

**San Diego County  
Registrar of Voters**

City of Escondido  
City Clerk's Office

Candidate Statement of Qualifications  
(Read instructions carefully)

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| Jurisdiction Name:<br>(ALL CAPS)   | CITY OF ESCONDIDO           |           |
| Office Title:<br>(Upper & Lower)   | Treasurer                   |           |
| Candidate Name:<br>(ALL CAPS)  | JOHN W. TRUDELL             |           |
| Age:<br>(Optional)   |                             | Gender: M |
| Occupation:  | CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT |           |
| Election Date  | November 8, 2016            |           |
| <small>The occupation to appear on the candidate's statement is not restricted by the California Elections Code. It does not have to match the occupation on the ballot, can be more descriptive and can have more than three words.</small> |                             |           |

**Use "Block Paragraphs, Single Space" format. Type within the box using a fixed pitch font such as Courier. Word count starts here:**

Throughout my time in Escondido, I have worked with business leaders and community and faith organizations to strengthen their financial future serving the North County region. I currently serve as the Board of Directors Treasurer for the Escondido Federal Credit Union and other community service organizations.

As a native to the San Diego region and a graduate of SDSU, I will continue to ensure sound fiscal management for our city's assets. I have also dedicated my work to promoting strong fiscal management as an educator at Palomar College and other educational institutions.

My work overseeing the financial credibility of multiple municipalities throughout the San Diego region has given me the critical experience to ensure the future of our community in which I have lived for over 30 years. I have held officials accountable for asset management on behalf of the taxpayers ensuring the public trust and governmental accountability.

My governmental auditing career started as the Accounting Supervisor for the City of Escondido before moving on to auditing multiple cities in the San Diego region.

I hope to serve the City of Escondido as Treasurer to continue our economic stability and guard the interest of the citizens of our city.

I understand I am responsible for the cost of this statement and I may be billed or refunded the difference in cost based on the final registration for my jurisdiction.

Cost of the Statement:  
City Council Candidates: \$900  
Treasurer Candidates: \$1100  
Checks payable to: City of Escondido

Please **sign one** of the following statements:

I **do not** wish to file a statement:

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Candidate's Signature

I **do** wish to file a statement. My payment is attached.

08/12/16  
Date

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Candidate's Signature