CANDIDATE STATEMENT

Election Title & Date: CITY OF SAN LEANDRO GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION - OCTOBER 4, 2014
Office Title & Jurisdiction: San Leandro City Councilmember, District 1
Name of Candidate: David L. Anderson, Sr. (printed name)
Occupation: President Bay O'Vista Homeowners Age: 64 (optional)
Brief statement of not more than 200 words expressed by the candidate himself/herself. Candidate must type the Candidate Statement in uppercase and lowercase type. Neither grammar nor spelling will be proofed or changed.

My education and qualifications are: Sybes Lawley Jr. College, 5 yrs Oakland School Board, 2 yrs as Bay O'Vista Board President,

SEE ATTACHED

Signature of Candidate: [Signature]

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My name is David Anderson and I am a candidate for San Leandro City Council, District 1. I have lived in San Leandro for eight years and I am President of Bay O’ Vista Home Improvement Association. Prior to moving to San Leandro, I served as Oakland School Board President and chaired the Budget and Finance Committee. During that time I financed spelling bees, mathathons, provided clothing and other basic needs for disadvantaged students. I also served on the Seniors Commission, which is an advocacy group for senior citizens.

For San Leandro, my aim is diversity. As the population of San Leandro is drastically changing, the leadership is not. The ethnic makeup of the local government should reflect the community in which it serves. Transparency is also important. Residents should be made aware of policies and procedures before they are enacted upon. Voters should be informed of what goes on behind closed doors in their city. Equally as important is rank choice voting. I would like to open the discussion of the value of rank choice voting. Frankly, rank choice voting diminishes the value of your vote. I am also very interested in bringing more jobs to San Leandro.
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AGREEMENT TO FILING RULES FOR CANDIDATE STATEMENT

General Information:
The law permits Nonpartisan Candidates to file a Candidate Statement to be mailed with the sample ballot. Filing of a Candidate Statement is not mandatory, but is permitted if the candidate desires to file one.

Form:
The statement must be prepared on a form provided by the City Elections Official (City Clerk). Candidate must type the Candidate Statement in upper and lower case type, and submit a signed original and an electronic version of the same in Microsoft Word by email or on a compact disc (CD). All Statements will be printed in uniform style and size of type in standard paragraph form. Outline form is not acceptable. Candidates are required to TYPE their statement single-spaced in paragraphs. The following WILL NOT be permitted: handwriting, all capital letters, extra exclamation points, and highlights (bold, underlined, or bold and underlined). Statements will be typeset exactly as submitted; candidates are therefore advised to carefully check their statements for errors in spelling, punctuation and grammar. The Elections Official makes corrections only to the format of the statement. The California Elections Code intends uniformity of appearance of Candidate Statements. This avoids favored composition or printing of one candidate statement over another. The statement will be printed in accordance with the requirements of the California Elections Code.

Content:
The Candidate Statement includes the name and a brief description of the candidate’s education and qualifications in no more than 200 words. It may include the age and occupation of the candidate. Such statement shall not include the party affiliation of the candidate nor membership or activity in partisan political organizations.

When and Where to File Statement:
The Candidate Statement shall be filed in the office of the Elections Official when the nomination papers are returned for filing during the nomination period which ends on the 88th day before the election. It may be withdrawn, but not changed, during the period of filing nomination papers and until 5:00 p.m. of the next working day after the close of the nomination period.

Cost:
The estimated cost of the Candidate Statement is $900.00. This cost includes printing, handling, translating, and mailing the Candidate Statement filed pursuant to this section, including costs incurred as a result of complying with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended. Each candidate filing a statement is required to submit the full estimated cost of the Candidate Statement at the time the Candidate Statement is filed. In the event of underpayment, the Elections Official will require the candidate to pay the balance of the cost incurred. In the event of overpayment, the Elections Official shall refund the excess amount.

Signature of Candidate

8/8/2014 Date

I do not elect to file a candidate statement.

Signature of Candidate Date

Note: Candidate may withdraw candidate statement by signing and submitting this withdrawal notice to the City Elections Official no later than 5:00 p.m. of the next working day after the close of the candidate filing (nomination) period.

WITHDRAWAL OF CANDIDATE STATEMENT

I hereby withdraw my candidate statement. I request the City of San Leandro refund my deposit, within 30 days of the election.

Signature of Candidate Date

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