

ATTACHMENT 2

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WORK EXPERIENCE

TORRES LAW GROUP, Oakland CA

Principal/Attorney, March 2004 – Present

- Serving litigants as plaintiff or defendant in matters that include personal injury, workers compensation defense, civil rights violations, construction defect disputes, contract disputes and various small business issues.
- Represent consumers in Chapter 7 and 13 Bankruptcy in the Northern District Court.
- Represent family law litigants in divorce, domestic violence, guardianship, and adoption matters with emphasis on child custody disputes.
- Negotiate 100's of cases via mediation, arbitration and collaborative law practices.
- Provide criminal defense on variety of felony and misdemeanor cases through jury trial.
- Manage a bilingual multi-cultural law firm serving litigants throughout the bay area.

SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY- DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Stockton CA

Deputy District Attorney, 2002-2004

- Represented the People of the State of California in all stages of criminal prosecution.
- Researched, drafted and argued variety of criminal motions and quasi-civil motions.
- Daily court appearances prosecuting cases by managing a court calendar and court trials.
- Prepared witnesses and victims for court testimony.
- Prosecuted 100's of matters weekly in misdemeanor court, primarily through early resolution.

SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY- COUNTY COUNSEL, Stockton CA

Deputy County Counsel, 2000-2002

- Represented county agencies such as Health and Human Services, County General Hospital, Sheriff's Department, District Attorney's Office, Public Conservator/Guardian, etc.
- Independent case handling as well as partnership with outside counsel on evaluation, discovery, law & motion, mediation, trial preparation and trial.
- Provided legal counsel to agencies regarding compliance on various departmental issues to avoid litigation exposure for the County.
- Reduced exposure to litigation by coordinating the removal of blighted property at a mobile home park with the appointment of a Receiver leading to the demolition, removal and sale of said property and the relocation of families, with costs recovered for the County via prosecution of park owners for health and safety code violations.

EDUCATION

Albany Law School, Juris Doctorate - May 1998: President of Latino Law Student Association, Securities & Exchange Mock Trial Team member, AIDS Law Clinic Intern, research assistant to Government Law Center

San Francisco State University, Bachelors of Science - January 1992: Degree in Marketing

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

Elected to School Board of Oakland Unified School District, District 5, 2013-2017

Board of Directors, Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Alameda County, 2010 - Present

Board of Directors, National Women's Political Caucus, Alameda Chapter, 2011 - Present

Committee Member, Measure Y Commission for City of Oakland, 2005-2007

Board of Directors, Centro Legal De La Raza, 2010-2012

HONORS & RECOGNITION

Certificate of Special Congressional Recognition, Congressman George Miller, 2013

Certificate of Recognition by Assembly member Bonilla, Business Woman of the Year, 2013

Certificate of Recognition by Senator Mark DeSaulnier, Business Woman of the Year, 2013

Hispanic Business Salute, Telemundo, 2010

Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Alameda County, Small Business Award, 2009