**Constitution Party of Hawaii**

**Candidate Questionnaire**

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| City/State/Zip |  |
| County: |  |
| Congressional District: |  | Senatorial District: |  |
| Assembly District: |  |
| Home Phone: |  |  | Cell Phone: |  |  | Fax: |  |
| E-mail: |  |  | General Election Date: |  |
| Which political office are you interested in? |  |
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| **Affirmation** |
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| Signature |  | Date |
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| By your signature above, you affirm that you will faithfully and honestly answer the questions on this questionnaire. You also affirm that you understand how important it is to adhere to what you have espoused as your position on these issues. |
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| Instructions |
| Upon completion of this questionnaire, please send as an attachment to:Constitution Party of HawaiiAttn: Ed Gazmen, membership@constitutionpartyhi.com In completing the following questionnaire, please answer every question. If you need to expand or expound upon any particular question and there is not enough room provided, please do so on a separate sheet of paper, putting your name at the top of each page and providing the section and question number that you are responding to --OR-- if you are filling this out electronically, feel free to use as much space as needed provided in the space below the question. Notate next to the question that you are providing more information on a separate sheet of paper by placing, “See more info” next to the answer or space provided.Please try to answer every question, even if the answer to the question is that you do not know. If you are unsure what a question is asking or you are unsure how you stand on that particular question or issue, please state so. Not only will answering these questions help us to assess your positions on the issues, but it will help you to get a feel for the issues that you will be facing as your campaign unfolds and will prepare you to answer them head on.Again, if you feel the question is vague, unfair, unclear or doesn’t give you the ability to answer it in the way you feel it needs to be addressed; or if you wish to respond to a question that isn’t even asked, Please do so on a separate sheet of paper and indicate on this form that you are doing so. |

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| **Section A – What are your Top 5 Issues** |
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| **Section B - Platform** |
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| 1 | Are you familiar with the Constitution Party’s Platform |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Are there any areas of the Platform with which you don’t agree? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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|  | If you answered “Yes” to question 2 please explain. |
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| **Section C – Sanctity of Life** |
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| 1 | Do you believe that human life begins at fertilization/conception? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Do you believe that unborn children deserve complete legal protection from abortion at any stage of the pregnancy beginning at fertilization/conception? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 3 | Will you support or vote-for legislation that allows for abortion for any reason? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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|  | If you answered “Yes” to question 3, please explain under what circumstances you would support such a bill? |
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| **Section D – The Constitution** |
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| 1 | Do you believe that the United States Constitution is still relevant and is the supreme law of the land and needs to be obeyed by the President, Congressmen, Senators, Judges, all elected officials and government employees? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Should the federal government be limited to its enumerated (listed) powers in the U.S. Constitution? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 3 | Does the constitution give Congress the power to do whatever they want as long as the president signs the bill and the courts don’t overturn it? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 4 | Do you believe that the Bill of Rights (Amendments 1 - 10) was to protect the people’s rights and to restrict the government and should be strictly adhered to? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 5 | Will you oppose any effort to bring about a Constitutional Convention? |
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| **Section F – Gun Rights** |
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| 1 | Should there be any restrictions to the 2nd Amendment by any government (Federal, State or Local)? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Should people be able to carry a gun without having to pay licensing fees or applying to the state for permission? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 3 | Does an individual have a right to use deadly force in defending self and family from violent assault -- both in or away from the home? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| **Section G – Education and Schools** |
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| 1 | Do support the idea of the Federal Government being involved with our local schools? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Do you agree with the National Party platform to abolish the US Department of Education? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| **Section H - Immigration** |
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| 1 | Do you support strengthening our borders to prevent the influx of illegal aliens? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Does English need to be established as the official national language? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 3 | Do you support illegal alien’s right to social services Medicaid, Food Stamps and Welfare? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 4 | Do you support amnesty for illegal immigrants who already reside in the United States? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| **Section I – Government Health Care** |
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| 1 | Do you support the idea of the Federal Government being involved in Health Care? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| 2 | Do you support the idea that Health Care is a right of the people? |
|  | Yes |  | No |  |  |
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| **Section J – Character and Moral Conduct** |
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| 1 | Do you agree that in order to run for public office, a person’s private character must be examined?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 2 | Do you believe that it is OK for the Government, on any level, to support gambling in the form of Lotteries or Tribal casinos? |
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| 3 | Do you believe that pornography in the public square is a rightful expression of free speech?

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| **Section K - Finance** |
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| 1 | Do you agree with the National Platform to put an end to the Federal Income Tax?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 2 | Do you think that the Federal Reserve should be in charge of coining money, and have the ability to print money as needed?

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| **Section L - Social Security** |
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| 1 | Do you believe it is Constitutional that Social Security be mandatory?

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| **Section M - Religious Freedom** |
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| 1 | Do you believe that the Federal Government has the right to force the removal of the 10 Commandments from Courthouses and the public square?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 2 | Do you agree that the verses such as “One Nation under God” and “In God we Trust” be removed from our pledge and currency?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 3 | Do you believe that the 1st Amendment was created to place wall of separation between church and state?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| **Section N - Marriage** |
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| 1 | Do you believe that the Federal Government has the right to re-define marriage as anything other than the union between one-man and one-women?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 2 | Do you think that the Constitution allows for the Federal Government to be involved in marriage to any degree?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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|  | Do you oppose any effort to legalize the adoption of children by homosexual couples or singles?

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| **Section O – Foreign Policy** |
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| 1 | Do you agree with the Federal Governments policy to give financial aid to any country that they deem needs it?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 2 | Do you think that the United States, as the world Superpower, has the responsibility to police the world?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 3 | Do you think that terrorism would decrease if we took a more humble foreign policy by putting an end to the occupation of foreign lands and brought our troops home?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 4 | Do you condemn the Presidential assumption of authority to deploy troops without the consent of Congress?  |
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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 5 | Do you agree that under no circumstances are United States troops be forced to serve under a foreign flag or organization? |
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| **Section P – Personal Property** |
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| 1 | Do you agree with the Federal Governments “Patriot Act”?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 2 | In an effort to increase security against terrorism, do you believe that the Federal Government has the right to search and seize property without due process?

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| Yes |  | No |  |  |

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| 3 | Do you agree with the idea that the Federal Government has the right to acquire property through the use of Eminent Domain, as long as it is in the best interest of the country? |
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Thank you for your participation in this survey. Please send in your responses as soon as possible. Once your survey has been reviewed and approved by our committee, a Constitution Party Executive Member will be in contact with you to set up a personal interview.