KAFO State Candidate Questionnaire

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1. What office are you running for? When is your election date?

1. Are you a registered Democrat? If yes, how long have you been a registered Democrat?
2. Why are you running for public office? What inspired you to run for public office?
3. How much money have you raised to date? Who are your key donors?
4. Who are your major supporters or key endorsements?
5. Who are your opponents? Why would you be a better representative for your district?
6. Describe your path to victory and why you would be favored to win. [we are looking for hard numbers here as well as a conceptual plan.]
7. What are the top three issues you would like to address if elected and how would you go about tackling them?

**Issues Important to Korean American Millennials [these questions may change depending on current issues] -- DO YOU SUPPORT X OR Y…[optional] PLEASE ELABORATE ON YOUR POSITION.**

1. What do you think is the biggest issue facing Korean Americans today? Korean American millennials?
2. What is your position on DACA, comprehensive immigration reform, and President Trump's unconstitutional travel ban?
3. What do you think is the biggest issue facing Korean American businesses or entrepreneurship today, and what are your plans to grow Korean small businesses in the local community?
4. How will you advocate and showcase the unique contributions that Korean Americans have to the cultural fabric of the United States?
5. How do you plan on addressing continuously rising costs of higher education?
6. How do you plan on addressing the rapidly aging KA population, many of whom are not English-language proficient?
7. Healthcare reform?
8. Income inequality?
9. What is our position on Affirmative Action?

**Commitment to the Korean American Community**

1. If elected, what ideas and commitments would you put forward to engage more Korean Americans in the political process? How will you ensure that the Korean American community has a voice in your district?
2. [For new candidates only] Will you consider hiring Korean Americans on your staff once you are elected?

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