

Appendix 1

Okanogan County Democrats Candidate Questionnaire

Date Submitted: _____

Candidates asking for endorsement by the Okanogan County Democrats are expected to submit this completed questionnaire and answer questions from the membership at a public meeting.

NOTE: Endorsements issued prior to filing week in May are eligible for inclusion into the Voters Pamphlet by the Candidate.

Name:

Position Sought:

Campaign Manager:

Campaign Address:

Campaign Phone:

Candidate Phone:

E-Mail:

Campaign Web Page:

Social Media Pages (as applicable):

Facebook:

Instagram:

X (Formerly Twitter):

You Tube:

TikTok:

Other:

Please answer the following questions. (For questions that don't apply to the office you are running for, please indicate N/A). **Please reply with a yes, no, or short explanation.** You may edit this document to include your responses or attach them on a separate paper. The

completed questionnaire can be filled out on-line, or emailed to:
info@okanogandemocrats.com.

1. Are you known publicly as a Democrat? If so, how? If not, explain.
2. How long have you been registered to vote? Have you voted in all elections in the past three years?
3. Do you support the WA State Democratic Platform? Why or why not?
4. Which ratings or endorsements have you received to date?
5. What is the main message of your campaign?
6. Do you support the right of workers to bargain collectively and to strike?
7. Do you support affirmative action for women and minorities?
8. What type of healthcare system do you favor **and why**?
9. Do you support the right of individuals to make their own personal health care decisions (including whether to have an abortion) without government interference?
10. As a public official, would you support the Public Health System and the public safety guidelines that they recommend?
11. Do you accept campaign donations from any of the following: Corporations; the Fossil Fuel Industry; Big Pharma?
12. Do you believe that climate change is an issue that must be addressed? If so, what are your priorities as they apply to the office you are running for?
13. Do you support legislation to improve gun safety? What specific types of legislation do you support?
14. Do you support LGBTQ+ rights, including marriage and gender identity?
15. Do you believe in the separation of church and state?
16. Do you believe there is a need for election reform (includes local jurisdictions as well as state and national level)? If so, please elaborate.
17. Do you have any ideas on how to create a more equitable tax system in WA State? If so, please elaborate.
18. Do you believe there is a need for immigration reform? If so, please elaborate.
19. What are the most pressing issues facing your jurisdiction?
20. Describe the contributions you have made to your community, Okanogan County, or Eastern, Central, and North Central Washington (as applicable) of which you are most proud.
21. Have you ever been convicted of a felony? If so please explain.
22. What else would you like us to know about you?

In the interests of strengthening the Democratic Party and the ability of the Party to support me or any other candidate, I pledge to uphold high ethical standards. I understand that this questionnaire may be amended from time to time. I also agree to submit additional information should it be requested, and that any endorsement may be withdrawn when new information warrants.

I verify that the responses to this questionnaire are true and correct.

Signature: _____

Date: _____