

**LESLIE ALTAMIRANO**

*lesliealtamirano.com*

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CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, MAYOR

**ULISES CABRERA**

*ulisesformayor.com*



“In my first term as Mayor, I have made the working families of Moreno Valley a top priority. We have successfully lowered the crime rate and improved response times. We have renovated streets and filled potholes. I have fought alongside our labor brothers and sisters to ensure fair wages and better working conditions. We have worked to bring more businesses, including entertainment and dining options, to our city. While we've made significant progress, there is more work to be done. I would be honored to earn your vote for re-election.”

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CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 3

**ERLAN GONZALEZ**

*GonzalezForMorenoValley.com*

“As a fellow union member and longtime Moreno Valley resident, I understand the concerns and needs of our working families. On the city council, I will fight to make your voice heard on issues like housing affordability, the creation of high-wage jobs, and healthcare access. Together, we can make our voices heard. Vote Erlan Gonzalez for Moreno Valley City Council District 3, where families thrive.”



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**CITY OF NORCO, CITY COUNCIL**

**KATHERINE ALEMAN**  
*katherinealeman.com*

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**CITY OF PALM DESERT, CITY COUNCIL,  
DISTRICT 2**

**GREGG AKKERMAN**  
*greggakkerman.com*

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**CITY OF PALM DESERT, CITY COUNCIL,  
DISTRICT 3**

**ANYSE SMITH**  
*anyseforpd.com*

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**CITY OF PALM SPRINGS CITY,  
COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4**

**NAOMI SOTO**  
*naomisoto.com*



“It’s an honor to stand with working families.  
I promise to be a fierce voice and advocate  
for organized labor.”

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**CITY OF PALM SPRINGS, CITY  
COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5**

**DAVID READY**  
*readyforpalmsprings.com*

“I’ve been a lifelong supporter of organized  
labor and in my experience, unionized  
workers provide an employer with a strong  
well trained and committed workforce.  
As a City Council Member, I will advocate for  
the values of collective bargaining.”







CITY OF PERRIS, MAYOR

**MICHAEL VARGAS**

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CITY OF PERRIS, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4

**MALCOLM CORONA**

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CITY OF TEMECULA, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4

**SUSAN 'SUE' EVANS**

*evansfortemeculacitycouncil.com*

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DESERT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA 2

**BEA GONZALEZ**

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RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
DISTRICT, GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,  
TRUSTEE AREA 1

**WILLIAM 'BILL' HEDRICK**

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GOVERNING BOARD AREA 1,  
COACHELLA VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT

**AGUSTIN ARREOLA**

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GOVERNING BOARD AREA 4, COACHELLA VALLEY  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

**JOCELYN VARGAS**

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GOVERNING BOARD AREA 5, MORENO VALLEY  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

**RUTH SELF - WILLIAMS**

*ruthself-williams.com*



**GOVERNING BOARD AREA 4, PERRIS ELEMENTARY  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**DOUGLAS CORONA**

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**GOVERNING BOARD AREA 3, RIVERSIDE  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**CHANI BEEMAN**  
*beeman4rusd3.com*

"I am a former union activist prepared to bring the needs and concerns of working families to the RUSD school board. I will draw on my union experience to connect the school board to the rest of us so you can fully understand what's going on, just as I have done with other critical issues in our community."



**GOVERNING BOARD AREA 2, RIVERSIDE  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**DALE KINNEAR**  
*dalekinnear.org*

"Together, we will increase student achievement while expanding and enhancing career/vocational education."



**WESTERN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT  
DIRECTOR, DIVISION 5**

**FAUZIA RIZVI**

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**DESERT RECREATION  
DISTRICT, DIRECTOR,  
DIVISION 3**

**LUIS ESPINOZA**

**DESERT RECREATION  
DISTRICT, DIRECTOR,  
DIVISION 5**

**ANDRES CORONEL**  
*andrescoronel.com*

## Riverside County Measure

**MEASURE CC : RECOMMENDATION-VOTE YES**

**RCCD.EDU**

*Riverside Community College District Career Preparation, Affordable Higher Education Measure - To repair/upgrade local community colleges, improve access to affordable higher education for careers/university transfer; provide safe drinking water; remove asbestos, lead paint; repair deteriorating gas lines, roofs; upgrade safety/security; and acquire, construct, repair facilities, sites, equipment; if passed Riverside Community College District's measure will authorize \$954,000,000 in bonds at legal rates, of assessed valuation with oversight and audits.*

**KNOW SOMEONE WHO WANTS TO  
UNIONIZE THEIR WORKPLACE?**



***UnionizeCalifornia.org***

**CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF LABOR UNIONS, AFL-CIO**

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## San Bernardino County

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY ASSESSOR - RECORDER - CLERK

**DARA SMITH**  
*votedarasmith.com*

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CITY OF COLTON, CITY CLERK

**JOHN D. MITCHELL**

CITY OF COLTON, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 2

**KELLY CHASTAIN**

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CITY OF FONTANA, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 3

**JESUS 'JESSE' SANDOVAL**

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CITY OF MONTCLAIR, CITY COUNCIL

**XAVIER MENDEZ**  
*mendezformontclair.com*

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CITY OF ONTARIO, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4

**ANDREA GALVAN**  
*andrea4ontario.com*

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CITY OF REDLANDS, CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 4



**JENNA GUZMAN LOWREY**  
*jennaforredlands.com*

“Fostering a strong, united community has been my unwavering focus. Unions are the backbone of our Redlands community. They are the champions for our city workers, ensuring every laborer in the region receives fair treatment and knows their rights. Unions are indispensable allies for the working class, and I am committed to their success.”

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CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO, CITY COUNCIL, WARD 7

**JAMES 'JIM' PENMAN**

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GOVERNING BOARD AREA 1, CHINO VALLEY UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT

**ERIC SHAMP**

*ericshamp.com*

GOVERNING BOARD AREA 2, CHINO VALLEY UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT

**GARRETT 'BEAU' MCFARLAND**

*beaumcfarland.com*

GOVERNING BOARD AREA 5, CHINO VALLEY UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT

**BOBBY OMARI**

*bobbyomari.com*

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GOVERNING BOARD AREA 4, FONTANA UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT

**United Steelworkers Inland Empire Legislative Education Committee**

**Endorses in Name Only:**

**Joshua Christ –**

GOVERNING BOARD AREA 3, REDLANDS UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT



**MELISSA AYALA QUINTERO**

*melissaforrusd.com*

"As a school board member, my primary responsibility is to prioritize the academic well-being of our students. When a child's basic needs are met, they are better positioned to succeed academically. Additionally, the stability provided by union jobs enables parents to concentrate on their children's education, which contributes to higher academic achievement."



**GOVERNING BOARD AREA 4, REDLANDS  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**ALEX VARA**

*vara4education.com*

"I am deeply honored and grateful to receive your endorsement for my candidacy as a school board member. Your support is a testament to our shared commitment to fostering a nurturing and equitable educational environment for all students."

**GOVERNING BOARD AREA 5, REDLANDS UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**VALERIE TABER**

*valerietaber4redlandsusd.com*

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**GOVERNING BOARD AREA 1, VICTOR VALLEY UNION  
HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**KYLE HOVANNESIAN**

*kylehovannesian.com*

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**GOVERNING BOARD, SAN BERNARDINO  
UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**MIKKI CICHOCKI**

"Every student deserves access to the best schools. It is our job to provide them. It takes everyone in our community including our partners in labor to move our schools forward. A 21st century education provides students with college and career & technical education opportunities. Together, we can ensure our students graduate ready for success."



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**INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY BOARD OF  
DIRECTORS, DIVISION 1**

**MARCO TULE**



## California Propositions

**PROPOSITION 2: RECOMMENDATION -  
VOTE YES**

*\$10 billion K-14 school facilities construction bond.*

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**PROPOSITION 3: RECOMMENDATION -  
VOTE YES**

*Repeals ban on same-sex marriage in the California Constitution.*

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**PROPOSITION 4: RECOMMENDATION -  
VOTE YES**

*\$10 billion climate resiliency bond.*

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**PROPOSITION 5: RECOMMENDATION -  
VOTE YES**

*Allows local bonds for infrastructure and affordable housing with 55% voter approval.*

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**PROPOSITION 6: RECOMMENDATION -  
VOTE YES**

*Prohibits mandatory prison labor.*

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**PROPOSITION 32: RECOMMENDATION -  
VOTE YES**

*Raises the minimum wage to \$18/hr.*

