



City of Rochester Hills  
CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME Alex Zimmerman COUNCIL DISTRICT 4  
DATE 3/18/2019 ROCHESTER HILLS RESIDENT FOR 1 YEARS  
OCCUPATION Director of International Education, Oakland University

**INTERESTS/REASONS/QUALIFICATIONS**

My wife and I recently bought a house in Rochester Hills and I wish to become more involved with the community. I work at Oakland University as Director of International Education and I have experience working with many institutions of higher education, non-profit organizations and with my former senator in Washington, DC.

**BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES ON WHICH YOU HAVE SERVED (LIST MUNICIPALITIES AND DATES)**

I have not previously served on any municipal boards. I am a member of the Executive Council of the Japan Center for Michigan Universities.

**ELECTIVE OFFICES THAT YOU HAVE HELD**

I have never run for or held elected office.

**OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

Michigan Association of International Educators  
Forum for Education Abroad  
American International Educators Association  
NAFSA: Association of International Educators

**PERTINENT EDUCATION**

BA (Political Science), University of Chicago  
MA (Near and Middle Eastern Studies), University of London

**HOBBIES/INTERESTS**

Travel, reading, historical research

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

I speak Spanish fluently and am proficient in Arabic.