

Candidate Name	Bailey Stober
Position sought	City Council Member Pos. 4 – City of Kent
Residence Legislative, County Council and Congressional district	33rd Legislative District / County District 5 / Congressional 9
Are you a Democrat? Are you known as a Democrat?	Yes – Having served in many capacities throughout the party I am known as a Democrat!
Campaign Information	
Campaign Name	Stober for City Council
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Manager	TBD
Campaign mailing address	TBD / Setting up PO Box soon!
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Campaign FAX	

Candidate Background: Community service, education, employment and other relevant experience.

Describe your qualifications, education, employment, community and civic activity, Union affiliation and other relevant experience.

I have been both a community organizer and a union organizer and have worked in every level of government except county government. I know the needs of my community and I am ready to address them. As the former outreach director for the 33rd LD Democrats I met with new democrats and community members on a frequent basis. As a former city of Kent employee, I know what our constituents are saying.

What ratings and endorsements have you received?	
Legislative District Democrats	Seeking 33rd LD and 47th LD
Union Endorsement	Seeking UFCW, SEIU, Carpenters, Firefighters, Paramedics / EMS, Police
Municipal League	Seeking
SEAMEC	Seeking
Other Endorsements	

Which groups do you plan to ask for an endorsement?
<p>King County Democrats 33rd LD Democrats 47th LD Democrats Washington Conservation Voters WA State Labor Council King Co. Labor Council Young Democrats of WA King County Young Democrats Progressive Majority A.F.S.C.M.E I.A.F.F. Local 1747 I.A.F.F. Local 2024 International Assc. of Machinists Dist. 751 Teamsters SEIU UFCW Carpenters Local 1797 IBEW Locals 46 & 76 IUPAT District Council 5 OPEIU Local 8 IFPTE Local 17 United Association Local 32 Iron Workers Union Local 86 People for Safe and Healthy Communities Southend Neighbors for Peace and Justice Evergreen Democratic Club Sierra Club</p>

& Many others

Please answer the following questions*		Yes	No	Qualified
1	Do you support the King County Democratic Platform?	x		
2	Do you support the right of workers (excluding military) to bargain and strike?	x		
3	Do you support affirmative action?	x		
4	Do you support freedom of choice in contraception, abortion and sterilization?	x		
5	Do you support public funding for abortions for poor women?	x		
6	Do you support school vouchers? Do you support charter schools?		x	
7	Do you support the Davis-Bacon Act?	x		
8	Do you support equal rights for women?	x		
9	Do you support major changes in the way we live to help stop global warming?	x		
10	Do you support the restoration of voting rights to persons convicted of a felony who have served their sentence?	x		

Please answer the following questions *		Yes*	No
1	Have you ever failed to pay any taxes or court ordered judgments?		x
2	Have you ever been found in violation of a Public Disclosure Commission, Federal Election Commission or Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission regulation?		x
3	Have you ever been convicted of a felony?		x

* If you answered "Yes" or "Qualified" please explain your answer.

Are you a member of another political party? If so, which ones? Have you ever supported or given money to a candidate from another party in a partisan race? If so, whom?

No

Are you a member of your local Democratic District Party? Have you contributed financially to any Democratic Organization? Have you been a Precinct Committee Officer? When/Where?

33rd LD Democrats - Member, Former Outreach Director

Yes - to the 33rd LD

No - Precinct was not available, neighboring were full also.

What are the main messages of your campaign? What is your campaign plan? How many doors have you knocked on to date, pieces of mail planned, budgeting, staffing? What is the fundraising goal for your campaign? How much have you raised to date? Why will you win?

- **Change must come at the City level, Government accountability, Cleaning up Kent.**
- **Win with a successful margin by building positive relationships with residents and community organizations.**
- **Have not started doorbelling, Have 4 mail pieces planned, Have completed Budget, and will soon hire 1 Campaign Manager and at least 1 Community Organizer.**
- **At least \$35,000**
- **Just started fundraising**
- **I will win because I have the experience in Government and the know how to get things done. Residents wants to see a NEW candidate who has been an active member of the community. They want somebody they can trust and somebody who will bring positive change to the community.**

What are the single most pressing issues facing your jurisdiction? What actions would you take if elected?

- **Open Government. The city of Kent has been somewhat closed to their residents and I will open up dialogue between residents and the city council.**
- **Cleaning up Kent. As a governing body of the city we have let neighborhoods fall behind. We need to shut down the crack houses and open up parks! People often tell me they don't like living in Kent or don't feel safe, as your council member it is my job to change that and improve your quality of life in every way that I can.**
- **Sense of Community - No more division! No more "West Hill and East Hill" or "North Park and South Park" Kent should be one community and everyone should have a good quality of life, it shouldn't matter where you live. It would be my job to reunite the community and deliver 1 message, not 4 different messages depending on where you live in the City.**

If you are a candidate in a contested primary race, what record of performance, ability, experience, personal qualities, and positions on issues distinguish you from your opponent(s)? If you do not receive the nomination, is there any reason you could not support your Democratic opponent in the general election? Please explain.

I have always delivered! I have delivered positive results for my constituents and for the Democratic party. I have worked on 8 campaigns and have worked for hard for our party for several years now. In the event I drop out, I would 100% support my opposition.

Do you believe the current structure of taxes and/or fees that generate funds in your area are fair? If not, how would you change it?

I believe on the City level we need to do more. We need to lower taxes and fees for business owners if they are creating local jobs.

King County has a ten year plan to end homelessness. What ideas do you have to increase low income and affordable housing/?

I applaud King County for their plan to end homelessness and as a City Councilmember I would do everything in my capacity to support that plan. I hope Kent would develop a similar plan and as your city councilmember I hope to expand our human services department.

What role should government play in the healthcare system?

I believe healthcare should be a right and not a responsibility. I strongly believe in a universal healthcare system.

What is your position on civil rights for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgendered people? What is your position on equal rights for same-sex couples when it comes to benefits, civil unions, marriage and parental rights?

I have always been a strong supporter for equal rights for ALL! I have been a strong supporter on gay civil rights bills and the gay marriage bill in the WA State Senate and House. I hope Washington will be a leader in equal rights for all.

What creative solutions can you offer to address the problems of the economically disadvantaged?

On the City level I believe we need to expand our Human Service Department and increase our outreach efforts for those disadvantaged resident in the City of Kent.

I have read this questionnaire and understand and approve the content and all provided information.

Printed Name	Bailey Stober	03/20/2009
Signature		