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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CITY COUNCILMAN LEON WILLIAMS ANNOUNCES BID FOR SUPERVISOR'S SEAT

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At a 10 a.m. press conference held on the steps of the County Administration Center, Williams, who has served 13 years on the City Council, said he would now like to direct his energies to the affairs of county government.

Williams currently represents the City Council's Fourth District which is largely contained within the boundaries of the larger fourth Supervisorial District.

Consolidation of certain city and county services, where economics can be affected, the councilman said, would be a priority issue if he is elected to the Board of Supervisors.

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