



Equality Virginia Advocates

Candidate Questionnaire for 2019 Statewide Elections

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Candidate & Campaign

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Locality: HD 88

Candidate Type: Challenger

Candidate Answers

1. Do you support legislation protecting Virginians from discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity:

- For Employment: Yes
- For Housing: Yes
- For Public Accommodations: Yes



2. Please describe your level of support for the following issues that are important to Equality Virginia and Virginia's LGBTQ and Allied community:

- Banning sexual orientation and gender identity change efforts practiced on minors by licensed professionals: Like conversion therapy? Strongly oppose!
- Support for affirming policies in Virginia's public schools for LGBTQ students: Yes, in fact I spoke to Stafford school board earlier this year when they were discussing their proposed anti-discrimination policy. Took a while but finally passed last month.
- Opposition to religious exemption bills that exceed the constitutional protection of freedom of religion and provide a license to discriminate against LGBTQ people: Strongly oppose!
- Removing the Marshall Newman Marriage Amendment from the Virginia Constitution: Let's get this done ASAP. Unconstitutional and discriminatory laws have no place in our Code.

Provide any additional information regarding your involvement in or support for the LGBTQ community: Let's respect people for who they are and let's treat everyone



fairly. PS- I am running against ERA-killer, bathroom bill,
Mark Cole...