

**City of Encinitas
City Clerk's Office**

**Candidate Statement of Qualifications
(Read instructions carefully)**

Jurisdiction Name: (ALL CAPS)	CITY OF ENCINITAS	
Office Title: (Upper & Lower)	Mayor of Encinitas	
Candidate Name: (ALL CAPS)	BRUCE EHLERS	
Age: (Optional)		
Occupation:	City Council Member / Engineering Executive	
Election Date	NOVEMBER 5, 2024	

The occupation to appear on the candidate's statement is not restricted by the California Elections Code. It does not have to match the occupation on the ballot, can be more descriptive and can have more than three words.

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Use "Block Paragraphs, Single Space" format. Type within the box using a fixed pitch font such as Courier. Word count starts here:

As Mayor, Bruce will preserve the small-scale, beach community that we love. He supports local control of land use and opposes state mandates that override our local zoning. He will vigorously defend our City within the bounds of the law.

Bruce authored Proposition A, "The Encinitas Right to Vote Initiative" approved by voters in 2013. It guarantees residents the right to approve increases in density or height. He defended Prop A in court and won against our City Council's attempt to remove it.

Bruce will address homelessness by providing necessary services and beds while enforcing our laws to make public spaces safe for all.

Bruce will prioritize basic infrastructure first (pavement, drainage and public safety) before beautification projects.

Bruce will protect our environment by saving open space, restoring the tree canopy, and reducing greenhouse gas emissions.

Bruce has served in various City roles for more than 20 years. He was elected to City Council in 2022. Prior, he served twice on Planning Commission, most recently as Chairman where he vigorously opposed excessive development.

Bruce and his wife have called Encinitas home for 40 years and raised three daughters here.

Preserve and defend Encinitas. Vote for Bruce!

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@BruceForEncinitas, 760-944-9482

I understand I am responsible for the cost of this statement, and I may be billed or refunded the difference in cost based on the final registration for my jurisdiction.	Cost of the Statement: <u>\$1000</u> (Checks payable to:)City of Encinitas
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