



# **SAN MATEO COUNTY BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION TRADES COUNCIL**

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## Recommendations for Endorsement – November 2020

### *City Councils:*

#### **Brisbane City Council** – 3 seats, 4 candidates

Karen Cunningham (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

Cliff Lentz (I) – Endorsed by Labor Council

Coleen Mackin (No response)

R. Jason Nunan (No response)

#### **Daly City Council** – 2 seats, 4 candidates - Revisit

Shakeel Ali - Open

Juslyn Manalo (I) (already endorsed)

Musa Issa Nijmeh (No response)

Glenn Sylvester (I) (already endorsed)

#### **Foster City Council** – 3 seats, 5 candidates

Latisa Brooks (No response)

Jon Froomin (I)

Sam Hindi (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

Catherine Mahanpour (No response)

Patrick Sullivan - Endorsed by Labor Council

#### **Half Moon Bay Council, District 3** – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Adam Eisen (I)

Joaquin Jimenez (No response)

\*No position in this race

#### **Menlo Park City Council**

District 3 – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Max Fennell (No response)

Chelsea Nguyen (withdrew from endorsement consideration)

Jen Wolosin - Endorsed by Labor Council

#### **Millbrae City Council** – 3 seats, 5 candidates

Anders Fung – Endorsed by Labor Council

Gina Papan (I) (already endorsed)

Ann Schneider (I) (already endorsed)

You You Xue

Errol Zshornack (No response)

### **Pacifica City Council**

District 1 – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Mayra Espinosa (No response)

Sue Vaterlaus (I) – Endorsed by Labor Council

District 4 – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Tygarjas Twyrlys Bigstycyk - Open

Mike Cohen – Endorsed by Labor Council

Marj Davis

### **Redwood City Council**

District 1 – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Jeff Gee - Endorsed by Labor Council

Nancy Radcliffe (No response)

District 3 – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Janet Borgens (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

Isabella Chu

Lisette Espinoza-Garnica

District 4 – 1 seat, 1 candidate

Michael Smith - Endorsed by Labor Council

### **San Bruno City Council** – 2 seats, 5 candidates

Tom Hamilton

Stephan Marshall - Endorsed by Labor Council

Michael Salazar (I) – Endorsed by Labor Council

Jeremy Sarnecky (No response)

Stephen Seymour

### **San Carlos City Council** – 2 seats, 4 candidates

Ron Collins (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

John Dugan – Endorsed by Labor Council

JT Eden (No response)

David Tom (No response)

### **So. San Francisco City Council**

District 2 – 1 seat, 1 candidate

Mark Nagales (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

### *School Districts:*

**Brisbane School District, Full Term** – 2 seats, 4 candidates

Mea Christie - Endorsed by Labor Council

Karen Lentz - Endorsed by Labor Council

Lillian Markind (No response)

Jacque McLaughlin (I) (No response)

**Jefferson Elementary School District** – 2 seats, 4 candidates

Andrea Jordan - Endorsed by Labor Council

Manufou Liaiga-Anoa'i (I) (already endorsed)

Wallace Moore (No response)

Nicole Priolo (No response)

**Pacifica School District, Short Term** – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Marissa Arena - Endorsed by Labor Council

Patricia Balmas (No response)

Jared Steele (No response)

**Ravenswood City School District** – 2 seats, 7 candidates

Bronwyn Alexander - Endorsed by Labor Council

Jenny Varghese Bloom (No response)

Zeb Feldman (No response)

Marielena Gaona-Mendoza (I) (No response)

Julian Garcia (No response)

Mele Latu (No response)

Joel Rivera (No response)

**San Bruno Park Elementary School Dist** – 2 seats, 3 candidates

Jennifer Blanco (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

Bryan Vander Lugt

Andriana Shea

**San Mateo County Community College District**

Area 1 – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Lisa Petrides – Endorsed by Labor Council

Eugene Whitlock

Area 3 – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Maurice Goodman (I) – Open

Dave Mandelkern (I) – (already endorsed)

Area 5 – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Lisa Hicks-Dumanske

John Pimentel – Endorsed by Labor Council

Blair Whitney

**San Mateo Union High School District** – 2 seats, 3 candidates

Neal Kaufman - Endorsed by Labor Council

Greg Land (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

Ligia Andrade Zuniga

**Sequoia Union High School District**

Trustee Area C – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Shamar Edwards

Rich Ginn - Endorsed by Labor Council

Georgia Solkov Jack (I)

Trustee Area E – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Jacqui Cebrian (No response)

Shawneece Stevenson - Endorsed by Labor Council

*Other:*

**Menlo Park Fire** – 2 seats, 4 candidates

Sean Ballard

Peter Carpenter

Virginia Chang Kiraly (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

Robert Silano (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

## **San Mateo County Harbor District**

District 4 – 1 seat, 3 candidates

Lemoine “Lee” Fernandez

Dawn Korth

Tom Mattusch (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

District 5 – 1 seat, 2 candidates

Kirsten Keith

Virginia Chang Kiraly (I) - Endorsed by Labor Council

## **Local Measures for the November 2020 Election**

### **Local Measures**

#### **City:**

- **Daly City - Measure Q** – ½¢ Sales tax for City services – **Recommend YES**
- **East Palo Alto – Measure V** – Increase hotel tax from 12% to 14% in 2 steps for affordable housing – **Recommend YES**
- **Half Moon Bay - Measure U** – Increase hotel tax from 12% to 15% in 2 steps for general revenue – **Recommend YES**
- **San Bruno – Measure S** – If Cannabis businesses are allowed, tax up to 10% of gross – **Recommend YES**
- **San Bruno – Measure X** – Increase hotel tax from 12% to 14% in for city services and facilities – **Recommend YES**
- **San Mateo – Measure Y** – Extend restrictions on building heights and density for 10 years – **Recommend NO**
- **San Mateo – Measure R** – Extend restrictions on building heights and density for 10 years for single-family neighborhoods, but allows increases in heights and density close to major transit and on industrial and commercial land – **Recommend YES**
- **San Mateo – Measure W** – Increase hotel tax from 12% to 14% for general City services – **Recommend YES**

#### **School District:**

- **Jefferson High School District – Measure Z** – \$163 million for district facilities safety, security, renovation and construction with no increase in current estimated tax rates – **Recommend YES**
- **San Mateo-Foster City School District – Measure T** – \$409 million for district facilities health & safety, technology for distance learning, renovation and construction – **Recommend YES**

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