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Page 1: Candidate Information

Q1

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Q7 Respondent skipped this question

Campaign Website

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.

Such a time as this with the issues at hand we need to call for redirection of taxpayers monies appropriated for nuclear war fare and spend it on public emergency needs. The Federal and the State government needs to see that we are at war! And we the people, the general public need to come to understand that warfare is closer to home than realized.

Q9

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

Families in isolation I lead Family Strengthening activities and helped my neighbors.

Q10 Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:

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?

Yes

Q12 Respondent skipped this question

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

Q13

Additional thoughts/comments:

I don't know all the ramifications in the enactment of these good intentions to curve usage but the truth is that no law can stop anyone from their choice to chose to do it? And that's the core of my own personal debate that going through my mind.

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?

Replace the landscapes with edibles vegetation and fruits.

Return the native Hawaiians to their birth right lands that is also a Constitutional right with equal authority to the entitlements there in the federally mandated in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act 1920, as amended 1921.

Hawaii's public doctrine in the Admission Act, unlawfully joined native Hawaiians with the General Public to manage and dispose of these entitlements that a Century of failed management from the federal and state government has manifested into beneficiaries dying on a wait list. Land going to non- beneficiaries or left for homeless occupation.

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?

Move the people routes away from vehicle routes as much as possible. That would decrease inhalation of the vehicle's exhaust, accidents and etc.

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. **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

Additional thoughts/comments:

Fees are taxes and Hawaii's taxpayers are over taxed with so much fees that even the good intentions fees are very questionable in improving the conditions? That's why I did not answer some questions.

Q18

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

Reinstate coverage of preventative dental benefits for Adult Medicaid participants. **Strongly Support**

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

Q19

Additional thoughts/comments:

However, I know some people that had very adverse reaction to fluoride and perhaps provide a filtering device to take out the chemical?

Page 6: Alcohol Regulations

Q20

Respondent skipped this question

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

Q21

Additional thoughts/comments:

Don't want to answer because of my conviction that Hawaii taxpayers are over taxed with increasing fees besides the GET and Rail?!

Page 7: Marijuana Regulations

Q22

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

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| 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? | Support |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the price of marijuana be regulated? | 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? | Oppose |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that marijuana potency be regulated? | Oppose |
| 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 |
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Q23

Additional thoughts/comments:

The state is failing right now the medical marijuana and I fear they will do the same. You ask for money to fund your services and programs while no solutions to more employment that pays living wages? In taking your survey I come to conclude, and this is my last comment

This is not heaven and we must chose the lesser of the evil for the goodness of all?

Thank you so much for this opportunity to open up the collective conversations of we the people, in order to form a more perfect union? Must identify the divide we've got to be and work more towards uniting. Hope my comments unites us and not divide us? But if, for some reason caused division? Please forgive me and please let me know when we can sit at the table of democracy and have this great debate! Non-violently! Like Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and like Ghandi and Mandela.

Page 8: Economic Justice

Q24

Respondent skipped this question

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

Q25

Respondent skipped this question

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?

Q26

Respondent skipped this question

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

Q27

Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:
