

Thomas P. Wilson

Candidate Statement

GGPNC Board of Directors District Representative

Introduction

As a resident of Los Feliz for seventeen years I have seen the Greater Griffith Park Community develop into one of the finest neighborhoods in Los Angeles. What makes me most proud of this community is that it has preserved its small town feel. I look forward to continuing along this path.

Experience – Qualifications

I have a Bachelors Degree in Business Administration with over 23 years of professional experience, and for the past 20 years I have been President of Nobody Productions, a company I founded with my wife Adele, a lifelong Hollywood and Los Feliz resident. We have produced many award-winning plays and features, the most notable being *They Shoot Movies, Don't They?*, a movie we licensed to Bravo Networks that went on to become a popular independent favorite in IFC.

Along the way I have consulted various local businesses, helping them develop relationships with many Los Angeles institutions including the Music Center, the Downtown Center Business Improvement District and the Central City Authority.

I very much enjoy helping business owners as they develop new opportunities.

The GGPNC act as advisors to the City of Los Angeles helping shape budget priorities and building consensus to promote quality of life—my experience as a business owner, working with budgets and my background in media will surely prove a valuable tool in helping build consensus regarding neighborhood issues.

Goal

I will represent my constituency in a very non-political, transparent way. I will act as the eyes, ears, and voice for those whom I represent. I am distressed by the degree to which today's political leaders carry the water for "moneyed interests" with little regard to the needs of ordinary working citizens. This distress has created in me a passion to get involved in the political process. I have chosen to run for the position of District Representative to start this journey. As your representative I pledge to carry *your* water - and only your water. Please help me take the first step in my journey.

Let's give the government back to the people.