

CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT

(Section 13307, Elections Code)

Name of Candidate	<u>Mary Rose Kaczorowski</u>	Age	<u></u>
Occupation	<u>Journalist</u>	Date of Election	<u>Nov 3 2026</u>
Name of Office	<u>City Council Member</u>	Name of District	<u>City of Ft. Bragg</u>

~~Statement of education & qualifications:~~ Remove MRK

As a local journalist, I have gained a broad understanding of our community through conversations with residents, organizations, businesses, and government agencies. Journalism has taught me to ask questions, listen, and research the facts. I bring those same values and skills to public service.

Our city succeeds when residents, businesses, nonprofits, educational institutions, and local agencies work together. The best solutions for housing, jobs, water security, and infrastructure come from facts, thoughtful discussion, and shared commitment—not politics or assumptions. Tourism is important, but we cannot depend on it alone to sustain our community's future.

I support practical development that is appropriately scaled, located where it makes sense, and aligned with the community's long-term needs, character, and resources.

With a growing population of seniors, I will work to help improve and assess services and opportunities for residents to age in place with dignity.

I will seek collaborations to improve transportation options, promote investments that serve community needs, protect our coastal environment, limit corporate-owned stores and preserve what makes our community unique.

In the face of economic pressures, climate-related impacts, and global uncertainty, we can further build resilience together.

I respectfully ask for your vote.

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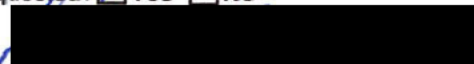
Signature of Candidate

City of Fort Bragg
City Clerk

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