



CITY OF SIMI VALLEY



Council Member Glen Becerra

Council Member Glen Becerra was successful in his re-election bid in November 2006, beginning his third four-year term as a City Council Member. He served a one-year term as Mayor Pro Tem in 2002 and again in 2006.

Council Member Becerra is currently employed as a Public Affairs Region Manager for the Southern California Edison Company, where he has served the communities of Simi Valley, Santa Clarita, and San Fernando since 1996. Prior to joining the Edison Company, Council Member Becerra worked for Assemblyman James L. Brulte as a Legislative Aide. His primary areas of responsibility were legislation dealing with California's Utility Industry and the State Allocation Board, which is responsible for financing the renovation and construction of public schools.

The first in his family to graduate from a university, Council Member Becerra attended Moorpark Community College and the University of California, Berkeley, where he earned a B.A. in History in 1993. After graduation, he was accepted into the Executive Fellowship Program, a public policy program sponsored jointly by the Governor's Office and the Center for California Studies at California State University, Sacramento. Upon completing the Fellowship program, Council Member Becerra officially joined the Wilson Administration as Deputy Director for the Office of External Affairs, which oversees the operation and management of the Governor's local field offices and serves as the liaison for law enforcement, crime victims, and other constituent groups.

Council Member Becerra is an active member of the community. He is currently on the Board of Directors for the Simi Valley Boys and Girls Club, where he has served as the Vice President for Fund Development, and is actively involved with the Simi Valley Education Foundation. He served on the Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors from 1996 to 1998.

Council Member Becerra has served as President of the League of California Cities Channel Counties Division and currently serves on the Board of Directors for the statewide organization. In April of 2001, President George W. Bush appointed Council Member Becerra to the White House Commission on Presidential Scholars. The Commission selects, recognizes and honors top achieving high school seniors from across the country.

Council Member Becerra currently serves on the City's Community Gang Task Force, Task Force on Homelessness, Los Angeles Avenue Revitalization Committee, and Tapo Street Revitalization Committee.

Council Member Becerra and his wife Sally have two children, Elizabeth and Nicholas. The Becerra family has called Simi Valley home for over 70 years.