



Florida National Organization for Women PAC

School Board
Candidate Questionnaire

Name of Candidate: _____

Candidate Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

How can you, the candidate be reached: _____

Office Sought: _____ District: _____ County/city _____

Campaign Contact: _____

Campaign Phone: _____ Campaign Email: _____

Are you the Incumbent to the office sought? Yes ___ No ___

What is your current occupation? _____ For how long? _____

If less than two years, what was your previous occupation? _____

Are you a NOW Member? Yes ___ No ___

Will you become a NOW member? Yes ___ No ___

Do you believe you are a feminist? Yes ___ No ___

Please feel free to explain any of your answers. Extra paper may be used.

1. With which groups, clubs, or organizations are you affiliated? _____

2. What endorsements have you sought? _____

What endorsements have you received? _____

3. What percentage of your paid staff are women? _____%

What percentage of your paid staff are people of color? _____%

Thank you in advance for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

NOW supports the following 6 issues. We would like to know your positions on these issues

A. Reproductive Rights and Justice

1. Do you support a woman's right to have an abortion? Yes ___ No ___
2. Should the government regulate women's reproductive health? Yes ___ No ___
3. Do you support the teaching of age appropriate reproductive education; including educating older students on all protection options regarding pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases? Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

4. Do you believe parental consent should be required prior to giving information and care to students regarding sexuality and reproductive health? Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

5. Do you know what an anti-abortion pregnancy center is? Do you know what services they provide? Please explain in your own words. _____

6. How do you propose to stop more anti-abortion pregnancy centers' from opening in your community? _____

7. Would you give the anti-abortion pregnancy centers' funding if they ask? _____

B. Economic Justice

1. Do you support pay equity? Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

2. Do you support a living wage? Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

C. Racial Justice

1. Do you believe there is a double burden of race and sex discrimination for women of color? Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

2. Do you believe that a “Zero-Tolerance” behavior policy, which can lead to the “School to Prison Pipeline” adversely, affects students of color and other marginalized populations, especially girls who have been sexually and physically abused? Yes _____ No _____ Explain _____

D. LGBTQ Rights

1. Will you actively support a policy that allows hiring of Transgender or openly gay teachers? Yes ___ No ___
2. Will you actively support a policy that protects Transgender or openly gay teachers? Yes ___ No ___

E. Constitutional Equality

Do you support the Equal Rights Amendment? Yes ___ No ___

F. Ending Violence Against Women

1. Define “rape” _____

2. Do you think more actions should be taken to end rape and domestic violence? Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

General questions

1. What in your background leads you to believe that you would be a successful School Board Member?

2. What professional experience, educational and budget qualifications do you have that is relevant to the office you seek? _____

3. How has your education and community involvement prepared you for office? _____

4. While recognizing the need to balance leadership and advocacy from the perspective of the district you would represent, what are its priority issues and what solutions would you offer? _____

5. Why do you think you are the most qualified candidate for this position? _____

FLNOW PAC Endorsement

1. Do you want the endorsement of Florida NOW PAC? Yes __ No ____

2. Do you intend to publish the endorsement in your campaign literature and/or advertise if you receive the endorsement? Yes ____ No ____

3. Describe what "feminism" means to you and how it has impacted your life. _____

Candidates Signature _____ Date _____

Print Name _____

Presidents Signature _____ Date _____