

Question 1. Do you think Oxnard should be the industrial and transportation center of the county? If so, what kind of industry and how would you attract it? If no, what kind of city should Oxnard become?

No, I do not think Oxnard should serve Ventura County with industries and all airport service. If that were our aim, our fast growth could quickly lead us to become a city of Industry, a Compton, An Inglewood or a Westchester.

Instead I think Oxnard should be a balanced city. We should use planning to achieve and maintain a balanced city -- free of noise, air and water pollution. Because we are located on a rare coastal plain with ideal climate, we can attract the best, clean industries//~~We should~~ and should do so aggressively and selectively. We should & cautiously stick with planning standards relating to ideal percentages of industrial, commercial and residential zoning and use planners advice in the placing of industry away from residential areas. However, this requires intelligent, informed and courageous councilman who are willing and able to devote an endless amount of time to studying each issue. After full study a councilman & ~~he~~ must be able to vote independently for the people of Oxnard, uninfluenced by personal battles, personal ambitions, friendships, new and old, and be uninfluenced by special interests.

Because I want a balanced ~~city~~ unpolluted city I am against the expansion of the Ventura County Airport into a jet airport//~~If the~~ and the use of the Oxnard Airforce Base as a jet airport. A jet airport shoud be located so that flight patterns are away from population centers ~~because~~ because of the smog and noise nuisance as well as the danger of crashes.

~~Because I want an unpolluted city~~ I ~~am~~ was glad that the League of Women Voters last August requested the city council to return Steam generating plants to its original unprivileged M2 zone so that expansion of the plants require a public hearing. In 1962 I voted against the privileged zone for Edison because I believed that ~~the/~~~~expansion~~ any expansion should be under public scrutiny