

If I Were Mayor

If I were mayor, I would clean up this town. There are lots of important things that people have been overlooking for a long time. If I were mayor, things would get fixed in a hurry. I would treat this town like a librarian treats a book.

First, I would use my budget to rebuild old, broken down, abandoned buildings. They are so old that if someone bought them they could get hurt. Old buildings can be hazardous. They also make the town look really bad. Plus, if we make the buildings nicer more people would come to visit.

Next I would ask for a grant to build a recycling center. I would use part of my budget to pay people to recycle their own things. If you pay people to do things, they will get done faster. People would recycle all the trash they find. The streets would look like an army of janitors had taken over!

Finally, I would ask for a grant to build a skate park. People would have something to do after school and on weekends besides TV and videogames. After all, people really enjoy skating. More tourists would also come.

Whenever you build something like this, people would come swarming like ants on a popsicle.

If I were mayor these things would only be the beginning. Many more things can be improved. I would continue to find problems and continue to fix them. After all, that's what mayors do.

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Entry Form

School: Zane Smith
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