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Aerospace Business Executive

I grew up in Flint, Michigan and was taught the value of working hard, a good education, and tenacity. At 17, I convinced NASA to hire me while I put myself through college and subsequently performed rocket analysis, pioneered new technologies and managed multi-million dollar projects. Today, I'm an aerospace executive providing support for our national defense system. I moved to Huntington Beach in 2006 to enjoy the California lifestyle and have been active locally.

I'm running for OC Board of Supervisors because it's time our community's needs are put first. We need to change from lackluster business as usual to being responsive to our citizens. We need to restore fiscal responsibility and transparency while ensuring our \$6 billion budget is managed properly and ethically. We need responsive leaders who will tackle tough problems like protecting our environment, addressing homelessness, and ensuring our schools and neighborhoods get the financial resources they require to be safe and secure.

I'll be a Supervisor who is dedicated to ethics and transparency. I'll work collaboratively with business, cities, and organizations to solve our major problems, and I'll use my experience and leadership skills to bring the change we need. I ask for your vote.