

LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES ACTION PLANKS CANDIDATE SURVEY

1. REBUILD THE MIDDLE CLASS AND STAMP OUT ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL INEQUITIES

1. Provide and promote measures to increase the minimum wage to \$15.00 per hour by Year 2020 and protects Worker's Fundamental rights, supports working families and secures a dignified retirement.
2. Provide and promote measures to support quality public education, Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 12, including debt-free college education and vocational school alternatives, for all students especially at-risk youth and those with special needs.
3. Provide and promote measure that expands access to Affordable Housing and Homeownership.
4. Provide and promote measures that diversify Hawai'i's economy with fair well-paying clean energy jobs involving science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics (STEAM) and create a manufacturing renaissance.
5. Provide and promote measures that bring Hawai'i's infrastructure to 21st Century technological standards.
6. Provide and promote measures that support Hawai'i's small businesses and creates jobs for Hawai'i's Young People.
7. Provide measures to eliminate State Tax loopholes for the wealthy and increase tax on AGI more than \$200,000.
8. Provide and promote measures that require 20% Public Land Trust Revenues for Native Hawaiians.
9. Provide and promote measures that advance Paid Family Sick Leave and/or Paid Sick Leave by Year 2020 and ensures long-term care, services and supports.
10. Provide and promote measures that advance Single-Payer Universal Health Care Insurance, reduces prescription drug costs, and enables cutting-edge medical research.
11. Provide and promote measures for Drug Policy Reform and the legalization of recreational cannabis.
12. Provide and promote measures that combats drug and alcohol addiction and advances mental health treatment.
13. Provide and promote measures that secures reproductive health, rights and justice.
14. Provide and promote measures to increase statutory exemption from attachments or execution of Real or Personal Property.

2. MAKE PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT AND OUR CULTURAL ASSETS A HIGH PRIORITY

1. Provide and promote measures to re-establish a healthy Climate and Environment by protecting Hawai'i's public lands and waters, building a clean energy economy and securing environmental justice.
2. Provide and promote measures that ban on use of chemicals that harm our marine waters such as oxybenzone.
3. Provide and promote measures that promote Global Climate Leadership, confront Global threats, and combat climate change crisis and sea level rise,
4. Provide and promote measures that ban the use of polystyrene for food uses
5. Provide and promote measures that protect indigenous and organic food farms from contamination.
6. Provide and promote measures that require truth in labeling on all agricultural products and 50% Hawai'i grown to be labeled as Hawai'i grow.
7. Provide and promote measures that advance "Buy Local" and "Blue Zones Project" and other community wellness programs that protect and promote Public Health.

8. Provide and promote measures restrict marine aquarium harvesting; give priority to alternative energy and nature-based solutions such as promoting use of compost and recycling policies and avoidance of incineration.
9. Provide and promote measures that restrict the use of insecticides and herbicides deleterious to the life and implement the State biosecurity plan to address invasive species.
10. Provide and promote measures that protect and preserve our fragile ecosystems and cultural assets by requiring environmental and cultural assessments in advance of all development.
11. Provide and promote set asides for Native Hawaiian Cultural Reserves and Parks, and reclaim ancient trails across the State of Hawai'i.

3. MAKE OUR COMMUNITIES SAFER NOW

1. Provide and promote measures to decrease and prevent all forms of Discrimination and bullying in schools, workplace, home and public place, including but not limited to, human and civil rights associated with the disability, gender bias, weight, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, LGBTQIA, and/or religion.
2. Provide and promote measures that advance gun control measures such as ban on assault weapons and full background checks, i.e., criminal records, mental health, substance abuse treatment and/or counseling, for all purchasers of rifles, shotguns and all other firearms.
3. Provide and promote measures that eliminate police corruption.
4. Provide and promote measures that advance restorative justice programs for offenders and oppose privatization of prisons.
5. Provide and promote measures that create effective means of assisting victims of domestic violence, sexual harassment and other violence against women.
6. Provide and promote measures that addresses Hawai'i's Safety, Security, Natural Disasters and other Emergencies.
7. Provide and promote measures that support our U.S. Troops and keep faith with our Veterans, Service Members and Veterans Affairs and build a strong Military.

4. TAKE BACK OUR GOVERNMENT

1. Provide and promote measures that allow for direct democracy citizen initiatives and protects voting rights.
2. Provide and promote measures that promote government and political reform and require all legislation to be entitled to at least one hearing.
3. Provide and promote measures that require records of all legislative votes.
4. Provide and promote measures that require open government.
5. Provide and promote measures that raise ethical standards and campaign finance reforms.
6. Provide and promote measures that support Native Hawaiians in their efforts to secure justice from our Federal and State governments to repair harms endured by the Hawaiian People and the *'āina* since 1893.
7. Provide and promote measures that support the right of Native Hawaiians to self-determination, including the formation of their chosen governmental entity.