

Candidate Statement

Office Title: Council Member

Name of Candidate: Al Mendall

Occupation: Hayward City Councilmember

My education and qualifications are:

Hayward is moving in the right direction. As your Councilmember since 2012, I have worked hard to keep my promises to you. Crime is down 7% and unemployment is down 5%. There are 3,400 new businesses including restaurants, retail and well-paying employers. There are new murals throughout town, and less litter and graffiti. We have implemented environmental policies that save money while saving the planet. I am proud of our achievements, but there is more to do.

If re-elected, I will lead the effort to build a new police station and upgrade our fire stations. I will work to attract more new employers, restaurants and stores. As a father of young children, I know we need more safe places for young people to play and learn. I will finish the job of building the new library downtown and a destination park in South Hayward. I will work to bring high-speed internet to the entire city. I will continue to champion environmental policies that make Hayward a leader. I am honored to be endorsed by Hayward Firefighters and Police Officers, Sierra Club, Congressman Swalwell, and Mayor Halliday. Please vote for me so I can keep working on your behalf. www.alforhayward.com