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Page 1: Candidate Information

**Q1**

Office You are Seeking

US House of Representative, District 1 Hawaii

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**Q2**

Party

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Page 2: COVID-19 Response and Recovery

**Q8**

What steps do you think our state and/or counties should take to aid this recovery? Some examples could include how you think federal funds should be spent, diversifying the state's economy, etc.

The at-risk and infirm should stay in.

Healthy workers, should work with mask for now.

Tourism must open. Guest without fever must be allowed to enjoy our trails and beaches and tourist activities unfettered. Distancing and masks should be used in large groups and on tours. Statically the numbers are LOWER than season flu and heart disease.

Percentage of deaths for Hawaii population is > 0.02%

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**Q9**

Please share some of the efforts you have led or participated in response to COVID-19.

I am working in the community doing medical visits for the elderly. There has been zero incidence. I wear a mask, the patient wears a mask. Hand washing and sanitizing before and after of hands and equipment.

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**Q10**

Additional thoughts/comments:

The media is trying to frighten and panic the community by giving raw numbers. When given in percentages it is much more realistic. There have been about as many pedestrian death this year.

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Page 3: Tobacco and E-Cigarette Regulations

**Q11**

What policies do you think the state and/or counties should enact to reduce tobacco and e-cigarette use?

The current policy is fine. The are becoming cost prohibitive due to taxation. I educate pts on every visit.

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**Q12**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

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| Apply a tobacco tax to e-cigarettes, such as a percentage of the wholesale cost or taxing e-liquid by volume. | <b>Support</b> |
| Prohibit the sale of all flavored tobacco products, including menthol cigarettes and flavored e-liquids.      | <b>Oppose</b>  |
| Restrict online sales of e-cigarettes to tobacco retailers only, in order to curb illegal sales to minors.    | <b>Oppose</b>  |
| Increase the tobacco tax on cigarettes to help smokers quit and prevent new users from starting.              | <b>Oppose</b>  |
| Funds from the tobacco settlement and tobacco taxes should fund tobacco prevention and cessation efforts.     | <b>Support</b> |
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**Q13**

Additional thoughts/comments:

I don't think the government should manage the cessation and prevention programs. It should be privatized.

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Page 4: Healthy Eating + Active Living

**Q14**

What steps do you think the state and/or counties should take to ensure food security for all of Hawaii's people, and to significantly increase food self-sufficiency for our state?

Sustainability. There are 80000 acres of available farm land. It should be offered to Native Hawaiians first to grow local produce. Lighten up regulations on local fishing industries.

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**Q15**

In 2019, Hawai'i made a commitment to adopt Vision Zero, an initiative to eliminate all traffic fatalities and severe injuries, while increasing safe, healthy, equitable mobility for all. What policies and infrastructure changes should the state and/or counties make to achieve this goal?

Crossing only legal at controlled intersections. Violations issued for jay-walking. Educated the elderly and immigrants on safe crossing, even at controlled intersections. "Stop, look,listen" proceed when all vehicles have completely stopped and acknowledge to pedestrian.

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**Q16**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

- We must significantly increase public investment in food systems workforce development, including programs such as farm to school, agriculture and food systems education (PreK-12 and higher education), and farmer training programs.

Strongly Support
- The state should continue to invest in a Double Up Food Bucks program, which doubles the value of SNAP benefits when buying fresh, locally grown produce at participating retailers.

Support
- Enact a one-cent per-ounce fee on sugar-sweetened beverages.

Strongly Support
- Use revenue from a sugar-sweetened beverage fee for obesity prevention programs.

Strongly Support
- Make health and physical education (PE) courses a curriculum requirement, rather than an option, for middle school students. PE is currently a requirement for elementary and high school students.

Strongly Support
- Implement a red light camera program to deter red-light running and help curb traffic fatalities and injuries.

Strongly Support

**Q17**

Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:

Page 5: Oral Health

**Q18**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

- Reinstate coverage of preventative dental benefits for Adult Medicaid participants.

Support
- Fluoridation of community water supplies is an effective way to prevent tooth decay.

Strongly Support

**Q19**

Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:

Page 6: Alcohol Regulations

**Q20**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

- Increase in alcohol taxes. **Strongly Oppose**
- Repeal of the alcohol takeout laws that allow people to buy and take home liquor-based mixed drinks from restaurants. **Strongly Oppose**
- Repeal of alcohol delivery laws that allow restaurants to deliver beer and liquor-based mixed drinks to people's homes. **Strongly Oppose**
- Increase in enforcement that helps ensure that youth do not access alcohol through existing laws allowing for alcohol takeout and delivery. **Support**

**Q21**

Additional thoughts/comments:

No new taxes or restrictions

Page 7: Marijuana Regulations

**Q22**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

- Do you support legalizing recreational marijuana sales in Hawai'i? **Strongly Support**
- If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that marijuana be regulated by the Department of Health? **Strongly Oppose**
- If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the price of marijuana be regulated? **Strongly Oppose**
- If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the promotion and advertisement of marijuana sales be regulated? **Strongly Oppose**
- If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that marijuana potency be regulated? **Support**
- If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the number and placement of marijuana outlets be regulated? **Oppose**

**Q23**

Additional thoughts/comments:

No new taxes, reduce government over-reach

Page 8: Economic Justice

**Q24**

What are your immediate plans to help make Hawai'i more affordable for its residents?

Place a moratorium on property taxes. Prop 13

Stop the rail.

Road work should be "once and done". Not slipshod patching for union job security.

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**Q25**

What is the role of government in addressing housing affordability issues and what would you do to encourage the production of more affordable homes for Hawai'i residents?

I don't see any prefab homes or mobile home communities here. That would be an option.

Tiny houses.

Houses made from converted storage containers.

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**Q26**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

Increase the state's minimum wage in a series of annual steps to a living wage of \$17 per hour. **Oppose**

Create a statewide Paid Family Leave Program, which would allow up to 12 weeks for employees to provide care for a newborn, bond with a new child, or care for a family member with a serious health condition. **Oppose**

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**Q27**

**Respondent skipped this question**

Additional thoughts/comments:

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