



Bay Area Democratic Movement 2024 Endorsement Questionnaire for the Office of Harris County District Attorney

The Bay Area Democratic Movement requires all candidates seeking its endorsement for the office of Harris County District Attorney to complete and sign the following questionnaire. We ask that each candidate personally complete the questionnaire and not delegate this task to staff. Please complete all items on the questionnaire; save your completed form so you will have a copy, then email the completed document to bayareademocraticmovement@gmail.com.

Responses must be submitted before the interview screening. You will be contacted to schedule an in-person or Zoom screening interview. In-person endorsement interviews will take place at:

The Krist Law Firm
17100 El Camino
Houston, Texas 77058

All questions concerning the screening process should be directed to Ann Hammond at bayareademocraticmovement@gmail.com.

The Bay Area Democratic Movement endorsements will be announced at our February 13, 2024 meeting.

Campaign/Candidate Information

Full Name: _____

Campaign Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Website: _____

Background and Education

High School _____

College: _____ Degree: _____

Law School: _____ Degree: _____

Certifications and other Degrees: _____

Qualifications

- What do you believe qualifies you for this position?
- Please describe your past political experience and involvement, community involvement, and memberships in professional organizations.
- Please list the endorsements you have received thus far.

Experience

- How long have you practiced law and what percent of your law practice has been in criminal law?
- Have you tried capital murder cases, if so how many?
 - What insights did you gain from this experience?
- Have you tried sexual assault case, if so how many?
 - What insights did you gain from this experience?

Fundraising

- How much money have you raised as of today? (Cash, in-kind donations, and loans)
- How much do you expect to raise for the primary and the general elections?
- Will you be accepting Corporate PAC money?

Harris County Issues

- What are the three most important issues facing the DA's office in Harris County?
- What do you perceive as the greatest obstacles to justice in Harris County?
- Do you believe the composition of juries adequately and fairly reflects society at large? Why/Why not? If not, what can we do to change this?
- What do you believe to be the root causes for high numbers of juvenile offenders? What changes can the court system make to reduce these numbers?
- Will you prosecute women and doctors in abortion cases?

- **Other:**

- Incumbent: What value have you brought to this position and how have you promoted these values while in office?
- Challenger: Why have you chosen to run for this office? What is your primary criticism(s) with the incumbent?
- Anything else you think voters should know about you?

Acknowledgement of Terms and Conditions

_____ I have answered all of the questions in this questionnaire truthfully and to the best of my knowledge, and I have not intentionally or knowingly omitted information that might reflect poorly upon my qualifications or character and fitness for the office sought.

Signature

Date