

ATHENS SERVICES APPOINTS AVYGAIL SANCHEZ AS VICE PRESIDENT OF GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA (July 25, 2022) – Athens Services has welcomed Avygail Sanchez as Vice President of Government Affairs.

She will manage government relations and community efforts in cities throughout Los Angeles County. These include Avocado Heights, Bell Gardens, Downey, Lomita, Montebello, Monterey Park, Norwalk, Paramount, Pomona, Rowland Heights, South El Monte, and Whittier.



Avygail has over 20 years of experience in implementing leadership development programs, project coordination, and client relations management at the community and governmental level.

Coming from a background of architecture and engineering, she has worked with cities behind the scenes in transportation infrastructure and is looking forward to building relations on a personal level.

“The goal is to make cities in our region a better place to live,” said Avygail. “Cities are defined by boundaries on a map and in reality those boundaries are not where communities end. It’s essential to understand each city’s priorities to be a good partner and help achieve that.”

Her plan is to work alongside elected officials to help meet the needs of Athens customers while also putting forth a commitment to serve.

“Avygail has an extensive background in government affairs, project management, and programming. I’m confident her work with the cities we serve will help meet and exceed community needs and she will be a great asset to the Athens Team,” said Executive Vice President Gary Clifford.

Avygail resides in Covina with her fiancé, daughter, stepson, and her dog Charlie, a German Shorthaired Pointer. She has served on the boards of the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles Business Council, Los Angeles Business Council Institute, Mobility 21 - Business Advisory Council, Orange County Business Council, and Sierra Madre/Pasadena YMCA.

She received her Bachelor’s in Psychology from Mount Saint Mary’s University and her Master’s in Urban Planning from the UCLA Luskin School of Public Affairs.

Athens Services is a recycling and waste diversion leader in Southern California. Family-owned and operated since 1957, Athens was founded on the simple principle of providing exceptional service, by hiring and developing great people, while fostering a safe, healthy, and sustainable environment; that’s The Athens Way. Today, Athens Services teams up with local communities, as well as private institutions and government agencies, as their zero waste partner.

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