

Tara Campbell serves as Mayor of her hometown, Yorba Linda, CA.

Mayor Campbell was first elected to the Yorba Linda City Council in November 2016. In December 2018, Tara was unanimously voted to serve as Mayor of Yorba Linda. At the age of 25, Tara made history as the youngest female Mayor in California history and in United States' history for a city of 30,000 or more.

Tara's leadership and accomplishments led her being named one of the OC Register's Top 100 Most Influential People in Orange County.

Mayor Campbell currently works at the County of Orange on issues related to public safety, public health, transportation, infrastructure, and homelessness. Prior to her work at the County of Orange, Mayor Campbell worked for the California State Assembly in North Orange County coordinating special events including Child Safety Fairs, Small Business Boost Seminars, Senior Health Fairs, and more.

Tara was born and raised in Yorba Linda. She attended St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School before heading to Rosary Academy in Fullerton. She then graduated from the University of Southern California with a Masters in Public Administration, a Certificate of Public Policy, and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science and Broadcast & Digital Journalism.

Tara believes in giving back to our community volunteering her time being an active member of the Yorba Linda Sunrise Rotary Club, serving on our city-wide serve day Love Yorba Linda committee, delivering meals with Meals on Wheels, building homes with Corazon, working the Yorba Linda Food for Families Food Pantry and serving lunches for the Senior Lunch program. Tara has been active in community groups including the Chamber of Commerce, Yorba Linda Women's Club, Eastern Orange County Tri Delta Alumnae, National Charity League, and Girl Scouts.

Tara is active at St. Martin de Porres Church starting out as an altar server, and moved on to become a Counselor for Us In the Son Day Camp, then a Confirmation Teacher, a Captain on the Oktoberfest Committee, and a member on the Parish Pastoral Council.

She currently serves on the Board of numerous nonprofits including Bridges at Kramer Place Homeless Shelter, Higher Ground Youth & Family Services, For Families of Active Military and Rosary Academy.