

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT
Piedmont General Municipal Election, November 8, 2022

Name _____ Betsy Smegal Andersen _____ Age (optional) 52 _____

My education and qualifications are:

My priorities on the Piedmont City Council have been community health and safety, financial stability, and strong city-school relations. During my time on Council, we have renovated Hampton Park and the Corey Reich Tennis Center, invested \$3.75M for future pension needs, facilitated in-town COVID-19 testing, allocated funds to modernize police and fire dispatch, and maintained a balanced budget. Currently, we are rebuilding the city-owned Piedmont Community Pool, thanks to voter-approved Measure UU. As a lifelong resident, I appreciate the challenges and opportunities as we develop strategies to meet our climate action goals, address the state housing crisis, and replace aging infrastructure. Prior to serving on Council, I volunteered on the Public Safety Committee to promote emergency preparedness and chaired the Recreation Commission with a focus on improving recreational facilities and opportunities for all ages. I attended Piedmont public schools, majored in Public Policy at Duke, earned my law degree from UCLA, and practiced law for nearly two decades. My husband, Robert, and I raised our daughters here, Jane (PHS '18) and Ellie (PHS '21). If re-elected, I will continue to listen thoughtfully to all voices as we work together to strengthen the community we call home.

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 15, 2022.

I hereby withdraw my candidate statement. _____
Signature Date