

Name: Kelly Fergusson Age: 42

Occupation: Consulting Civil Engineer, Vice-chair of Planning Commission

Education and Qualifications:

Stanford University:

Ph.D., M.S., Civil Engineering

B.S. Applied Earth Sciences

City Council recently eliminated "quality of life" from Menlo Park's mission statement. I'm running for city council to put "quality of life" back into Menlo Park governance, and to restore the voice of those who cherish quality of life but are now routinely disregarded.

I'm currently Vice-chair of Menlo Park's Planning Commission. When Council recently passed a zoning law that removed essential neighborhood protections, I orchestrated the voices of thousands to overturn it. We can streamline home-building without sacrificing neighborhood character.

I'm an experienced, open-minded, consensus-builder — a local water utility Board Member and small business owner. I led diverse stakeholders in a win-win effort to rejuvenate my neighborhood's formerly run-down commercial area. I fought to reduce Menlo Park flooding from San Francisquito Creek. I led a Business Roundtable subgroup developing a vision of vitality for Menlo Park's businesses. I treat all with civility and respect.

As mother of two children, I'll work locally and regionally to safeguard our small-town feel, our schools, and the environment. I'll encourage local-serving development without increasing cut-through traffic, and restore "quality of life" to our mission.

Vote Kelly Fergusson — "our voice" on City Council.

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