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Page 1: ALL CANDIDATES: Welcome

**Q1**

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**Q2****Yes**

I have read instructions at the top of this page

Page 2: ALL CANDIDATES: Campaign Contact Information

**Q3**

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**Q4****Respondent skipped this question**

Candidate name pronunciation (optional)

**Q5**

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**Q6**

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**Q10**

Respondent skipped this question

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**Q12**

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Page 3: ALL CANDIDATES: Yes / No Questions

**Q13**

**Yes**

Are you a Democrat?

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**Q14**

## Yes/No Questions

	Yes / No / Qualifie d
Have you ever been a member of another political party?	<b>No</b>
Have you ever been found in violation of a Public Disclosure Commission, Federal Election Commission, or Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission regulation?	<b>No</b>
Do you have a code of conduct for staff and volunteers?	<b>Yes</b>
If you have paid campaign staff, would you support them joining a labor union?	<b>Yes</b>
Is there anything from your past that might hamper your success as a candidate?	<b>No</b>
Do you support employees of your jurisdiction (e.g. your city's employees, the Port's employees, etc.) exercising their collective bargaining rights without fear of retaliation; including the right to bargain and strike for better working conditions and pay?	<b>Yes</b>
Are you willing to have yourself, your staff and your peers undergo training to understand and combat institutional racism and implicit bias?	<b>Yes</b>
Are you willing to have yourself, your staff and your peers undergo training to understand and combat sexual harassment?	<b>Yes</b>
Will your campaign be accepting contributions from corporate fossil fuel PACs?	<b>No</b>
Will your campaign be accepting contributions from corporate pharmaceutical PACs?	<b>No</b>
Will your campaign be accepting contributions from corporate health insurance PACs?	<b>No</b>
Will your campaign be accepting contributions from corporate building industry PACs; including the Building Industry Association of Washington (BIAW) and National Association of Home Builders?	<b>No</b>
Will your campaign be accepting contributions from police guilds or sheriffs' organizations?	<b>No</b>
Will you denounce contributions that you don't support from companies who support your campaign anyway?	<b>Yes</b>
Have you previously participated or will you be participating in a candidate training program like Institute for a Democratic Future or Emerge?	<b>No</b>

**Q15**

Respondent skipped this question

For any yes/no questions you answered "qualified" please explain:

**Q16**

Please describe your background (education, employment, community and civic activity, labor union affiliation etc.)

I'm a single mom of 3 kids, a former state legislator, proud UW husky and a policy wonk at heart. As the Senior VP of Civic Ventures I've led efforts to pass a wealth tax on capital gains, created permanent funding for wildfire prevention and forest health, passed numerous gun violence prevention policies, and extended overtime protections to over 500,000 Washingtonians.

As a state legislator, I sponsored legislation to increase the minimum wage, protect pregnant women from workplace discrimination and establish universal portable benefits. I was the lead negotiator on Washington's landmark Paid Family and Medical Leave policy. As Executive Director of Transportation Choices Coalition and a legislator, I successfully led efforts to invest over \$80 billion in light rail, buses, walking and biking infrastructure for our region.

Last year I was selected by Governor Inslee to lead the COVID economic recovery taskforce, where I helped create the \$50 million WA Recovery Fund to support BIPOC-owned small businesses who were excluded from federal PPP. In addition before running for Mayor, I served on the board of Community Passageways and the Advisory Board for the Trust for Public Lands.

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**Q17**

Please describe your history of involvement (if any), with particular emphasis on the last five years, in local, regional, and/or state politics.

Professionally, I've been involved in politics in the Puget Sound region since 2004, building and leading coalitions to fight climate change and increase economic opportunity by advocating for investments in mass transit. I've led advocacy organizations, worked at the executive level to manage multi-million dollar projects at Pierce Transit, and served as state representative from the 46th LD and Chair of the Working Families Caucus in the House. In that time, I've secured billions in funding for mass transit and led the fight to pass ST 2 and ST 3, investing billions to expand mass transit access throughout our region.

While at Civic Ventures, we've led successful campaigns to extend overtime protections to over 450,000 Washingtonians, pass landmark police accountability legislation in I-940, and spearhead effective gun violence prevention measures in I-1639. While on the board of Community Passageways, I've advocated locally for investment in community alternatives to violence interruption and public safety. In addition, I've continued to be engaged in progressive campaigns for local and state office, advising and canvassing for current City Councilmember Dan Strauss and Representative David Hackney, among many others.

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**Q18**

Please describe the progress of your campaign and goals. How do you plan to win?

We believe this is a change election. People are sick and tired of the status quo, and for good reason. For example, we've been in a declared state of emergency on homelessness for 5 years with limited success to show for it. Our campaign is presenting a "Fresh Start" for Seattle, with the experience and record to back it up.

Our "base" consists of anyone who believes Seattle's current leaders have failed and want a leader with a fresh perspective, and yet still one who has actually solved huge problems before. We believe this to be the majority of Seattle voters and we reject the idea that our next mayor should buy into the factionalism that has defined Seattle politics for so long; if we're going to enact policies that meet the scale of the intersectional crises of climate change, housing affordability, systemic racism, and economic inequality we simply cannot afford to elect the same politicians that got us into this mess nor elect non-politicians who lack the experience to deliver the magnitude of results required. This moment requires a leader with fresh eyes and the experience creating solutions to the scale of the problems we face.

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**Q19**

What issues do you think deserve more attention from media or elected officials? How would you seek to remedy that through your campaign or when elected?

I believe that far too little attention is paid to the epidemic of gun violence ravaging our communities. While on the board of Community Passageways, we circulated a letter in the summer of last year begging elected leaders to pay attention to what was a record year in gun violence for our community. The silence was deafening. In just the last few weeks, we've seen shooting after shooting on our streets with barely a passing glance by City Hall. The silence ends when I'm Mayor.

We can create a Seattle with zero shootings, and I've released a plan to get us there: <http://bit.ly/JFMZeroShootings>. By working in concert with community advocates to develop my plan and relentlessly driving the message that all gun violence is preventable, I will use all the resources afforded to me by running for office to force our leaders to confront our unacceptable failure to solve this crisis. If we invest in helping communities thrive, treat gun violence as a public health crisis, and bring a renewed and relentless focus on removing dangerous access to firearms— we can and will live in a city with zero shootings.

**Q20**

How do you plan to involve all residents and engage all communities in the decision making process? How would you work with people who lack trust in our institutions?

I'm committed to being an accessible, collaborative mayor and will continue the direct public outreach that we're already engaged in on the campaign trail once I'm in office. In particular, I plan on continuing to livestream our events even after we can return to in-person town halls, as one of the few silver linings to the pandemic has been the increased accessibility of digital events for working people and parents who might not otherwise be able to participate in the civic process.

In addition, I'll always make sure meetings are translated and vary in times of day and locations to ensure more members of the community can participate. The mayor must listen in order to ensure the goals and outcomes do indeed serve the needs of the community. I applied this approach to community outreach when leading Pierce Transit's award-winning public engagement strategy to successfully preserve service in the face of 30% cuts for BIPOC and low-income communities throughout Pierce County, and I believe it will serve both the City and our constituents well during my time in office.

**Q21**

COVID has increased existing inequities. How will you use your office to support the most vulnerable? How would you promote an equitable recovery and create opportunity for all?

I believe that the policies I'm advocating for in this race will do the most to seize the once-in-a-generation opportunity we have to create a more just and equitable Seattle in the wake of this pandemic. We are facing an existential crisis. My record of leading successful efforts to invest billions of dollars into transit and green infrastructure shows that I am uniquely positioned to get big things done and scale solutions to the size of the crises we face.

For example, I'm fighting for a public investment in affordable housing on the scale of the ST3 ballot measure for transit that would create tens of thousands of new units of housing and a variety of income types around the region's 54 new transit centers. Public support could include social housing, infrastructure subsidies, new financing tools to improve affordability, and pathways to equitable ownership as disparities in home values and homeownership are still the primary drivers of the racial wealth gap in our society. Similarly, ensuring working parents, particularly women and communities of color, have access to childcare would be transformative. Which is why creating universal birth-to-5 childcare is one of my top priorities.

**Q22**

If elected, how will you use your position to address racial inequality, and advance an anti-racist agenda? How specifically would you support the Black Lives Matter movement?

No one person in the mayor's office can encompass our entire city's diverse backgrounds, and so I believe that our executive branch must be composed of a coalition that reflects and incorporates the lived experiences of all our city's communities. I am committed to setting explicit benchmarks and a roadmap to closing the black-white family wealth gap. The time for vague promises is over, we need specific and real goals with outcomes and deadlines for how much and by when we will close the wealth gap.

That approach is central to both the policies I'm advocating for and the process of developing those policies. My campaign's climate (<http://bit.ly/JFMZeroCarbon>) and gun violence prevention plans (<http://bit.ly/JFMZeroShootings>) were developed in concert with those most affected. Consequently, they prioritize investing public resources in communities who have been left behind by city leadership for decades. By focusing on uplifting and funding the trusted community organizations already working on these issues so they can meet the scale of the needs they serve, we can build trust in the government's ability to solve big problems while proving with our budgets that we believe Black Lives Matter.

## Page 5: ALL CANDIDATES: Jurisdiction and Position

**Q23**

City Mayor

Position Sought

**Q24**

Seattle (City of)

Jurisdiction

**Q25**

Not applicable

Position number

## Page 6: KING COUNTY OFFICES ONLY: Questions for King County Executive and King County Council

**Q26**

Respondent skipped this question

Yes/No Questions for King County

**Q27**

Respondent skipped this question

For any yes/no questions you answered "qualified" please explain:

**Q28**

Respondent skipped this question

How have you worked to combat climate change and promote climate justice? How would you use your elected office to ensure King County drastically lowers net carbon emissions by 2030 and achieves carbon neutrality by 2050?

**Q29**

Respondent skipped this question

King County plays an important role in providing many health and human services, as evidenced in the County's response to the COVID-19 pandemic. What has King County done well in its response to COVID? What would you continue, expand, and change? Do you support increased funding for many health and human services? How would you fund those services - even after the pandemic is over?

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**Q30**

Respondent skipped this question

How would you advocate for alternatives to incarceration in the County's criminal legal system? How would you make zero youth incarceration a reality in King County?

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**Q31**

Respondent skipped this question

What would you do to ensure that businesses owned by people of color have a fair shot at County contracts?

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**Q32**

Respondent skipped this question

"Structural racism is not always caused by racist actors – it is caused by institutional arrangements overlaid on historical policies that continue to perpetuate racialized outcomes." - Stephen Menendian How would you use your position to work to dismantle these arrangements including, but not limited to, exclusionary land use policies?

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**Q33**

Yes/No Questions for municipal candidates

	Yes / No / Qualified
Do you support maintaining or increasing the minimum wage to reflect the cost of living in your city / jurisdiction?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support raising revenue at the city level to expand transit service?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support requiring bid requests to include local hiring preference or apprenticeship preference?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support development impact fees to help pay for schools, roads, and parks, as allowed under the Growth Management Act?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support building a municipally owned and operated broadband system in your city?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you agree that municipal governments should use their borrowing capacity to fund additional units of affordable housing?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support requiring police officers in your jurisdiction to wear body cameras?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support your municipality implementing a "Ban the Box" program as is already in place in Seattle and Spokane?	<b>Yes</b>
Have you made any non-trivial donations to Democratic candidates or Democratic party organizations since January 2016?	<b>Yes</b>
Have you knowingly made any donations to Republican candidates or Republican party organizations since 2000?	<b>No</b>
Do you support reduction of police budgets in favor of social services?	<b>Yes</b>

**Q34**

Respondent skipped this question

For any yes/no questions you answered "qualified" please explain:

**Q35**

Our region is growing quickly. How will you ensure that existing residents and newcomers alike have equitable access to affordable housing, public transit, and neighborhood amenities such as parks and schools? How will you protect current residents, and especially our most vulnerable communities, from displacement caused by this growth? How will you provide for and protect those displaced?

My approach with ST3 for Housing (<http://bit.ly/JFMST3forHousing>) is ensuring every single neighborhood is responsible for their share of the tens of thousands of affordable housing units we need. This will take a broad coalition of Seattleites and so our focus must be on the tangible benefits everyone will receive as a result— lower family costs, more complete communities, and a higher quality of life for everyone. Preventing further displacement will require specific strategies such as community land trusts, equitable co-ops and affordability financing mechanisms from the very start.

The central question of facing Seattle is whether this will be a place we all want and can afford to live in. Will we be a 15 minute city with world-class transit, parks, accessible streets, businesses, and affordable childcare? Or will we continue to be a place where thousands of our neighbors are living on our streets, and many people are struggling to keep a roof over their heads? I believe we can live up to the opportunity to create a city of justice and shared prosperity. But, we need a leader with a comprehensive vision and the record to back up their rhetoric with results.

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**Q36**

How have you worked to combat climate change? How would you use your elected office to ensure your region drastically lowers net carbon emissions by 2030 and achieves carbon neutrality by 2050?

Working at the intersection of environmental and transit policy my entire career, I've secured more than \$80 billion in funding for transit, demonstrating a track record of creating change on the scale necessary to solve the climate crisis.

I truly believe that we're at a turning point in our history, where how we choose to respond to the looming climate crisis in the next decade will determine the fate of the society my children will inherit. That fierce urgency to ensure we're not just "making progress" but actually solving systemic problems is what motivates me to run for office.

Seattle has not had a truly effective, progressive, environmental mayor in our history who has placed this as a top priority in our city's development. This crisis is existential. It is beyond urgent that the next Mayor of Seattle prioritize yearly and significant reduction in our carbon emissions. Seattle can lead the nation in pursuing an agenda of climate justice while proving that the choice between environmental responsibility and economic growth is a false one. We need to get to net zero emissions by 2030 and I've got a plan to make it happen: <http://bit.ly/JFMZeroCarbon>

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**Q37**

What specific actions will you take to address the homelessness crisis in King County, both in the short term and long term? How do you plan to implement these solutions?

It's been 5 years since city leadership declared houselessness an emergency. The solutions that we know work haven't changed: using a housing-first approach to deliver services and solving the affordability crisis that puts so many working people at risk in the first place.

First, we must rapidly scale up immediate solutions that get our neighbors off the streets and into stable living. Our city has effective supportive housing programs but they aren't scaled adequately to meet the need. At the same time, we know sweeps just don't work. They further destabilize people's lives and worsen, rather than solve this crisis.

Second, we need massive public investment in affordable housing. I'm proposing an "ST3" for Housing- to build on our regional approach to transportation by creating housing that meets the needs of all our people across every neighborhood in this city, especially around our 54 transit centers. We'll never completely solve homelessness without making upstream investments to keep people housed in the first place, and that's where my focus will be.

**Q38**

"Structural racism is not always caused by racist actors – it is caused by institutional arrangements overlaid on historical policies that continue to perpetuate racialized outcomes." - Stephen Menendian How would you use your position to work to dismantle these arrangements including, but not limited to, exclusionary land use policies?

The black-white wealth gap in Seattle is attributable almost entirely to disparities in homeownership, which is itself the result of the intersection of systemic racism and 50 years of trickle-down economics. Job one of the next Mayor is dismantling white supremacy and unlocking intergenerational wealth for everyone who lives in our city.

My campaign is proposing "ST3 for Housing" a bold regional investment in tens of thousands of affordable housing units across every neighborhood in the city. To do this, we'll need to reform design review restrictions, and zoning across our city, while unlocking the public and private investment necessary to build housing at the scale we need.

I'll employ the same strategy that worked to build a coalition that got ST3 on the ballot and over the finish line: reframe the narrative to center the benefits everyone stands to gain from these investments, build the coalitions, and deliver on the promise. People in our city have consistently approved smart investments that cut their costs, and improve their lives. Our next Mayor can and must unite Seattle around a shared vision for responsible growth that makes our city a place everyone can be proud to call home.

**Q39****City of Seattle**

Jurisdiction Check

**Q40**

Yes/No Questions for Seattle municipal candidates

	Yes / No / Qualified
Are you participating in the Democracy Voucher program?	<b>Yes</b>
Would you support the placement of Community Health Engagement Locations (CHELs) (sometimes referred to as supervised injection facilities) in your district?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support the forced removal of unauthorized homeless encampments ("sweeps") in your district?	<b>No</b>
Would you support the construction of a 10 or more unit permanent supportive housing building on your street?	<b>Yes</b>
Would you support the construction of an affordable housing building on your street?	<b>Yes</b>
Would you support a "congestion price" on downtown drivers in order to relieve traffic congestion and fund public transit improvements?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support the installation of more protected bike lanes on arterial streets?	<b>Yes</b>
Have you made any non-trivial donations to Democratic candidates or Democratic party organizations since January 2016?	<b>Yes</b>
Have you made any non-trivial donations to Republican candidates or Republican party organizations since January 2016?	<b>No</b>
Do you support reduction of police budgets in favor of social services?	<b>Yes</b>
Do you support the proposed "Clean Campaigns Act" from 2019?	<b>Yes</b>
Are you supportive of the Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD) program?	<b>Yes</b>
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Will you commit to ending the ban on apartments and condos on Seattle's residential land, thereby allowing more housing types, such as triplexes, town homes, and small apartment buildings, to be built across the city?	<b>Yes</b>

**Q41****Respondent skipped this question**

For any yes/no questions you answered "qualified" please explain:

**Q42**

What actions would you take to address homelessness? Please consider addressing land use, revenue, regional collaboration, the role of social services, the role of the police and justice system.

We've had a declared state of emergency on homelessness for five years and barely made any progress. We know this problem requires a two-fold approach: ensure humane treatment of people currently in crisis and prevent people from losing their homes in the first place.

First, we must rapidly scale up immediate solutions that get our neighbors off the streets and into stable living. We know that many of our neighbors experiencing homelessness struggle with substance abuse and mental illness. Seattle must be a better partner with the statewide opioid plan, upstream prevention programs, and effective distribution of MOUDs. Ultimately we know people need four walls and a door that locks to truly get help and back on their feet. Our city has effective supportive housing programs but they aren't scaled to adequately meet the need. We also know sweeps just don't work. They further destabilize people's lives and worsen, rather than solve this crisis.

Second, we need massive public investment in affordable housing. I'm proposing an "ST3" for Housing (<http://bit.ly/JFMST3forHousing>) to build on our regional approach to transportation by creating housing that meets the needs of all our people across every neighborhood in this city.

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**Q43**

Seattleites are divided on how to fund and what to fund within police work and public safety. How would you help bring the community together and adjust the Seattle Police Department (SPD) budget as needed? By approximately what % would you adjust the SPD budget?

Every single person in our community deserves to feel safe. We must build budgets to reflect our values and that can truly meet our goals. We know that true public safety means more than just a traditional policing response. It must include all of the cultural, social, and economic supports that help people thrive. We must re-envision crisis response to remove police when possible and stop negotiating away accountability in our contracts. At the same time, we must also ensure that critical divisions of the police department, such as the regional domestic violence firearms enforcement unit and the implementation of extreme risk protection orders to prevent gun violence, are adequately funded.

Communities of color have disproportionately borne the brunt of police violence, and have been expected to solve this problem on their own. It is time for everyone in our community to get off the sidelines and be a part of the solution. There are effective alternatives to police right here in our community that are working to keep us safe and reduce harm. Rather than pat ourselves on the back for incremental progress, let's finally scale up these programs to ensure our community is supported and everyone is safe.

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**Q44**

How will you prioritize transportation infrastructure for biking, pedestrians, transit, commercial vehicles, and cars? Which do you view as most important to prioritize funds for?

In the transportation section of my campaign's climate plan (<http://bit.ly/JFMZeroCarbon>), we proposed designating over 100 miles of bus-only lanes, 100 miles of Stay Healthy Streets, accelerating the Bike Master plan, lidding I-5, and the creation of Zero-emission districts. Many people in our city support a vision of creating a 15 minute city, but we must build on that by ensuring no one pays more than 40% of their income on transportation and mobility.

In addition, we know that our city has been falling woefully short on its commitments to zero traffic fatalities and to transportation and mobility for people with disabilities. Centering equity and safety is not a slogan for our campaign, it is a principle that means we understand that what is good for the most vulnerable populations in our community is what is good for all of us. As an example, while policies like congestion pricing are incredible opportunities to reduce carbon emissions they cannot come at the expense of further burdening low income and predominantly BIPOC members of our community. Policy design matters, and we need a Mayor that will sweat the details to ensure our outcomes live up to intentions.

**Q45**

Do you support utilizing Seattle's newly granted authority to implement a 1% flat income tax?

My first principle is that we must balance our upside down tax code, so I would support an income tax paired with credits for low-income residents. We cannot equitably fund investments while continuing to have the most regressive tax code in the country. That means building on the work I've done as a legislator and most recently at Civic Ventures to pass a statewide wealth tax on extraordinary profits from capital gains tax, and other wealth taxes on the billionaires who call Seattle home. My local, regional, state, and federal relationships make me the best candidate to deliver on truly progressive taxes for our city.

Specifically, we should protect the JumpStart Seattle tax, a local wealth tax on extraordinary profits from Capital Gains, and other tax proposals that lessen the burden on low-income families. At the same time, we know that to pass progressive taxes we must lead with the kinds of bold investments that I have been campaigning on since day one: like free universal birth-to-five childcare, an ST3 for housing, and a Green New Deal. Voters have consistently approved taxes to fund smart investments that lower their costs and improve their lives. That should be the city's approach.

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**Q46**

Respondent skipped this question

Yes/No Questions for port candidates

**Q47**

Respondent skipped this question

For any yes/no questions you answered "qualified" please explain:

**Q48**

Respondent skipped this question

As the Port recovers from the economic impact of the pandemic, how will you use your position to ensure that future growth and activity among tenant operations is inline with limiting climate impacts and encourage environmental stewardship to be a good neighbor and steward of our environment? How would help alleviate today's present and real issues, specifically homelessness?

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**Q49**

Respondent skipped this question

Since the pandemic and recent trade tariffs, the Seaport and Airport revenue and user statistics have plummeted. However, their capital investment was based on previous growth trends. As Port Commissioner, how will you help the Port to address these new economic realities?

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**Q50**

Respondent skipped this question

The Port has operations and activities on tribal and indigenous land. How would you use your position to elevate indigenous people and encourage more equity and opportunity for BIPOC Communities? Give us some specific examples of your plans in this aspect. How would you handle your approach to women-and minority-owned businesses.

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**Q51**

Respondent skipped this question

Considering the health impacts and socio-economic ramifications of increased airport activity, how would you balance the future growth of SeaTac airport with the interests of the residents of airport-adjacent communities?

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Page 10: SCHOOL BOARD ONLY: Questions for SCHOOL BOARD Candidates

**Q52**

Respondent skipped this question

Yes/No Questions for school board candidates

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**Q53**

Respondent skipped this question

For any yes/no questions you answered "qualified" please explain:

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**Q54**

Respondent skipped this question

How has the pandemic changed your perspective on educational equity? What will you propose to address the educational consequences of the COVID pandemic? What specific policies will you seek to ensure that all staff and students can safely return to in-person school safely during the COVID pandemic? How will you work to bridge the digital divide both now and after return to in-person education?

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**Q55**

Respondent skipped this question

What policies or changes will you seek to ensure that all students— regardless of their gender, race, class, disability, or ethnicity—receive an education that enables them to reach their fullest potential? What would you do to advance anti-racist and indigenous curriculum? What do you see as your role in disrupting the school-to-prison pipeline?

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**Q56**

Respondent skipped this question

What should schools and school districts do to support the physical and mental health of all students; including LGBTQ+ students and students with disabilities? Please provide specific examples. Also, what actions would you take to remedy student access to and pay inequity among school nurses, paraeducators, and school office staff?

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**Q57**

Respondent skipped this question

What would you do to advocate for ample and equitable funding for k-12 education including special education, school nurses, counselors, mental health professionals, and paraeducators?

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**Q58**

Respondent skipped this question

Has the disruption of regular schooling and introduction of distance learning in the last year caused you to re-evaluate any aspect of traditional instruction and the structure of schooling? Are there changes you would like to see implemented?

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**Q59**

Respondent skipped this question

Have you served full-time or pro-tem as a judge or justice?  
What did you learn from that experience and how will you use that learning to help improve equity and fairness in the justice system?

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**Q60**

Respondent skipped this question

How have you helped tackle climate change issues from within your courtroom daily activities to an overall sustainable plan?

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**Q61**

Respondent skipped this question

How has COVID-19 experience changed your perspective/behavior/actions on access to justice within your courtroom?

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**Q62**

Respondent skipped this question

How would you advocate for more equity in our State's justice system? How can we make it more open, transparent and responsive?

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**Q63**

Respondent skipped this question

How are you going to make sure you don't allow bias (including, but not limited to, racial bias) while serving on the bench and/or in the courtroom?

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**Q64**

Respondent skipped this question

Do you believe judges can be biased and if so in what ways, please provide examples?

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**Q65**

Respondent skipped this question

Do you see addressing bias and racial disparity in the court system as activism? Why or why not?

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**Q66**

Respondent skipped this question

Do you think that judicial training focused on racial competency is activism? Why or why not?

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**Q67**

Respondent skipped this question

Do you think racial disparity exists in the court system and more specifically on the bench?

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**Q68**

Respondent skipped this question

What will you do as a judge to eliminate and mitigate bias on the bench?

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**Q69**

Respondent skipped this question

What committees, commissions, workgroups do you currently or have previously served on?

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**Q70**

Respondent skipped this question

Have you received or are you seeking political or financial support from any police officer, police guild/union or elected law enforcement official?

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**Q71**

I, candidate, affirm that all the information provided in response to this questionnaire is true, complete and correct, to the best of my ability, and that no relevant matter has been omitted. (Use Prev and Next buttons to review.)

Candidate full name (as signature)

**Jessyn Farrell**

Date

**5.19.21****Q72****Campaign Manager**

Information in this questionnaire was input by:

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**Q73**

(If information input by someone other than candidate) I affirm that all responses were reviewed and approved by the candidate. (Use Prev and Next buttons to review.)

Full name (as signature)

**Stephen Paolini**

Date

**5.19.21****Q74**

Share with King County Democrats

**King County Democrats may post this questionnaire to a password-protected folder for access by King County Democrats Endorsements Committee members and Executive Board.**

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**Q75**

Share with LD Dems and YD Endorsement Committee members

King County Democrats may share this questionnaire to a password-protected folder for access by members of the Endorsements Committees of Legislative District (LD) Democratic organizations and Young Democrats (YD) organizations.

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**Q76**

(OPTIONAL) Share with PCOs and/or Members

Democratic organizations overlapping the jurisdiction of my campaign whose rules require sharing questionnaire responses to Precinct Committee Officers (PCOs) or Membership may share this questionnaire with those groups.

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**Q77**

(OPTIONAL) Share with Public

Democratic organizations overlapping the jurisdiction of my campaign whose rules require sharing questionnaire responses publicly may share this questionnaire publicly.

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**Q78**

Email Copy

Please email a copy of my completed submission to the campaign email address. I understand it may take 24-48 hours (or more) for my completed submission to be emailed.

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