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Jayne T. Flores serves as the director of the Bureau of Women's Affairs (BWA), and as administrator for the Governor's Community Outreach Federal Program Office (GCOFPO). The BWA addresses issues pertinent to women, minorities, and marginalized members of the community. GCOFPO oversees the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Violence Against Women formula grants awarded to Guam to address domestic and dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and human trafficking.

Ms. Flores originally moved to Guam in 1984 as an investigative reporter for the former Guam Cable TV. In addition to working as an award-winning broadcast news reporter, anchor, and producer, over the next two decades she also wrote for two Guam newspapers, served as editor-in-chief of Guahan Magazine, and as news director for the Pacific News Center.

One of the founding members of the Micronesia Chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists, Flores graduated from the University of Illinois in 1981 with a bachelor's degree in Journalism, and earned her master's degree in English from the University of Guam in 2011.

Flores also spent nearly 10 years serving as the communications director for Guam Community College. She also taught English classes at both GCC and the University of Guam, where she became very familiar with the many issues and challenges facing female students.

Flores is a member of the Board of Directors of Island Girl Power, a non-profit organization that seeks to empower young people on Guam through positive role models and actions. She also serves on the board of Inamte' ("the medicine" in CHamorro, Guam's indigenous language), a non-profit organization that seeks to provide comprehensive and affordable health care for females and persons with a uterus on Guam and in Micronesia.

Flores served a three-year term as a member of the Board of Directors of the Guam Women's Chamber of Commerce, and currently serves on the GWCC Government Committee.

She is also the president of the Guam Gymnastics Federation, which is a member federation of the Guam National Olympic Committee, and of the International Gymnastics Federation (FIG). She serves as a board member of the Oceania Gymnastics Union as well.

Flores has been married to Joaquin C. Flores of Guam for 35 years. Together they have three daughters and three grandchildren.