

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT  
LINCOLN CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5**

**Name:** WHITNEY EKLUND

**Occupation:** Planning Commissioner

**Education and Qualifications:** I love our community in Lincoln. This is where my husband and I choose to raise our kids and where we have built our life together. What drew us to Lincoln are the same qualities that have drawn so many other families here— great schools, safe neighborhoods, caring people, and a high quality of life. I am running for City Council to fight to protect these great qualities of our community.

I currently serve Lincoln as a member of our city's Planning Commission and Economic Development Committee. In these roles, I have been able to move the needle in protecting our quality of life and supporting local small businesses. I have also been an active volunteer with the Lincoln Library, the YMCA, and as a Board Member for the Lincoln Area Chamber of Commerce.

I am proud to have the endorsement of local leaders like Congressman Kevin Kiley, Assemblyman Joe Patterson, Placer County Sheriff Wayne Woo, Placer County Supervisor Shanti Landon, and Lincoln Councilmembers Holly Andreatta, Dan Karleskint, and Ben Brown. I am also grateful to be endorsed by Lincoln's first responders, the Sacramento Area Firefighters, Local 522.

I hope to earn your vote.

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