

Alexandria Marisol Rubio-Talavera Candidate Statement

Alexandria is a longtime San Ramon resident and childhood brain cancer survivor. She experienced firsthand the inequities that exist within our health care and education systems. If not for her mother's advocacy and direct support, Alexandria would not have survived her cancer or been able to pursue a college education today. She also experienced profound discrimination and bullying at school.

Collectively, these experiences compelled Alexandria to step into politics and to fight for those who are unheard and unseen. She is a two-term Democratic State Central Committee (DSCC) Delegate to the California Democratic Party representing young democrats, the disabled community, students, people of color, and many other diverse voices. She serves on the Rules, Issues, Endorsements, Elections, Finance, and Equity, Anti-Racism, and Justice Committees at the Democratic Party of Contra Costa County (DPCCC).

Alexandria is a student at the University of California, Davis majoring in Psychology and Spanish where she is a member of the Davis College Democrats. She plans to work with adolescents and young adults in high-need communities. Alexandria is passionate about ensuring that marginalized communities have access to quality, affordable, and timely healthcare, student housing, higher education, and a habitable planet. As a FemTruth Youth™ Board Member (a Danville-based nonprofit), Alexandria advocates for women's reproductive health and education. Vote for Alexandria by March 5th!