



Central Valley Progressive- Political Action Committee

Endorsement Questionnaire- Civic Candidates

Candidate Profile:

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CVPPAC Core Values

Please answer YES or NO to the following 3 questions.

1. Climate change is an environmental crisis that must be addressed by decreasing our dependence on fossil fuels and increasing solar, wind and other alternative energy sources.
Yes ☒ X
No ☐ _____
2. Should government enact and/or support increased corporate taxes, increased income taxes on wealthy individuals, taxes on global wealth, and commercial property taxes based on market values to fund services such as childcare, public education, and public health?
Yes ☒ X
No ☐ _____
3. I believe in a woman's right to reproductive freedom and will do what is in my power to keep abortion affordable and legal.
Yes ☒ X
No ☐ _____

City Candidate Questions

Please use no more than 100 words to respond the following.

1. What are your plans to improve your city's transportation services?

I would support the increase of electric car charging stations and other technological advances that would encourage more members of our community to choose cleaner methods of transportation. I would support expanding our public transportation system and increase biking and pedestrian infrastructure.

2. How will you reduce urban sprawl?

I will develop incentives to promote more infill projects and TOD projects. I will advocate for more high-density and mixed-use projects, especially along our transit corridors.

3. Do you support High-Speed Rail? Explain why or why not.

Yes - I support alternative modes of transportation in order to effectively and efficiently modernize how we move people from point A to point B.

4. How should your city address the needs of the homeless population in your city?

This issue will be tackled with a multi-prong solution. We must immediately develop more emergency shelters and transitional housing. I would invest in mobile healthcare clinics to provide wrap-around services that deal with mental health and drug rehabilitation for unhoused residents. I will establish better working relationships with the Fresno Irrigation District, Caltrans, and BNSF to humanely assist with the relocation efforts of our unhoused population. I do not support police officers continuing to answer homeless-related calls.

5. Describe two ways in which the city council and county supervisors should work together to positively impact your city?

The City and County need to establish a new tax-sharing agreement to establish protocols on how to best move forward with annexation projects.

The City and County need to collaborate more effectively on issues like social services provided to our unhoused community so we can stretch the limited resources we have to serve them.

6. What are your top three priorities for address when elected to the seat you desire?

Homelessness: I will focus on relocating our unhoused community off the streets, canal banks, and freeways, and into shelters. By investing in mobile healthcare clinics, I'll ensure they receive the necessary drug and mental health treatment and job training to help transition them into permanent housing and job placements. I'm a firm believer in tiny home communities and believe it's a cost-effective and fast method for constructing housing to immediately be able to house our unhoused community members.

Public Safety: I would support policies backed by sound planning and evidence to improve our systematic problems within law enforcement. I would work with the appropriate local and state decision-makers to ensure police officers receive the training opportunities that would include nonviolent intervention and de-escalation. I support more community policing, community services officers, and will work to reduce emergency response times for both our Fire and Police Departments. I will secure additional public safety resources to respond quickly to neighborhood safety concerns.

Neighborhood Infrastructure: As a public official, I will draw on my decades' worth of experience working as an Urban City Planner to ensure that the City of Fresno continues to grow in a more cohesive manner and to ensure we build the needed affordable housing by income levels required by State law. I will make to strategic use Measure P resources to construct new green spaces in District 1.

Candidate Signature: Annalisa Perea

(Use the draw function to sign this document. Signing confirms candidate's permission to post responses on CVPPAC website.)

Thank you so much for your time and energy in completing this questionnaire. Your responses will be posted on the CVPPAC website and distributed to CVPPAC members. All completed questionnaire responses are to be submitted to Mike Rhodes at mikerhodes@comcast.net by **11:59 pm Friday, April 1st (without exception)**. The CVPPAC endorsement meeting will be held on **Saturday, April 9th via Zoom**.

CVPPAC April Endorsement Meeting

Saturday, April 9th at 3:30PM

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/92483756535?pwd=b0hCSiVveVB3TDBmM0pZR0VtM1h4UT09>

Meeting ID: 924 8375 6535

Passcode: 814922

Please feel free to contact Simone Cranston-Rhodes at 559-978-4504 or simonecranstonrhodesfta@outlook.com with your questions.

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