



ERIC GARCETTI  
MAYOR

August 5, 2022

Honorable Members of the City Council  
c/o City Clerk  
Room 395, City Hall

Re: Extension of Appointment of Interim General Manager, Los Angeles Animal Services: Ms. Annette Ramirez

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to City Charter Section 508(c), I am re-appointing Ms. Annette Ramirez as the Interim General Manager, Los Angeles Animal Services, effective upon your confirmation.

Attached please find a copy of Ms. Ramirez's biography, which provides greater detail about her experience.

Sincerely,

ERIC GARCETTI  
Mayor

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Attachment

cc: The Honorable Paul Koretz, Chair, Personnel, Audits, and Animal Welfare Committee  
Dana Brown, Personnel Department Sharon Tso, CLA  
Matt Szabo, CAO General Manager's Association  
Holly Wolcott, City Clerk Nicole Enriquez, Ethics Commission  
Heather Holt, Ethics Commission

## Annette G. Ramirez

Annette G. Ramirez has been with Los Angeles Animal Services for twenty two years. She joined the team as an Animal Care Technician before transitioning to Animal Control Officer. During her time as an Animal Control Officer she enjoyed various assignments including the Animal Cruelty Task Force, the License Canvassing Unit, and the Specialized Animal Rescue Team (SMART). Having been assigned to all six shelters over the course of her career, Annette is familiar with every area of the Department's business and has continued to gain more knowledge through her acceptance of leadership roles including Sr. Animal Control Officer, Director of Field Operations, and most recently Assistant General Manager of Lifesaving.

Annette's educational background is in Animal Science. She is a proven leader who has managed many teams and changes within the constantly evolving field of animal welfare. Annette is a member of the NKLA Coalition, the National Animal Control Association and the Human and Animal Support Services Coalition and works with approximately 300 partnered non-profit rescue organizations. Annette is committed to continuing lifesaving efforts while collaborating with the staff and community.