

ELIZABETH CHAVEZ, , has been a resident of Nez Perce County for over fifty years. A graduate of Lewis Clark State College she is married to Jerry Chavez, both were middle school teachers in Lewiston, Idaho and across the Snake River in Clarkston, Washington for many years.

Mrs. Chavez is involved with her church, the Lewis Clark State College Foundation Board, the Board of Family Promise, and the League of Women Voters.

Mrs. Chavez served as a member of the Idaho Legislature/House of Representatives from 2006-2010 as a member of the Agricultural Affairs Committee, the Education Committee, and the Natural Resources Committee. Mrs. Chavez was the recipient of the 2010 Patricia Kempthorne Award for her work in substance abuse awareness. Mrs. Chavez has been a member of the Idaho Judicial Council since October, 2012.