

## MODESTO BEE CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

**What is your full, legal name?**

John Edward Kidd

**What name do you prefer be used in print?**

John Kidd

**What office do you seek?**

Director, Modesto Irrigation Dist. Division 5

**What is the primary reason you are running for this office?**

I believe I can help guide the district through the next four challenging years. There is much work to be done to provide irrigation water, drinking water and electricity to our community.

**What will be your single most important priority if you get elected?**

I would work hard to promote efficiency in our service to our community for water and electrical power.

**What sets you apart from the other candidates?**

My experience in providing service to the community could be very helpful to the board and staff.

**Where do you work and what is your job title?**

I am a self employed family farmer. My two sons and their families are partners on our farm.

**What date were you born and where?**

I was born September 19, 1936 in Modesto.

**What is your spouse's name if any?**

**What are the names and ages of your children, if any?**

Two sons. Ed Kidd, 43. Bill Kidd, 41.

**Please list the schools and colleges you attended, the degrees you attained and when.**

Paradise Elementary School, 1950. Modesto High, 1954. UC Davis, BS, 1959.

**Have you ever held an elected or appointed public office?**

I was appointed to the MID Board by the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors in 1971. I was elected to the MID Board in November of that year.

**Have you run before for an elected public office?**

I have been on the MID Board for the last twelve years.

**Approximately how much money do you expect to spend on your campaign?**

Mailing and printing materials may cost up to \$15,000.

**Have you ever been convicted or charged with a crime other than a minor traffic violation?**

No

**Have you or a business you owned or had principal interest in ever filed bankruptcy?**

No

**Do any of your immediate family members work for the organization/agency you are running to represent?**

No

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Please list the campaign information you want made available to the general public in print and online, including a phone number, address and e-mail:**

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