My name is Cheylynda Barnard, known as "Chey" to my family and friends. I am a lifelong Inland Empire resident; I grew up in the neighboring city of Riverside and have lived in Moreno Valley since 2005. I have had the opportunity to serve this community as a Social Worker, which has provided me with a unique experience. You have allowed me to come into your homes during your times of need; to extend a helping hand or simply an ear to listen to you. I have learned so much from you, from your greatest joys to your concerns about your day to day lives. I will continue to advocate to make public safety a priority through community policing with residents and the police department working together. I will advocate for continued investment in our community through youth and senior programs. We need to continue to address the homeless issue in our community and provide better economic opportunities that will invest in our community and create jobs. Every citizen deserves to have a voice and be heard. Let me be that voice by voting for Cheylynda Barnard for city council.