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Name: Francisco Zermeño

Occupation: Businessman, Educator, Councilman

I am running to support Hayward residents, families, and small businesses by prioritizing our local economy impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. We must continue to support our residents through this period and into a recovery with innovative and flexible policies to meet the immediate needs of all our residents. I will continue to advocate for solutions for affordable housing, homelessness, safe communities, and our environment. My commitment to Hayward has crossed decades from teaching at Chabot for 42 years to making policy decisions for more affordable housing. I am dedicated to the success of our youth and to building the next generation of local leaders. I am an advocate of shopping local and founded the Latino Business Roundtable. I currently serve on the Sustainability Committee and StopWaste.Org. and under my leadership, Hayward has achieved many environmental goals and records. I love Hayward and its diversity. My service to Hayward has been constant and I work hard everyday for its success, and hope to continue contributing to our legacy. It's an honor to be endorsed by community members, working families, local leaders, small business owners, and many others. I would be honored to earn your vote. Thank you. Hayward On! [www.franciscoforhayward.com](http://www.franciscoforhayward.com).