

Boardmember Applicant Statements

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Candidate Name: Miger Diaz

Board Seat: At-Large Representative

Applicant Statement: To whom it may concern, I believe I would be a strong candidate for the Soro Council Board because I live in the community bring both the perspective of a dedicated parent and the experience of a local business owner who understands the needs and challenges of our community. As a parent, I am deeply invested in creating a safe, supportive, and thriving neighborhood for families to grow and succeed. As a business owner, I recognize the importance of fostering economic development, supporting local entrepreneurs, and building bridges between residents and businesses to strengthen our community's foundation. In addition, being fluent in English, Spanish, and Portuguese allows me to connect with and represent a broader range of voices within Soro. I can serve as a bridge across cultures, ensuring that diverse perspectives are not only heard but actively included in decision making. My commitment is to advocate for the needs of families, support local businesses, and help create a more inclusive and vibrant community for everyone.

Legal Affirmation: yes



Candidate Name: Meha Murthy

Board Seat: At-Large Representative

Applicant Statement: Hello! I'm a resident living on Corning St for 3+ Years. I work with our local animal shelter on Guthrie Ave, and would love to make this neighborhood a safer, more connected place to foster growth and community.

Legal Affirmation: yes



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Candidate Name: David Bruk

Board Seat: At-Large Representative

Applicant Statement: My name is David Bruk, and I'm a new resident to the South Robertson neighborhoods. As a new resident, I bring a fresh perspective and a great deal of enthusiasm. I'm bringing the perspective of someone who just invested in this community and is eager to protect and grow that investment for all of us. In my professional life, I am an engineer with over 10 years in the Aerospace Industry. I am a good listener, a collaborative problem-solver, and I'm ready to get to work. Thank you for your consideration.

Legal Affirmation: yes



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Candidate Name: Karina Korol

Board Seat: At-Large Representative

Applicant Statement: My name is Karina Korol, and I've called South Robertson home since 2014. As an Art and Creative Director working with brands like Meta, Airbnb, and Impossible Foods, I know how to communicate ideas that move people to action. I focus on working with climate tech startups, nonprofits, and campaigns—translating complex issues into messages and designs that resonate and create change. I'm a double immigrant—born in Soviet Ukraine, raised in Israel, and an Angeleno longer than anywhere else. When I bought my house here, I didn't realize how much SoRo reminded me of my hometown Rehovot: the markets on Pico, the imperfect sidewalks, the familiar flora. This neighborhood feels like home. This year I completed a climate communication fellowship at USC's Climate Center and started cycling everywhere in LA—it made me fall in love with this city all over again. I want to bring my skills in design, branding, and strategic communication to our council, focusing on walkability, green gathering spaces, safer streets, and building a more connected community. I am here to learn and help our community grow more connected. Let's make South Robertson even better—together. www.linkedin.com/in/karina-korol-675a6021/

Legal Affirmation: yes