

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT
Piedmont General Municipal Election, November 3, 2020

Name Hilary Cooper Age (optional) 52

My education and qualifications are:

I am running for the Piedmont School Board because I believe in public education and I want to serve the community that I have been part of for the past 11 years. Both of my kids attended Havens Elementary, PMS and PHS and during that time, I was an active volunteer in our school community. I served 7 years on the PMS and PHS parent club boards, including 2 years on each board as president. I co-chaired Spring Fling, The Giving Campaign, and most recently, the successful Measures G&H school parcel tax campaign. Being involved in education is not only my passion but it is also my background. Prior to having my kids, I was a first grade teacher. I also attended public schools and graduated from Cal. We are fortunate to send our kids to school in one of the most exceptional districts in the state. Like other districts, we also face major challenges. I will work collaboratively with our community, teachers, administrators, and parents to find solutions to today's unique challenges. Our new normal will require open-mindedness and innovation. We must re-imagine how we teach our kids and keep them safe, so that they can thrive.

The Piedmont City Council has by resolution limited candidate's statements to 200 words.

Pursuant to Elections Code § 13307, I state that I have prepared the above statement and request that it be printed in the voter's pamphlet and mailed to each registered voter of my district.

Signature Date

I do not elect to file a candidate's statement. _____
Signature Date

Candidates may withdraw, but not change their statement by signing and submitting the withdrawal notice no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, August 10, 2020.

I hereby withdraw my candidate statement. _____
Signature Date