ILGP Federal Candidate Questionnaire

Please return this questionnaire to secretary@ilgp.org or ______________________. Please also provide, at your nearest opportunity, a professional quality, high resolution “head shot” digital photo of yourself and a link to your campaign website.

Name: _________________________________________________________________________

Complete Address: _______________________________________________________________________________

Phone(s) and Email: ___________________________________________________________________________________

Office you wish to seek: __________________________________________________________________________________________

Are you a member of the ILGP?  □ Yes   □ No

Do you support each of the Ten Key Values—Ecological Wisdom, Social Justice, Grassroots Democracy, Nonviolence, Decentralization, Community-Based Economics, Feminism, Respect for Diversity, Personal and Global Responsibility, and Future Focus?  □ Yes   □ No

If you answered “No” please elaborate.

Do you meet all of the legal qualifications for this office?  □ Yes   □ No

What primary ballot (if any) did you pull in the last general primary?  ______________________

Why do you wish to hold this office?

Why do you feel you are qualified to run?

What are the most important issues you feel need to be addressed?

How many hours per week can you contribute to campaigning?  _______________

Does your partner/family support your run for office?  □ Yes   □ No

Will you agree not to accept contributions from corporations or corporate PACs?  □ Yes   □ No

Will you agree to share your donor and volunteer information with the ILGP?  □ Yes   □ No
Do you have, or will you open a campaign bank account and set up an online donation method? □ Yes □ No

Do you have, or will you have, a campaign manager? □ Yes □ No
If you have one now, please provide name and contact information.

Do you have, or will you have, a campaign treasurer? □ Yes □ No
If you have one now, please provide name and contact information.

Do you have, or will you have, a campaign fundraiser? □ Yes □ No
If you have one now, please provide name and contact information.

How would you describe your current base of support?

Please describe any volunteer experience you have with the Green Party.

Please briefly describe any other relevant experience you have had, including employment, working on other political campaigns, or other volunteer efforts:

Have you previously run for and/or held a public elected office? If so, please describe.

Please provide any other general information you feel may be appropriate.

Please briefly describe your position on the following issues:

Campaign Finance and/or Election Reform

Energy Policy

Climate Change and other Environmental Policy
Economic Policy (including fiscal and monetary policy)

Crimes and Criminal Justice (including drug policy and gun violence)

Health Care

Human Rights and Social Justice/Equal Rights and Opportunities

Immigration Policy

Civil Liberties, including Domestic Surveillance and Privacy, Police Violence
Foreign and Military Policy, including Globalization and Trade

Education Policy

Please provide short answers, and any elaboration you think is needed, on these issues:

Equal Rights and Opportunities for All, Regardless of Racial or National Identity, Color, Sex, Religion, Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity or Expression
Legal Right to Choose Abortion
Maintaining federal funding for Planned Parenthood
Repealing the Federal Death Penalty
Ending U.S. military intervention in the Middle East, Africa and the Ukraine
Ending U.S. Support for NATO, rapprochement with Russia and China; nuclear disarmament
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

Impeaching the president if he/she orders military actions in violation of international law
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

Reducing U.S. military spending and improving spending on education, health, social programs and modernizing our infrastructure
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

A “Green New Deal” or similar major federal initiative to support clean energy, sustainable transportation, and other strategies to combat global climate change
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

A ban on fracking and new oil pipelines; eliminating fossil fuel subsidies
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

Phasing out of nuclear power
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

A moratorium on the introduction of new genetically modified organisms until their effects have been adequately studied and safe use demonstrated; informing consumers about GMOs in food products
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

Legalization of cannabis and industrial hemp and immediate suspension of enforcement of federal cannabis laws in those states where cannabis has been legalized or decriminalized
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

Decriminalization of most drug offenses; treating drug abuse as a public health problem, not a criminal problem
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other

Reforming the criminal justice system to focus on rehabilitation, restorative justice, education and teaching living and job skills, not punishment and “incapacitation”
☐ Support  ☐ Oppose  ☐ Other
Cancellation or retiring of student debt

Tuition-free higher education at public colleges and universities

“Improved Medicare for All” Single-Payer or Publicly Funded Universal Health Care System

A Constitutional Amendment providing that corporations do not enjoy the same rights as people and that money is not protected “speech”

Making the minimum wage a living wage ($15/hour or greater)