

## **BRIEFING REPORT**

CREATED ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 2024

Hon. Sabrina Cervantes (CA058 D)

State Assemblymember from CA Assembly District 58

Building: State Capitol Room: Suite 4240 Address: 1021 O Street

Sacramento, CA 95814

Phone: (916) 319-2058 Fax: (916) 319-2158

Legal Name: Sabrina Cervantes

Nickname: Sabrina

Ethnicity: Hispanic/Latino

Gender: Female

Political Party: Democratic Party - Majority

Elected: First elected in 2016 - 54% of vote last election

Seniority: 22 of 80

Terms Served: Currently serving 4th consecutive term

Next Election: 2024

Reelection Status: This legislator may run for reelection

Born: 10/24/1987 in Riverside, CA

Residence: Riverside, CA

Family: Married; 3 children (triplets)

Spouse: Courtney Downs

Education: University of California, Riverside, Bachelor of Arts Political Science Public Policy, 2009;

Harvard University John F. Kennedy School of Government (MA), Executive Education

Program, 2013

Occupations: Other - Sports Official, University of California, Riverside, 2006 - 2009; Business - Associate,

Burke Rix Hines & Associates, 2009 - 2011; Public Official - Legislative Assistant, Office of CA Assemblymember V. Manuel Perez, 2009; Business - Associate, Mercury Advocates, 2011; Public Official - District Director, California Voter Registration Project, 2012; Public Official - District Director, Office of Hon. Jose J. Medina (CA061 D), California State Assembly, 2013 -

2016

Political Experience: Campaign Manager, Jose Medina for Assembly (CA), 2014; Member, CA Legislative Women's

Caucus; Member, CA Legislative LGBTQ Caucus; Member, CA Legislative Latino Caucus; Member (CA060 D), CA State Assembly, 2016 - 2022; Chairman, CA State Assembly Committee on Jobs, Economic Development, and the Economy, 2022; Chairman, CA State

Assembly Select Committee on Veteran Employment and Education, 2022

Capitol Staff: Mr. Cesar Anda, Chief of Staff

Mr. Paco Torres, Legislative Director Ms. Dulce Ramirez, Senior Legislative Aide

District Offices: CORONA

Suite 210; 391 North Main Street; Corona, CA 92880

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Ms. Rachel Gonzaga; District Director





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District Offices: Ms. Cassandra Kester, Communications Director

Mr. Collin Markovich, Scheduler

Ms. Chynna Clarke, Field Representative Ms. Carolina Cardenas, Field Representative

Committees: Assembly Aging & Long-Term Care

Assembly Banking & Finance

Assembly Elections

Assembly Governmental Organization

Assembly Rules

Assembly Select Asia/CA Trade & Investment Assembly Select CA-Mexico Bi-National Affairs

Assembly Select Domestic Violence Assembly Select Latina Inequities

Assembly Select Mobility in the Golden State Assembly Select Native American Affairs Assembly Select Racism, Hate, & Xenophobia Assembly Select Regional Transportation Solutions

Assembly Select State Parks

Assembly Select Serving Students with Disabilities

Assembly Select Youth Homelessness San Bernardino County

Joint Rules

Assembly Select Career Tech Ed & Building Workforce - Chairman

Biography:

Assemblymember Sabrina Cervantes was elected in November 2016 to represent California's 60th Assembly District, which includes the cities of Corona, Eastvale, Jurupa Valley, Norco, a portion of Riverside, and unincorporated communities of Home Gardens, El Cerrito, and Coronita.

As a state legislator, Sabrina has worked continuously to serve her community and enhance the quality of life for Riverside County residents. Sabrina's top priorities include veterans, public safety, transportation, higher education and the economy.

In her first year, she authored legislation to support veterans, students, seniors, and working families-six of which were signed into law. In addition, she secured \$427 million in critical transportation funding to improve Riverside County's infrastructure and was instrumental in restoring Vehicle License Fee revenue to California's newest cities, which include Jurupa Valley and Eastvale.

Previously, she served as a Director for the Legislature and the California Voter Project. Prior to serving in the Assembly, Sabrina worked in the private sector alongside various community organizations to enhance the local economy, broaden access to quality education, and improve access to governmental services.

Throughout her career, Sabrina has demonstrated her commitment to fighting for the best interests of local residents through multiple partnerships with community organizations. She is currently a member of the Human Rights Campaign, The PICK Group of Young Professionals,



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Biography: and serves on the Advisory Board for the University of California, Riverside (UCR) School of Public Policy. She has previously served on the Board of Directors for the UCR Chicano Latino Alumni Association, and non-profit organizations TruEvolution and Women Wonder Writers.

> Sabrina is a lifelong resident of Riverside County. She earned her Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science from the University of California, Riverside, and completed an executive education program at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government.