

Statement of Madison Nguyen, Candidate for
Councilmember, District 7, City of San Jose

Occupation: President, Franklin-McKinley Board of Education

Education and Qualifications:

Every family deserves the opportunity to succeed. That's why I have been so involved in helping young people achieve their goals and offering working families the tools they need to thrive in our community.

As School Board President, I've fought to achieve excellence in our students and schools. I've stressed parent involvement and peer counseling as ways to improve poor performing schools. I've championed programs that keep kids in class, off drugs and away from the dangers of gang violence.

As a college instructor and the founder of a local nonprofit organization that provides afterschool activities, language classes and truancy programs; I know firsthand the most effective way to help kids achieve success.

On the City Council, I will stand up for all our neighborhoods. I'll continue building on my efforts helping families and young people - fighting for quality schools, ensuring productive afterschool activities, enhancing public safety within our neighborhood, creating affordable home ownership opportunities, and advocating for small business and job creation. I will be a champion for all our residents.

Please join the San Jose Firefighters, Vice Mayor Cindy Chavez, Councilmember Nora Campos, local teachers, parents and neighbors in supporting Madison Nguyen for City Council.