

Meet our Treasurer: Twila Perucci. 619-997-1947 [Email Twila](#)

Twila and her husband Mike are both longtime residents of San Diego. They were associated with Children's Home Society for eight years before becoming foster parents for the County of San Diego. Twila and Mike have two biological children, seven grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Twila states, "It takes a family to raise foster children" and she feels she has the greatest family and support possible. Twila also believes that being foster parents helped to

shape her children into responsible, loving and caring adults. They say that their greatest joy as foster parents is having former foster youth remain a part of their lives as they transition into adulthood and have their own children. They have witnessed many of their former foster children mature into amazing adults and parents. Twila currently works for Grossmont College Foster, Adoptive and Kinship Care Education Program. She loves working with the foster parents and is the mentoring program supervisor. They no longer take foster placements but their goal is to help the new foster parents become successful. Her best advice is to "accept the children as they are; be patient and caring.

