



## NATIONAL WOMEN'S POLITICAL CAUCUS Orange County

### Candidate Endorsement Application

Please complete the questionnaire in its entirety email to: [politicalaction@nwpcoc.org](mailto:politicalaction@nwpcoc.org) or mail to: NWPC OC, 10920 Silverado Terrace, Tustin, CA 92782. Questions? Call: (714) 676-8066

The goal of the National Women's Political Caucus of Orange County (NWPC OC) is to increase women's participation in the political process and to identify, recruit, train and support pro-choice women for election and appointment to all levels of public office. NWPC is a national, bipartisan, nonprofit organization. Additional information may be found on our website at [www.NWPCOC.org](http://www.NWPCOC.org).

Instructions: Please complete all sections of this questionnaire, using this format. You may type answers directly into this electronic file or add any attachments. Please include samples of your campaign literature.

Candidate's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Office sought: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of election (include primary and run-off): \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign contribution limits, if any: \_\_\_\_\_

Party Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Congressional District in which you reside: \_\_\_\_\_

State Senatorial District in which you reside: \_\_\_\_\_

State Assembly District in which you reside: \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign Manager: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Campaign Consultant: \_\_\_\_\_

Political ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART ONE:** The following section pertains to NWPC's bottom line issues. A candidate must be in support of these issues to receive an endorsement.

A. **The Equal Rights Amendment:** The proposed Equal Rights Amendment stated: "Equality of rights under the law cannot be denied or abridge by the United States or any State on account of sex." Do you support the spirit of the Equal Rights Amendment?

B. **Reproductive choice:** In recent years, there has been an orchestrated effort to chip away at women's right to reproductive choice by dividing the issue into sub-issues including parental consent, late-term abortions, and public funding of family planning and abortion. **Do you unequivocally support a woman's right to reproductive self-determination? Do you support public funding of abortion? Please state any reservations.**

C. **Child Care and Dependent Care:** **Do you support increased access to childcare and other dependent care programs funded from all available sources?**

D. **Comparable Worth:** Comparable Worth is the effort to bring wages in female-dominated occupations to a level of pay equal to other jobs (often male-dominated) that require comparable skills, responsibilities and education. **Do you support the concept of Comparable Worth?**

E. **Support for Ending Discrimination:** **Will you make a commitment to ending discrimination based on age, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, ethnic origin, marital status, socioeconomic status and disability?**

F. **Elimination of Sexual Harassment:** **Will you work to ensure that laws and educational programs are in place to eliminate sexual harassment?**



I. What is the demographic composition of your district?

J. What is the political composition of your district?

PART III: Background: Please tell us something about yourself (occupation, education, family, community involvement, etc.) You may attach your resume if you so wish.

3. Please provide a one or two paragraph statement to be listed on our website's endorsed candidate's pages if you receive the NWPC endorsement:

Candidate's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_