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Candidate Information

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Q2

If you make it past the primaries, do you intend to attend the 2021 Public Officials and Candidates Night Reception from 5:00pm to 8:00pm on Wednesday, September 22, 2021?

Yes, I intend to attend the event and have blocked out the time on my calendar

Q3

Why are you running for elected office?

I am running for elected office because our cities need strong leaders who will work hard to advocate for, and represent our communities while we move forward in creating equitable housing stability, upholding safety, creating strong business communities, and preserving the amazing and varied environment of our region. I am one of those leaders.

Q4

What do you consider to be our community's top challenges?

While the greatest challenge in our region is addressing housing stability in an equitable manner, the greatest specific challenge to my City of Des Moines is; enhancing and preserving a strong economic base for our residents and businesses.

Q5

How will you work with the business community to find solutions?

The most effective way to work with the business community is to actually engage and listen, and then act on suggestions. I do that casually on a regular basis, but have made two concerted efforts to canvas the majority of brick and mortar businesses in our community in order to support them (Small Business Saturday - purchase and facebook promotion) and to brainstorm about Covid solutions with every. single. restaurant. - in our city, March 2020. In addition, each time I organize a community event, I work with a local business to host the location which promotes the business and community engagement.

Q6

Where can your constituents find more information about you and your campaign?

You can find me at tracibuxton.com and on Facebook at Traci Buxton or Friends of Traci Buxton, and I can be contacted easily at tracibuxton@comcast.net or my personal cell: 206-251-2719.
