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# Councilmember Dion Bracco

has been a key leader in creating many of the  
new and exciting opportunities Gilroy  
has seen over the last several years.

Dion was instrumental in the purchase of Gilroy Gardens, a hub for residents and tourists alike and a great place for all families to enjoy.

He pushed for the construction of our new Library, enhancing educational opportunities for adults and children.

He's worked for building the new Youth Center at San Ysidro Park as well as repairing our sidewalks at no cost to taxpayers.

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Gilroy has changed a lot since the 1980s and 90s. The problems and challenges we face are far different than when other candidates for Mayor sat on the Council.

Back in those days, the Outlet Center was in its infancy, not the world tourist destination it is today. Crime was at record-highs back then. We didn't have issues with gangs, a problem Dion has addressed with the formation of the South County Youth Task Force. Nor did we have the type of financial and economic crises Dion Bracco has had to deal with for the past five years. Tough decisions needed to be made on spending and city services. Dion made the tough choices, cast the hard votes, and balanced the budget.



Other candidates for Mayor want to raise your taxes. Don Gage favors a \$548 million parcel tax increase (Measure B) which will raise taxes on your house 45% over the next fifteen years. Peter Arellano wanted to raise Gilroy's 8.25% sales tax even higher!

Dion Bracco is the only candidate opposed to these tax increases as well as the others on your November ballot. Dion believes that the way to get our economy moving again is not by raising taxes, but by making government smaller and paychecks bigger.

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