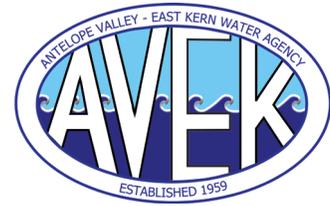




**Audrey T. Miller, Director
AVEK Board of Directors
Division 6 - 2019**



Lancaster resident Audrey T. Miller, the newest addition to the Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency Board of Directors, was appointed by her colleagues on Nov. 5, 2019 to fill the Division 6 vacancy created when former board member Marlon Barnes stepped down. She officially pledged her oath of office on Nov. 12, 2019 and has proved to be a quick study and genuine asset, gaining as much knowledge as possible about the water supply end of the industry in her first two months on the board.

Audrey, a Realtor at Keller Williams Realty Antelope Valley, knows her way around the Antelope Valley for two reasons – first and foremost, she grew up in Palmdale along with her five siblings, all graduates of Palmdale High School. Secondly, as a Realtor she has explored every nook and cranny of the Valley she fondly calls home. Call it fate, but she instinctively knows which areas best suit each of Keller Williams’ clients. She could be considered the perfect matchmaker for clients and their new living quarters. Her real estate background spanned 30 years, including 25 years in the title insurance industry. She obtained her first real estate license in 1983.

Water and its critical importance to the housing industry fit like a hand and glove. Without a reliable and sustainable water supply, the housing market would be doomed – a fact which Audrey and her board colleagues are keenly aware. She vows to do her best maintaining sufficient levels of quality water for customers now and in the future.

Her ties to the community date back to her grandfather, J. Shelton Gordon, a World War I veteran who came to the Valley from Pasadena after World War II. He was a broker, contractor and past president of the Antelope Valley Board of Trade. Like her grandfather and other family members, Audrey’s passion for the community runs deep and from the heart.

“This is our community,” Audrey said, speaking on behalf of her family. “This is where we grew up. I have a lot of love for it.” Her community relations include the role of past president of AV Sunrise Rotary; past

treasurer for Friends of the Palmdale City Library; past president of the Palmdale United Methodist Foundation, Inc.; and past board member of the Women's Council of Realtors. She also served on various committees at Palmdale United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Eric Miller, is a retired real estate appraiser. She has one daughter, Becki Maldonado, and two grandsons, Nathan, 16, and Jacob, 15.