

# WOMEN'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE – STATE PAC

Please type or print your answers. Please complete the answers to all the questions. When using a separate sheet of paper please include the question along with the answer.

**1. Candidate's Name**

Blanca Pacheco

**2. Office Seeking (Please include the number of your district.)**

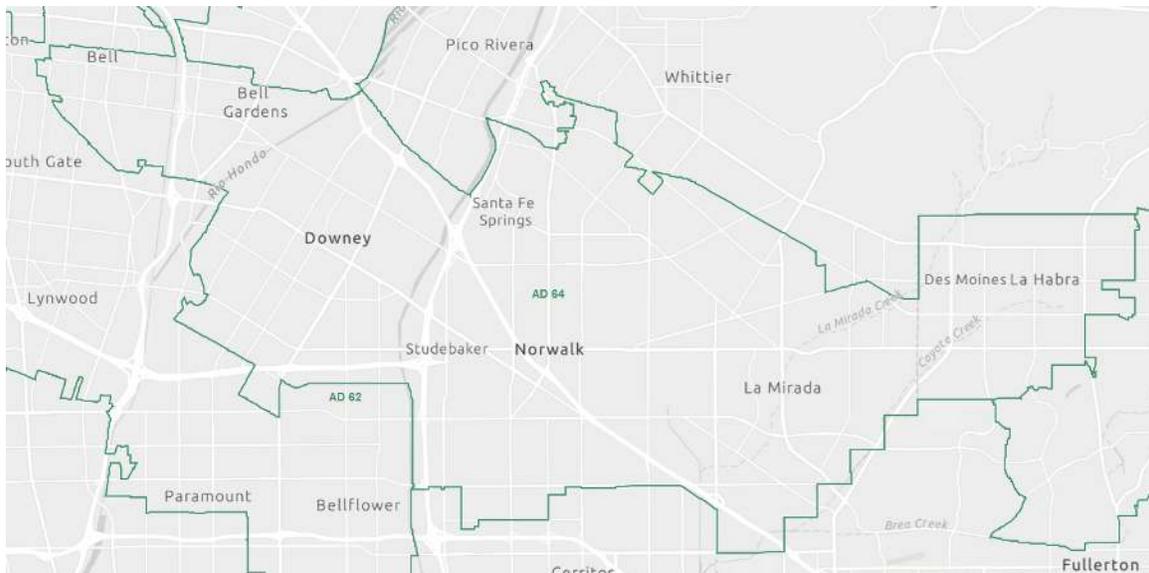
California State Assembly District 64

**3. Description of the District: (If you are seeking statewide office answer only section b.):**

**a. Cities in district; location of the district. How much of your district is new due to redistricting? Please attach a map of the district to this questionnaire.**

42% of this district is the old AD-57, 38% is the old AD-58, 12% is the old AD-55, and 9% is the old AD-63.

The new AD-64:



The cities in this district include:

- Bell
- Bell Gardens
- Cudahy
- Downey
- La Habra
- La Mirada
- Norwalk
- Unincorporated LA County

**b. Voter Registration: Include ethnic, party, and gender breakdown for the seat for which you are running according to total population, total registration, and total number of high propensity voters.**

	All Voters	%	High Propensity Voters	%
<b>Female</b>	141716	51.49%	81345	53.59%
<b>Male</b>	125729	45.68%	67016	44.15%
<b>Black</b>	3664	1.33%	2452	1.62%
<b>Asian</b>	19891	7.23%	11200	7.38%
<b>Latino</b>	174281	63.32%	90690	59.75%
<b>Dem</b>	141144	51.28%	82371	54.27%
<b>Rep</b>	56832	20.65%	36724	24.20%
<b>Total</b>	275233	100.00%	151781	100.00%

**c. Past elections: How did your AD and SD vote for Governor and Controller in 2018? How did your AD and SD vote for President in 2016?**

This is a new district and so I have access to data on President 2016 and Governor 2018 via California Target Book, but not Controller 2018

	President 2016	Governor 2018	
<b>New District 64</b>	Hillary Clinton +40.9%	Newsom +31.7%	

**Please be sure to answer all parts of the questions.**

**4. If your election dates are not consistent with California State Elections, please note the dates of your Primary and your General.**

N/A - my election dates are consistent with the rest of the state.

**5. Who is the present holder of the seat for which you are running? If this person is not a pro-choice Democrat, when was the last time a pro-choice Democrat held this seat?**

The old AD-57 is currently held by Lisa Calderon. The old AD-58 is currently held by Cristina Garcia. Both are pro-choice Democrats.

**6. Major Challenger:**

My opponent is Republican Raul Ortiz.

**7. Campaign Team:**

General Consultant: J&Z Strategies

Fundraiser: Nicole Ward

Staff: Wendy Mora

**8. Fundraising:**

**a. How much money have you raised? (Please do not include pledges.)**

Raised to date: \$533,000

**b. How much do you need to raise?**

\$500,000 for the general

**c. How much money are you allowed to raise if there are limits?**

N/A

**d. How much cash do you have on hand?**

This figure changes daily.

**e. How much is a loan from you to the campaign?**

\$50,000

**f. How much money has your major challenger(s) raised?**

I don't have that information.

**For the next 2 questions please do not include money transferred.**

**g. How much money have you raised this last reporting period?**

\$518,636.32 from Jan 2022 through June 2022

**h. How much money has your major challenger(s) raised in this last reporting period?**

Unknown

**i. If there is a voluntary spending cap will you take it, and what is the limit if you accept the cap?**

I have accepted the spending limit of \$400,000 in the primary, and \$700,000 in the general.

**9. What is your campaign strategy (mail, media, etc.)?**

My campaign is executing comprehensive digital, field, and finance strategies to reach as many voters as possible. Voter outreach tactics include paid digital advertising, text messaging, phone banking, mailers, and pursuing a broad earned media strategy. Our finance program includes events, call time, bundling, and meetings both in the district and in Sacramento.

**10. Has any polling been done in the last two months? Please share the results.**

No polling has been done.

**11. What is your position on choice? Please check yes (if you agree) or no (if you disagree) with the following:**

**a. A woman has the right to choose an abortion for any reason up to the point of viability, as determined by a physician and in accordance with the principles of Roe v. Wade.**

**YES**

NO

**b. A woman has the right to choose an abortion at any time during her pregnancy to protect her life and health.**

**YES**

NO

- c. Every patient, in consultation with her physician, has the right to determine the best medical procedures and practices with regard to reproductive health and abortion.

**YES**

NO

- d. All women should have the ability, regardless of income level or age, to access safe, confidential and affordable abortion and reproductive care (with or without parental consent).

**YES**

NO

- e. There should be public funding for family planning and abortion services.

**YES**

NO

- f. There should be no waiting period to obtain an abortion.

**YES**

NO

- g. We should have comprehensive and evidence-based (accurate) sex education.

**YES**

NO

- h. A minor should have access to abortion services without having to notify a parent or responsible adult.

**YES**

NO

If you are running for statewide office you may skip question 12.

12. Please list the State Senate or Assembly and Congressional seats that overlap your district. List both the name of the present occupant and number of the district.

- a. State Assembly District # Name of Occupant

N/A

- b. State Senate District # Name of Occupant

Overlapped the old AD 58:

SD 30: Sydney Kamlager  
SD 33: Lena A. Gonzalez  
SD 36: Patricia C. Bates

Overlapped the old AD 57:

SD 22: Susan Rubio  
SD 30: Sydney Kamlager  
SD 34: Thomas J. Umberg

**c. Congressional District # Name of Occupant**

Overlapped the old AD 58:

CD 38: Linda Sánchez  
CD 42: Ken Calvert  
CD 44: Nanette Barragán  
CD 45: Katie Porter

Overlapped the old AD 57:

CD 31: Pete Aguilar  
CD 38: Linda Sánchez

**13. List only the names of any non-incumbent women who you supported in the previous primary election running for:**

**Congress: Cristina Garcia**

**State**

**Senate:**

**Assembly:**

**Statewide Office:**

**14. List only the names of non-incumbent women candidates who you are supporting for Congress, State Senate, and Assembly in the current election cycle.**

**Congress:**

**State Senate and Assembly:**

**15. If you are an elected official and leaving office, please list the name and contact information of the woman who you are supporting to run for**

**your seat in the primary. If you are not supporting a woman for your seat, please leave this blank.**

**(Name)**

**(Phone)**

**16. Please list your paid professional experience for the last six years. Indicate if it was full- or part-time.**

Attorney, current

Downey Mayor, 2020 and 2022

Downey City Councilmember since 2016

**17. Please list your present and past community involvement for the last six years:**

I have deep ties to community involvement. I am a member of and past President of the Kiwanis Club of Downey. I am also a member of the Downey Elks Lodge and Gangs Out Of Downey (GOOD). Additionally, I was instrumental in bringing Girls on Fire to Downey, which focuses on women's empowerment for young middle school and high school girls. Finally, I am on the executive board member of Contract Cities, Second Vice President of the League of CA Cities' Mayor's and Council Department and also serve on the League of California Cities' State Board as an at-large director.

**18. Please list the present and previous elected office(s) that you have held:**

Downey Mayor and City Councilmember

**19. Do you support the ERA?**

**YES**

NO

**20. Please list the following:**

**a. Committee name:**

Blanca Pacheco For Assembly 2022

**b. Campaign ID#:**

1443511

**c. Campaign mailing address:**

249 E. Ocean Blvd., #670, Long Beach, CA 90802

**21. In the event that you are endorsed by the WPC, in addition to any monies that WPC should contribute to your campaign, we will also list you on our website. For this purpose we will require the following information:**

**Candidate campaign website:** <https://www.pachecoforassembly.com>

**22. We can post a donation link during our zoom call. Please provide a link below. Many candidates provide a WPC specific link to track donations, and we welcome that if you choose to do so.**

**Campaign donation URL:**

<https://secure.actblue.com/donate/blanca-pacheco-for-assembly-2022-1>

**23. High resolution, chest up, vertical headshot. Please provide a “portrait” (vertical) chest up headshot. We use the headshot to showcase endorsed candidates on our website. Horizontal landscape headshots do not work. Please email this photo and your questionnaire to: [tonidon@mac.com](mailto:tonidon@mac.com) Photos must be 250 PX wide x 450 PX high at 72 PPI.**