## Phoebe Shin Venkat Businesswoman/Planning Commissioner

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I am running for city council in Foster City because the transferable skills and strengths I have earned through my lived personal experiences, and professional experiences in several industries and organizations, will help positively impact our community. I am married to an Indian American man, and currently have a child attending school in the San Mateo Union High School District (previously attended K-8 in the San Mateo-Foster City School District). I am active in our local communities, including: serving on the Foster City Planning Commission, serving CORA (Community Overcoming Relationship Abuse) as Vice Chair of its Board of Directors (previously Treasurer and Finance Committee Head), volunteering with Foster City Village to help seniors with tech support and other activities, and serving on the Executive Board of the San Mateo County Asian American Pacific Islander Alliance. I also volunteer for various local organizations as time allows. I am the proud first-generation Chinese American child of an immigrant single-mother, and the first person in my working-class family to graduate from university. I am grounded in the unshakable values of strength, resilience, and community. I would be honored and excited to serve you on the Foster City City Council. Thank you for your support and vote! Learn more: phoebeshinvenkat.com

