

ELECT JOE **Lara-Gardner** **West Covina CITY COUNCIL**

Candidate Statement **August 11, 2015**

Joe Lara-Gardner has lived in West Covina since 1988. As a taxpayer, Joe is concerned about the fiscal challenges in West Covina government and lack of a budget surplus. He is also concerned about the deterioration of public safety. He will strive to safeguard taxpayer dollars and work for a more transparent government. Joe will say "NO" to more taxes and "YES" on paying down debt and improving city services.

Joe is committed to restoring West Covina's namesake as the "Headquarters of the Valley" and he will work to assure our neighborhoods are safe from crime.

As a proud American of Mexican descent and a retired police sergeant, Joe Lara-Gardner has dedicated much of his life to community service and public safety. Joe is President of a Meals On Wheels chapter that serves West Covina, Commissioner for the Los Angeles County Probation Department and active church and community volunteer.

Let's take a stand and help restore common sense and fiscal responsibility to West Covina government. Vote for Joe Lara-Gardner. Joe will serve the residents of West Covina with honor and integrity.

Joe Lara-Gardner for West Covina Council-2015

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