

Candidate Qualification / Position Statement For *Coalition for a Better Memphis* Website

Name: Myron Lowery

Website: www.cityofmemphis.org and www.myronformayor.com

Candidate for: Mayor

Why do you believe you are qualified to run for this position? _____

I am currently serving as Mayor and many citizens believe that I am doing a fine job.

Three specific things you would like to accomplish if elected: _____

Continue to reduce crime, increase economic development to produce higher paying jobs and improve the quality of education in Memphis

Have you ever been delinquent on your property taxes? Yes _____ No X

Have you filed for Bankruptcy? Yes _____ No X

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes _____ No X

Explanation of any of the above items _____

List other elected positions you have run for and the outcome of the election:

Memphis City Council 1983, Memphis City Council 1987 and Shelby County Circuit Court Clerk 1995, lost these elections. I have been elected five consecutive times to the Memphis City Council since 1991 and once as a member of the Memphis Charter Commission in 2006.

Current Employment

Company: City of Memphis, Mayor

Length of Employment: 45 days

Brief Job Description: You know the answer to this.

Education

Please list all schools you have attended from High School on.

| <u>School</u> | <u>Degree</u> | <u>Graduation Date</u> |
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| LeMoyne College | BA, Sociology, | 1968 |
| New York University, | MA, Education, | 1969 |
| University of Tennessee, | MA, Education, | 1991 |

Additional information as it regards to education: _____

I taught school in New York City in Harlem, I taught in the Memphis City School system at Central, Hillcrest and Melrose High Schools. I have also taught at LeMoyne Owen College and the University of Memphis.

How long have you lived in Memphis? More than 40 years _____

Where did you grow up? Columbus Ohio _____

Marital Status/Children: Married, 3 children _____

Please identify up to five organizations that are actively supporting your candidacy.

1. Announcement will be made soon. _____

Please list your association memberships and identify any leadership positions you have held in the past.

1. See question 1C on other document. _____

Please list your civic and community memberships.

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Other Contact Information:

Campaign Chair: Mickell Lowery _____

Treasurer: Valencia Campbell _____

Any other information you would like to share with the voters:

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