

**Kentucky  
Candidate  
Information  
Survey**



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**Shannon Fabert**



**4<sup>th</sup> US HOUSE  
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**Alexandra Owensby**



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<i>The federal government should be more active in the fight against climate change.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> It is imperative we address the climate crisis."
<i>Federal policymakers should expand Medicare to all Americans.</i>	<b>"AGREE.</b> I support a public option, while protecting hard earned private company benefits as a choice."	<b>"AGREE.</b> Medicare is a flawed system. Medicaid would be a better option."
<i>Individual states should be able to allow physician-assisted suicide without interference from the federal government.</i>	<b>"UNDECIDED."</b>	<b>"AGREE.</b> In the circumstance of a terminal illness."
<i>Congress should pass legislation raising the minimum wage.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> I support a \$15 minimum wage."	<b>"AGREE.</b> All Americans should make a living wage, but a living wage varies by state."
<i>America needs to build a wall on its southern border.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE"</b>	<b>"DISAGREE.</b> We have better uses for our resources"
<i>Congress should initiate a FISA overhaul that would ensure the government cannot spy on American citizens without a valid warrant.</i>	<b>"AGREE."</b>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>
<i>The U.S. Department of Education should continue to encourage school choice and the establishment of charter schools.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE.</b> Not a single penny of taxpayer dollars should go to private education."	<b>"DISAGREE.</b> We need to invest more in our public school system."
<i>Gender identity should be included in anti-discrimination laws along with factors such as race, sex and religion.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE."</b>
<i>Religious organizations should not be discriminated against by government on the basis of their religious beliefs about marriage.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE."</b>
<i>Recent school shootings are an indication that we need more restrictive gun laws.</i>	<b>"AGREE.</b> I support a national no gun list, as well as compelling law enforcement to enforce Form 2 violations."	<b>"DISAGREE.</b> Gun violence should be addressed, but we need research to identify the best way."
<i>A transgender woman athlete should have the same right to compete in women's sports as any other female.</i>	<b>"AGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE."</b>
<i>The U.S. should grant citizenship to the children of illegal immigrants.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> If they are born on US soil, they are citizens of the US."	<b>"UNDECIDED.</b> There should be a clear, streamlined path for legal citizenship."

**About the Kentucky  
Candidate Information  
Survey (KCIS) . . .**

• The purpose of the **KCIS** is to reliably report candidates' views to voters in order to improve:

- 1) voter knowledge of the candidates;
- 2) voter participation; and
- 3) the quality of the democratic process.

• The **KCIS** is designed to neutrally, yet concisely, report the candidates' views in their own words on a broad range of issues. Each candidate was asked to respond to the assertions listed and was given 20 words to qualify his or her response. This issues-only, head-to-head approach avoids pushing a particular agenda, but at the same time, cuts through the political rhetoric often found in campaign literature.

• The **KCIS** is a non-partisan project of the Family Trust Foundation of Kentucky, a non-profit educational organization incorporated in order to encourage and strengthen families in our state. Encouraging responsible citizenship and increasing voter participation are two of its objectives.

• For more information on the **KCIS**, call (859) 255-5300 or for more information on the candidates, visit:

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**Be sure to take  
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***The Decision is Yours!***

● On **Tuesday, June 23**, voters will go to the polls to vote in the Spring Primary Election. Ballots will include State House and Senate seats, Congressional seats, and a U.S Senate seat, as well as certain judicial races. Note: Not all districts have a contested race.

● For more information on your voter registration status or to find out what district you live in, please contact your county clerk or visit the Secretary of State's Voter Information Center:

[sos.ky.gov/elections](http://sos.ky.gov/elections)

***Special Thanks to the Candidates . . .***

We want to thank all the candidates who participated in the **Survey** and all those who considered our invitation but chose not to respond. We are grateful to everyone who stepped forward to offer their leadership by running for office in our great Commonwealth.

***To Kentucky citizens . . .***

We trust that you, as a citizen of Kentucky, have been served by this endeavor and that you will in turn serve your community by voting your conscience on **Tuesday, June 23**.

<i>The U.S. needs to take a more aggressive posture towards North Korea.</i>	<b>"DISAGREE.</b> I do not support sending US soldiers into another war."	<b>"UNDECIDED.</b> We have domestic problems we need to prioritize."
<i>It is incumbent upon the federal government to continue to invest in renewable energy resources like wind and solar power.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>
<i>The slow and inadequate response to the coronavirus earlier this year warrants an investigation of the White House's actions.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE.</b> We must do better moving forward, so we are never in this position again."
<i>The next Supreme Court vacancy should be filled by a judge who will interpret existing law, not make new law.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE."</b>
<i>Because of the recent, massive stimulus, Congress must reduce federal spending.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE."</b>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>
<i>America should take a more adverse economic and political posture against an increasingly aggressive China.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE.</b> Actions from the current administration exacerbated the trade relations."	<b>"DISAGREE.</b> We need to focus on internal problems first."
<i>The U.S. should cut funding to international population control programs that involve the promotion of abortion.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE.</b> We need to fund programs that help Americans first."
<i>The federal government should act to force online social media services such as Facebook to protect the privacy of user data.</i>	<b>"STRONGLY AGREE."</b>	<b>"AGREE."</b>
<i>List your top three priorities should you be elected.</i>	"1. Improving the public education system. 2. Create a public option for health care. 3. Rebuild our economy with green infrastructure overhauls."	"1. Healthcare. 2. Education. 3. Jobs."

***The decision is yours . . .  
Make it wisely!***