



# Dona Lisa Buschmann

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## ABOUT DONA LISA

Dona Lisa commenced her career as a financial planner with life insurance and Series 7 securities licenses. After two years, she made a seamless transition from stocks and bonds to surety bonds, never looking back.

With over 35 years of invaluable experience in the surety industry, Dona Lisa contributes her expertise to Bender Insurance Solutions. She firmly believes that offering guidance, fostering relationships, and maximizing surety credit are among the key benefits provided to clients. Her diverse client portfolio includes general contractors, specialty contractors, developers, and various non-contract accounts.

Dona Lisa actively engages with the industry, having played a pivotal role in the development of the first ACORD Surety Standards. She continues to advocate for their implementation. Additionally, she is deeply involved in the construction community, serving in various capacities:

- Association of General Contractors Nevada Chapter, Women in Construction Committee Member
- Construction Financial Management Association Northern Nevada Chapter, Director of Program & Education
- Construction Financial Management Association Sacramento Chapter, Membership Committee Member
- National Association of Women in Construction Sacramento Chapter, WIC Week Chair

Beyond her professional pursuits, Dona Lisa dedicates her time to community service and has been honored with the Boy Scouts of America Silver Bear and Silver Beaver awards, as well as the Foothill High School Parent of the Year recognition. Dona Lisa resides in Lincoln with her husband. They have four adult children, two grandsons, and one granddaughter. In her leisure time, Dona Lisa cherishes moments spent with family, traveling, golfing, hiking, and embracing other outdoor activities.

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## SOME FUN FACTS & STATS



### EDUCATION:

- AS, GENERAL SCIENCE
- AA, GENERAL BUSINESS
- BS, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION & MGMT
- MBA



### CHERISHED CHILDHOOD MEMORY:

SATURDAY BREAKFASTS COOKED ON THE COLEMAN STOVE, THEN WALKING DOWN TO EXPLORE THE CAVES AND HANG OUT AT PIRATES COVE BEACH, CORONA DEL MAR



### FAVORITE SINGER OR GROUP:

ELTON JOHN



### THE MOST UNUSUAL THING IN MY OFFICE:

A BOLT RECOVERED FROM THE BAY BRIDGE WHICH COLLAPSED DURING THE SAN FRANCISCO EARTHQUAKE OF 1989.



### FAVORITE BOOK:

WOOWAY FOR WODNEY WAT,  
BY HELEN LESTER



IMPACT IS ONE OF MY CORE VALUES. I FIND IT EXTREMELY REWARDING TO BE A CONTRIBUTOR TO OUR CLIENT'S SUCCESS, WHICH IN TURN PROVIDES OPPORTUNITIES FOR THEIR EMPLOYEES AND FAMILIES WHICH OTHERWISE MIGHT NOT HAVE BEEN AVAILABLE.



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