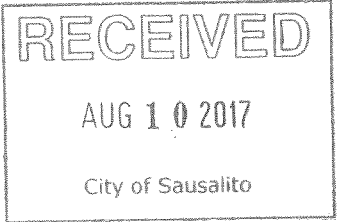


STATEMENT OF SUSAN CLEVELAND-KNOWLES FOR  
CITY COUNCIL  
Sausalito



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AGE: 49

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Our city's natural beauty, waterfront culture, historic charm, and close-knit community make Sausalito truly extraordinary. Fighting to preserve these qualities, while thoughtfully guiding our next steps, requires experience, common-sense, and integrity.

As a committed longtime resident, the current Chair of our Planning Commission, and a volunteer on several local task forces, I have hands-on knowledge of our community's needs, opportunities, and the assets we must protect. Eighteen years as a San Francisco Deputy City Attorney has taught me the power of collaboration, respect, and open-mindedness, while providing crucial municipal government experience, especially in land use and transportation.

As a mother, I remain active with other parents, supporting a strong local public education system that fosters creativity, inclusion and a public service ethic. I worked hard to restore our parks (Measure F) because safe, accessible, beautiful public spaces are fundamental to our community.

These experiences and skills are invaluable in addressing many issues, including the General Plan update. I will address every challenge with an open mind, listen carefully to all points of view, and do my homework, so our small town remains financially healthy, vibrant, and responsive.

I would be honored to receive your vote.

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