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NAME Brainard, Byron B.

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CITY:

City Council,

July 1, 1933-July 1, 1939

COUNTY:

STATE

FEDERAL:

CIVIC ACTIVITIES:

BUSINESS OR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Electrician
Auto mechanic
Auto salesman
Real estate
Broker
Editor and publisher of
community newspaper

PORTRAIT: none

ATTACHED OR ENCLOSED IN ENVELOPE:

PORTRAITS APPEARING ELSEWHERE (DATES)

Newspaper reproductions

ANECDOTES AND PERSONAL IMPRESSIONS:

SOURCES OF INFORMATION:

BOOKS:

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS:

Los Angeles Times

PERSONAL INTERVIEW: none: autobiographical notes

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Byron Brainard Enters Race for City Council

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Byron Brainard, Los Angeles real estate broker, yesterday announced his candidacy for the City Council, to represent the Fifth District. Brainard's home is at 2940 South Normandie avenue.

Brainard, in his announcement, expressed an intention to stop unjust foreclosures, overlapping assessments and activities of the "lien sharks." It was the same aim that led him at the recent state election to run for the office of assemblyman from the seventy-second district. Although he lost the race, he polled a big vote.

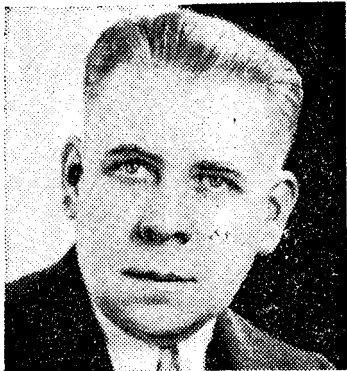


BYRON BRAINARD
Seeks Council Post
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Brainard has lived in the southwest part of the city nearly twenty-five years. Since 17 he has been a property owner in that section. He offers these, together with his real estate experience and business training, as his qualifications.

"Property owners," he added, "are sick and tired of promises, increased taxes and reduced income. I make but one pledge: the interests of the property owners first."

Brainard is president of the Adams and Jefferson Improvement Association, formerly the Poole and Jones Association. He is a member of the Citizens' Taxpayers and Protective League, West Jefferson District; the University Taxpayers and Protective League, and a number of fraternal organizations. He is past grand president of the Order of Druids of California, and 1929 chairman of that organization's executive committee.



BYRON B. BRAINERD

City Councilman



BYRON B. BRAINARD

City Council—Fifth District

Born April 1, 1894, Topeka, Kansas.

Educated: Public schools of Chicago and Los Angeles.

Married; two children.

Residence in California since 1904.

Career: Electrician, Southern Pacific Railway; auto mechanic and salesman; real estate broker; editor and publisher of community newspaper, Southwest News-Press.

Public Offices: Republican County Central Committee, 1931; City Council, 1933-1935, 1935-1937, 1937-1939.

Fraternal Affiliations: Mason; Odd Fellows; Elks; Druids; Honorary Member Veterans of Foreign Wars.