



Maryland

## 2018 Statewide Candidate Questionnaire

Candidate First Name: **Benjamin**

Candidate Last Name: **Brooks**

Political Office Sought: **House of Delegates**

Legislative District: **Legislative District 10**

Political Party: **Democratic**

County: **Baltimore County**

QUESTION: Do you support depoliticizing the process by ensuring that the Parole Commission, not the Governor, is the final decision-maker? **No Response**

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? **No Response**

QUESTION: Should private schools that receive taxpayer dollars be subject to the same non-discrimination laws as public schools? **No Response**

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? **No Response**

QUESTION: Should all Marylanders participate in our democracy by retaining the right to vote, regardless of entanglement with the criminal justice system? **No Response**

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? **No Response**

QUESTION: Should Maryland limit state and local law enforcement's collaboration with federal immigration enforcement efforts? **No Response**

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? **No Response**

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? **No Response**

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? **No Response**

QUESTION: Should state law be amended to provide for a civil remedy for discrimination in places of public accommodations? **No Response**

Please provide two examples of your advocacy to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **No Response**

Please provide two examples of what you will do if elected to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **No Response**



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## 2018 Statewide Candidate Questionnaire

Candidate First Name: **George H.**

Candidate Last Name: **Harman**

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Legislative District: **Legislative District 10**

Political Party: **Republican**

County: **Baltimore County**

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Candidate Last Name: **Jalisi**

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Legislative District: **Legislative District 10**

Political Party: **Democratic**

County: **Baltimore County**

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Candidate Last Name: **Jones**

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Political Party: **Democratic**

County: **Baltimore County**

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Please provide two examples of your advocacy to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **I was the led sponsor of the Hate Crimes Law that added Sexual Orientation as a Protected Class. I previously dealt with Fair Practices, Employee Relations, Diversity Issues, Women's Issues and Community issues in my 38 years with Baltimore County Government.**

Please provide two examples of what you will do if elected to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **I will look at the current state laws to see what needs to be amended, added or updated. As a member of the Kirwin Commission, I will work to see that our final work product includes protection and promotion of civil rights and civil liberties.**





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## 2018 Statewide Candidate Questionnaire

Candidate First Name: **Matthew**

Candidate Last Name: **Kalishak**

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Political Party: **Republican**

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Please provide two examples of your advocacy to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **I will follow our constitution both state and federal As well as abide by our laws, more people would be willing to follow the law if they see their elected officials following the law.**

Please provide two examples of what you will do if elected to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **I'm a Gay Republican, simply being elected would show new diversity, there are no prominent LGBT people in the Republican Party in Maryland of importance I would be the first and being that I am Gay, Republican, and desendant of Italian immigrants I know first hand and historically what discrimination is like and I will do all I can to defend civil rights.**



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Candidate Last Name: **Marcos**

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Please provide two examples of your advocacy to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **In my community there is a large portion of the Latin community that is not represented and is not being given the opportunities that others have when it comes to small business. I've spoken with local Chambers of Commerce & Improvement Associations to meet these owners and teach them the benefits of being included. Today we still go out speaking with all owners of our district to make sure they are getting the most help & knowledge needed to be successful.**

Please provide two examples of what you will do if elected to protect and promote civil rights and civil liberties in Maryland. **If elected, I will always protect our citizens' civil rights by ensuring I vote for legislation that is fair & represent our constituents' best interest. Aside from voting in the best interest of our constituents, going out to local businesses, schools, churches, groups and speaking one on one with their representatives ensuring that they are being heard and their concerns are my first agenda.**