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Upload a photo/headshot of the Candidate (optional)	BabesnoBomb_no_wrinkle.jpg
Do you support setting a goal for Michigan to transition to 100% renewable electricity by 2050?	Yes
Do you support setting a goal for Michigan to be carbon-neutral by 2050?	Yes
You may elaborate on your position here:	Our environment is number one, with COVID-19 affecting the world, we are seeing first hand the consequences of increased population sizes and under-prioritizing our environment. As the next State Representative, it will be my priority to hit these goals and aim to do anything we are able to in my community for the health and safety of my community and constituents.
Would you support state general funds or other state funding being directed to programs that support communities and workers most impacted by the climate crisis and the transition to renewables, including programs to retrain workers displaced by the transition off fossil fuels?	Yes
You may elaborate on your position here:	There are numbers of communities and individuals being disproportionately affected by the impacts of pollution and climate impacts. Graduating with an Anthropology degree in December, I have done substantial research into the affects of pollution and climate change on communities all across the world, particularly indigenous groups and low-income communities. This is a problem affecting people everyday and we need to include programs that help the people who are affected and negatively impacted by such environmental impact.
Do you support the decommissioning of the Line 5 oil pipeline in the Straits of Mackinac?	Yes
Do you oppose the building of a Line 5 oil tunnel under the Great Lakes bottomlands?	Yes

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You may elaborate on your position here:	These pipelines are essential to Michigan and all Michiganders, although, we need to start taking the environment into account and create solutions that can greatly reduce the increase in oil accidents or environmentally damaging infrastructures.
Do you support lifting the cap on net metering to allow more residents and businesses to participate?	Yes
Do you support returning to net metering, and providing a fairer price to businesses and residents for the solar energy they generate?	Yes
You may elaborate on your position here:	
Do you support policy that requires utilities to allow customers to build community renewable energy projects with fair rates?	Yes
You may elaborate on your position here:	
Do you support policies to accelerate the adoption of electric vehicles (EVs), including EV infrastructure like charging stations?	Yes
Do you support policies and investments of state funds to help local communities and schools switch to electric transit and school buses?	Yes
Do you support policies and investing state funding to increase non-motorized transportation (like walking and biking) in Michigan communities, and to increase access to public transportation?	Yes
You may elaborate on your position here:	
Have you signed the No Fossil Fuel Money Pledge?	Yes
You may elaborate on your position here:	
LAST THING BEFORE YOU GO: Would like to sign up to receive email from Michigan Climate Action Network? We will keep you updated on news about the climate in Michigan, share actions you can take to move the needle, and occasional emails about events to attend.	Yes, Please