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Page 1: Candidate Information

**Q1**

Office You are Seeking

Maui Councilmember - Kahului

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**Q2**

Respondent skipped this question

Party

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**Q3**

First Name

Carol Lee

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**Q4**

Last Name

Kamekona

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**Q5**

Respondent skipped this question

Email

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**Q6**

Respondent skipped this question

Phone

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**Q7**

Respondent skipped this question

Campaign Website

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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 state and county need to take more of an aggressive approach to protecting its residents against incoming travellers from COVID-19 ravaged areas. There needs to be more of just a 72 hour negative testing prior to departure. It should be a mandatory negative test within 48 - 72 hours of arrival for all. Then upon arrival another COVID test and a temperature check. While awaiting results, travellers will be quarantined at a central location. They will not be able to leave quarantine or receive any visitors until results returned are negative. All food will be either through room service or take- out/delivery. No rental car reservations can be made until release from quarantine.

Federal funds should be spent to diversify the economy. Look at retraining unemployed workers in health care, sanitation and farming for example.

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**Q9**

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

As a caregiver, I am very careful of what I expose myself to so as not to bring anything home to my mother. I have been involved in several food distributions during this pandemic.

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**Q10**

**Respondent skipped this question**

Additional thoughts/comments:

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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?

I would encourage a more personal interaction (face-to-face). Some people may not have access to modern technology (cell phones, computer etc.) to contact Tobacco Quit Line.

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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>Strongly Support</b> |
| Prohibit the sale of all flavored tobacco products, including menthol cigarettes and flavored e-liquids.      | <b>Support</b>          |
| Restrict online sales of e-cigarettes to tobacco retailers only, in order to curb illegal sales to minors.    | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| Increase the tobacco tax on cigarettes to help smokers quit and prevent new users from starting.              | <b>Support</b>          |
| Funds from the tobacco settlement and tobacco taxes should fund tobacco prevention and cessation efforts.     | <b>Support</b>          |
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**Q13**

**Respondent skipped this question**

Additional thoughts/comments:

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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?

State and county look to our farmers. Provide assistance to them as they can sustain us. Look to educating for growing crops that can be manufactured and distributed on Maui. What are the pros and cons? Invest in grinders to help our farmers generate mulch from green waste. Benefits from composting. How to make etc.

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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?

More usage of public transportation. Tour buses only to certain points of interest (Hana for example). Trolley car tours around Lahaina and surrounding communities. Shuttles to Lahaina boat harbor tours. Regulations regarding pedestrian four-way crossing at busy intersections.

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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. **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**

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**Q17**

Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:

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Page 5: Oral Health

**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. **Oppose**

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**Q19**

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Additional thoughts/comments:

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Page 6: Alcohol Regulations

**Q20**

Please indicate your position on the following policies:

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| Increase in alcohol taxes.  | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| Repeal of the alcohol takeout laws that allow people to buy and take home liquor-based mixed drinks from restaurants.                       | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| Repeal of alcohol delivery laws that allow restaurants to deliver beer and liquor-based mixed drinks to people's homes.                     | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| Increase in enforcement that helps ensure that youth do not access alcohol through existing laws allowing for alcohol takeout and delivery. | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
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**Q21**

Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:

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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?  | <b>Support</b>          |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that marijuana be regulated by the Department of Health?              | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the price of marijuana be regulated?                             | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the promotion and advertisement of marijuana sales be regulated? | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that marijuana potency be regulated?                                  | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
| If recreational marijuana is formally proposed by the state, how strongly would you support that the number and placement of marijuana outlets be regulated?      | <b>Strongly Support</b> |
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**Q23**

Respondent skipped this question

Additional thoughts/comments:

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Page 8: Economic Justice

**Q24**

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

Look into the viability of repurposing empty buildings and storefronts into temporary housing or homeless shelter. Encourage partnerships with financial institutions to provide rent-to-own or lease-to-own options for first time home buyers. Submit for federal grants that assist with home buying and partnering with non profits like Habitat for Humanity.

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**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?

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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.

**Strongly Support**

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**Q27**

**Respondent skipped this question**

Additional thoughts/comments:

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