

DEBBIE KUKTA
Occupation: Incumbent

Age: 58

As a lifelong Burbank resident and your current City Treasurer, I'm asking for your vote for re-election. My professional certifications include Certified Public Accountant, Chartered Global Management Accountant, and Certified California Municipal Treasurer. I've served on the California Municipal Treasurer Association's Investment Policy Certification Committee for three years. During my 4-½ year tenure as your City Treasurer, I have:

- Implemented Positive Pay, protecting the City's accounts from fraudulent checks
- Restructured the City's investment portfolio to better withstand interest rate volatility
- Implemented short- and long-term cash flow models to better manage cash, maximizing the investment of idle funds
- Reduced bank and merchant service fees by over \$250,000, averaging over 25% savings a year, since being appointed Treasurer in June 2012

I serve on the City's Audit, Successor Agency Oversight, and Retirement Plan committees, keeping a watchful eye on the City's finances.

Many of you have gotten to know me over the years through my time serving on the Board of Education and my participation in PTA, National Charity League, Kiwanis, Boy Scouts, and other worthwhile community organizations. Your vote in the upcoming election would allow me to continue using my financial expertise to keep Burbank a great place to live.