

Jennifer McLain Hiramoto

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Jennifer McLain Hiramoto is a key driver of the growth of the City of Ontario, where she serves as the Executive Director of Economic Development. She is also committed to economic development across California.

She has worked in local government for nearly 15 years and was recently appointed as the incoming chair to the California Association for Local Economic Development (CALED).

In Ontario, she leads the City's real estate acquisition and development strategy, and oversees its robust business development, marketing and expansion efforts. Prior to joining Ontario, she worked for the cities of Glendale and Monrovia, and the San Gabriel Valley Economic Partnership. Her interest in municipal government, however, began when she was a newspaper reporter in the Bay Area. She earned her Bachelor's Degree from San Jose State University, and her Master's Degree in Public Administration from the University of Southern California.

