



Candidate Questionnaire





CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE

2019-2020

Candidate Name: _____

Candidate Committee: _____

State/District: _____

Party Affiliation(s): _____

Campaign Address: _____

Campaign Phone: _____

Campaign Website: _____

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This document is necessary for consideration of support by NFIB Federal PAC and may be used for future voter education purposes.

Campaign Information

Staff Contact & Title: _____

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Media Consultant: _____

PAC Fundraiser(s): _____

Have you taken a public opinion poll in your race? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, when? _____

Candidate Information

Current employment: _____

Are you a current or former small business owner? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of business (if applicable) and address: _____

Are you a current or former NFIB member? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, when did you join? _____

Business name: _____

Other business associations you are a member of: _____

Have you ever been elected or appointed to public office? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, years of service and office(s): _____

If no, have you ever run for an elected office? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Election year and office(s): _____

Would you like to be added to our media list to receive helpful small business materials?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please provide email: _____

If you are elected to Congress, list your top three priorities for your first term and why:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

If elected, on which committees would you most like to serve?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

What are the most important issues for small business owners in your state/district?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Do you know of any NFIB members or other small businesses supporting your campaign?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

List any other endorsements you've received:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Fiscal/Tax Policy: Do you SUPPORT or OPPOSE (please mark one) ...

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|----|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. | Making permanent the individual and small business provisions in the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (including the newly-created Small Business Deduction [Section 199A], lower individual rates, increased thresholds for the alternative minimum tax and estate tax, and doubled standard deduction)? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 2. | Repeal of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 3. | Establishment of “wealth taxes” on small business owners? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 4. | Repeal of the estate tax? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |

Healthcare: Do you SUPPORT or OPPOSE (please mark one) ...

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| 1. | Protecting regulations that expand health insurance options for small business owners and employees (Association Health Plans, Health Reimbursement Arrangements, and Short-Term Limited-Duration Health Insurance)? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 2. | Suspending taxes that drive up the cost of health insurance premiums? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 3. | Allowing small businesses to contribute to health insurance that employees purchase on their own? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 4. | Providing equal tax treatment for self-employed individuals who choose to deduct health insurance premiums from payroll taxes? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |

Regulatory Reform: Do you SUPPORT or OPPOSE (please mark one) ...

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| 1. Reforming the Waters of the U.S. rule (2015 Clean Water Rule)? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 2. Requiring federal agencies to include estimates of indirect costs (e.g., increased energy prices) of proposed regulations? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 3. Expanding Small Business Advocacy Review (SBAR) panel consultations to all federal agencies (currently only conducted by EPA, OSHA, and CFPB)? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 4. Requiring small business owners to file paperwork with the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network each time they form or change ownership of a business? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |

Labor Issues: Do you SUPPORT or OPPOSE (please mark one) ...

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| 1. Mandating that small business owners provide paid family leave? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 2. Requiring that unions notify members of their right to refuse to pay for union political activities? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 3. Raising the federal minimum wage to \$15 per hour? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |
| 4. Allowing labor unions to picket an employer's suppliers and customers during a labor dispute? | <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT | <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE |

Please feel free to attach additional pages and comments on your interest and support of small business.

Signature of Candidate

Date

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