



**Tony Ybarra** is a lifelong resident of Riverside and currently resides in Ward 3. Growing up in the Eastside community, he attended local schools and was involved in city athletic leagues. He attended Riverside City College and earned a Bachelor's Degree from the University of California at Riverside. He worked for The Riverside County Probation Department at Van Horn Youth Center as a Counselor for several years prior to joining the California Highway Patrol.

As a CHP Officer, Tony was assigned to duties in the Inland Empire. During his tenure, he was assigned to a Narcotic Task Force specializing in the investigation and dismantling of clandestine drug labs. He subsequently became a Special Agent with the California Department of Justice where he was assigned to the Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement. He attained the rank of Special Agent in Charge and was assigned to the Los Angeles Regional office. He was also the Director of LA IMPACT. He recently retired after 32 years in law enforcement.

Tony has also developed into a nationally recognized expert in many fields of narcotic enforcement, supervision, and management. He has extensive teaching experience and has taught and given presentations cross the United States, Canada, and Mexico.

As a lifelong Riverside resident, he now has the time to become involved with and to contribute to quality of life issues and programs for the residents of Riverside.

He is married to his wife Beverly, who is a retired Parole Agent, and they enjoy travelling, gardening, motorcycle riding, and golf.

**Term expires in March 2019.\***