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About Candidates

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Q2

Q1. Please tell us about your personal experiences with nonprofits. These may include experiences with any organizations that have served you and/or fellow residents of your community, or specific nonprofits for which you've served as a board member, staff person, volunteer, or donor. How do these experiences shape your policy positions? (Limit: 300 words)

Throughout my life I have worked at food banks, I have received items from food banks, and I have given food to food banks. From time to time I donate what I can to charities when presented.

Charity and support for our fellow Americans are what America first is all about. I for one know exactly how it feels to need help and support. I think charities and non-profits are an essential part of what makes America great, and I will do what I can in policy positions to support charities and those who help volunteer or run them.
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Q2. If elected, what would be your top three policy priorities? (Limit: 250 words)

Election Integrity is a large goal, ensuring we have the voter ID we all voted on both left and right. Ensuring our equipment is working properly and securely.

Working towards energy independence as well as bringing made-in America jobs back to America will ensure we are able to sustain its citizens and put its citizens first.

School Choice and ending CRT and other Dangerous teachings in schools:

Every child deserves a sound education, and that’s only possible when families are able to choose the school environment that’s right for them.

I support homeschooling, charter schools, and private schools as an alternative to public schooling, parents should be allowed to know what is going on in their children’s schools, I would ask for more involvement with parents and teachers, lesson plans should be given in advance to parents, and I would like to see cameras in the classrooms so both teachers and students can be monitored by the parents.

Q4

The Center advocates on public policy issues that affect North Carolina’s nonprofit sector and works with the NC General Assembly and North Carolina’s members of Congress to develop laws and policies that save nonprofits time and money, help nonprofits operate more effectively, and preserve the public’s trust in North Carolina’s nonprofit sector. Our policy agenda includes:

· Ensuring that all 501(c)(3) nonprofits are fully exempt from federal, state, and local taxes.
· Promoting new and expanded tax deductions and credits that encourage individuals and businesses to give generously to support their communities through the work of charitable nonprofits.
· Supporting policy solutions that will address the nonprofit workforce shortage, including increased funding to support jobs in the nonprofit sector and investment in accessible and affordable child care.
· Seeking solutions to long-standing challenges that nonprofits face when they provide public services through government grants and contracts, including late contracts, late payments, overly complicated application and reporting requirements, and underpayment for indirect costs.
· Promoting laws that will help nonprofits and businesses alike to provide affordable and high-quality health care and other benefits to their employees.

Q3. If elected, which of these policy goals would you support most enthusiastically, and why? (Limit: 250 words)

If elected, I would say that reading over these goals, they all are very much needed in order for charities to be prosperous. The great thing about charities is that they can perform things that our government should really not be involved with as the government has to be able to perform what it’s meant to do. Though these policies it does enable the government to make it easier for charities to perform their goals. In my position in government, I will help push anything that helps non-profits and charities do better and work more effectively because this will help our citizens.