



## Councilwoman Claudia Lizette Rodriguez

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Lived in El Paso:	37 years.
Arrest Record:	Case was dismissed and expunged.
Political Experience:	Yes, currently District 6 city councilwoman.
Current on Taxes:	Yes.

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### Why should voters vote for you?

I am the only candidate that is a first generation latina born and raised in El Paso TX and has lived her entire life in District 6, therefor no other candidate knows District 6 the way I know and have served district 6!

#### I Am Motived To Run For Office Because:

My constituents! Serving them is a privilege and a blessing!

#### I Admire:

Women who lift other women up! I believe as a proud female, a daughter, sister, mother, granddaughter, friend, councilwoman and all the other hats I wear, that there is nothing more rewarding or admiral to see women lifting other women up.

#### I Will Vote As A Trustee\* Or As A Delegate\*

*\*A trustee votes their conscious on public policy. A delegate votes what their constituency wants.*

I believe in a hybrid model. Because we are a non-partisan governing entity people elect us based on our platform and because of that they trust our judgment. However there are many instances where we also spend a lot of time with our constituency, and they are actively asking for us to vote in a specific way, it is in those instances when the people get very loud about something, we need to take a better reading of their temperature and support what they are demanding.

#### I Will Stay In Touch With My Constituency By:

My constituents can always call me personally, where we can establish the best form of contact. This is how I have built personal relationships with my constituency and I find it the most effective way to stay in contact with them personally.

### Top Three Issues

1. Taxes.
2. Streets.
3. Economy. (edited, see online for full answers)

### The 2012 Multipurpose Cultural Arts & Entertainment Center

El Paso needs to find Pareto optimum, a common ground when it comes to the Multi-Purpose Performing Arts and Entertainment Center (MPC). We need a solution that at the end of the day will result in what is best for El Paso. The MPC project was approved by voters 10 years ago and has been in limbo due to litigation because of the location selected for the project. We cannot let this suit drag on forever because one person wants to beat the City instead of focusing on what is right, which is preserving our community's history and protecting El Paso against wasteful spending. (edited, see online for full response)