

Press Release
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San Leandro Mayor Emeritus Shelia Young announced today that she would not be a candidate for the District 3 seat of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors. After much deliberation and meetings with family, supporters and constituents in the District, she has made the decision not to seek the seat. “These are extremely trying and burdensome times. The budgets over the next few years are going to be challenging and will require experienced and knowledgeable representatives who are prepared to deal with all the issues facing the County of Alameda.” For these reasons, Ms. Young has endorsed and will support for election to the District 3 seat former Supervisor and Assemblymember Wilma Chan. Ms. Chan has spent much of the last two decades representing Alameda County both at the local and state levels and understands the needs of all the communities in this district. “I am confident in her ability to fight for San Leandro Hospital and the people who depend on our hospital and its emergency room. I am also keenly aware of legislation she authored at a state level which provides notice protections for individuals and families from insurance companies,” said Ms. Young.

Ms. Young also announced that she has placed her name on the ballot for a seat on the 18th Assembly District Democratic Central Committee so that she might continue to work on behalf of her constituents at a different level.
