

# South Central Neighborhood Council Candidate Statement

First Name: Jorge Last Name: Nunez

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 **MAY 27, 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.

As a proud business owner and long time resident of this community, I'm excited to work closely with the residents and city government to bring prosperity and safety to our neighborhoods. My goal is simple: elevate the quality of living by advocating for education, economic development and safety. Having a direct relationship with our local police and city government has allowed me help resolve many of my neighbors concerns. I am a board member of the Community Advisory Committee, have participated in supporting new businesses and the revitalization of our community. For the last four years, I've helped Newton plan and execute National Night Out, a day of peace and community engagement with food, entertainment and resources. In addition, I'm the founder of Nuevo South, a non-profit organization that will provide our youth with mentoring, programs and resources to access higher education, leadership and entrepreneurial skills through technology.

Como un propietario orgulloso de negocio y residente de esta comunidad por mucho tiempo, yo estoy emocionado de trabajar con el gobierno local y los residentes para traer prosperidad y seguridad a nuestros vecindarios. Mi objetivo es sencillo: elevar la calidad de vida promoviendo educación, el desarrollo económico y la seguridad. Con una relación directa a nuestro gobierno local y departamento de policía he resuelto muchos de los problemas de mis vecinos. Soy un miembro de la Mesa del Comité Consultivo de la Comunidad, he tomado parte en desarrollar nuevos negocios y apoyado la revitalización de nuestra comunidad. Por cuatro años, he ayudado a Newton planificar y ejecutar la Noche Nacional Fuera, un día de paz y comunidad con comida, entretenimiento y recursos. Además, soy el fundador de Nuevo South, una organización no lucrativa que proporcionará programas y recursos para jóvenes a conseguir acceso a educación, liderazgo y habilidades empresariales en tecnología.

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