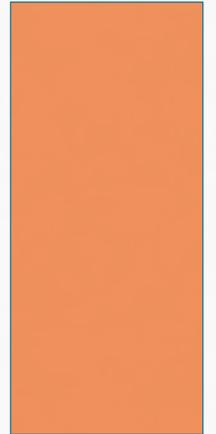


CARLA ERNEST

MORGAN HILL CITY COUNCIL APPLICANT



PERSONAL

- Resident of Morgan Hill for 4 years
- BS from Johnson University
- Professional Project Manager for 30 years
- Married to college sweetheart
- 2 grown daughters



COMMITTED TO THE COMMUNITY

- Involved in the community in an informal level
- Accomplished Project Manager
- Formed a leadership team and began leading the 101 W neighborhood efforts to understandi HSR
- From a diverse group, we settled on these Values
 - Maintain the peace and tranquility of Morgan Hill
 - Ensure property owners who are affected, both directly and indirectly are properly compensated.
 - Ensure that HSR decisions are made in an open and fair way

COMMITTED TO THE COMMUNITY- HSR

- Became aware of HSR meeting, although it was not publicized nor were potentially affected property owners notified.
- Began to network with neighbors to gather information and understand implications, especially relating to route and compensation to property owners
- Continuing to reach out to the local city council, state and US senators and other government officials seeking information and assistance
- Hosted a neighborhood meeting of more than 80 people in our home.
- Have met with HSR officials
- Making both time and financial investment

CONCLUSION

- Doubts have arisen about the competency and integrity of HSR to manage this project in a way that is acceptable to Morgan Hill
- City Council needs to play a key role in the HSR issue
- Positioned to help Morgan Hill address HSR and other issues that come up in the future with the same skills and tenacity to ensure that Morgan Hill residents and are fair city are protected