



ABOUT YOLO COUNTY'S CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER GERARDO PINEDO

Gerardo Pinedo is the Chief Administrative Officer (also known as “County Administrator”) for the County of Yolo, California. In May 2022, he was appointed by the Board of Supervisors as the top county official responsible for the administration and operation of all county departments. In this capacity, Gerardo directs and supervises all appointed department heads and he collaborates closely with countywide elected officials to ensure that county residents receive high quality, cost-effective, and efficient services across all municipal, health, and safety programs.

As a career government administrator with 28 years of experience at the local, state, and federal levels of government, Gerardo previously held eight executive and senior leadership positions at the County of Los Angeles, including Chief of Staff at the Board of Supervisors; Director of the Operations Support Bureau and Director of Strategic Development and Innovation for the Department of Public Health; Director of Strategic Operations, Interim Director of Enterprise Health Information Management, and Director of Intergovernmental Relations and Policy for the Department of Health Services.

Throughout his career, Gerardo has had the privilege of managing public sector employee teams ranging from program units comprised of 4 analysts up to a department workforce of 5,000. He has directly managed government budgets ranging from \$1 million to \$2.5 billion; capital improvement programs up to \$2.3 billion; and has had delegated shared co-oversight of countywide budgets up to \$39 billion. Gerardo has also had the distinct honor of serving as Chair of the Los Angeles County Audit Committee where he promoted greater transparency and community stakeholder participation in the oversight and audits of government funds.

Gerardo previously served on the staffs of several elected officials, including a member of Congress, a California State Senator, and two L.A. County Supervisors. His public policy work has ranged from transportation and social services to public finance, health care, and local governmental organization. Gerardo has also served continuously on the advisory board for the College of Business Administration and Public Policy at California State University Dominguez Hills (CSUDH) while also serving as Adjunct Professor in the Department of Public Policy over the past 17 years.

Gerardo received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with a minor in Public Administration from CSUDH and his Juris Doctor Degree from Southwestern University School of Law.

RESPONSIBILITIES

The County Administrator's Office implements the policies of the county organization as set by the Board of Supervisors, as well as providing executive management for county departments and agencies. The County Administrator is responsible for the development, preparation and management of the annual recommended budget; assistance with policy development; and participating in and coordinating with various local, regional and statewide organizations. The office is also responsible for the overall administration, management and support functions for the county, including the Clerk of the Board, Economic Development, Human Resources, Intergovernmental Relations, Natural Resources, Office of Emergency Services (OES), and Tribal Affairs.