

**DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD
EMPOWERMENT WITNESS STATEMENT FORM**

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Challenge # _____

Witness Form # _____

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Challenges are covered in the Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 22.818.

"The following information contained herein is within my own personal knowledge and relates only to facts and circumstances surrounding the Grievance submitted by Deborah Lee on 6/15/2016 regarding Harbor Gateway North Neighborhood Council."

Concerns regarding the inaccuracy on the unofficial "Canvass of Votes" form for the Harbor Gateway North election held on June 11th 2016. The candidates for Community Organization Representative were identified as Rosalie Preston and Bryan Davis instead of Deborah Lee and Bryan Davis. Rosalie Preston was actually candidate for a different position. The name of Deborah Lee, who was the candidate for this position, did not appear at all.

My second concern is regarding the high number of combined votes cast for the two candidates, for the above position, significantly surpassing the number cast for any other position.

These two issues cause doubts regarding the validity of the results from this election.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that all information on this form is public record.

Date: 6/15/2016

Name: Joan I. Jacobs

Signature: _____

Department Review

Date witness form received: _____

Date witness form reviewed: _____

Witness form reviewed by: _____

Grievance number: _____