

# STATEMENT OF URIEL EDWARD MACIAS

## CANDIDATE FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

### AZUSA CITY GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

Age: 49

Occupation: Councilmember/Financial Operations Manager

Dear friends/neighbors:

I was raised in Azusa and care deeply about its future! My wife and I are raising our children here and they attend Azusa schools. We are a city of hard-working families with great traditions and want to see our entire city prosper.

As **YOUR councilmember** we have made progress.

Some examples have been:

- passing balanced budgets and not overspending - staying financially strong.
- building additional senior housing (Gladstone Ave.)
- Adding and preserving parks, greenspace.
- televising and streaming city meetings for transparency/information.
- Smart and Final, Hilton Home2Suites, Rosedale, and soon, the Orchard Center (Block 36) on Azusa Ave. and Foothill that will boost our downtown for first rate shopping, dining, and entertainment.

However, **we need to do more!** We need to eliminate crime/gangs. With our police department, we created crime-suppression teams while at the same time, fostered youth activities through Parks & Recreation and non-profits.

Homelessness cannot continue! For those who want help we have brought in resource teams - with families and veterans given priority.

**I welcome positive change and have the experience and qualifications needed in this most critical time:**

- Bachelor's Degree in Finance.
- Manager at Fortune 500 company.
- Combat-Veteran, served in Afghanistan.

I respectfully ask for your vote for City Council.