## Friday, November 1, 2019

## Letter form Mr. Christopher Smith, 2019 Candidate for Marvin Mayor

Below is a letter Chris Smith wrote to a group of Marvin residents, who were communicating about the upcoming Marvin election. Chris Smith has since authorized the distribution of this correspondence, as his general assessment of what he believes is best for Marvin.

## Good morning,

I'm Chris Smith, candidate for Marvin Mayor. I agree that this election represents a critical moment in Marvin's continued evolution, and one that needs your input to ensure a unified vision around transparency, accountability, and service to our community.

That's why I'd ask that you write in Mary Shkut's name for Village Council. She has the experience, leadership, perspective and diversity we need on our council.

I've been actively engaged in council activities for a long time and currently serve on the Village Planning Board. I've gotten to know the current council members, the issues we're facing, and what kind of leadership is needed to tackle those issues in an effective and thoughtful manner. I think writing down Mary's name to remain on the council is the right thing to do.

Call me if you'd like to discuss my candidacy or hear my point of view on what an effective village council would look like. 402-707-5201

Thanks, Chris