

LOCAL NONPARTISAN CANDIDATES' STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS

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CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF COUNTY SUPERVISOR - District 1

JOSE "MOKE" SIMON III

AGE: 47

Occupation: County Supervisor

Education and Qualifications: It has been a privilege to serve my first term as District 1 Supervisor, and thanks to the work of so many, our efforts have brought us to a pivotal point in fire recovery and determining the economic direction and future of our region.

A life-long resident of Middletown, my wife and I have raised our family there. And my priorities as Supervisor and over the past 20 years are South County priorities: public safety, education and housing programs; providing water, sewer and reliable power services; and job creation. Equally important has been coaching high school football for the past 18 years.

I am proud to be the Governor's appointee to the State Board of Fire Services - the only County Supervisor to serve on that Board. As your Supervisor, I also advocate for District 1 and County interests as a member of numerous State and regional commissions and organizations.

I pledge to continue my leadership role in the 1st District's ongoing recovery and growth, contribute to the entire County's economic transformation, and protect and preserve our remarkable environment. I ask for your support as we work together to realize Lake County's enormous potential.

s/Jose "Moke" Simon III