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### **Longtime Community Services Director to Retire from Westminster**

WESTMINSTER, Calif. - The City of Westminster's Community Services Director, Diana Dobbert, has announced her retirement after 34 years of service to the residents of Westminster. Her last day will be Dec. 3, 2021.

Dobbert began her tenure with Westminster in 1987 as a part-time summer recreation leader at Goldenwest Park, and eventually was promoted to Community Services Director, overseeing parks, recreation, senior services, family resources, special events, and classes.

Highlights of Dobbert's accomplishments include a \$235,000 project to install an all-inclusive playground at Westminster Park that allows children of all ages and abilities to play on the equipment, the creation of the splash pad at Sigler Park, the remodeling and creation of the Family Resource Center in 2000 to fit the needs of the community, the successful creation and implementation of Vietnamese grab-and-go meals provided through Meals on Wheels in the City, and the recently approved Facilities Master Plan that will guide the City's parks through the next decade.

"Diana has left a positive mark on the city as she's worked to build up our parks, facilities, and programs," said Westminster Mayor Tri Ta. "Her great love for the Westminster community will be remembered through her legacy."

Dobbert plans to spend more time with her husband, Kevin, and their two teenage children.

"We wish Diana a happy and fulfilling retirement," said Interim City Manager Christine Cordon. "She has been a huge asset to the City of Westminster and has made it her mission to ensure all residents have access to programs and events that enhance their quality of life. She will be greatly missed here at City Hall."

The City of Westminster is currently recruiting to fill the position of Community Services Director.

To read more about Dobbert's story and career with the City of Westminster, visit the City's [website](#).

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