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**Q1**

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**Q2**

What race are you running in? (LD? House? Senate?)

LD 23 House

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**Q3**

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**Q5**

Children who have year-round health insurance do better in school, are more likely to graduate from high school, are healthier, and earn more in adulthood. There are approximately 161,000 uninsured children in Arizona. If elected, how would you help ensure that all children and families have access to the health care that they need?

I plan on working with CAA and anyone else interested to ensure that all families have access to quality health care.

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**Q6**

We know that a child's earliest years, birth to age 8, are the most important for the development of their brains. High-quality early childhood experiences can enhance that development. How can the state take a role in helping parents give their children the best start in life?

By providing funding for early childhood programs. I commit to work on this issue.

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**Q7**

Many families in Arizona are struggling. Housing is becoming increasingly unaffordable, nearly one in four children live in poverty, and resources that used to be available to help families are no longer there. Research shows that when access to safety net resources are low, foster care populations are high. What is your plan to help children and families get the resources and services they need to keep them out of the child welfare system?

Make sure that the 1% is paying their fair share of taxes and work to increase the mandatory corporate tax. Provide a centralized application system that will allow families to access all the social services they need.

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**Q8**

Arizona has been among the bottom states in per pupil K-12 funding for the past decade which has resulted in severe challenges including teacher shortages, crowded classrooms, and insufficient student support services. How will you ensure that students in every neighborhood have access to quality, well-funded education in Arizona

We must fully fund education, eliminate the expenditure cap and reduce inequities in school funding.

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**Q9**

Arizona's elected leaders have created a tax code that is upside down and regressive— meaning that those with low incomes pay a much higher share of their income in taxes compared to Arizona's highest income earners. If elected, what will you do to make sure that wealthy and corporations pay their share of taxes?

Work to increase the minimum corporate tax so it's more equitable.

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**Q10**

As the cost of living is rising faster than wages in Arizona, many households are struggling to afford basic needs. If elected, what are three ways that you will improve economic well-being for Arizonans?

1. Implement Paid Family/Medical Leave; 2. Implement a living wage/increase UB; 3. Cover comprehensive adult dental coverage through Medicaid.

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