

## Commission on the Status of Women Applicant

**Ms Nancy Pierandozzi**

**Application Date: 08/17/20**

**Reside in Santa Monica: yes**

**If yes, number of years: 50 years**

### **INTERESTS AND EXPERIENCE**

**Current or prior service on city boards/commissions:**

One term on this commission, Status of Women

**Community activities:**

all associated with our commission, as well as a Friend of Sunset Park, and a donor and participant at Westside Ballet. Also, I am a 48 year member of SGI-USA.

**Qualifications, experience, education, and technical or professional requirements:**

I have worked for LAUSD for 40 years as an educator, coordinator, and facilitator. I am currently licensed as an MFT and have a MS from USC and an MA from Antioch. I have worked on this commission actively for the last four years attending events, educational opportunities, and other meetings in support of Santa Monica's women and girls.

**Areas of demonstrated expertise:**

As an MFT, I have worked extensively with families, couples, and women specifically. I have taken current coursework and serve on the AdHoc committee that has to do with Promoting Safe Communities.

**Goals:**

Personally, I would like to continue with the work we have started, especially addressing the concerns about those people (women) who are unsheltered. Our AdHoc has sponsored a forum at the Church on Ocean Park on "homelessness" and we had another scheduled for April when we were restricted by C19.

**Vision:**

My vision includes expanding the role we play in the lives of women and girls. I do believe that there is more that we can do, and, in the time I have served on the Commission, we have become much more active in Santa Monica life, more events like Denim Day.

**Personal Qualities:**

I successfully conceived, managed, and grew a Performing Arts Magnet School. I programmed students, facilitated issues with teachers, and worked closely with parents and students. I also have held leadership roles in UTLA and SGI-USA.

**Will you be able to commit the necessary time to perform your duties if appointed to the board?**

yes

**How did you learn about the vacancy in this board or commission? (select all that apply)**

Word of Mouth- Council or Board/Commission member, City Staff, neighborhood groups, etc.

**BUSINESS INFORMATION**

Occupation: retired

Business name:

Business address:

Business phone: