

Biography for Hung Wei

Born and raised in Taiwan, Hung Wei came to the States in 1979 to study at UCLA, received a Master in Teaching English as a Second Language. Hung has lived in Cupertino since 1990. While her children attended public schools, she volunteered at PTA, School Site Council, and fundraising activities. She advocates for public education, the best equalizer in providing equitable opportunities for children to learn and succeed in life. In 2007, Hung served on the Governing Board of the Fremont Union High School District, serving 10,000+ students and their parents from Cupertino, Fremont, Homestead, Lynbrook, and Monta Vista High Schools. Her serving model is "Servant Leadership" – serve with compassion, communication and collaboration; lead with transparency, fiscal health, and heart for teens. During her tenure as School Board Member, FUHSD has strived to educate the "whole" child - fostering high standards in not only academic successes, but also providing learning opportunities in extra-curricular performances in music, band, arts, sports, math/science/robotics competitions, speech and debate, business and entrepreneurial skills.

Hung's volunteer work doesn't stop at the school level, she serves as Board Member and active volunteer at community non-profit organizations including the High Schools Foundation, the Northwest YMCA, Asian American Parent Association, the Rotary Club of Cupertino, and EMQ Auxiliary supporting Uplift Family Services. With 11 years of school board service and 20+ years of community volunteering, Hung has developed deep dedication and love for Cupertino, a town she adopted as her hometown! This year in 2018, Hung is embarking on a new adventure – running for Cupertino City Council. She will dedicate her time, energy, and passion in bringing collaborative spirits to Cupertino City governance, to build teamwork, unity, and solutions, in moving Cupertino forward with innovative and positive future vision – visit hungwei.org for Hung's Top Priorities, Endorsements, and Testimonials.

Awards:

2017 – Distinguished Volunteer Fundraiser for Philanthropic Excellence Award from AFP (Association of Fundraising Professionals, Silicon Valley Chapter)

2016 – Citizen of the Year from Cupertino Chamber of Commerce

2015 – State of California woman of the Year Award from California State Assembly District 28

2011 – CREST (Cupertino Recognizes Extra Steps Taken) Award from City of Cupertino

2009 – Community Leader of the Year from Silicon Valley DECA