

CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

Election Date: November 5, 2024 Presidential General Election

PLEASE ATTACH CANDIDATE STATEMENT TO THIS FORM

2024 AUG -5 AM 11:30

Candidate Name

ROBERT JOSEPH O'KEEFE
FIRST MIDDLE (do not include hyphenated last name) LAST (include all or hyphenated last names)

Office Sought

CITY CLERK

Jurisdiction

CITY OF SANTA CLARA

I understand my candidate statement will be translated. For proper translation, my name is:

- Masculine
- Androgynous or Non-binary
- Feminine
- Other: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Words:
Lines:
Characters:

Statement of

BOB O'KEEFE
Candidate name as it will appear with statement in County Voter Information Guide.
Will be printed in all Capital Letters & Bold.

Candidate for

CITY CLERK, CITY OF SANTA CLARA
(Title of Office & Name of Jurisdiction)

Occupation:

RETIRED POLICE LIEUTENANT Age: _____ (optional)
Occupation as it will appear with statement in County Voter Information Guide.
Will be printed in Upper and Lower Case Letters.

Examples of Formatted Names and Occupations:

SYLVIA SMITH
Retired Teacher

JOHN DOE
Accountant

REFER TO CANDIDATE GUIDE FOR INFORMATION ON STATEMENT COSTS AND FORMAT GUIDELINES

When submitting your candidate statement please provide written options indicating your preference on how to reduce the line count of your statement if it is over the line limit when entered in our template.

I understand that my name, occupation, and age, as listed above, will appear with my statement in the County Voter Information Guide. I also understand it may be formatted to conform with the ROV standards.

Signature of Candidate

Date

8/5/24

Email address (for 24-hour signoff of statement format):

BOB11401@AOL.COM

*** CHECK BOX AND SIGN BELOW IF NOT ELECTING TO FILE A CANDIDATE STATEMENT ***

I DO NOT elect to file a statement of qualifications as permitted by Elections Code §13307.

Signature of Candidate

Date

Hi, I'm Bob, I was born and raised in Santa Clara, a product of local schools, grammar school through college, I am retired from the California Highway Patrol after 30 years of service. I attained the rank of Lieutenant overseeing all patrol operations in San Francisco and San Mateo Counties.

I am active in the community, member of the 2023/24 Santa Clara County Civil Grand Jury, past board member of the Old Quad Resident's Association, past member of the Neighborhood University Relations Sub-Committee, community advocate and much more.

Over the last few years the duties of the City Clerk have changed with the greatest responsibility being that of the City Elections Official. I believe this position needs to be non political, non partisan, community oriented, ensuring true democracy and transparency in all of our city elections.

My entire career has been dedicated to public service, and I still wish to serve. I have proven leadership skills and vast government administrative experience. If elected, I will perform my duties professionally, honestly, with high moral values and ethical standards.

Santa Clara is my city, it's your city, it's our city! With that thought in mind, I would be honored by your vote. Please visit my web site, www.okeefeforcityclerk.com