District 1

April 2, 2001

City of Pasadena City Council 100 North Garfield Avenue Pasadena, CA. 91109

Attention:

JOYCE STREATOR, District 1

After great consideration, I am resigning from my position as Commissioner on the Commission on the Status of Women effective this date. Although there are many variables in this matter, the demand of family and health must be my first priority. I have also hoped that I could have been more effective in my position on the Commission. I appreciate the experience of the appointment and hope that a replacement may be found forthwith.

Attached is a resume from a well qualified woman in Distirict 1 which might be considered. With all sincereity, I personally want to thank the Commission members and especially Yesceni Raminez for her support and outstanding work effort on behalf of the Commission. It was noted early that the Commission could not function without Yesceni and her constant oversight.

Sincerely, Tharon I. Smith

cc:

Sharon G. Smith

Lucia Reyes, Chair, Commission on the Status of Women

Yesceni Raminez, Staff, Human Services, Recreation and Neighborhoods Depter