Name: Colin McCarthy

Age: 36

Occupation: Costa Mesa Commissioner/Businessman

Costa Mesa has always been a special place for me. Three generations of McCarthy's have called Costa Mesa home. When my wife and I moved here nearly a decade ago, we knew this was where we wanted to raise a family. With two young children, Costa Mesa is where we want to stay.

As a Board Member of Costa Mesa United, I've helped our community raise hundreds of thousands of dollars for youth sports.

As President of the Mesa North Community Association, I've worked to improve local parks, stop graffiti and defeat toll lanes on the 405.

As Chairman of the Planning Commission, we approved projects creating hundreds of jobs in Costa Mesa, including the revitalization of Harbor Boulevard and re-branding of Triangle Square. We're putting residents to work and helping local business grow.

As founder of the Costa Mesa Taxpayers Association, we fought to hold union bosses accountable and control labor and pension costs, helping ensure we can maintain our parks and roads, and provide quality public safety, without dumping more debt on our children and grandchildren.

As a husband and father, I'm running for City Council to make sure Costa Mesa residents and families come first. Together, we can improve Costa Mesa.

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