C-FAIR, the political action committee (PAC) of the Fairness Campaign, proudly endorses more than 70 candidates for state and local office all across Kentucky in the 2020 General Election. Early voting is happening now. Visit GoVoteKY.com for voter info.

These endorsements represent hundreds of volunteer hours from C-FAIR Board Members and community volunteers, who reviewed and interviewed all candidates seeking endorsement. Many people ask us how candidates earn the endorsement. The C-FAIR process is fairly simple and straightforward. Candidates in races being considered by C-FAIR are mailed an instruction letter to their official campaign address filed with the Kentucky Secretary of State or their county clerk. Those letters provide the link to our online candidate survey. Those who complete the survey and whose answers are viewed favorably by the C-FAIR Board of Directors are invited to an interview. For races in which more than one candidate is seeking endorsement, a team of C-FAIR board members and community volunteers is formed to meet with each candidate and discuss the many issues and nuances of each individual race. Following the interviews, the team makes a recommendation of endorsement to the C-FAIR Board of Directors, which deliberates and makes all final endorsement decisions. You might be wondering why you do not see endorsements in important federal races for president, Senate, and House. As a state PAC, C-FAIR can only endorse candidates for state and local office.

These days, there is often more than one Fairness-supportive candidate seeking endorsement in a single race. While it is difficult, the C-FAIR Board of Directors strives to choose one candidate for endorsement, factoring in the key considerations of past C-FAIR endorsement, incumbency, experience working with the Fairness Campaign, viability, and ability to advance the Fairness Campaign’s policy goals. We encourage you to research candidates’ positions on all the issues that matter to you and make your own choices.

Regardless of how you vote, the most important thing is that you do vote by Tuesday, November 3! Get post cards, voter info, and sign up to volunteer at FairnessVotes.com.
Yes 4 JCPS Ballot Initiative - Jefferson Co.

Flip over your Jefferson County ballot and mark YES on the tax levy question in the top left corner.

Kentucky State Senate

John Whipple – District 5
Brian Pedigo – District 9
James Fiorelli – District 11
Reggie Thomas – District 13
Jason Stroude – District 17
Morgan McGarvey – District 19
Ryan Olexia – District 23
Glenn Martin Hammond – District 31
Gerald Neal – District 33
Denise Harper Angel – District 35
David Yates – District 37

Kentucky State House

Pam Dossett – District 8
Crystal Chappell – District 15
Patti Minter – District 20
Steve Jones – District 23
Suzanne Kugler – District 29
Tom Burch – District 30
Josie Raymond – District 31
Tina Bojanowski – District 32
Jason Nemes – District 33
Mary Lou Marzian – District 34
Lisa Willner – District 35
Jeff Grammer – District 36

Kentucky State House (cont.)

Jeff Donohue – District 37
McKenzie Cantrell – District 38
Nima Kulkarni – District 40
Attica Scott – District 41
Reggie Meeks – District 42
Pamela Stevenson – District 43
Joni Jenkins – District 44
Al Gentry – District 46
Maria Sorolis – District 48
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Lamar Allen – District 56
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Ruth Ann Palumbo – District 76
George Brown – District 77
Susan Westrom – District 79
Cherlynn Stevenson – District 88

Bowling Green Mayor

Tom Morris (Write-In)

Bowling Green City Commission

Carlos Bailey
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Francisco Serrano

Fayette County Public School Board

Arnold Farr – District 5

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Chris Kolb – District 2
Sarah McIntosh – District 7

Jefferson County Family Court

Ellie Kerstetter – Division 3

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Council

James Brown – District 1
Josh McCurn – District 2
Hannah LeGris – District 3
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Liz Sheehan – District 5
Christian Motley – District 8
Willy Fogle – District 9
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Owensboro Mayor

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VOTE BY TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Early Voting is Happening Now! GoVoteKY.com for Early Voting Locations & Hours in Your County

Absentee Ballots MUST be POSTMARKED by Nov. 3 & MUST ARRIVE to Your County Clerk by Nov. 6

ELECTION DAY NOVEMBER 3

Polls are open 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Polling Locations at GoVoteKY.com

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Meet New Fairness Team Members

Antoine Smith-Rouse, Election Organizer
Antoine Smith-Rouse is a Workforce Solutions Employer Liaison/Career Navigator at Owensboro Community and Technical College working predominantly with underserved students. Antoine has had the privilege to work in a variety of industries, including retail management, nonprofits, and aviation. Although not originally from Daviess County, Antoine, his husband Jeremiah, six kids, their dog, and cat all call Owensboro home. In case 6 kids were not enough to keep him busy, Antoine also facilitates foster/adoptive parent training and support groups, is a CASA volunteer, is on the board of Imagination Library, and sits on multiple committees committed to tackling social injustices within marginalized communities, such as communities of color and the LGBTQ+ community. Antoine uses he/him/his pronouns.

Brooklyn Lile, Election Organizer
Brooklyn has been involved in organizing since 2018 when she worked for LaToya Drake in Barren County. Since then, Brooklyn has organized for Andy Beshear, Charles Booker, and Cori Bush. She is super passionate about organizing for progressive change in the South, specifically here in Kentucky. She so excited to be working for the Fairness Campaign and helping candidates in Bowling Green that support our mission. Brooklyn uses she/her/hers pronouns.

Collin Brown, Intern
Originally from Florence, Alabama, Collin came to Kentucky to study at Berea College, where he is a junior Peace & Social Justice Studies and Art History double major. Collin joined the Fairness Campaign to give back to his community and to do his part in fighting for equal protection under the law for LGBTQ+ people. In his free time, Collin enjoys reading, spending time with his cats, and playing video games. Collin uses he/him/his pronouns.

Jarett Lopez, Election Organizer
Jarett is an alumnus of Northern Kentucky University where he earned a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science with a minor in History. At NKU, Jarett was an active member of the university and regional community. He served as the Co-Lead Student Ambassador for the NKU Office of LGBTQ Programs and Services, the Student Body President, and on the NKU Board of Regents. Notably, Jarett advocated for the passage of a Highland Heights Fairness Ordinance, protecting thousands of students, faculty, and staff from discrimination off campus. He plans to pursue a Master of Arts in Political Science beginning in the Fall 2021 term. Jarett uses he/him/his pronouns.

Liz Smith, Practicum Student
Liz is currently a senior Bachelor of Social Work student at the University of Kentucky, where she is also studying psychology and gaining a diversity and inclusivity certificate. After graduating from the UK, she hopes to attend graduate school to gain a Masters in Social Work and further her education surrounding macro social work, public policy, advocacy, and large-scale social justice efforts. She dreams of attending law school to earn a Juris Doctors and working in policy practice to help create a more just and equitable future for everyone. In her free time she loves to garden, cook yummy vegan meals, and participate in local activism. Liz uses she/her/hers pronouns.

Tai, Intern
Tai is a high school student in Kentucky and is non-binary. Tai uses they/them pronouns.

Interested in Volunteering?
E-mail Maggie@Fairness.org
Special Thanks to Our 2019 “Friends of Fairness” Donors Members

Each year the Fairness Campaign works to include two “Friends of Fairness” lists of our previous year’s donors. One list is alphabetical, by name only, and one is organized by donation amount. We deeply value all gifts and thank you for your incredible support of LGBTQ rights in Kentucky!

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