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LOGAN, UTAH, June, 5 –This week Keegan Garrity declared his candidacy for Logan City Council.

According to Garrity, he is running on three major points: Preserving the integrity of Logan neighborhoods through smart growth, increasing the efficiency of government programs and communications, and continuing to build a community that innovates in business.

“As the city grows, it’s important we preserve the things we love about it as we make improvements,” said Garrity. “My kids go to public school here, take swim lessons at the aquatic center, and regularly visit the Logan Library. It’s a great community and I have an invested interest in ensuring Logan’s positive future.”

Garrity said the prospect of running for the position came from multiple members of the community, including encouragement from current Council member Jess Bradfield.

Garrity works in Cache Valley where his career involves strategic planning and execution. His current employer, Sam Malouf, said of him:

“Keegan is the type of guy that would be good for this. He can be trusted to be objective in decision making; considerate of others’ perspectives and the info available.”

Keegan Garrity first came to Logan in 2005 to attend Utah State University. He’s active in sports including cycling, softball, and hockey. He currently serves as co-chair on the Woodruff Neighborhood Council, has completed community CERT training, and participates regularly in local amateur radio meetings. He resides in southwest Logan with his wife and four children.

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DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY



STATE OF UTAH

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COUNTY OF CACHE

I, Keegan Garrity
(Print name EXACTLY as it is to appear on the ballot)

declare my intention of becoming a candidate for the office of:

- Mayor (four-year term)
 Council Member (four-year term)

I do solemnly swear that:

- I will meet the qualifications to hold the office, both legally and constitutionally, if selected.
- I reside at 985 W 530 S, in the City of Logan,
County of Cache, State of Utah, Zip Code 84321 Phone No. (435)227-5437
The mailing address that I designate for receiving official election notices is:
see above

- I will not knowingly violate any law governing campaigns and elections.
- I will file all campaign financial disclosure reports as required by law.
- I understand that failure to do so will result in my disqualification as a candidate for this office and removal of my name from the ballot.

Keegan Garrity
Signature of Candidate

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 4 day of June, 2019.

(Signed) Jessie Harris
Recorder/Clerk or other Officer Qualified to Administer Oath

I give permission to the City of Logan to release my phone number and address as they appear on the filed Declaration of Candidacy to the public for the purpose of the municipal election of 2019.

Keegan Garrity
Signature of Candidate

NOTE: The constitutional and statutory qualification requirements for municipal office are:

- The person is a registered voter in the municipality.
- The person will be at least 18 years old at the time of the next election.
- The person has been a legal resident of the municipality or a resident of a recently annexed area for 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the date of the election.
- Any mentally incompetent person, any person convicted of a felony, or any person convicted of treason or a crime against the elective franchise may not hold office in this state until the right to vote or hold elective office is restored as provided by statute (see UCA 20A-2-101.5).

The requirements to be a registered voter are:

- Must be a United States citizen.
- Has been a resident of Utah for at least the 30 days immediately before the election.
- Will be at least 18 years old on the day of the election.
- If the person is a convicted felon, his/her right to vote must have been restored (see UCA 20A-2-101.5).

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Email: keegan.garrity@gmail.com

QUALIFICATIONS FOR CANDIDATE FILING DECLARATION

Please initial:

RS The filing officer read the constitutional and statutory qualifications as listed below to me, and I meet those qualifications.

RS I understand that an individual who holds a municipal elected office may not, at the same time, hold a county elected office.

RS I agree to file all campaign financial disclosure reports, and I understand that failure to do so may result in my disqualification as a candidate for this office, possible fines and/or criminal penalties, including removal of my name from the ballot.

RS I received a copy of the pledge of fair campaign practices, and I understand that signing this pledge is voluntary.

RS I provided a valid email, or physical address if no email is available, and I understand this will be used for official communications and updates from election officials.

RS I understand I will receive all financial disclosure notices by email.

I prefer to also receive financial disclosure notices by mail at the following address:

RS I understand my name will appear on the ballot as it is printed on this declaration of candidacy, and that I may not make any amendments or modifications after 5:00 p.m. on June 7, 2019.

RS I have received a copy of Section 20A-7-801 regarding the Statewide Electronic Voter Information Website Program and its applicable deadline.



Signature of Candidate

June 4, 2019

Date

QUALIFICATIONS

Before the filing officer accepts any declaration of candidacy, the filing officer shall read to the candidate the constitutional and statutory requirements for candidacy, and the candidate shall state whether he/she fulfills the requirements. If the candidate indicates that he/she does not qualify, the filing officer may not accept his/her declaration of candidacy (Utah Code Section 20A-9-203).

MUNICIPAL CANDIDATE

Utah Code §10-3-301

Utah Code §20A-9-203

- Registered voter in the municipality in which the individual is elected*
- Must have resided within the municipality for which the candidate is seeking office for the 12 consecutive months immediately before the date of the election.
- If the individual resides in a territory which was annexed into the municipality: must have resided within the annexed territory or the municipality the 12 consecutive months immediately before the date of the election.
- Pay filing fee, if one is required by municipal ordinance
- Not convicted of a felony**

* Utah Code §20A-2-101 states: A registered voter (1) is a citizen of the United States; (2) is a resident of Utah; (3) will, on the date of that election, be at least 18 years old, (4) has been a resident of Utah for 30 days immediately before that election; (5) and is registered to vote.

** Utah Code §20A-2-101.5 states: A person convicted of a felony loses the right to hold office until (1) all felony convictions have been expunged, OR (2) ten years have passed since the most recent felony conviction AND the person has paid all court-ordered restitution and fines AND the person has completed probation, been granted parole, or completed the term of incarceration associated with the felony.