Submission Methods - Sacramento County offers two methods available for candidates to publish their statement in the County Voter Information Guide (CVIG). Only **one** method described below may be selected.

Printed Candidate Statement *(appears in the mailed County Voter Information Guide (CVIG))*

- Printed inside the CVIG that is mailed to every registered voter in the county

$850
Cost of Printed Statement

☒ **Printed Candidate Statement** – I will submit the statement described above.

☒ **Withdrawal if Unopposed** *(optional)* – If I am unopposed for this contest, I wish to withdraw this statement.

Signature: [redacted]

Online-Only Statement *(Nonpartisan offices **only**) (Elections Code § 13307.7)*

- Posted on the myvoterportal.saccounty.gov website
- Will **not** be printed in the CVIG

Cost of Online-Only Statement

☐ **Online-Only Statement** – I will submit the statement described above.

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Signature: _____

Office sought: City Council

My name is: Charles Stone

My occupation is *(50-character limit, including spaces)*: Retired Law Enforcement

My qualifications are:

Citrus Heights deserves leadership that delivers results—not excuses. In July 2026 AreaVibes.com gives Citrus Heights an overall D- rating, citing crime, homelessness, poor roads, and a lack of amenities as major concerns. These are the same issues I hear from residents across our city.

After 26 years in law enforcement, 24 years as an Attorney and 19 years in the Army National Guard, I know public safety must be the City's highest priority. Yet the City Council approved a 9% reduction in police officer staffing while putting 25% of our income into savings, all while the Sunrise Mall remains undeveloped. I believe these decisions are moving our city in the wrong direction.

Every budget reflects a city's priorities. My priority is you—your family, your neighborhood, and your safety.I am running because Citrus Heights deserves safe streets, transparent leadership, responsible fiscal management, and a City Council that puts residents first. Together, we can build a safer, cleaner, and stronger Citrus Heights.

I respectfully ask for your vote.

I have prepared the above candidate statement (pursuant to Elections Code §13307) and I understand that Sacramento County is mandated under the Voting Rights Act to provide materials and information in English, Spanish, Chinese, and Vietnamese. There is no refund in the event of County Voter Information Guide delivery delays for printed statements. This submission form is **NOT** representative of final appearance in print or electronic versions of the County Voter Information Guide.

Amount Paid: _____ *1st* ✓ / *2nd* ✓ *Endorsements needed?*

Check #: _____ ☐ *Copy of Check in File* *Number of Paragraphs:* _____ / _____ *Yes* *No*

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