

STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL, WILLITS

GERARDO "GERRY" GONZALEZ

AGE: 59

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: As a lifelong resident of Willits, it has been an honor to serve the citizens of Willits these last eight years. I would be humbled to have the opportunity to continue serving you.

Resiliency has been my focus these last eight years, from ensuring reliable and diversified water resources to ensuring the City's fiscal stability.

My career has focused on building a stronger community, first in local law enforcement and later through volunteerism and City activities.

Growing up and then raising my family in Willits has taught me the virtues of our small town. Now having grandchildren growing up here makes supporting the next generation all that more consequential.

My experience as a former Police Chief for the City, emergency management experience in my career, and a Bachelor's Degree in Business Management, has provided me the insights into the issues we currently face relative to fiscal challenges, wildfires and power shutoffs, water security, implementation of Measure K, and support of our local businesses.

I serve on the boards of LAFCO, Adventist Health Howard Memorial, and West Business Development Center, as well as being a founding member of the Willits Kids Club.

I appreciate your support and ask for your vote.

s/ Gerardo Gonzalez

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THOMAS ALLMAN

AGE: 63

Occupation: Retired Sheriff, Realtor

Education and Qualifications: Local government plays a crucial role in our community. We rely on our local government to use tax dollars wisely, listen to citizens, and make informed decisions. As a dedicated member of the Willits Community for nearly 40 years, I've witnessed the city's evolution. From the bypass to the challenges of the pandemic and local emergencies, it's clear that we need leadership that can prepare us for tomorrow while addressing the needs of today. Over the next four years, we'll face significant challenges that demand steady and experienced leadership. With my 13 years of experience as Mendocino County Sheriff, I have built strong working relationships with various government and non-profit organizations, ensuring successful projects and events. I have led our county through floods, fires, and complex investigations. My focus is on Public Safety, Safe Streets, supporting small businesses, and ensuring fairness for our City Employees. Thank you for considering my commitment.

I would be grateful for your vote for the Willits City Council on November 5, 2024.

s/Tom Allman

DECLARACION DE CANDIDATO A
MIEMBRO, CONCEJO DE LA CIUDAD, WILLITS

GERARDO "GERRY" GONZALEZ

EDAD: 59

Ocupación: Titular

Educación y cualificaciones: Como residente de Willits de toda la vida, ha sido un honor servir a los ciudadanos de Willits estos últimos ocho años. Me sentiría honrado de tener la oportunidad de seguir sirviéndole.

La resiliencia ha sido mi objetivo en estos últimos ocho años, desde garantizar recursos hídricos confiables y diversificados hasta garantizar la estabilidad fiscal de la Ciudad.

Mi carrera se ha centrado en construir una comunidad más fuerte, primero en las fuerzas del orden público local y luego a través del voluntariado y actividades de la Ciudad.

Creer y luego criar a mi familia en Willits me ha enseñado las virtudes de nuestro pequeño pueblo. Ahora tener nietos creciendo aquí hace que el apoyo a la siguiente generación sea aún más importante.

Mi experiencia como Exjefe de Policía de la Ciudad, la experiencia en la gestión de emergencias en mi carrera, y una Licenciatura en Administración de Empresas, me han proporcionado la comprensión de los problemas que enfrentamos actualmente en relación con los desafíos fiscales, los incendios forestales y los cortes de energía, la seguridad del agua, la implementación de la Iniciativa de Ley K, y el apoyo a nuestras empresas locales.

Sirvo en las juntas de la LAFCO, Adventist Health Howard Memorial, y West Business Development Center, además de ser miembro fundador del Willits Kids Club.

Agradezco su apoyo y le pido su voto.

f/ Gerardo Gonzalez

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