

Greater Griffith Park Neighborhood (
Candidate Statement (

Board Seat:
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REPRESENTATIVE
Qualified Date: 05/19/2008

First Name: CHARLEY Last Name: MIMS

The Greater Griffith Park Neighborhood Council (GGPNC) has really begun functioning as the clearinghouse for neighborhood concerns regarding City services and improvements. My goal for the coming two years is to continue providing the leadership our community needs to assure our concerns are heard at the Mayor's Office, at City Council and at the myriad boards and commissions that make decisions impacting our neighborhood every day.

My wife and I share a deep commitment to our neighborhood. We have gotten to know our neighbors and have worked to improve our community. I love our home and our neighborhood and want to share my feelings of community with all my friends and neighbors in the Greater Griffith Park area.

As one of the founders of our Greater Griffith Park Neighborhood Council and one of the first elected Board members, I have had the privilege of participating in its development. We have earned the respect of our elected and appointed officials who daily make decisions affecting our neighborhood. As President of the GGPNC for the past two years, I have helped to create the environment that leads to earning that respect.

Oh, by the way, I am also a leader in my local union SEIU Local 721, which represents over 85,000 workers in cities throughout Southern California, including in the City of Los Angeles. I have used my leadership skills to forge great teams at work, at my union and in my neighborhood to improve our lives and our environment. I ask for your support to continue improving our neighborhood.

While helping to organize the GGPNC just a few years ago, I was privileged to meet many local volunteers from our neighborhood and surrounding areas. We learned to work together cooperatively. My goal is to continue this spirit of American volunteerism through another term on the Board of your Greater Griffith Park Neighborhood Council.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the above statements are true and correct.

Signature:

Handwritten signature of Charley Mims

Date:

Handwritten date: May 19, 2008

CANDIDATE STATEMENT