

COMMONWEALTH FORWARD

2022 - 2023 General Assembly Questionnaire

Since 2021, Commonwealth Forward PAC has supported candidates who are fighting the corrosive effects of corporate influence on our democratic process in Virginia. We support future change makers in running strong, message-oriented campaigns by providing comprehensive training, fundraising, field, and communications support. You can learn more about our work at CommonwealthForward.com.

This questionnaire was designed to be inclusive and accessible to all candidates interested in running a campaign based on progressive and anti-corruption values. If you have any questions or concerns about completing this questionnaire, please do not hesitate to reach out to our staff for support at Endorsements@CommonwealthForward.com.

An equivalent, electronic version of this form is available at CommonwealthForward.com/Endorsements. If you elect to submit a PDF version, you must send it to Endorsements@CommonwealthForward.com, along with copies of your resume and campaign plan, if you choose to submit these supplemental documents.

To be considered for our first endorsement round of the election 2022/2023 cycle, you must submit your application by June 15th, 2022. Candidates who submit successful applications will be contacted to schedule an interview with the Commonwealth Forward endorsement team. All endorsement decisions will be made on a rolling basis. If you are viewing this form after June 15th, 2022, contact Endorsements@CommonwealthForward.com for an updated copy.

Section I: Candidate Information

Candidate Full Name:	Candidate Email:
Candidate Home Address:	Candidate Cell Phone:

Section II: Campaign Information

Office Sought:	District Number:
Campaign Committee Name:	Campaign Mailing Address:
Campaign Manager Name, Email, and Cell Phone:	Campaign Social Media Handles:
Campaign Website:	Statement of Organization Date Filed:
Primary Election Date:	General Election Date:
Have you hired or do you plan on hiring consultants for direct mail, media, polling or fundraising? If so, which consultants or firms do you plan on using?	

Section III: Endorsement Criteria

To ensure your values are aligned with the mission of Commonwealth Forward, please describe the ways in which you have supported or plan to support the following priorities. In no more than one paragraph per category, explain your positions as they correspond to the priorities listed below. Current elected officials should describe specific legislative actions taken. All other candidates should emphasize community leadership and civic engagement experience, educational and/or professional backgrounds, and issues that you plan to campaign on publicly. Lists and bullet points may be used for conciseness where there are multiple related items (i.e. specific legislation sponsored).

Campaign Finance Reform:

Election Integrity and Inclusive Democracy:

Social and Economic Justice:

Clean and Safe Environment:

Section III: Endorsement Criteria (Continued)

Will you commit to publicly rejecting contributions from corporations, corporate lobbyists, and corporate PACs?

Yes No

What aspects of Commonwealth Forward's model of support are of most interest to you? You can learn more about our work at <https://www.CommonwealthForward.com/About>.

- Candidate training Campaign staff training Email lists
- Campaign set-up (website, general advice, etc.) Fundraising support
- Communications support Field and voter contact programs

Section IV: Signature

This form represents your formal application for an endorsement from Commonwealth Forward for the 2022-2023 election cycle. You affirm that all information listed above is an accurate and honest representation of your views and campaign efforts.

Candidate Name:

Candidate Signature:

Date: