JEWS UNITED FOR JUSTICE BALTIMORE 2020 VOTER GUIDE

VOTE FOR:

Statewide: Question 1

Baltimore County: Question A

Baltimore City: Question F

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QUESTION 1

Our state budget is a moral document that reflects what we value, and our elected legislators should be able to shape it. Maryland is the only state that gives the Governor unfettered power over the budget, but Question 1 can fix that, creating the same checks and balances that exist in every other state and at the federal level.

On Question 1, join everyone at JUFJ and neighbors from across the state in voting FOR the Constitutional Amendment. JUFJ has no position on Question 2.

BALTIMORE COUNTY QUESTION A

Our elected representatives should be accountable to the whole community, not to deep-pocketed corporate donors. Question A will create a Fair Elections program to amplify the voices of Baltimore County working families. Under Fair Elections, candidates who accept only small-dollar donations and don't take giant checks from lobbyists, corporations, or PACs will receive matching funds. That lets regular people without connections run for office — and win.

Join everyone at JUFJ and neighbors from across the county in voting FOR Question A.

JUFJ has no position on the other Questions on the Baltimore County ballot.

BALTIMORE CITY QUESTION F

The power to shape the city budget is a cornerstone of the movement to hold police accountable. We must imagine and fully fund community-driven alternatives to policing, in order to radically reduce the scope of racist violence. To achieve these goals, the City Council must be able to reduce the budget for policing and reallocate funds to other parts of the budget. Question F will give the Council the ability to reallocate funds, and will give the people of Baltimore the ability to tell the Council to defund the police.

Join everyone at JUFJ and neighbors from across the city in voting FOR Charter Amendment Question F.

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