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Q1

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Q2

Party Affiliation

Respondent skipped this question

Q3

Office Sought

KS House

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District

34

Q5

Incumbent?

Yes

Q6

Do you believe that scientific fact and the advice of health professionals should be paramount in decisions regarding public health crises like the COVID-19 pandemic?

Yes

Q7

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

As a state Representative and also a USD board member, the protection of our community is paramount.

Q8**No**

Do you believe that proof of citizenship should be required in order to register to vote?

Q9

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

I oppose all types of voter suppression.

Q10**No**

Do you believe that laws covering the sale of firearms are sufficient? If yes, why? If no, do you believe they should be made more strict, less strict, or kept as they are now?

Q11

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

There should be more extensive background checks and red flag laws.

Q12**No**

Do you support amending the Kansas Constitution to eliminate the protection for individual reproductive freedoms contained in the Kansas Constitution?

Q13

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

I am a pro-choice candidate.

Q14**Yes**

Do you believe that diversity in representation is critical to effective governing? If yes, as an elected official what will you do to promote and engage leaders who more accurately reflect the diversity of members in our communities?

Q15

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

I believe organizations should seek qualified candidates to run for office and serve in leadership positions.

Q16**Yes**

Do you believe climate change is real and caused by human activity? If so, what policies should legislators pursue to improve climate resilience?

Q17

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

We should reduce our dependence upon coal by requiring Kansas utilities to retire all coal plants by a specified deadline.

Q18**Yes**

Do you support amending the current Kansas Act Against Discrimination to include the same protections for sexual orientation and gender identity?

Q19

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

I oppose all types of discrimination., and fully support protections for sexual orientation and gender identity.

Q20**No**

Should public funding be available for private school tuition via tax credit scholarships, education savings accounts, vouchers or other methods? What is your opinion about the current funding for Kansas schools?

Q21

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

I consistently oppose the tax credit scholarships. Funding for Kansas schools must be maintained, especially during this COVID-19 crisis.

Q22**Yes**

Do you support Medicaid expansion at a time when pandemic-induced job loss has left thousands of Kansans without health care coverage?

Q23

Please expand on your answer to the question above.

There are far too many individuals and families who lack medical insurance and Kansas has lost too many thousands of dollars and too many hospitals because we have not expanded Medicaid.
