



David Matics

Public/Traffic Safety Commissioner

City of Temecula

Biography:

Temecula has been David Matics' home since 1991. From his first day of kindergarten at Sparkman Elementary, to graduation day at Temecula Valley High School, David grew up alongside the city. In 2009, he and his wife Ashley went on their first date in Old Town, and in 2017 welcomed triplets Edith, Isaac and Clementine to their family.

The Matics family participates in the City's Adopt-A-Park program and enjoys exploring the city's trails and bikeways. David also supports active transportation through his work on the Bike Temecula Valley Steering Committee.

Initially appointed to the Public / Traffic Safety Commission in 2021, David has advocated for a holistic and inclusive approach to safety. Key issues for David include pedestrian and bicycle safety, traffic calming on residential roads, and sustaining Temecula's status as one of the safest cities in the nation—both in reputation and fact. He also promotes a long-term, equitable, and fiscally responsible approach to pavement maintenance.

On the Quality of Life Master Plan Blue Ribbon Committee, David advocated for specialized law enforcement units, missing middle housing and walkable neighborhoods. He counts Temecula's quality of life and small-town sense of community among its most important assets. David is grateful to serve the community that gave him so much, growing up.

