

## 2018 Statewide Candidate Questionnaire

Candidate First Name: **Jenna**Candidate Last Name: **Roland** 

Political Office Sought: State Senator Legislative District: Legislative District 02

Political Party: Green

County: Washington County

QUESTION: Do you support depoliticizing the process by ensuring that the Parole

Commission, not the Governor, is the final decision-maker? Yes

QUESTION: If adult recreational consumption of marijuana is legalized during your term in office, will you support diversion of tax revenues to communities of color,

which have been most harmed by marijuana criminal laws? Yes

QUESTION: Should private schools that receive taxpayer dollars be subject to the same non-discrimination laws as public schools? **Yes** 

QUESTION: Should the MPIA be amended to allow disclosure of records regarding investigations of law enforcement misconduct using the same standards that apply to records regarding investigations of criminal conduct by members of the public? **Yes** QUESTION: Should all Marylanders participate in our democracy by retaining the right to vote, regardless of entanglement with the criminal justice system? **Yes** QUESTION: Should the state take steps to protect Marylanders' free speech and intellectual freedom by requiring ISPs to adhere to net neutrality principles and provide their customers with equal access to all lawful content on the Internet?

Yes

QUESTION: Should Maryland limit state and local law enforcement's collaboration with federal immigration enforcement efforts? **Yes** 

QUESTION: Should Maryland be required to provide women and girls in the criminal justice system with programs and services substantially equivalent to those offered to men? **Yes** 

QUESTION: Should state law be amended to allow the creation of professional, independent bodies outside of police departments to conduct the investigations of complaints of misconduct by police officers that may lead to departmental discipline? **Yes** 

QUESTION: Do you commit to funding the approximate \$2 billion needed to establish an updated, equitable funding formula that will meet the needs of students across the state? **Yes** 

QUESTION: Should state law be amended to provide for a civil remedy for discrimination in places of public accommodations? **Yes** 

Please provide two examples of your advocacy to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. I have always been an activist and an artist, even prior to adulthood. My advocacy is mostly environmental, especially now because I prefer to know what I'm talking about before I open my mouth and I've spent the last 8 years researching environmental science. My interest, though, has been species conservation for the purpose of preserving biodiversity. Biodiversity and environmental resources are things worth preserving even in urban comminities. During my studies I have learned the importance of sustainability and how each biome, including the urban one, is significant to conservation research. I pursue my master's now with the intent to find solutions to urban sustainability as much as endangered species conservation. Those living in poverty are at the greatest risk for drinking polluted water and breathing polluted air. This was the inspiration behind organizing WaCo's 2017 Climate March and, in part, the reason for the pursuit of my BA in environmental studies.

Please provide two examples of what you will do if elected to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. I will support or spearhead the effort to improve the programs available to incarcerated persons, as well as the condition of the prisons. Furthermore, I would really like to see better regulation of prisons in Maryland. If they are going to be private the the workers need to be paid a living wage, the CEOs need to be paid less, the corporations can afford to be taxed more, and the facilities could afford better conditions, like better food and programs.



## 2018 Statewide Candidate Questionnaire

Candidate First Name: Andrew A. Candidate Last Name: Serafini

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Political Party: Republican County: Washington County

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