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| **Candidate Name** |  | |
| **Position Sought** |  | |
| Home Legislative District |  | |
| **Are you a Democrat?** |  | |
| **Campaign Contact Information** | Mailing address: | Phone:  Fax: |
| Website:  Email:  Twitter:  Facebook: | |
| Campaign manager or point of contact |  | |
| Consultant(s) |  | |

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| **Please answer the following questions.** | | **Yes** | **No** |
| 1 | Have you ever been a member of another political party? |  |  |
| 2 | Have you ever failed to pay any taxes or court ordered judgments? |  |  |
| 3 | Have you ever been found in violation of a Public Disclosure Commission, Federal Election Commission or Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission regulation? |  |  |
| 4 | Does your campaign have a code of conduct for staff and volunteers? If not, are you willing to implement one? |  |  |

**Part I – Candidate Background (*maximum of 200 words per question please*)**

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| Please briefly describe your education, employment, community and civic activity, union affiliation, and other relevant experience. |
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| Describe your history of involvement in Washington state politics. What campaigns, if any, have you run or worked on? |
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| Describe the progress of your campaign and campaign goals. What is your plan to win? If you have received endorsements, please list them here. |
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**Part II – Free Response Questions (*maximum of 200 words per question please*)**

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| What issues do you think aren’t getting enough attention from media or elected officials? How would you seek to remedy that through your campaign or when elected? |
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| What issues do you feel could benefit from closer interstate cooperation between you and your peers across the nation? |
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**Part III – Office-Specific Free Response   
(*answer only the questions for your office; maximum of 200 words per question please*)**

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| **Attorney General** |
| How do you plan on addressing the inequitable incarceration of minorities? |
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| How do you plan to more effectively confront illegal and unconstitutional actions undertaken by Republicans in the White House or Congress? |
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| **Auditor** |
| How can the office of the auditor promote the more effective delivery of services (especially health and human services) to underserved communities in Washington State? |
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| How can the auditor’s office more effectively protect whistleblowers and act upon the tips it receives? |
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| **Secretary of State** |
| Many people are denied the right to vote in Washington State. How will you advocate to increase the number of people who have the right to vote? |
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| Is there a way for the Secretary of State to help underserved communities gain greater access to the services of the Secretary of State, such as the registration of businesses and other legal entities? |
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| How can the Secretary of State make it a priority to promote Washington State businesses more equitably? |
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| Do you support replacing the Top Two primary system we currently use and returning to a true pick-a-party primary that respects political parties’ First Amendment rights? How else should Washington State change its electoral system to prevent distortions of the people’s will? |
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| **Treasurer** |
| How can the treasurer ensure that the unbanked can be better served by the financial industry? |
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| Do you support a state bank? How can you use the powers of your office to advance its establishment? How would you argue for it? |
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| In the absence of a state bank, do you believe Washington should keep more of its money in credit unions, as opposed to big banks? How can this be achieved? |
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| How can you help Washington maintain a healthy credit and bond rating? |
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| **Superintendent of Public Instruction** |
| Do you believe the state is fulfilling its paramount duty “to make ample provision for the education of all children residing within its borders without distinction or preference on account of race, color, caste, or sex?” If not, what steps would you recommend be taken in order to fulfill that constitutional obligation? |
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| How will you work to ensure that staff and students can learn and work without fear of aggression, harassment, and violence in our public schools? |
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| How will you use your office to advocate for social and emotional learning, as well as adequate funding for counseling and special education? |
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| **Commissioner of Public Lands** |
| What policies will you implement or continue to implement in order to address the climate crisis? |
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| What still needs to be done to improve how the state prepares for and responds to wildfire? How do you plan to make those improvements happen? |
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| How will you further promote responsible forestry land and aquatic resource management, especially in the face of climate change? |
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| **Insurance Commissioner** |
| How do you plan to ensure the successful establishment of Washington’s new public option plan (Cascade Care)? |
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| How do you plan to use the powers of your office to make health insurance more affordable and accessible to all Washingtonians? And do you support the establishment of a single-payer healthcare in Washington or the United States? |
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| How can you use the powers of your office to advocate for mental health in Washington State? |
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| How can the Office of the Insurance Commissioner better advocate for consumers, make protecting the rights of those who’ve bought insurance (including all of health, auto, home, crop, etc.)? |
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| **I affirm that all the information provided in response to this questionnaire is true, complete, and correct to the best of my ability, and that no relevant matter has been omitted.** | | |
| Signature |  | Date: |
| Printed Name |  |