

MEET THE CANDIDATES

April 19th – Candidate Forum – 7 p.m. at Town Hall



SAJI GEORGE - CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

Saji George has called Sunnyvale home for 18 years. He is a life-long Christian and an active member of his church. Saji is a devoted husband and loving father of two college-aged children. He has served on the Town Council for eight years, named as Mayor Pro Tem for the last three. Saji has a Master in Engineering from Texas Tech and MBA from SMU. As Mayor, Saji will be committed to keeping Sunnyvale safe, protecting its rural atmosphere, and attracting desirable businesses (grocery, restaurants, shopping). Saji George GETS IT DONE! You can find more information at <https://www.sajigeorge.net>.



MICHAEL GIORDANO - CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

My wife Genevieve and I moved to Sunnyvale in 2000. I became involved in our subdivision's HOA and have served as Board President for the last several years. I was an active member of The Friends of the Sunnyvale Library which held several fund raising events. My children and grandchildren keep me involved with SISD and many school events. I was appointed to the 4-B Board and in recent years have had the pleasure of serving as its President.



KAREN HILL - CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

It has been my privilege to serve you on the Town Council over the last 16 years. If elected mayor, my commitment to you is to bring economic development; fight to keep taxes low; protect home values; improve roads, water, and sewer infrastructure; strengthen police and fire services; and preserve Sunnyvale's unique rural character. Visit my website (www.HillForMayor.com) or call me at 972-226-5829 to learn more. I look forward to speaking with you to share my vision for Sunnyvale and to learn your top issues and concerns. I would be grateful for your vote on May 5th.



RYAN FINCH - UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 1

I consider it a joy to have lived in Sunnyvale for over 16 years. I am passionate about our Town and believe it is a privilege to serve our community. I am currently serving my second term on the Sunnyvale School Board. I have also served as President of the Raider Athletic Booster Club, Board Member for the Sunnyvale Education Foundation and Board member on the Town's Board of Adjustment and 190 Committee. I am active in my church and serve on the Elder/Board of Directors. I am employed at Mary Kay Inc. at the corporate office in Addison.



KEVIN CLARK - CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 2

Kevin M. Clark, a sixth-generation Texan, is currently running for Place 2 on Town Council. He lives in Meadowlake with his wife and three children, and is an attorney at Thompson & Knight LLP. Kevin has been highly engaged in town government, and serves on the Board of Adjustments. He's also involved with his children's schools, and coaches several of their sports teams.

"I am running for town council to ensure the quality of life that attracted us to Sunnyvale continues," Clark said. "I believe in responsible growth, improved infrastructure, green space preservation, fiscal accountability, and transparency in government."

Candidate bios and photos were provided by each candidate. The Town of Sunnyvale does not support or oppose any candidate listed in this publication. Content provided is for informational purposes only. More information is available at townofsunnyvale.org.



SHINEY DANIEL - CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 2

Shiney Daniel is a businesswoman/attorney and longtime Sunnyvale resident. Having started Agape Home Healthcare in 1994, she has successfully grown the company into one of the largest businesses in the area. Shiney employs more than 150 people through Caring Home Health in Sunnyvale. After having graduated as Salutatorian from North Mesquite, Shiney completed four university degrees and supports quality education. She has served the community in various capacities, sponsored community events, and received numerous awards. Shiney is married to a pastor/businessman and has four daughters (quadruplets) and a son who attend Sunnyvale ISD schools. Visit www.shineydaniel.com.



DALE GRAVES - CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 2

Married to Cindy Halliday for 32 years, two kids: Cory & Rebecca; Sunnyvale resident for 15 years; Past PTA President, Past Booster Club President (NMHS); Past President of Mesquite chapter of American Business Clubs; Past member of Sunnyvale Board of Adjustments; My goals for running for Town Council is to bring my Conservative, Honest and Transparent values to the Council, as well as creating a more positive environment in which the Sunnyvale School District and the Town of Sunnyvale work together for the betterment of the residents. I can be reached at dale@dalegraves.com or on facebook.



EMERY POWELL - CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 2

I'm a retired business consultant. I offer my professional services to the town free of charge, and I invite others to do likewise. Your help is needed. In retirement, my wife and I do missionary work, most recently in Africa. We have 18 grandchildren, 5 in our schools. We moved to Sunnyvale because of its low density and rural small town character. Let's keep it that way. I'm concerned over the town's exploding growth, its impact on our infrastructure, and the town's slide towards HOA type regulatory overreach. I am a passionate conservative and I will work to ensure your constitutional rights are protected.



LARRY ALLEN- UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 5

Larry Allen is married to Brenda. They have three daughters, two (soon to be three) son in laws, a son, and a granddaughter. Their family moved to Sunnyvale in 2010. Larry graduated from North Mesquite in 1978. From there he served in the United States Air Force then graduated from Dallas Baptist University. Larry has worked for the FAA for 36 years in numerous capacities. Larry and his wife are members of C-Life. Larry looks forward to working with The Town of Sunnyvale, our citizens, the mayor and other members of city council as the town continues to grow.



CHRIS MCNEILL - UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR PLACE 6

Chris has served on the council since 2015, and previously served for many years on Sunnyvale's Planning & Zoning Commission. Chris and his wife Amanda moved here in 2007 due to the rural charm and great schools, and now have two sons – Jackson (eight) and William (three). Chris is an Eagle Scout and serves as the Cubmaster of Sunnyvale's Cub Scout pack and as a deacon at First Baptist Dallas. Chris practices corporate and securities law at Block Garden & McNeill, LLP in Dallas, and obtained his undergraduate degree from Ole Miss and his law degree from Harvard Law School.