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Grayce is the General Manager for the City of Los Angeles Department of Neighborhood Empowerment, which supports Los Angeles' 99 Neighborhood Councils in meeting their mission to increase civic participation and make government more responsive to local needs via the EmpowerLA movement. One of the largest grassroots democracy systems in the nations, Neighborhood Councils are comprised of nearly 1800 unpaid elected officials who live, work, own property or have a substantial and ongoing community interest in a neighborhood and who advise on the the City budget and delivery of City services. Grayce is responsible for the overall management of the department, including development of the budget, strategic planning, outreach, programs and services, policies, and constituent and City government relations.