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# The Silent Architect of Thousands of Success Stories: Ginger Ontiveros Named “Unsung Hero” at Time for Change Foundation’s 23rd Annual Gala

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SAN BERNARDINO, CA — She’s opened doors for thousands, built pathways to success, and transformed communities—yet many will never know her name. That’s exactly why she’s being honored. Time for Change Foundation is thrilled to announce that Ginger Ontiveros will be recognized as this year’s Unsung Hero at the 23rd Annual Awards Gala: Unwavering—Igniting Change, Inspiring Hope.

As the President and CEO of Tomorrow’s Talent, Ontiveros has been the driving force behind groundbreaking initiatives that connect students with life-changing career opportunities. From funding scholarships to forging powerful partnerships, her work has quietly shaped the future of the Inland Empire—one opportunity at a time.



“Ginger Ontiveros embodies the spirit of an Unsung Hero. She doesn’t seek the spotlight, but her work has illuminated pathways for countless young people to chase their dreams,” said Vanessa Perez, Executive Director of Time for Change Foundation. “Her legacy is written in the lives she’s changed, and we are honored to celebrate her incredible contributions.”

Ontiveros has spent her career building bridges between education and employment, previously serving as the Chief Communications and Community Engagement Officer for the San Bernardino City Unified School District and simultaneously, the Executive Director of the Making Hope Happen Foundation, where she led initiatives that provided mentorship, resources, and career readiness programs. Her impact extends far beyond the classroom—through programs like Uplift San Bernardino, she has played a key role in strengthening communities and creating lasting change.

A proud advocate for education, Ontiveros holds a Bachelor’s degree in Communication/Public Relations from California State University, San Bernardino and a Master of Science in Organizational Leadership from Regis University. As a product of the community college system, she was inducted into the Victor Valley College Alumni Hall of Fame in recognition of her legacy of leadership in the High Desert region.

Now, Time for Change Foundation is shining a light on her extraordinary efforts at the 23rd Annual Awards Gala, where leaders, advocates, and changemakers will gather to celebrate those making a difference in our communities.



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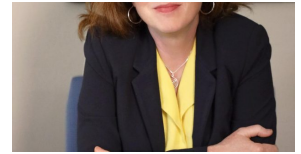
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