

# South Robertson Neighborhoods Council Candidate Statement

First Name: BENJAMIN Last Name: BELLET

All candidates have the option of submitting a Candidate Statement as part of their Candidate Filing Packet. Every candidate must adhere to the following guidelines when submitting a Candidate Statement:

- Must fit in the designated area below;
- Must not exceed 150 word count limit;
- Must be at least 12-point font (if typed);
- Must be submitted no later than **March 12, 2010**; and,
- May not include any pictures, profanity or comments about any other candidate.

Additionally, a candidate may submit translated version(s) of the original statement, which must comply with all aforementioned criteria. Candidate Statements will be posted on the City Clerk's website and at the polling place on Election Day.

I am a second generation South Robertson neighborhood resident. I attended the local schools as a child. My friends and family all live in this neighborhood. I've been fortunate enough to work, and earn a living in this neighborhood. As such, I feel a deep connection to this neighborhood, and want to give back to the neighborhood that has served me so well.

My 4 year old son will soon be attending Castle Heights Elementary. So my life in Soro has come full circle. My belief is that it's important to strengthen involvement in our local businesses, schools, and overall community.

As candidate for office, I bring 30 years of local connections, community insight and a strong background in business.

Thank you for your consideration.

Ben Bellet

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE ABOVE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT: