

## **Alicia Carmen Aguirre**

Alicia C. Aguirre is the Mayor of the Redwood City Council. She was appointed in January, 2005 and was elected in November, 2005, 2007, and 2011. She also served as a Trustee and the President of the Redwood City Elementary School Board.

She serves as an elected official on many of the City's committees and several regional boards in the County of San Mateo.

As an active community member, she has served on numerous community boards in San Mateo County. Some of these include:

- Sequoia Awards,
- Youth and Family Assistance,
- Latina Mentor Advisory Council of the San Mateo County Office of Education,
- Redwood City Library Foundation,
- Young Latino Leaders,
- Shelter Network Board
- Hispanos Unidos,
- Mt. Carmel School Board and the Garfield Charter School Board
- Alicia is Chair of the Redwood City Chamber Leadership Committee and member of the Government Relations Committee.
- She is on the Executive Board of the Statewide Latino Caucus of the League of California Cities.
- She is Co-Chair of the Latino Leadership Council of San Mateo.
- She is the Treasurer of the newly formed Latino Political Action Committee of San Mateo County.
- She was inducted into the Redwood City San Mateo County Chamber Hall of Fame.

Alicia is a professor at Cañada College. She has taught there since 1988 in the English Institute and the Spanish Department. She is Chair of the District Curriculum Committee and on the District Academic Senate. She holds an M.A. from Eastern Michigan University and has done Doctoral studies in Social Anthropology at the Universidad Iberoamericana in Mexico City. She was a Fulbright Exchange Professor in Argentina.

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