

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
COUNCIL MEMBER CITY OF EL CENTRO**

SONIA CARTER

Age: 47

Occupation: Computer Lab Supervisor

Education and Qualifications: I am a lifelong El Centro resident who wants to give back. I am a mother, a daughter, Volunteerism is an important part of my life. I have served on the school site council, PTO president, and as my church youth director. I am a member of CSEA and I volunteer for community homeless programs. I hold a bachelor's degree, in business. I believe our council should represent all of our community and reflect its social, economic and cultural diversity. I also want to bring the values I learned from my family. My mother was a school teacher and my father an army veteran. They taught me the importance of hard work and service. I have learned what people working together can do to make a difference for everyone. I can bring that experience to the council. As your city council member, I will work for you. I will be there to listen and support the community. Safety, transparency, and community outreach will be my priorities. My vision for the future of our city is one of inclusion. I am asking for your vote. Together we can make a difference.