STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR **AUBURN UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Name: JULANN BROWN

Occupation: Auburn Union School District Governing Board

Member

Education and Qualifications:

Integrity, academic excellence, collaboration, and fiscal sustainability are the core of my educational leadership for the past 8 years on the AUSD Board. Key distinctions include: \$38.7 million in past debt paid off, reducing the potential for negative impact on the general fund: A Strategic Plan implemented with student achievement, social emotional wellness, and fiscal responsibility as top priorities; and A Facilities Master Plan designed to create a modern and effective learning environment for our students.

Additionally, I'm an outspoken advocate for local control of education funding and policy, while representing Auburn and surrounding districts at the state level.

There is still urgent work to be done. We must ensure our students receive a 21st century education that prepares them for a successful future, including communication, collaboration, and creative skills. We must support our staff by ensuring they have the resources and skillsets needed to effectively reach students. Sound local governance that focuses on providing a safe and vibrant learning environment for all children also remains my commitment.

I look forward to using my experience, knowledge and understanding of the complexities of State education funding and policy to serve the families and children of Auburn. Thank you for your support.

DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATA PARA **DISTRITO ESCOLAR UNIFICADO DE AUBURN**

Nombre: JULANN BROWN

Ocupación: Miembro de la Junta Directiva del Distrito Escolar

Unido de Auburn

Educación y Calificaciones:

La integridad, la excelencia académica, la colaboración, y la sostenibilidad fiscal son el núcleo de mi liderazgo educativo durante los últimos 8 años en la Junta del AUSD. Las distinciones clave incluven: \$38.7 millones en deuda pasada pagada, reduciendo el potencial de impacto negativo en el fondo general; Un Plan Estratégico implementado con el logro de los estudiantes, el bienestar social emocional, y la responsabilidad fiscal como prioridades principales; y Un Plan Maestro de Instalaciones diseñado para crear un ambiente de aprendizaje moderno y efectivo para nuestros estudiantes.

Además, soy una defensora declarada del control local del financiamiento y la política educativos, mientras represento a Auburn v los distritos circundantes a nivel estatal.

Todavía hay trabajo urgente por hacer. Debemos asegurarnos de que nuestros estudiantes reciban una educación del siglo 21 que los prepare para un futuro exitoso, incluidas las habilidades de comunicación, colaboración y creatividad. Debemos apoyar a nuestro personal garantizando que tenga los recursos y las habilidades necesarias para dirigirse eficazmente a los estudiantes. También sigue siendo mi compromiso una sólida gobernanza local enfocada en proporcionar un entorno de aprendizaje seguro y vibrante para todos los niños.

Espero utilizar mi experiencia, conocimiento y entendimiento de las complejidades del financiamiento y la política educativos del Estado para servir a las familias y a los niños de Auburn. Gracias por su apoyo.

STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR **AUBURN UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Name: JOSH TERRELL Age: 49

Occupation: Appointed Incumbent Education and Qualifications:

My family moved to Auburn in 1976, where I attended Alta Vista, EV Cain, graduated from Placer High and then served four years in the US Army. My twins attended Skyridge Elementary, and are currently 8th graders at EV Cain. I served as the president of the Parent Teacher Club at Skyridge for three years.

Our AUSD budget is in the red after many years of declining enrollment, with too many school sites based on our enrollment. I've been learning fast since my appointment in May and I am comfortable asking the hard questions and making informed, non-partisan decisions. I've been forming positive relationships with students, teachers, the district, parents and the board since my kids were in kindergarten. This is exactly where I want to be, and I don't want to lose momentum.

These are challenging decisions ahead, some of which will be unpopular. I need your vote because AUSD is on the verge of these major changes and I'm ready to provide a steady hand as we work towards solvency and efficiency. An incredible opportunity has presented itself, and I want to work with our AUSD community to take our district into the future.

STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR AUBURN UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

Name: MICHELLE SIERRA-SAMMONS Age: 50

Occupation: Assessment Supervisor

Education and Qualifications:

As a candidate for re-election to the Auburn Union School District Board of Trustees, having served for the past eight years, I believe I have a keen understanding of the district's needs, operations, and our community. My priority has been, and will continue to be, our students. My main priority is for this district to perform as a cohesive unit. Together, our goal must be to provide a quality education to all our children. Along with currently serving on the Board, I am also on the Executive Board for the California Latino School Boards Association. Locally, I am a member of both the Auburn Kiwanis and Auburn Moose Lodge organizations, and I volunteer for various Auburn community projects. I am passionate about ensuring that all of our children get the best possible start in life. I have also demonstrated the leadership ability to make the tough decisions that need to be made and come prepared to continue to improve our district in a fiscally sustainable manner. I would be honored to earn your vote and to again serve this wonderful community in the role of Auburn Union School District Board Trustee