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# **ENDORSEMENT QUESTIONAIRE: LOCAL OFFICES (2025 RACES)**

**CAMPAIGN AND PERSONAL INFORMATION**

***Instructions:*** *We encourage you to email or link to any written information on yourself, your candidacy and/or your issue positions (examples: your resume, your campaign platform, public testimony you’ve written, media clips) that supplements your answers to these questions.*

Name of candidate: Office Sought:

*If you are running for a legislative body, put district if applicable (or other indication of the nature of the legislative office like “at large”)*

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Check if you are seeking our support for the primary\_\_\_\_ or the general election \_\_\_\_\_

*(select both if applicable)*

Candidate Webpage/Facebook/Twitter/Instagram/Other Social Media information: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Campaign Contact and Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*(Specify the person we should contact if we have any questions concerning this questionnaire and to interview the candidate if necessary for our endorsement.)*

Address: (including city, state, zip) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name and Contact Information for Campaign Manager:

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*(Indicate “same” if same as Campaign Contact)*

Are you the incumbent for the office you are seeking?

\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No

Specify your party registration:

\_\_\_\_\_ Democrat \_\_\_\_\_ Republican \_\_\_\_\_ Conservative \_\_\_\_\_ Working Families \_\_\_\_\_ I am not enrolled in any party (“blank”)

Check all the ballot lines you are seeking, including any “non-official” ballot lines (if non-official, list under “other”).

\_\_\_\_\_ Democrat \_\_\_\_ Republican \_\_\_\_\_ Conservative \_\_\_\_\_Working Families

\_\_\_\_\_Other (if so, list the name of the line or lines) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of your campaign committee. If none, indicate “N/A.”

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List your current and significant past paid positions (including self-employment or positions in businesses you have any significant ownership interest in) and the years of each position. Also list the elected or appointed offices you have held or hold and significant civic involvements and the years of your service. What community organizations, labor unions, and nonprofits are you a leader of, and for how long? *(Feel free to provide a resume, campaign biography or other document containing this information in lieu of answering all or a portion of this question.)*

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List any businesses or non-profits from which you received any compensation of at least $500 in 2024 or anticipate receiving any compensation of at least $500 in 2025.

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How would you describe your basic political philosophy? Why do you want the Citizen Action of New York endorsement? Please describe your past activities and experiences that demonstrate work with Citizen Action or a track record of support for Citizen Action’s goals and issues, particularly in regard to its major priorities, including education and child care, health care, climate justice, democracy (i.e., fair elections/public funding of elections), housing, ending mass incarceration, worker and gender justice, and a fair budget and tax system. (You can visit [www.citizenactionny.org](http://www.citizenactionny.org/) for information on our issue positions and activities.)

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How will your campaign appeal to women, young people, working class voters, voters of color and those disaffected with the political process?

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Describe the race, including: 1) who your actual or anticipated opponents are and basic information about them (such as what elected office they currently hold, if any); 2) the funding and other resources (like political support) it will take to win your race; 3) whether you are seeking the Working Families Party ballot line for your position, and the status (i.e., interviewed, endorsed, not endorsed etc.) and 4) any information you wish to provide as to the progress of your campaign, such as money raised and level of support.

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List your top 3 to 5 issue priorities and the steps you will take to implement these priorities if elected. (Feel free to share campaign materials or other documents containing this information in lieu of answering this question or to supplement your written answer.)

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Would you be willing to meet regularly with Citizen Action of New York leaders and/or staff to discuss common issues and priorities if elected or reelected? Explain in the spaces provided how you will collaborate with Citizen Action and organizations that share our issue agenda.

\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No \_\_\_\_ Not Sure (If not sure, please explain) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List any prominent individuals (and their affiliations), as well as organizations or media outlets that have thus far endorsed your candidacy or that you anticipate will endorse you. (For anticipated endorsements, please specify that the endorsement is anticipated and explain the status and why endorsement is expected; for example, you can say that they have endorsed you in past races and have informally indicated endorsement is likely.)

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Describe any complaints alleging unethical conduct (including sexual or racial harassment) and/or violations of professional disciplinary codes that have been made against you, including lawsuits alleging unethical behavior (e.g., legal malpractice actions), your response, and the disposition (i.e., disciplinary action taken, complaint dismissed, etc.)

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### **POSITIONS ON LOCAL ISSUES**

***Specific instructions for the local issues section****: Please answer the following “essay” questions in the spaces provided (feel free to use additional lines). We prefer that your answer focus on solutions directly applicable to your municipality, county or region. That said, feel free to propose changes to state or national laws or practices. Further, we are interested in learning what specific actions you have previously taken or will take to systematically address the problems you identify, including, but not limited to the introduction of legislation, working with local advocacy groups, conducting media activities, and lobbying public officials with the responsibility of addressing the problems you have identified.*

What policies would you promote or have you promoted (locally or statewide) to alleviate poverty in *your* municipality, county or region, including steps like raising wages for low income workers, providing income subsidies, and meeting other basic needs like child care, housing and transportation?

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What policies would you promote or have you promoted (locally or statewide) to address climate change and its actual or potential consequences to your municipality, county or region? Please include any policies you support that address the disproportionate burdens of climate change and pollution on people of color and low-income neighborhoods.

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What policies would you work for to ensure that immigrants (including undocumented immigrants) are made welcome in your municipality, county or region and that immigrants have access to public services and are protected from mass deportation, especially given the anticipated threats to immigrants by the Trump administration and the Republican majorities in both houses of Congress? Will you avoid cooperation with ICE, even though there may be negative consequences to the municipality or county, such as the loss of federal funds?

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What policies would you support or work for to promote affordable housing for low- and moderate-income people and to improve the rights of tenants in your municipality, county or region?

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We are facing a childcare crisis throughout our state and elsewhere. How can you use the office you are seeking to strengthen quality childcare for working families in your municipality, county or region?

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What is your vision for achieving public safety in your municipality, county or region? What steps have you taken or will you take to address the deep racial inequities in our current methods of policing and incarceration, and to transition to a model that prioritizes community investment, and mental health?

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What are your plans for reducing the population of jails or other local incarceration facilities in your municipality, county or region?

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If you are running for office in Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse or Yonkers, where the city government governs the schools, please discuss what you have done or will do to ensure that adequate funding is provided and other measures are taken to ensure that a quality education is provided in the City school district for all students, including low income students and students of color, students with disabilities, and immigrants? Alternatively, if you are running elsewhere, please discuss what you have done or will do if elected to work to with school districts that overlap with your municipality or county to achieve these goals.

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What will you do to contribute to the improvement of transportation in your municipality, county or region, particularly public transportation?

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**POSITIONS ON STATE ISSUES**

***Instructions for the remainder of the questionnaire****: Please answer all the questions below. Each of these questions is short answer, but you may wish to explain your positions in the spaces provided. However, if you answer “Not sure,” it is vital that you explain your positions in the spaces provided (feel free to use additional lines). When we ask whether you support a particular bill, we are asking whether you support the concept of the bill -- not necessarily whether you’d vote for legislation with the exact current bill language if you were in the State Legislature. (Note: All state bill numbers below are from the 2023-24 legislative session and will need to be reintroduced in the 2025 session with new bill numbers.)*

Do you support the package of revenue legislation supported by Invest in Our New York (<https://investinourny.org/>)? IONY’s Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24 plan would have raised over $40 billion for the state, while placing a greater tax burden on the wealthiest New Yorkers and large corporations. The plan would have raised significant funding for the most urgent needs of the state, including health care, housing education, social services, and climate justice.

\_\_\_\_Yes                 \_\_\_\_No           \_\_\_\_ Not Sure (If not sure, please explain)

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Do you support or oppose providing health coverage to undocumented immigrants or others who do not have such coverage due to their immigration status (A3020/S2237)? Such a proposal is intended to address the federal ban on many immigrants enrolling in state health exchanges like NY State of Health, receiving premium tax credits or other subsidies intended to make health insurance more affordable, and receiving most forms of Medicaid.

\_\_\_\_Support \_\_\_\_Oppose \_\_\_\_Not Sure (If not sure, please explain)

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Check each of the measures below that you support that are aimed at increasing housing access and affordability. Feel free to outline additional proposals you support that advance these broad goals in the space provided.

\_\_\_\_ the Tenant Opportunity to Purchase Act (TOPA), which would give tenants the option to purchase the buildings where their apartments are located when they go up for sale (A3353/S221)

\_\_\_\_ the Housing Access Voucher Program (HAVP) bill, which would provide rental support that keeps pace with the actual cost of rent (A4021/S568)

\_\_\_\_legislation to develop not for profit, permanently affordable housing and tenant union protections (A9088/S8494)

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Check each of the measures below that you support that are aimed at addressing the “mass incarceration” of people of color in New York State and the consequences of mass incarceration policies. Feel free to outline additional proposals you support that advance these broad goals in the space provided.

\_\_\_\_ 13Forward, consisting of the No Slavery in NY Act (A3412/S225; constitutional amendment) and the Fairness and Opportunity for Incarcerated Workers Act (A7452/S6747), which together would end labor exploitation in prisons

\_\_\_\_ The Gate Money bill, to provide direct cash payments to individuals upon their release from incarceration (A9115/S6643)

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Do you support or oppose the NY HEAT (New York Home Energy Affordable Transition) Act (A4592/S2016), which would: 1) align the Public Service Commission’s (PSC’s) regulation of gas with New York’s landmark climate law, the Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act (CLCPA), 2) require the PSC to mandate a significant reduction in gas sales consistent with the CLCPA, and 3) modify the so called “obligation to serve,” which requires that gas companies provide gas service to new customers requesting such service?

\_\_\_\_Yes                 \_\_\_\_No           \_\_\_\_ Not Sure (If not sure, please explain)

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Do you support legislation called Mothers and Infants Lasting Change (MILC), otherwise known as the “Baby Bucks” bill, which would ensure that direct cash payments are sent to low-income mothers during the last three months of pregnancy and the first 18 months of a child’s life (A6197/S4578)?

\_\_\_\_Yes                 \_\_\_\_No           \_\_\_\_ Not Sure (If not sure, please explain)

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Do you support fully funding schools statewide, consistent with the principles in the revised school aid formula developed in response to the *Campaign for Fiscal Equity* litigation, and will you oppose any cuts to state aid to schools in the legislature’s 2025 session?

\_\_Yes   \_\_\_\_No     \_\_\_\_Not Sure (If not sure, please explain)

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Do you support maintaining and strengthening the state public finance system passed in 2020 and first implemented in the 2024 election cycle?

\_\_Yes   \_\_\_\_No     \_\_\_\_Not Sure (If not sure, please explain)

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