FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL PRESTON JORDAN

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We live in a forward-thinking community, full of problem solvers who know that local government can make a difference. For 14 years, I have served the people of Albany - on the Traffic and Safety Commission, Waterfront Committee, Charter Review Committee, and co-founding a non-profit that's improved sidewalks and infrastructure. I'm honored to be endorsed by Councilmembers Nick Pilch and Pete Maass. We need a Council majority that will enact greenhouse pollution reduction recommendations, fight for tax equity, and ensure all housing in Albany is seismically safe. That's why I'm running: to serve YOU. For six years I led the sidewalk safety campaign, because all of us, including seniors and people with disabilities, like my wife Michelle, deserve to safely travel Albany's streets. Almost 80% of you approved our sidewalk repair measure, and now they are being fixed. I'm an engineering geologist and research scientist. I know how to take on tough challenges, like adopting a mandatory seismic retrofit ordinance for rental properties to save lives. We need a fresh perspective at City Hall that will lead with our shared values. I'm the proud parent of two Albany school graduates looking forward to working with the School Board as a member of the City Council. www.PrestonforAlbany.com