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Eugene City Councilor, Ward 8
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Community Service / Involvement

- Eugene School Board
 - Board of Directors, Lane Council of Governments
 - Adjunct Instructor, University of Oregon School of Journalism and Comm.
 - Board of Directors, United Way of Lane County – Annual Campaign Chair
 - Board of Directors, Springfield Chamber of Commerce
 - Steering Committee, Leadership Eugene/Springfield
 - Commissioner, Oregon Government Ethics Commission
 - Board Member, Lane County School Boards Association
 - Founding Member, Southern Willamette Private Industry Council
 - Founding Member, City of Eugene, Business Assistance Team
 - Board of Directors, Eugene/Springfield Metropolitan Partnership
 - Board of Directors, Council for Economic Development in Oregon
 - President, Eugene Private Industry Council
 - Serenity Lane Public Relations Committee
 - President, Southwest Oregon Chapter, American Marketing Association
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Current Council Assignments

- Budget Committee
 - Housing Policy Board
 - Human Services Commission
 - Intergovernmental Relations Committee
 - Lane Council of Governments
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Professional Background

- Director of Community Impact, United Way of Lane County
- Chief Executive Officer, Oregon Pacific Chapter of the American Red Cross
- Public Affairs Manager, Willamalane Park and Recreation District
- Director of Marketing Services, Cawood Communications
- Co-owner/Director of Marketing, Mar%Stat Market Research and Analysis

Educational Background

- B.A., English, Coe College, Cedar Rapids, IA
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Special Interests and Concerns

- Leadership and governance in policy-directed bodies
 - Transportation solutions which address increasing traffic; public safety; and the maintenance, repair, and replacement of roadways
 - Revitalization of downtown Eugene
 - Parks, recreation, and open space planning
 - Effective economic development strategies
 - Collaborative public-private partnerships to leverage resources and build community consensus
 - Effective solutions for chronic issues related to human services, including medical care, housing, employment, and addictive treatment
 - Strong neighborhoods
 - Public safety strategies which maximize police/community relationships
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