

FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

PEGGY MCQUAID  
Occupation: Incumbent

Age: 68

I have had the privilege of serving as a City Council member for 4 years, the last 2 as Mayor. My previous experience in the public sector as an Albany Unified School District (AUSD) employee for 25 years and as an appointed member of Albany and AUSD advisory bodies has given me a clear understanding of the roles and responsibilities of local government. Volunteer service for local nonprofits demonstrates my leadership and willingness to work tirelessly.

I worked with other Council members to implement strong policies to improve our infrastructure, disaster preparedness, implement our Climate Action Plan and balance our budget. Albany became a Sanctuary City, developed a rent review program and opened a Resource Center confirming our commitment to support and include everyone in our diverse community.

I represent Albany on the Everyone Home Leadership Board, the League of California Cities and the Alameda County Mayors' Conference. I belong to Climate Mayors and Mayors Against Illegal Guns.

The City Council makes policy decisions that define who we are as a city today and what type of city we will become. I would be honored to serve you as a City Council member, continuing implementation of responsible social, fiscal and structural policies.