Ms. Neda Farid-Farhoumand is a passionate volunteer and community activist working tirelessly to promote women’s health issues and advocating for equal pay and educational opportunities for all. She currently serves as the Executive Vice-President of the Glendale Council Parent Teacher Association (PTA). She began her journey with the PTA two decades ago believing in their mission to make every child’s potential a reality.

Ms. Farid-Farhoumand utilizes her platform to address social justice and diversity issues; safeguarding equitable access to services regardless of ethnicity, gender, race, religion, or socio-economic status. She has also traveled to schools across the county and shared innovative tools and strategies to strengthen school districts’ commitment to policy changes facilitating the promise of care, equality, inclusivity within schools, and communities built on a culture of trust.

As a dedicated volunteer, she is a member of numerous organizations and committees and is currently the President of the Glendale Unified School District Restorative Justice Task Force and a member of the Rutgers Board and the Glendale Education Foundation Board. Ms. Farid-Farhoumand has cultivated partnerships with local performing arts organizations such as the LA Opera and the Los Angeles Philharmonic and has also spearheaded educational excursions to various European countries immersing students in rich languages, art, and culture.

Ms. Farid-Farhoumand, a New York native, and her husband moved to Southern California in 1992. Since then, they have made the City of Glendale their home and both share a son, Darius, who is presently attending New York University.