

Candidate Statement of Qualifications

CITY OF ANAHEIM MAYOR

NAME: **DICK LOPEZ**

AGE: 48
(Optional)

OCCUPATION: Water Systems Operator

After this past year this City deserves better leadership. We need someone who wants to do what is best for the City not what is best for them personally. We need to concentrate on the issues that affect us every day. Homelessness, crime, clean water, Disney ticket tax, and what to do about the Angels are the issues we need to deal with. When brought up everyone seems to be very tight lipped about these issues. I would like honest discussion and transparency back to this council.

I have lived in the City of Anaheim since 1979 this is where I went from reading my first word to learning calculus. The education I have acquired has benefited my life and enabled me to earn a degree in Biology, Chemistry and a Masters in Management. For the past 19 years I have worked at the City's water treatment plant ensuring safe drinking water for its citizens. Before that I worked at an air quality lab, OC probation, and a restaurant as a manager. With the skills and experience I have acquired I believe that I have the ability to lead this City through the hurdles that lay ahead.