

La Jolla Community Planning Association

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Volunteering and community engagement have always been important to me. I joined the La Jolla Community Planning Association (LJCPA) because I value public participation in building consensus and advancing common goals.

I am a resident of Bird Rock who remains in awe of our unique coastal beauty and heritage. I surf, sail, golf and bike locally. I earned a degree in Urban and Regional Studies from Cornell University and have worked successfully on city planning and zoning, historic preservation and adaptive re-use, environmental issues and smart growth.

My professional career in San Diego involves community outreach, public affairs and government relations - work that requires that I remain current on City Council and Planning Commission policies and decisions, including Community Planning Group reform, BlueprintSD, Sustainable Development Areas and more. I am fluent in the development review process, entitlements, community plan updates, CEQA, and the Coastal Commission, among other land use processes that shape our community.

I am part of the volunteer group [Respect Bird Rock](#) that has organized a campaign to improve safety and reduce the speed on La Jolla Boulevard, using online tools and social media to engage hundreds. As a Trustee, I can help LJCPA enhance its use of digital media to attract even more involvement in our civic efforts.

I participate in local environmental projects, including the La Jolla/Fay Avenue path and park clean-ups, and a bike to work day pit stop. I walk, bike, drive, take the #30 bus and trolley. I support safe and convenient mobility options and attractive public spaces for everyone from children to seniors through an inclusive multimodal lens.

Advocating for an entrepreneurial climate and supporting our local businesses and maintaining our vibrant village and commercial areas is paramount. Security, beautification and walkability go a long way to help shops, galleries, restaurants and service providers thrive.

LJCPA is indispensable to ensuring that La Jolla remains an outstanding place to live, work, go to school, shop, obtain healthcare, visit and play. Thank you for your engagement in our community. I would be honored to serve as a Trustee and welcome your vote.

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