



Public Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN for the General Municipal Election in the City of Sand City on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, for the following Officers (EC §10224.5):

- **One (1) Mayor – two-year term**
- **Two (2) Councilmembers – four-year terms**

Nomination papers may be obtained from the City Clerk's Office located at 1 Pendergrass Way, Sand City, CA 93955, during the hours of 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM and 1:00 - 4:00 PM, **by appointment only.**

| MAYOR | ISSUED | FILED | QUALIFIED | CANDIDATE STATEMENTS |
|----------------------|---------------|--------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| Mary Ann Carbone | 7/19/2024 | 8/5/2024 | 8/5/2024 | Yes |
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| COUNCILMEMBER | ISSUED | FILED | QUALIFIED | CANDIDATE STATEMENTS |
| Marilee Diaz | 7/15/2024 | 8/6/2024 | 8/6/2024 | Yes |
| Luke Kilpatrick | 7/25/2024 | 8/8/2024 | 8/8/2024 | Yes |
| Michelle Adams | 7/31/2024 | 8/7/2024 | 8/8/2024 | Yes |

MARY ANN CARBONE

Occupation: Mayor, City of Sand City

Age: 69

Education and Qualifications: Monterey Peninsula College, Sawyer College, C.S.D.A
Leadership Board and Governance Certified

I am a lifelong Monterey Peninsula resident and have resided in Sand City for 38 years. It has been an honor to represent the citizens of Sand City since 1991. I offer leadership, integrity, and problem solving while working to maintain a balanced budget and ensuring essential police and fire services. I represent Sand City on many city and regional agencies, boards and committees: Sand City Budget and Personnel Committee, Sand City Parks and Open Space Committee, Monterey Salinas Transit Agency, Monterey County Mosquito Abatement District, Association of Monterey Bay Area of Governments, Monterey County Mayors Association, Monterey Bay Air Resources Agency, Monterey One Water, Community Human Services, and the Monterey County Airport Land Use Commission.

As a Sand City resident and property owner I strive to ensure our city remains a great place to live, work and play. My focus is on completing the South of Tioga project, continued road improvements, and connecting our city with trails and safe bike path connections. Among many of my community activities, I organize beach clean-up, the Community Garden and oversee many of the special events within the city. I will continue to work for the people of Sand City. My door is always open, and I am here to listen to and address your concerns, big or small. I will continue to focus on the best interests of Sand City.

MARILEE DIAZ

Occupation: Bookkeeper/Councilmember

Education and Qualifications: Monterey Peninsula College

I am a native Californian and have resided in Sand City for 25 years. I was appointed to the Sand City Council in 2023 and have been honored to represent the citizens of Sand City during this time. I bring to the office a diversity of viewpoints and financial experience. I am a strong supporter of Sand City's standalone police services and continued exemplary fire services offered by the City of Monterey Fire Department. I also represent Sand City on the Community Human Services board.

As your Sand City Councilmember, I will continue to ensure our city remains a safe place to live for all residents. My focus will continue to be on affordable housing, parking, and future street improvements. I am a bicyclist I am also focused on the connect ability of our city. I am fair, honest, and approachable. Although Sand City is relatively small, our community is amazing and I want to see it remain so. Among many of my community activities, I volunteer with beach clean-up and in the Community Garden. I also help with special events. If you vote for me I will continue to work hard representing your interest's, and focus on the very best interests of Sand City.

Luke Kilpatrick

Developer Relations Engineer

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My name is Luke Kilpatrick. I am a proud father, business owner, and resident in Sand City. I have lived here since 2020, and I can't imagine living anywhere better.

After the events of 2020 made remote work an option for me, I took the opportunity to buy my dream home on Ocean View Avenue. My neighbors in Sand City are some of the most amazing people I have met and as a council member, I will endeavor to serve them well.

Throughout the last four years I have attended most of council meetings, both in person and remotely, keeping up with the happenings in our city and the county at large. I have had the pleasure of speaking up on behalf of my neighbors as well as fellow business owners about matters that affect us all. In my career, I have worked in everything from manufacturing to art to high tech, all industries calling Sand City home.

Our city is an up and coming home for growth in Monterey County. We need council members who are representative of the next generation of leaders who can help Sand City take advantage of the future opportunities before us.

MICHELLE ADAMS

OCCUPATION: Retired Public Servant

Age: 54

I am a selfless, compassionate and motivated 18 year resident of Sand City. And I possess over 30 years of extensive experience as a public servant supporting and contributing directly to the data driven practices that produced measurable and successful outcomes for our community and its residents. I champion the values and interests of our diverse population to ensure that all feel seen and heard. Most importantly, I am committed to listening and learning from residents and business owners so that we can be better together to build a vibrant and resilient community. I am a strong supporter of Sand City's standalone police services and continued fire services offered by the City of Monterey Fire Department. My focus will be on affordable housing, streets, public safety, fiscal stability of the city's finances and code enforcement.

My credentials include: Bachelor of Arts CSU Dominguez Hills

In addition, I have served on the YMCA Board, collaborated with local community organizations, beach clean up, city event planning and missionary work in Africa.

Divorced mother of two adult children

In my free time, I enjoy traveling, photography and music.