



City of Lawndale

SAMPLE BALLOT

and Voter Information Pamphlet

GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 2004

MARK AND SAVE THIS SAMPLE BALLOT

For use at your Polling Place or for voting your "VOTE BY MAIL" Ballot

POLLS OPEN at 7 A.M.
AND CLOSE at 7 P.M.

The location of your

POLLING PLACE

Is shown at the bottom of back cover

CAUTION: Your polling place may have been changed from a previous election

Learn more about the election,
on the City's web site
– under **Election** at
www.lawndalecity.org

NOTE: "VOTE BY MAIL"
Ballot Application on
Back Cover

FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRANSLATIONS AVAILABLE

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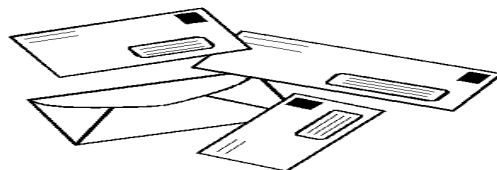
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SPANISH:

Si usted desea recibir sin costo alguno una copia traducida de la boleta y de la boleta de muestra, por favor sírvase llamar por teléfono a la Secretraria Municipal al número de teléfono que figura en la lista de la cubierta de atrás de este folleto.

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OFFICIAL BALLOT
 CITY OF LAWNSDALE
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THIS BALLOT STUB SHALL BE REMOVED
 AND RETAINED BY THE VOTER

Remove circled cross ⊕
 completely

No. 1234

I HAVE VOTED – HAVE YOU?

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS:

To vote for a candidate whose name appears on the ballot, remove the ballot card from the security envelope and completely punch out the circled cross ⊕ in the voting square to the right of the candidate's name.

Where two or more candidates for the same office are to be elected, completely punch out the circled cross ⊕ after the names of all candidates for that office for whom you desire to vote, not to exceed, however, the number of candidates who are to be elected.

To vote for a qualified write-in candidate, write the name in the blank space left for that purpose and BE SURE TO PUNCH OUT THE CIRCLED CROSS ⊕ TO THE RIGHT OF THE WRITE-IN NAME.

All marks except the punch holes are forbidden. All distinguishing marks or erasures are forbidden and make the ballot void.

If you wrongly punch, tear or deface the ballot card, return it to the precinct board member and obtain another.

CITY OF LAWNSDALE		
For MAYOR		Vote for ONE
JAMES D. "JIM" RAMSEY Councilmember	→	⊕
HAROLD E. HOFMANN Incumbent	→	⊕
NANCY MCKEE Councilmember	→	⊕
	→	⊕
For MEMBER of the CITY COUNCIL		Vote for no more than TWO
VIRGINIA RHODES Retired	→	⊕
GARY M. McDONALD Small Business Owner	→	⊕
DAVID J. MURRY, SR. Job Coordinator	→	⊕
UFFE MOLLER Engineering Technician/Trainer	→	⊕
KENNETH M. FINE Planning Commissioner	→	⊕
FRED SIEGEL Self Employed	→	⊕
ROBERT PULLEN-MILES State Legislature, Deputy	→	⊕
PAT KEARNEY Park/Recreation Commissioner	→	⊕
	→	⊕
	→	⊕
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VOTER INFORMATION PAMPHLET

The following pages contain:

CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

Each Candidate's Statement in this pamphlet is volunteered by the candidate, and is printed at the expense of the candidate. Although all candidates had the opportunity to submit a statement, some candidates may not have submitted a statement. A complete list of candidates appears on the sample ballot page of this pamphlet.

VOTE BY MAIL (ABSENTEE VOTING)

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LOS ANGELES COUNTY
General Voter Information

<http://lavote.net/>



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*Click on "Where Do I Vote"
Click on "Polling Place Inquiry for all
County/City Elections"
Follow directions.*

**FOR
MAYOR**

JAMES D. " JIM " RAMSEY

Age: 66
Occupation: Councilmember

Two years ago, after being off the council for 16 years, I asked for your vote to be a member of your city council again with the promise that I would represent you to the best of my ability.

I believe that I have shown you what my experience, knowledge and capabilities can bring to the citizens and the city.

Some of the things that have been accomplished are: Prop N was placed on the ballot where all of the citizens could vote on the future of their own property, working to promote the Chamber of Commerce with the such ideas as a city wide sidewalk sale, opened a line of communication with Supervisor Burke on the possible use of Alondra Park for our citizens, keeping the long time tradition of the Angel Tree Lighting Ceremony, and opened the city council office the Saturday before each council meeting so that anyone and everyone could talk to a city representative.

I am again asking for your vote — this time as your Mayor, because I want to be your voice in and for our city and as I said 30 years ago " The People are the City".

/s/ James Ramsey

**PARA
ALCALDE**

JAMES D. "JIM" RAMSEY

Edad: 66
Ocupación: Concejal

Hace dos años, después de estar fuera del concejo durante 16 años, les pedí su voto para ser miembro del concejo municipal nuevamente con la promesa de que los representaría a ustedes en la medida de mi capacidad.

Creo que ya les he demostrado lo que mi experiencia, conocimiento y capacidad pueden aportar a los ciudadanos y a la ciudad.

Algunas de las cosas que se han logrado son las siguientes:

Se puso la Propuesta N en la boleta electoral donde todos los ciudadanos podrían votar sobre el futuro de su propiedad; se trabajó para promover la Cámara de Comercio con ideas como ventas en las aceras por toda la ciudad; se abrió una línea de comunicación con la Supervisora Burke sobre el posible uso del Parque Alondra para nuestros ciudadanos; se mantuvo la larga tradición de la Ceremonia de Iluminación del Arbol del Angel, y se abrió la oficina del concejo municipal los sábados antes de cada junta del concejo para que cualquier persona y todos los que quisieran pudieran hablar con un representante de la ciudad.

Les pido nuevamente su voto – esta vez para ser Alcalde, porque quiero ser su voz en la ciudad, y como dije hace 30 años "El Pueblo es la Ciudad".

**FOR
MAYOR**

HAROLD E. HOFMANN

Age: 71
Occupation: Incumbent

My desire is to see Lawndale as a "City for the People" that is clean, safe and economically secure.

I have lived here all of my life and raised my three children here.

The record shows that while I've been in office there have been many improvements. To name a few:

- Building of the City Corporation Yard
- Repair railroad crossings
- Established Sheriff Service Center
- Built Diane Bollinger Gym at Rogers Anderson Park
- Refurbish Rogers Anderson Park
- Remodeled Civic Center for Senior Citizens
- Redesigned City Hall
- Refurbish current Library
- Constructed new fire station
- Paramedics within city limits
- Initiate food distribution program
- Underground Utilities on Marine
- Improve 154th from Prairie Ave. to Hawthorne Blvd.
- Renovated Manhattan Beach Blvd.
- Reconstruct and landscape Hawthorne Blvd.
- Improve graffiti removal
- Encourage businesses such as Spires and Pep Boys

Future plans:

Continue to provide cost effective services for a safe, clean environment for our families. Keep open communication with staff, county and state officials and the citizens I serve. Continue fiscal soundness and honest government. Secure grants for a new Library. Maintain the philosophy "The People Are the City"

If there are any concerns you want to discuss, call me at (310) 370-1210.

Re-elect
Harold E. Hofmann

/s/ Harold Hofmann

**PARA
ALCALDE**

HAROLD E. HOFMANN

Edad: 71
Ocupación: Titular

Mi deseo es ver a Lawndale como una "Ciudad para el Pueblo" que sea limpia, segura y con estabilidad económica.

He vivido aquí toda mi vida, y aquí he criado a mis tres hijos.

La hoja de servicio muestran que han habido muchas mejoras mientras he ocupado el cargo. Para mencionar una cuantas:

- La construcción del City Corporation Yard
- La reparación de los cruces de ferrocarril
- Se estableció el Centro de Servicio de Alguaciles
- Se construyó el Gimnasio Diane Bollinger en el Parque Rogers Anderson
- La restauración del Parque Rogers Anderson
- Se remodeló el Centro Cívico para las Personas Mayores
- Se rediseño el Ayuntamiento Municipal
- La restauración de la actual Biblioteca
- Se construyó la nueva estación de bomberos
- Paramédicos dentro de los límites de la ciudad
- Se inició un programa de repartición de alimentos
- Servicios Públicos Subterráneos en Marine
- Se hicieron obras de mejoras en la 154th de Prairie Ave. hasta Hawthorne Blvd.
- Se renovó Manhattan Beach Blvd.
- Se reconstruyó y se hicieron trabajos de jardinería en Hawthorne Blvd.
- Se mejoraron los trabajos de remoción del graffiti
- Se le dio estímulo a los negocios como Spires y Pep Boys

Planes para el futuro:

Seguir suministrando servicios que sean de costo eficaz con el fin de lograr tener un medio ambiente limpio y seguro para nuestras familias. Mantener una comunicación abierta con el personal administrativo, con los funcionarios estatales y del condado, y con los ciudadanos que sirvo. Continuar con la solidez fiscal y con un gobierno honesto. Obtener concesiones para una nueva Biblioteca. Mantener la filosofía " El Pueblo es la Ciudad."

Si tiene alguna preocupación sobre la cual quiera discutir, llámeme al (310) 370-1210.

Reelija a Harold E. Hofmann

**FOR
MAYOR**

**PARA
ALCALDESA**

NANCY MCKEE

Age: 53
Occupation: Council member

NANCY MCKEE

Edad: 53
Ocupación: Miembro del Concejo

It has been a pleasure serving you these past eight years as a council member. Many accomplishments have been made, the largest being the revitalization of Hawthorne Boulevard.

Ha sido un placer servirles a ustedes estos últimos ocho años como miembro del concejo. Se han realizado muchos logros, el mayor ha sido la revitalización de Hawthorne Boulevard.

The State budget crisis has impacted our community. We have had to cut many of your programs, services and staff. The next few years are going to be a challenging time for our community. You need a Mayor who is not afraid to make decisions to bring about the type of development that will make your community economically strong. This means we can bring back improved programs and services to replace those that have been cut, resulting in a community that supports youth and seniors, and all those that have invested in our community.

La crisis presupuestaria del Estado ha afectado nuestra comunidad. Hemos tenido que reducir muchos de sus programas, servicios y personal. Los próximos años van a ser tiempos difíciles para nuestra comunidad. Ustedes necesitan un Alcalde que no tenga miedo de hacer decisiones para lograr el tipo de desarrollo que haga económicamente fuerte a su comunidad. Esto significa que podemos tener mejores programas y servicios para reponer los que han sido reducidos, y que dé por resultados una comunidad que apoye a nuestros jóvenes y personas mayores, y a todos aquellos que han invertido en nuestra comunidad.

To do this you need a leader with a vision, a leader who does not want status quo. I commit to you, as your Mayor, to bring about the change that will accomplish all of the above and more. Working together we can continue to make Lawndale a community we can all be proud of.

Para lograr esto se necesita un líder con visión, un líder que no quiera el status quo (que las cosas sigan igual). Yo me comprometo ante ustedes, como Alcaldesa, para hacer surgir el cambio que logre todo lo anterior y más. Trabajando juntos podemos seguir logrando que Lawndale sea una comunidad de la cual todos podamos estar orgullosos.

Say no to status quo. Say yes to moving Lawndale forward.

Dígale no al status quo. Diga sí para que Lawndale avance hacia adelante.

Vote Nancy McKee your Mayor on April 13, 2004.

Vote por Nancy McKee para Alcaldesa el 13 de abril del 2004.

/s/ Nancy McKee

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

VIRGINIA RHODES

Occupation: Retired

My husband and I made our home in Lawndale in 1975, and have remained here because we believe it's a wonderful little town. We have raised 4 children here and are now raising 2 of our 6 grandchildren.

It was my pleasure serving you on the City Council for 8 years, having served on the Planning Commission and numerous other City commissions and committees.

While on the Council, I was involved in establishing the Sheriff's Service Center and upgrading our parks, including the addition of the new Bollinger Gymnasium. I supported redevelopment of Hawthorne Blvd, without shops in the median.

It takes innovative ideas to move our City forward. I do not believe progress is only achievable by taking people's property, using eminent domain.

I will work to restore budget cut community events and to preserve youth and senior services.

I firmly believe in open, honest government, government's obligation to keep you informed and the right of every person to be heard.

Our nation, state and city are facing tough times ahead. I believe we all need to get involved.

I look forward with enthusiasm to accepting the challenges of representing you the next 4 years. Please vote April 13th.

/s/ Virginia Rhodes

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

GARY MCDONALD

Occupation: Small Business Owner

I'm a native of Lawndale. It was an honor to serve you as Chairman of the Planning Commission and numerous City Committees. I've always been active in the community (Scouting, Little League, YMCA, Church and more) because I believe public service is a way of giving back to the community I love.

As Project Administrator for the South Bay Galleria, I protected and assisted Lawndale in obtaining \$10 million to move our community forward.

My top priorities will be:

Fighting for Safer Streets. A single violent crime is one too many – especially if you're the victim. I will make sure our sheriffs have the tools they need to keep Lawndale safer.

Fighting to Protect Our Tax Dollars. I know how to cut waste and balance the budget. I will insist that the City be run on a business bases with complete accountability. For every tax dollars that is spent, we must get a dollar's worth of services.

Fighting for Our Seniors. I will stop criminal prosecution of the elderly who cannot afford to paint their home. I will re-establish the handy workers program.

Above all, I promise to work hard and always be available.

We can make a difference.

/s/ Gary McDonald

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

DAVID J. MURRY, SR.

Occupation: Job Developer/Business Coordinator

Background

Lived in South Bay area of Los Angeles for over 15 years

B.A. in Urban Studies/Community Development

Thirty year's experience working in government and community development as: Deputy Assistant Commissioner of Community Development Agency and Administrator of six million dollar Community Corporation

Special Skills

Budgeting

Cost analysis

Contract Negotiation

Platform

Recruiting new business needed by Lawndale residents while preserving existing businesses

Decreasing incidents of crime and violence in the city

Expanding services to senior citizens

Instituting programs/activities to Lawndale youth which will curtail their involvement in illegal activities

My background, experience and dedication will be an asset to City Council and residents of Lawndale.

Vote for Change!!

For inquiries call (310) 766-8493

/s/ David Murry, Sr.

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

UFFE MOLLER

Age: 61

Occupation: Engineering Technician and Trainer

I have been a 34 year resident of Lawndale; during that time I have served on the Parks and Recreation Commission, served as Chairperson of the Youth Day Parade, attended and graduated from the Lawndale Citizen Academy, associated with the Santa Claus Club, attended and graduated from the Fire Department's Community Emergency Response Team Training.

I will work with the Citizens of Lawndale, the City Council, and the City Staff to make our city government responsive to the needs of the Lawndale Residence, and I will respond to public inquires in a professional, courteous and unbiased manner.

I feel my background and experience qualifies me to be your representative in City Hall. With your vote we can have a safe, well kept, and maintained community that we can all be proud of.

I would appreciate and ask for your vote April 13, 2004.

Thank you Uffe Moller

/s/ Uffe Moller

**PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL**

UFFE MOLLER

Edad: 61

Ocupación: Técnico en Ingeniería y Entrenador

He sido residente de Lawndale desde hace 34 años; durante ese tiempo he prestado servicio en la Comisión de Parques y Recreación, me desempeñé como Presidente del Desfile del Día de los Jóvenes, asistí y me gradúe la Academia de Ciudadanos de Lawndale, me hice socio del Club de Santa Claus, y asistí y me gradué del Equipo de Entrenamiento para los Preparativos en Casos de Emergencia de la comunidad del Departamento de Bomberos.

Yo trabajaré con los Ciudadanos de Lawndale, con el Concejo Municipal, y con el Personal Administrativo Municipal para lograr que nuestro gobierno municipal sea sensible a las necesidades de los residentes de Lawndale, y daré respuesta a las peticiones o consultas del público de manera profesional, amable e imparcial.

Considero que mi preparación y experiencia me hacen idóneo para ser su representante en el Ayuntamiento Municipal. Con su voto podemos lograr tener una comunidad segura y bien cuidada de la cual todos podamos estar orgullosos.

Les agradecería y les pido su voto el 13 de abril del 2004.

Gracias Uffe Moller

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

KEN FINE

Age: 49

Occupation: Planning Commissioner

I have been privileged to serve the residents of the City of Lawndale for the last 6 years as a planning commissioner, bringing about the largest projects in the history of the city. We have made some progress, but we need to make more if we are going to continue to succeed as a city. We need to continue with the development of our commercial area by allowing for larger commercial establishments that will generate more revenues for the city. We can hesitate, postpone, and defer these types of decisions, as some members of the current council have done, or we can take decisive action to bring about these much needed changes. Changes that will bring back many of the programs and services that have been recently taken away from you.

I believe that a council member must be accessible and accountable to the people who elect him. I will be there for you. I commit to you to be a council member who listens and responds.

Elect Ken Fine to the City Council on April 13, 2004, and help make a better future for Lawndale.

/s/ Ken Fine

**PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL**

KEN FINE

Edad: 49

Ocupación: Comisionado de Planificación

He tenido el privilegio de servir a los residentes de la Ciudad de Lawndale durante los últimos 6 años como comisionado de planificación, generando y logrando los mayores proyectos en la historia de la ciudad. Hemos logrado algún progreso, pero necesitamos lograr más si vamos a seguir teniendo éxito como ciudad. Necesitamos continuar con el desarrollo de nuestro sector comercial permitiendo establecimientos comerciales más grandes que generen más ingresos para la ciudad. Podemos titubear, posponer o aplazar estos tipos de decisiones, como algunos miembros del concejo lo han hecho, o podemos tomar una acción decisiva para lograr estos cambios tan necesarios. Cambios que lograrán recuperar muchos de los programas y servicios que les quitaron a ustedes recientemente.

Yo creo que un miembro del concejo debe ser accesible y debe rendir cuentas a la gente que lo eligió. Yo estaré ahí para ustedes. Me comprometo con ustedes a ser un concejal que los escucha y que responde.

Elijan a Ken Fine al concejo municipal el 13 de abril del 2004, y ayuden a construir un mejor futuro para Lawndale.

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

FRED SIEGEL

Occupation: Self Employed

I believe there should be someone on the city council that will protect the citizens rights, not just go along with everything the staff says.

Accomplishments:

I personally took the city to court and won over the ballot measure wording for Measure N. The judge agreeing with me city's wording was unconstitutional by suggesting a yes answer within the question itself. The new fairer wording subsequently led to the defeat of Measure N protecting the private rights of citizen from the city's use of eminent domain powers against them.

Please search " Fred Siegel Lawndale" on the internet. Then click on the LA Times article for details.

Goals and Beliefs:

Desire to preserve the city's financial integrity and independence
Believe government should stay out of the free enterprise system
Create a policy to require open discussions on all city's purchases of property
Help stop overambitious code enforcement, personally won in court when city cited my property unreasonably.
Be attentive to residents and businesses

Qualifications:

Lawndale resident/property owner for 17 years
BS degree major in accounting
Enrolled to practice before the IRS passed test with high grades
Experienced business and real estate broker.

I ask for your support and your vote.

/s/ Fred Siegel

**PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL**

FRED SIEGEL

Ocupación: Empleado Autónomo

Yo creo que debería haber alguien en el concejo municipal que proteja los derechos de los ciudadanos, y no simplemente estar de acuerdo con todo lo que dice el personal administrativo.

Logros:

Yo llevé personalmente a la ciudad a los tribunales, y gané sobre el tema del texto de la Medida N en la boleta electoral. El juez estuvo de acuerdo conmigo en que el texto de la ciudad era inconstitucional al sugerir la respuesta de sí en la misma pregunta. El nuevo y más justo texto posteriormente derrotó la Medida N así protegiendo los derechos privados de los ciudadanos contra el uso por parte de la ciudad de los poderes de dominio eminente contra ellos.

Por favor busquen "Fred Siegel Lawndale" en la internet. Luego hagan click sobre el Artículo del L.A. Times para más detalles.

Objetivos y Creencias:

El deseo de preservar la integridad financiera e independencia de la ciudad
Creo que el gobierno no debería meterse con el sistema de la empresa privada
Crear una política que requiera que haya discusiones abiertas acerca de todas las compras de propiedades por parte de la ciudad
Ayudar a ponerle un alto a la aplicación del código municipal que es demasiado ambicioso; yo personalmente gané en el tribunal cuando la ciudad me dio una infracción sobre mi propiedad sin razón.
Ser atentos con los residentes y negocios

Capacidad y Preparación Educativa:

Residente y dueño de propiedad en Lawndale desde hace 17 años
Título de Licenciatura (BS) en contabilidad
Inscrito para ejercer ante el IRS; aprobando el examen con buenas notas. Un agente experimentado en bienes raíces y negocios.

Les pido su apoyo y su voto.

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

ROBERT PULLEN-MILES

Age: 36
Occupation: Field Deputy, California Legislature

My fellow Lawndalian:

I have been honored to serve as your Planning Commissioner for the past 3-1/2 years and Chair for the past year. During that time, our city has prospered in many ways. We completed the Hawthorne Blvd. Revitalization Project, expanded and relocated Sav-On Pharmacy and increased opportunities for homeownership.

My seven-year experience working for the California State Legislature and my law enforcement training as a Reserve Probation Deputy has prepared me to serve as a member of the council.

Working for the Legislature has given me knowledge and insight into the functions and relationship between state and local government. Now more than ever, Lawndale needs a councilmember that works daily with state lawmakers and other officials.

If elected I will focus my attention on:

Working with my colleagues at the State Capitol to provide invaluable resources for our families and seniors.

Maximizing Lawndale's budget due to impacts of State fiscal crisis.

Creating economic incentives to attract businesses.
Improving our relationship with the School District.
Supporting strong Public Safety services.

On behalf of my wife Léna, our daughters Sadé and Samara and countless supporters, I would like to thank you for your consideration.

As always, "I'm Pullen for You!"

/s/ Robert Pullen-Miles

**PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL**

ROBERT PULLEN-MILES

Edad: 36
Ocupación: Delegado Local, Legislatura de California

Estimado Ciudadano de Lawndale:

He tenido el honor de desempeñarme como Comisionado de Planificación en los últimos 3 años y medio, y como Presidente en el último año. Durante ese tiempo, nuestra ciudad ha prosperado de muchas maneras. Terminamos el Proyecto de Revitalización de Hawthorne Bulevar, ampliamos y reubicamos la Farmacia Sav-On, y aumentamos las oportunidades para ser dueños de vivienda.

Mis siete años de experiencia trabajando para la Legislatura del Estado de California y mi capacitación con la ejecución de la ley como Delegado de Reserva de Libertad Condicional, me han preparado para desempeñarme como miembro del concejo.,

Al trabajar con la Legislatura me ha dado el conocimiento y discernimiento con respecto a las funciones y relación entre el gobierno estatal y local. Ahora más que nunca, Lawndale necesita un concejal que trabaje a diario con los legisladores del estado y con otros funcionarios.

Si soy elegido, yo concentraré mi atención en lo siguiente:

En trabajar con mis colegas en el Capitolio del Estado para proporcionar recursos invaluable a nuestras familias y personas mayores.

En aprovechar al máximo el presupuesto de Lawndale debido a los efectos de la crisis presupuestaria del Estado.

En crear incentivos económicos para atraer negocios.

En mejorar nuestra relación con el Distrito Escolar.

En apoyar los servicios de Seguridad Pública.

En nombre de mi esposa Léna, de nuestras hijas Sadé y Samara, y de las personas que nos apoyan, quisiera agradecerle a usted por su consideración.

¡Y como siempre, "Yo estoy trabajando a favor de ustedes!"

**FOR
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

PAT KEARNEY

Age: 51

Occupation: Parks / Recreation Commissioner

I have a long history of involvement in the City of Lawndale, both in an official capacity and as a volunteer. I have been active with Lawndale Little League for many years and have served as a member of the Parks, Recreation and Social Services Commission for the past four (4) years. If you elect me as your council member, I promise to be responsive to your concerns. If I am unable to bring resolution myself, I will bring the capable staff of our city to assist in your concerns. I believe that as a city we must take steps to continue with our development of our prime commercial corridors. This means being aggressive in trying to attract new businesses, to build a larger tax base, to our city. Our city is now undergoing some tough financial times. I believe that through redevelopment, pursuing bonds and grants and seeing if we can get corporate sponsors for some of our programs, we can weather this time and still provide meaningful services and programs for you and your family.

Cast your vote for Pat Kearney on April 13, 2004 and get a leader who will represent you.

/s/ Pat Kearney

**PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL**

PAT KEARNEY

Edad: 51

Ocupación: Comisionado de Parques y Recreación

Yo he tenido una larga historia de participación en la Ciudad de Lawndale, tanto como funcionario como voluntario. He participado de manera activa con la Pequeña Liga de Lawndale durante muchos años, y me he desempeñado como miembro de la Comisión de Parques, Recreación y Servicios Sociales durante los últimos cuatro (4) años. Si ustedes me eligen como miembro del concejo, yo prometo ser sensible a sus preocupaciones. Si no puedo aportar una resolución yo mismo, procuraré que el personal competente de nuestra ciudad atienda sus preocupaciones. Creo que como ciudad, debemos tomar las medidas para continuar con el desarrollo de nuestros principales corredores comerciales. Esto significa tener que ser emprendedores para tratar de atraer nuevos negocios con el fin de crear una base de impuestos más grande para nuestra ciudad. Actualmente nuestra ciudad está pasando por difíciles tiempos económicos. Yo creo que a través de la reurbanización, la obtención de bonos y concesiones, y viendo si podemos conseguir patrocinadores de la empresa privada para algunos de nuestros programas, podemos resistir a estos tiempos, y aún así proveer servicios y programas útiles para ustedes y sus familias.

Emitan su voto por Pat Kearney el 13 de abril del 2004, y ustedes obtendrán un líder que los represente.

CITY OF LAWNSDALE INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITY!

Are you interested in community affairs?
Would you like the chance to get more involved in Lawndale civic life?
If your answer is yes, this message is written just for you!

**The City of Lawndale is seeking
38 individuals to serve on the following
city commissions and committees
for terms beginning June 1!**

Planning Commission - 5 members

Recommends plans for regulating future growth and development of the city in respect to buildings, streets, parks, and vacant lots, and acts as the local authority on traffic safety matters.

Parks, Recreation & Social Services Commission - 5 members

Advises City Council on the recreational, social, and human services needs of the community.

Cable Commission - 3 members

Presides over the development and funding of programming that will air on cable channel 22.

Beautification Committee - 10 members

Promotes attractive neighborhoods and recognizes those who strive to achieve that goal.

Senior Citizen Advisory Committee - 10 members

Provides information and advice regarding the unique needs of our senior residents.

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Conducts hearings and recommends actions related to City personnel matters.

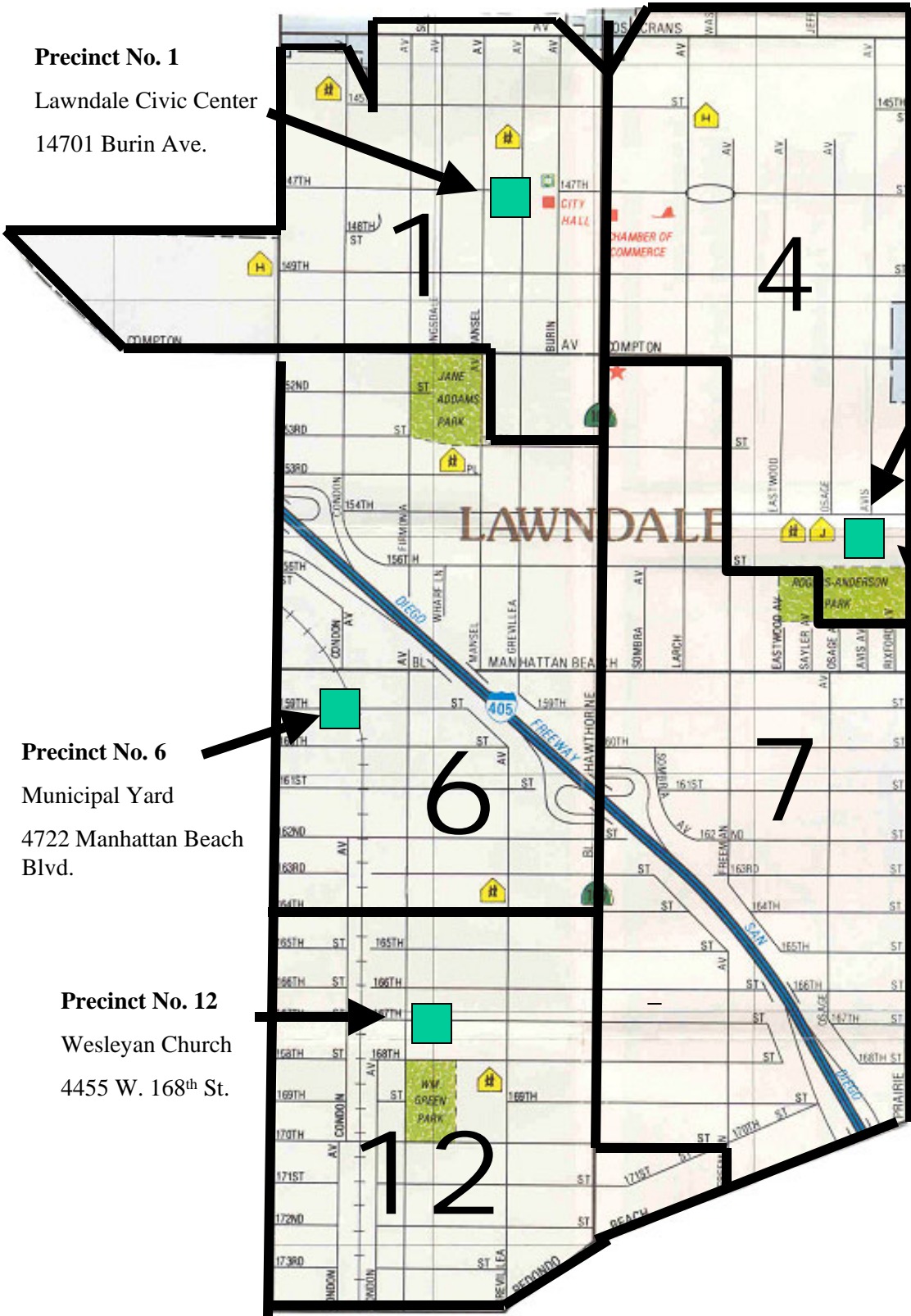
For more information,
please call the City Clerk's Department at (310) 973-3213.

To apply, pick up an application at City Hall
or download from our website lawndalecity.org.

**Apply now for appointments to be made in May 2004!
And tell a friend!!**

Precinct No. 1

Lawndale Civic Center
14701 Burin Ave.



Precinct No. 4

Bollinger Gym
at Rogers
Middle School
4110 W. 154th
St.

Precinct No. 7

Bollinger Gym at
Rogers Middle
School
4110 W. 154th St.

Precinct No. 6

Municipal Yard
4722 Manhattan Beach
Blvd.

Precinct No. 12

Wesleyan Church
4455 W. 168th St.

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Pursuant to California Elections Code § 3206, . . .

Any voter whose name appears on the permanent mail ballot list shall remain on the list and shall be mailed a mail ballot for each election conducted within his/her precinct. If the voter fails to return an executed mail ballot for any statewide election, the voter's name shall be deleted from the list.

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CITY OF LAWNDALE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION, APRIL 13, 2004

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City and Zip _____ Phone # _____		City _____ State _____ Zip _____	
THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE PROPER SIGNATURE OF THE APPLICANT I have not applied for a vote by mail ballot for this election by any other means. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the name and residence address and information I have provided on this application are true and correct.			
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