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I'm a lifelong Santa Claran, educated in local schools and earning a BA from San Jose State University. Our hometown is facing the need for change – for young, fresh ideas, for a new voice, for a new day in our Mission City. Our city is in a state of deficit spending, mounting lawsuits, and discordant government, it is time for change.

I'm independent and free from any obligations to special interests. I will serve only the best interests of Santa Clara being your voice in shaping of our city's future. As a Planning Commissioner, I understand the growth necessary to meet the needs of new Santa Clarans. New development must be inclusive & harmonious with existing neighborhoods, as well as affordable.

As Mayor, I promise to stop backroom deals and costly, unnecessary litigation. I will work cooperatively with the leaders of our neighboring cities. Your priorities are my priorities – rebuilding our downtown, balancing our budget, improving our infrastructure, expanding our entertainment district, generating new revenues from enterprise and business, not taxes and fees. It's time to elect new leadership for Santa Clara's future. I respectfully ask for your vote – Anthony Becker for Mayor.

Please visit <http://www.beckerformayor2018.com>

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Lisa Gillmor

Appointed Mayor, Businesswoman

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I'm proud to be Mayor in the city I was born and raised -- where I'm raising my children. I ask for your vote to continue my service.

I was appointed in 2016 when Jamie Matthews suddenly resigned. What could have been a crisis for our city became a turning point. I've pushed City Hall to be more transparent and fiscally responsible. I've led a council majority to manage our city as a sacred duty for our sons, daughters, grandchildren -- and all future Santa Clarans.

We will stand up for our residents and neighborhoods against strong special interests -- including an NFL team.

We did that with the weekday stadium curfew because we prioritize our residents' quality of life over minimal concert revenue. We've fought to uphold Measure J -- the law that prevents the stadium from using city revenues. We stopped the sale of the Youth Soccer Park and Ulistac and would not give them away in a backroom deal.

Finally, we're building a strong fiscal foundation for our future. Last year, we put nearly \$70 million into reserves once depleted during the Great Recession. Santa Clara is headed in the right direction. Please help me continue the positive changes we've made. www.ElectMayorGillmor2018

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