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Q1 About Candidates

Candidate Name	JD Wooten
District	North Carolina Senate District 24
Party Affiliation	Democrat
Campaign Website	JDWooten.com

Q2 What has been your personal experience with nonprofits as a board member, employee, volunteer, or donor? How do these experiences shape your policy positions? (Limit: 300 words)

I am on the Executive Board of the Boy Scouts of America. I believe very strongly that non-profits play a huge role in community outreach and try to remain active in a volunteer capacity with local non-profits such as the Triad Mental Health Association. I want to use my public platform to advocate for these vital organizations.

Q3 If elected, what would be your top three policy priorities? (Limit: 250 words)

My top three priorities are public education, healthcare access, and environmental protection. There is not a particular order to my priorities, but I believe taking meaningful steps to prioritize these issues is a great first step.

Q4 What is your position on these tax issues that affect charitable nonprofits?

Preserving or expanding tax exemption for charitable nonprofits	5 (strongly support)
Encouraging individuals and businesses to give generously to nonprofits serving their communities	5 (strongly support)

Q5 What policies would you propose to promote continued job growth for private employers, including both nonprofit and for-profit business employers? (Limit: 250 words)

Vocational training and a strong emphasis on job-readiness through public education would be a major priority. NC needs to develop its citizens to be the workforce of the future!
