



**SUSAN SONNE  
MAYOR**

**SERVICE AS MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

Appointed Mayor of Buena Park December 12, 2023  
Appointed Mayor Pro Tem of Buena Park December 13, 2022  
First elected November 3, 2020, and took office December 8, 2020

**CURRENT ACTIVITIES**

Orange County Power Authority Vice Chair  
Orange County Power Authority Marketing and Outreach Committee Member  
Orange County Power Authority Risk Oversight Committee Member  
Santa Ana River Flood Protection Agency Alternate Director  
Buena Park Ad Hoc Committee Member on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion  
CivicWell Director  
Member of the Buena Park Collaborative (2015-present)  
Buena Park Collaborative Steering Committee

**PREVIOUS ACTIVITIES**

Climate Action Commission Liaison  
Orange County Sanitation District Director  
Buena Park Education Committee Member  
Buena Park Foundation (Cable TV), Chair  
Human Relations Committee Council Liaison  
Beautification-Environmental Commission Council Liaison  
Parks & Recreation Commission Liaison  
Cal-Cities Community Services Policy Committee Member  
Buena Park Ad Hoc Committee Member on Autism Training  
OC Mosquito & Vector Control District Board Member  
Orange County Power Authority Alternate Board Member  
Cal-Cities Community Services Policy Committee Member  
Beautification-Environmental Commissioner, (2019 Chair)  
Volunteer, Buena Park Community Resource Center  
Buena Park Police Chief's Advisory Board (2015-2017)  
Member of the Buena Park Collaborative (2015-present)  
Buena Park Collaborative Steering Committee

**HONORS**

2017 Women of Distinction Award-Assembly District 65 from Assembly Member Sharon Quirk-Silva

**OCCUPATION/PROFESSION**

Retired Executive Director, Buena Park Collaborative  
Retired IT Manager – Unified Grocers/SuperValu/UNFI

**EDUCATION**

BA in Philosophy (University of Mississippi)

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Resident of Buena Park since 1999.  
Family: Married to Paul, proud Mom to daughter, Angelika  
Interests: Swimming, Dancing, Art, Music, and Reading.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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