



Mayoral Candidates Questionnaire

1. Will you pledge to oppose any and all city tax increases while you are in office?

YES

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NO

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2. Would you support amending the City charter to require a referendum before adopting future tax increases?

YES

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NO

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3. Will you work to eliminate the City of Albuquerque's taxpayer-funded "free" bus program which has encouraged criminal behavior on city buses and at bus stations?

YES

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NO

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4. Should the City of Albuquerque remain an "immigrant friendly" city that prohibits local police from enforcing federal immigration laws?

YES

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NO

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5. How would you increase the supply of housing in the City of Albuquerque? Give two or more examples:

Identify underutilized properties for use as housing, including empty hotels, government buildings and empty box stores. Review and upzone low-density zoning areas.

6. In a sentence or two describe how best to address Albuquerque's homeless situation:

Identify the needs of different sectors of homelessness and address those specific needs. I want to mirror the housing first approach done in other cities where this has been successful.

7. What are your priorities for reducing crime in Albuquerque?

Hire a new Chief of Police who empowers law enforcement to do their jobs and focus on recruitment; address the transient population that refuse to engage in help and rely on retail, property crime and theft to live in our City.

8. Should the City raise its minimum wage rate? If so, what should it be?

YES ☐

NO ☒

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9. Should the City repeal its “Project Labor Agreement” law which raises the cost of city-funded construction projects.

YES ☒

NO ☐

10. Should Albuquerque ban plastic bags?

YES ☐

NO ☒

You can scan the survey or fill it out digitally, and send it to us at: info@riograndefoundation.org

You can also mail it to us at: 400 Gold Street, SW, #909, Albuquerque, NM 87102

If you have any questions call us at: 505-264-6090.

*We will be publishing these results online in their original scanned format and as a spreadsheet



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