



Michelle Lee (SFSU 2022)

Ethnicity: Filipino

Place of Birth: Manila,
Philippines

Party Affiliation: Democratic

Highest Elected Position:
South San Francisco City Council
(2018-24)

Other Positions:

Vice Mayor of SSF (2023); Mayor
of SSF (2022); SSF Planning
Commissioner (2015-18), Chair
(2018); SSF Parks and
Recreation Commissioner
(2008-14), Chair (2013)

Mark Nagales

(b. unknown)

Mark grew up in South San Francisco (SSF) playing baseball from Little League to high school. Inspired by his history and government teacher to understand how government works, he eventually earned his college degree in History and Political Science from SF State University. Mark served as an aide to several elected officials before being elected to the City Council of SSF. In 2022, he became the city's first Filipino American mayor. Mark and his family shared a one-bedroom apartment until they purchased a home with a government-supported housing assistance program. His personal life experiences have influenced his support of parks and recreation programs, affordable housing, and guaranteed income programs.