



FLORIDA VETERANS FOR COMMON SENSE, Inc.

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Dear Candidate

Florida Veterans for Common Sense (FLVCS) is a 501 (c) 4 non-profit veterans advocacy organization. Our mission is to educate ourselves, other veterans, and the public on matters of national security and other issues important to veterans.

In that regard, please find enclosed a questionnaire that we ask you to complete in the enclosed self-addressed envelope. We would appreciate a response by October 10, 2018.

Please also find enclosed FLVCS position papers that you might find useful in your campaign and which could be also if your prevail in the election in November.

The position papers cover the following areas:

- Assault Style Weapons Ban
- Restoration of Felons' voting rights
- Funding for Veterans Courts in Florida
- Climate Change
- Medical Marijuana
- Citizens United case

If you have any questions you may contact Geoffrey Morris who is an FLVCS Board member. His telephone number is 941-468-4962.

Thank you for being a candidate and working for the best interest of Florida and the United States.

FLVCS Questionnaire to Candidates for the Florida State House of Representatives & Senate

1. Energy and the Environment:

Do you support legislation to expand the use of solar power in Florida?

Yes No

If so, what specific solar legislation to do you propose or support?

Do support legislation to ban fracking in Florida?

Yes No

2. Governance:

Would you support a Constitutional Amendment to repeal the Supreme Court case, Citizens United, which upheld corporate personhood and defined money as speech?

Yes No

3. Criminal Justice for Veterans and others:

Florida Statutes §394.47891 authorizes Veterans Diversion Courts that authorize judges, upon appropriate circumstances, to remove veterans from the criminal justice system so they may obtain alternative treatment and avoid criminal penalties.

Do you support the full funding of veterans' diversion courts throughout the state?

Yes No

4. Marijuana:

Medical evidence establishes clearly that marijuana has many medical benefits, notably including treating Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), from which many veterans suffer. Will you vote for legislation to implement the constitutional amendment, overwhelmingly supported by Florida voters, to permit medical uses of marijuana?

Yes No

5. Gun Control:

Do you support legislation to ban assault style weapons for civilian use?

Yes No

6. Restoration of Felons' Voting Rights:

Do you support the restoration of voting rights for felons who have served their time and completed all requirements the court has imposed on them?

Yes No

Submitted By

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FLVCS Questionnaire for Candidates for Federal Office

1. Energy and the Environment

Do you support legislation to expand the use of solar power?

Yes No

If so, what do you propose? _____

2. Governance

Do you support some type of action to overturn or repeal what is commonly referred to as the Citizens United Case?

Yes No

If so, what do you propose? _____

3. Medical Marijuana

Undisputed medical evidence shows that marijuana has numerous medical benefits, including the treatment of PTSD, from which many veterans suffer.

Do you support changes in Federal law to allow the prescription of medical marijuana?

Yes No

4. Assault Style Weapons Ban

Do you support legislation to ban assault-style weapons for use by civilians?

Yes No

5. Veterans Affairs

Do you support efforts to privatize V A healthcare?

Yes No

6. Do you support expanding congressionally directed funding

(i.e. CDMRP) for treatment research for military toxic exposures

(e.g. burn pits, Gulf War illness, chemical warfare agents) ?

Yes No

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