

Sun Valley Area Neighborhood Council Candidate Statement

First Name: STEPHEN Last Name: FRANKLIN

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 **February 25, 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.

MY NAME IS STEPHEN FRANKLIN. I HAVE SERVED AS AN ELECTED MEMBER OF THE SVANC SINCE 2007. I CARE MUCH ABOUT THE COMMUNITY. I HAVE TAUGHT AT SUN VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL SINCE 1999. I AM THE DIRECTOR OF THE SCHOOL'S LEADERSHIP CLASS, AND MY STUDENTS ARE ALSO INVOLVED IN THE COMMUNITY. I AM A LOS ANGELES UNIFIED AND LOS ANGELES COUNTY TEACHER OF THE YEAR. I AM COMMITTED TO MAKING SUN VALLEY A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE AND WORK.

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