# STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR UKIAH VALLEY SANITATION DISTRICT DIRECTOR

#### **ERNEST WIPF**

AGE: 63

Occupation: CONTRACTOR

Education and Qualifications: I am a graduate of Chico State University with a Bachelors Degree in Business Management. A lifelong resident of the Ukiah Valley. I have owned & operated Wipf Construction for the past 25 years. Our work involves the installation & maintenance of utilities. Through this I have become quite familiar with the operation of the Valley's sewer collection & waste water treatment process. I presently serve on the Board of Directors of the Savings Bank of Mendocino County. In the past I served on the Mendocino Grading Ordinance Committee & the Committee that revised the sewer lateral ordinances. I can provide solid analysis of the Sanitation District operations and endeavor to make the boards decisions represent the rate payers best interest.

s/Ernest Wipf

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**JULIE A. BAWCOM** 

AGE: 62

Occupation: RETIRED ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST

Education and Qualifications: I received a Bachelors and Masters of Science degrees in Geology (1979) and (1983) and worked for Los Angeles County Engineers before relocating to Mendocino County in 1986. I began a 28 year career with the California Geological Survey with the Timber Harvest/Watershed division completing all 28 years in Mendocino County and retiring in 2014.

I have taught geology classes part-time at Mendocino College for the past 29 years.

I am running for the UVSD to bring fresh ideas and to work closely with the city to aid in the completion of the much needed recycled treated water project and to quickly reach an agreement with the city to end the current lawsuit between the city and district.

s/Julie A Bawcom

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## STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR UKIAH VALLEY SANITATION DISTRICT DIRECTOR

SHARON M. HUNT

AGE: 65

Occupation: RETIRED

**Education and Qualifications:** Education: 2 years Mendocino Community College.

Qualifications: 2 years — Acting Public Health Director, Mendocino County — oversight of Environmental Health, responsible for County wide septic systems.

32 years – Fiscal responsibilities for budgets, expenditures, payroll for Public Health Branch, HHSA.

7+ years – Fiscal Manager of Public Health Branch responsible for budgets, all fiscal reporting/oversight in the Branch. Prepared budgets/projections and reports for multiple divisions. Expenditures exceeded \$30 million including grants to Federal, State, and Foundations. Grants varied from 20 – 35 different funding sources each year. 10 years Co-Owner of backhoe/construction Company installed septic systems and various infrastructure. Hands on equipment operation.

s/Sharon M. Hunt

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# STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR UKIAH VALLEY SANITATION DISTRICT DIRECTOR

**ANDREA REED** 

AGE: 36

Occupation: BUSINESS OWNER

Education and Qualifications: As a local resident and business owner, I have a strong sense of dedication to the Ukiah Valley residents. You can plainly see that our infrastructure is crumbling from the top down. I see that the Ukiah Valley Sanitation District lacks leadership to communicate effectively with partnering agencies. I am an active volunteer on multiple boards in the community and understand parliamentary protocols going back to my youth as a President of the local Future Farmers of America. I plan to use these skills to give the board a clear direction so that it may achieve its goals. It is important to me that we make sure that budgets are strictly followed and that we create a sustainable Ukiah Valley for future generations.

s/Andrea Reed

## DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATO A DIRECTOR DEL UKIAH VALLEY SANITATION DISTRICT

ANDREA REED

EDAD: 36

Ocupación: PROPIETARIA DE EMPRESA

Educación y cualificaciones: Como residenta local y propietaria de empresa, tengo un profundo sentido de dedicación hacia los residentes de Ukiah Valley. Claramente puede ver que nuestra infraestructura se derrumba de arriba hacia abajo. Veo que al Ukiah Valley Sanitation District le hace falta liderazgo para comunicarse de manera efectiva con las agencias asociadas. Soy una voluntaria activa en múltiples juntas en la comunidad y comprendo los protocolos parlamentarios desde mi juventud como presidente de Futuros Agricultores de los Estados Unidos local. Planeo usar estas habilidades para darle a la junta una dirección clara para que pueda lograr sus metas. Para mí es importante que nos aseguremos de que se sigan los presupuestos estrictamente y de que establezcamos un Ukiah Valley sustentable para las futuras generaciones.

f/Andrea Reed

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UKIAH VALLEY SANITATION DISTRICT DIRECTOR			
JAMES-JOHN RONCO Occupation: INCUMBENT Education and Qualifications: I am	AGE: 65		
Education and Qualifications: I am an incumbent member of the Board having spent the last 9 years working with other Board members to obtain transparency and accountability of the sewer system from the City of Ukiah on behalf of the rate payors of the District. s/James-John Ronco			
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