

2019 IVI-IPO CHICAGO MAYORAL QUESTIONNAIRE

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From within your Word processor, please answer all questions in Part I (Instructions and Candidate Details) and Part II (Issue Questionnaire). This questionnaire uses special formatting features: please see the specific instructions below for each type of question.

Question Type: Yes/No and Short Answer

- Please click within the appropriate box to mark your answer for each yes/no question.
- If you wish to add comments to a yes/no question, or if elaboration is requested, you may click within the gray rectangle directly below the question text (next line, flush-left) to type your answer. The rectangle will expand to accommodate the length of your entry.
- by adding a paragraph return at the end of the question and typing your comments in the same cell as the question. Use such comments only when clarification is necessary.

Question Type: Select Choice(s), rank choices, etc.

- These begin with a prompt (e.g., “I am a member of the following groups:”) then ask you variously to “select one” or “select all that apply” or “rank from 1 highest to 4 lowest”). If you wish to elaborate, you may click within the gray rectangle directly below the question text (next line, flush-left) to add text.

Question Type: Essay

- Click within the gray rectangle directly below the question text (next line, flush-left) to type your answer. The rectangle will expand to accommodate the length of your entry. Please answer the questions at the length you deem sufficient. It is OK if your comments cause tables, etc., to shift pages.

Saving and Naming Your Questionnaire

Please follow the form detailed below exactly. Your questionnaire was downloaded to your computer as a Microsoft Word file (docx) with a generic name that identifies the office for which you are running. After you complete your questionnaire, but before submitting, you must save your questionnaire as a PDF file and give it a new name to which you will append your personal name and the election year as specified below.

General Form:

- If you were running for a suburban mayor’s office, your downloaded file (doc) name would be: Mayor_SUB_f
- You must save-as a PDF file (.pdf) and replace the “f” part of the downloaded file name with your last and first name and add the election year.
- Use capitals for the first letter of your last and first name and lowercase for the rest.

Specific Example:

- Suburban Mayor candidate Elizabeth Rias would rename the Mayor_SUB_f file to: Mayor_SUB_RiasElizabeth2019

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If you are familiar with file saving routines, you may skip the step-by-step instructions below.

Step-by-Step Instructions for saving as a PDF file and personalizing your questionnaire file name:

1. Open your completed questionnaire in your word processor.
2. From the FILE menu, select "Save a Copy" (or "Save As").
 - 2.1. In the dialogue box that appears, find the pull-down list that shows the file type. It will show .doc or .docx.
 - 2.2. Click on the small triangle within the file-type box and select the "PDF" (.pdf) option from the menu.
 - 2.3. BEFORE selecting the "save" or "export as" option (varies depending on your computer platform set-up), rename your file.
 - 2.4. You will see the generic questionnaire title in a fill-in box (e.g. Mayor_SUB_f) with the first word identifying the office for which you are a candidate and the second indicating the jurisdiction (in the example, Mayor, suburban) followed by an underscore and the letter "f."
 - 2.5. Click on the generic name field to highlight the name.
 - 2.6. Then, click just after the END of the generic title (so that the entire file title is no longer highlighted but the field is active).
 - 2.7. Backspace once to eliminate the "f."
 - 2.8. Type your last name then first name, using appropriate capitals and lower-case letters (no space necessary: e.g., JohnsonJuan).
 - 2.9. Add 2019 (the election year).
 - 2.10. **Your file name should look like this (but with your specific office and name):**
Mayor_SUB_JohnsonJuan2019
3. BEFORE SELECTING "Save" look to be sure you are saving the file to the location you want (if you need to change the location, click on the file path and navigate to the location you wish to save the file (e.g., your desktop, a specific folder, etc.))
4. Make sure you remember this location: this is the location you must navigate to when you attach your file to an e-mail and submit to the IVI-IPO.

Submitting Your Completed Questionnaire to the IVI-IPO

- Your properly named PDF file (see above) completed questionnaire should be attached to an e-mail and sent to: iviipopac@gmail.com.

Please go to the next page to begin your questionnaire.

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Part II: Candidate Contact Information

Answers to Part II questions with an asterisk will be redacted prior to public distribution.

1.	DATE:	December 11, 2018
2.	NAME:	Lori E. Lightfoot
3.	VOTING ADDRESS*:	[REDACTED]
4.	MAIN PERSONAL PHONE*:	[REDACTED]
5.	BUSINESS PHONE*:	[REDACTED]
6.	CAMPAIGN PHONE	773-691-1806
7.	CAMPAIGN FAX:	N/A
8.	PERSONAL EMAIL*:	[REDACTED]
	CAMPAIGN ADDRESS:	600 W. Jackson Blvd., Suite 100
9.	CAMPAIGN WEBSITE	lightfootforchicago.com
10.	CAMPAIGN MANAGER:	Rob Fojtik
	CAMPAIGN MANAGER PHONE:	202-664-4322
11.	CAMPAIGN MANAGER EMAIL:	rob@lightfootforchicago.com

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Part III: Candidate Background Information

12.	How many petition signatures were you required to file? 12,500
13.	How many petition signatures did you file? 32,575
14.	Elective or appointive, public or party, offices previously held (<i>including dates</i>). I served as president of the Chicago Police Board from July 2015 to May 2018. I also served as chair of the Police Accountability Task Force from December 2015 to April 2016.
15.	Other elective offices for which you have been a candidate. None.
16.	What is your primary occupation? Until May 2018, I was a senior equity partner in the Litigation and Conflict Resolution Group at Mayer Brown LLP, where I also served as the co-chair of the firm's Diversity and Inclusion Committee.
17.	Briefly list your civic activities of the past ten years. Chair of the Chicago Police Accountability Task Force (PATF); President of the Chicago Police Board; Interim First Deputy of the Chicago Department of Procurement Services; Chief of Staff and General Counsel of the Chicago Office of Emergency Management and Communications (OEMC); Assistant United States Attorney in the criminal division; served on the boards of numerous progressive and pro-choice organizations like NARAL Illinois, Better Government Association, ACLU Illinois, the Center for Conflict Resolution, the Center for Wrongful Conviction, Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights Under Law Chicago, Illinois Campaign for Political Reform, and am a member of the American Constitution Society's Board of Advisors. I received the Victory Fund's Debra Shore Leadership Award in 2017.
18.	What experience have you had which will be most helpful to you in the office you seek? As an Assistant United States Attorney in the criminal division, I managed large-scale investigations involving criminal drug conspiracies, political corruption and bankruptcy fraud. As Senior Management for Chicago Police Department Superintendent Terry Hillard and Chief Administrator of the Office of Professional Standards, I ran a unit that investigated police-involved shootings, deaths in custody and other allegations of excessive force. As Chief of Staff and General Counsel for the Chicago Office of Emergency Management and Communications, I was involved in the day-to-day management of 911 operations, homeland security, large special events, weather-related and man-made emergencies and relationships with 11 different unions. As Interim First Deputy for the Chicago Department of Procurement Services,

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	<p>I played a key role in transforming the City's then \$2 billion annual procurement processes which were inefficient, cumbersome and invited corruption. As President of the Chicago Police Board, I was president of the nine-member independent civilian body charged with deciding disciplinary matters involving allegations of police misconduct. As Chair of the Police Accountability Task Force, I created the organizational structure and staffing, secured funding for the independent PATF, conducted an in-depth analysis of the practices of the Chicago Police Department and related entities, and issued a detailed report of findings and recommendations in April 2016. As a lawyer, I have taken on a number of pro bono cases, especially representing the wrongly accused.</p>
<p>19.</p>	<p>Please list any candidates you have supported in past elections and specify your role in each campaign.</p> <p>Chris Kennedy for Governor (supporter) Richard Phelan, Candidate for Illinois Governor (deputy campaign manager)</p>
<p>20.</p>	<p>Please list all endorsements you have received.</p> <p>Ra Joy (former candidate for Illinois lieutenant governor and government reformer) Litesa Wallace (Illinois State Representative and former candidate for Illinois lieutenant governor) Dick Simpson (former Chicago alderman, government reform advocate and University of Illinois professor) Chicago South Side Democracy for America (DFA) Don Rose (Prolific Chicago journalist and progressive political consultant)</p>
<p>21.</p>	<p>Who are your top 5 contributors and how much has each contributed to your campaign?</p> <p>Lori Lightfoot - \$56,532 Mary Dempsey - \$52,276 Change Chicago - \$40,000 Linda Friedman - \$25,000 Leonard Goodman - \$21,654</p>
<p>22.</p>	<p>Please concisely state (a) why you feel you should be endorsed over the other candidate(s) and (b) what goals for the office you seek are most important to you personally?</p> <p>I am the only independent reform candidate for mayor. In this election, we have a unique opportunity to break from the old-style political machine that has left working families and neighborhoods behind. While other candidates represent the past and maintain their ties to the broken status quo, I am looking towards the future and building a new grassroots</p>

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	<p>movement to build an independent, responsive, accountable, and transparent City Hall. My policy priorities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Guaranteeing public safety as a basic right by addressing the root causes of violence, implementing a proactive strategy to stop gun violence, building trust between police officers and communities, and dramatically improving the low homicide clearance rate - Sparking economic development citywide by growing small businesses in neighborhoods, raising the minimum wage to \$15 per hour, and building pathways to good jobs - Having safe, clean, quality public schools in every neighborhood and supporting an elected and representative school board - Reducing taxes and fees that disproportionately harm low-income and middle-class families
23.	<p>What is your campaign budget and (b) how much have you raised to date?</p> <p>We anticipate raising \$3 million. We have raised \$1,057,000 as of December 11,2018.</p>
24.	<p>How many paid staffers and (b) how many volunteers do you have on your campaign?</p> <p>My campaign has 13 paid staffers and over 900 registered volunteers.</p>

Part IV: Issue Questions

City Council Reform and Ethics

Yes/No			
	YES	NO	
25.	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	Will you employ or have you employed staff, in your office who hold other public sector jobs concurrently?
26.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you in favor of procedures to ensure that privatization arrangements are not being used to move patronage workers outside of the scope of anti-patronage rules or protocols?
27.	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<p>Will you employ or have you employed staff, in your office who have either outside employment or contracts with entities which do business with the City?</p> <p>This is part of my good government reform plan.</p>
28.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you vote for an ordinance mandating that the City contest unemployment claims by former employees who were fired for cause?

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29.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Do you support a limit of two 4-year terms for Mayor?</p> <p>This is part of my good government reform plan.</p>
30.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Will you pledge not to hire or contract the services of anyone previously fired for cause from the City or any other unit of government?</p>
31.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Do you support redistricting of the wards based on non-partisan criteria and not to benefit any specific individual or political party?</p> <p>I am a longtime advocate for redistricting reform and worked as an attorney representing organizations that fought to create an independent redistricting commission for Illinois legislative districts.</p>

Select all that apply		
32.	Do you support an ordinance banning contributions in any amount from:	
32 a.	X	city vendors and contractors?
32 b.	X	entities seeking licenses, permits or zoning changes?
32 c.	X	registered lobbyists?

Essay:	
33.	<p>Should the Inspector General be authorized to independently initiate his or her own investigations of Alderman, in the absence of a complaint from someone outside of the Inspector General’s office. Please explain your position. Yes.</p> <p>As mayor, I will introduce an ordinance to ensure a truly independent and unified Office of Inspector General with authority to oversee city departments, City Council and its committees, sister agencies, and contractors that do business with the city. In addition, the ordinance will give the new Inspector General’s office the power to issue subpoenas as part of investigations into alleged violations of the city’s ethics code.</p> <p>Presently, the city and its sister agencies have multiple inspectors general with varying levels of authority, jurisdiction, rules and funding. Creating a unified office would give the Inspector General an unfettered view of city government and would allow a single office to investigate fraud, waste and abuse across all agencies and to make recommendations regarding best practices that could be applied across city government.</p> <p>In addition, it would bring under one roof attorneys and investigators with diverse backgrounds and areas of expertise who could be used more efficiently and effectively to conduct</p>

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	investigations, make recommended changes in government practices and work on matters that align with their professional backgrounds and experiences.
34.	<p>Do you support public financing of municipal campaigns? Please explain your position.</p> <p>I support a small donor match program for municipal elections.</p>
35.	<p>How will you involve residents in planning, approval, and oversight of TIF districts?</p> <p>Chicago must bring real transparency to all aspects of tax increment financing (“TIF”), an economic development tool that diverts more than \$650 million in property taxes annually. When I am mayor, the city will not create new TIF districts until we have fully analyzed the performance of existing districts to ensure that they are meeting their intended objectives and that private recipients of TIF funds are satisfying their contractual obligations. The city will set performance thresholds for each TIF district, and each district will be reviewed at least every five years to determine whether those thresholds are being met. If they are not being met, then the city will, after soliciting public input, determine whether to close a district, revise its objectives or make other changes. In addition, the city will impose penalties on private recipients of TIF funds that do not meet their contractual obligations.</p> <p>Before any new TIF is created, the city must strengthen the standards for determining whether a district qualifies for TIF. The city will no longer loosely apply the test for determining whether an area is “blighted,” and it will raise the bar for clearing the “but for” test, which requires one to show that private projects and investment would not happen without TIF investment. Only then will the city consider creating new TIF districts that meet these more rigorous standards.</p> <p>For any new TIF district, the city will clearly describe the justifications for creating the TIF, and it will do so in publicly available documents and in town hall meetings in the proposed district where citizens can provide input. In addition, the city will closely monitor private developers to ensure they are meeting their obligations under redevelopment agreements, including those related to job creation and minority and women business enterprise requirements. If a private developer fails to meet its obligations, the city will enforce penalty provisions contained in the redevelopment agreement, including clawing back TIF funds.</p>

Revenue and Budget

Yes/No		
36.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Do you support a progressive City income tax for Chicago?</p> <p>I support progressive forms of revenue, like a progressive state income tax, but I do not want to impose a city income tax on Chicagoans.</p>

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37.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Do you support creation of a public bank for Chicago?</p> <p>The city needs to be much more engaged in making investments in neighborhoods and businesses and the public bank is an idea we should explore.</p>
38.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Will you vote to hire independent analysts to conduct a forensic audit of past City spending?</p>
39.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Do you support casino gambling for Chicago?</p> <p>I support a city-owned casino.</p>
40.	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<p>Will you support a citywide referendum before any gambling is instituted in the City?</p>
41.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Will you order an independent analysis of any lease or outsourcing arrangement prior to submitting it to the City Council for approval?</p>
42.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Will you provide at least 30 days for the Council to review leases and contracts prior to approval?</p> <p>I would like to see a specific policy proposal to better understand the question, but in general I support as much transparency as possibly for city finances.</p>

Choose One		
43.	Should discretionary funds for ward services and infrastructure improvements be allocated:	
43 a.	<input type="checkbox"/>	in equal amounts to each
43 b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	based on the size of each ward
43 c.	<input type="checkbox"/>	based on the needs of each ward
43 c.	X	<p>Other-please specify</p> <p>Given the historic inequity in the distribution of city resources, in order to be fair, we must work to right the wrongs of the past. There should be a baseline allocation for each ward but new, significant investment has to be needs based.</p>

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44.	Will you vote for a budget ordinance which would require:	
44 a.	X	public questioning of city department heads concerning their departments' specific budget requests?
44 b.	X	making budget copies available to the public 30 days in advance of hearings?
44 c.	X	restoring city-wide community group budget hearings several months prior to the publication of the budget, as were held under the Washington and Sawyer administrations?

Essay	
45.	<p>What measures will you vote for to reform the city pension plan and ensure its solvency?</p> <p>I know and believe that pensions are a promise and will make sure that city employees receive the pensions they have been promised. In 2017, the city's four pension plans - laborers, municipal, police and fire - collectively spent over \$60 million on administrative costs and investment fees. As mayor, I will seek to combine the funds' administrative and investment functions in an effort to significantly reduce operating costs. Representatives from each fund would serve on a single, combined board that would make investment decisions for the funds. The individual funds' assets would remain separate from one another, but for administrative and investment purposes they would be treated as single entity. While reducing annual expenses and fees will not make the funds solvent, the annual savings will contribute to the plans' solvency. Moreover, it is imperative that the city and funds take all reasonable steps to reduce annual expenses before asking taxpayers to pay toward increased contributions.</p>
46.	<p>What additional revenue sources, if any, would you propose?</p> <p>I support progressive revenue sources that ease the burden on low-income and working-class individuals and families who are least able to shoulder the burden of regressive taxes and fees. My team and I continue to meet with state legislators, academics, organizers and community leaders and other individuals involved in municipal finance as part of our continuing examination of a range of revenue options.</p>
47.	<p>How would you modify (if at all) the benefit and contribution levels and eligibility requirements for public employee pensions?</p> <p>I know and believe that pensions are a promise and will make sure that City employees receive the pensions they have been promised.</p>

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48.	<p>How would you modify (if at all) the benefit and contribution levels and eligibility requirements for public school teacher pension?</p> <p>I know and believe that pensions are a promise and will make sure that City employees receive the pensions they have been promised.</p>
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Planning, Zoning, Economic Development, and Privatization

Yes/No			
49.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you vote to terminate a TIF if the objectives of the TIF plan have been accomplished before the 23-year period is ended?
50.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you vote to return unspent and uncommitted TIF funds on an annual basis to the various taxing bodies?
51.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you support a moratorium on creation of any new TIF districts until new funding sources are identified to replace the revenue diverted to the TIF?
52.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you vote to invest substantially more in job-training and the creation of transitional job programs in disadvantaged communities, including the formerly incarcerated, homeless, youth, and non-English speakers?
53.	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	Will you vote to privatize Chicago's water delivery system?
54.	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	Do you support privatization of Midway Airport?

Choose one		
55.	Which standard should the City use to define affordable housing?	
55 b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Area Median Income of Chicago
55 c.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Area Median Income of the Community Area

Essay

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56.	<p>Which city services or assets, if any, do you believe should be privatized and what is your criteria?</p> <p>I am generally opposed to the privatization of city assets and services and I am not aware of any current privatization proposals that would merit my support.</p>
57.	<p>How do you propose to replace property tax revenue for CPS and other taxing bodies that is lost to TIF development?</p> <p>As discussed above, I intend to freeze opening new TIF districts and to conduct thorough reviews of existing districts to determine whether they are meeting their objectives and whether any can be closed early so properties can be returned to the property tax rolls. I will also explore increasing the percentage of annual TIF surpluses that go to CPS.</p>

Housing

Yes/No			
58.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Will you support guarantees that some of the foreclosed properties saved through the Neighborhood Stabilization Program are made affordable to families at 40% and 60% of Area Median Income?</p>
59.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>If the General Assembly repeals the pre-emption of rent control consideration by local government, would you support some form of rent control for covered units of rental housing in Chicago?</p> <p>We are in an affordable housing crisis. Conservative estimates are that the city is short 120,000 affordable units. I share the great concern that renters are being priced out of the city by escalating rents. I believe that it is imperative that we address this crisis by aggressively ensuring that more affordable housing units are built all over the city, as discussed in my affordable housing plan: https://lightfootforchicago.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/LL-Position-paper_Housing.pdf.</p>

Essay	
60.	<p>What will you do to ensure that there is an adequate supply of affordable family sized units available to families in the Section 8 program?</p> <p>Chicago cannot be a truly global city if people of all income levels cannot afford to live here. I am the only mayoral candidate to have released a detailed plan to address</p>

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Chicago's affordable housing crisis: https://lightfootforchicago.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/LL-Position-paper_Housing.pdf. My plan identifies a number of measures aimed at building housing that is affordable, improving the geographic distribution of housing that is affordable, expanding home ownership opportunities for low and moderate-income families, and preventing homelessness.

For instance, we can increase the number of affordable housing units and the geographic distribution of such units by passing the Affordable Home Equity Ordinance ("AHEO") and amending the Affordable Requirements Ordinance ("ARO").

As mayor, I will facilitate an intergovernmental task force to ensure that city departments and key county and state agencies are working closely with the CHA to see that Chicago's public housing options are indeed in the public interest, and that voucher holders and other CHA residents have full access to the services and resources that make Chicago strong.

In addition, I will order an audit of CHA's voucher waiting list and work to bring greater transparency to the process for allocating, awarding and placing all available Housing Choice Vouchers. The Housing Choice voucher waiting list was last opened in 2014, when approximately 260,000 households applied. The number of households applying was up considerably from 2010, when 203,000 households applied for vouchers. The dramatic increase in applications came during a period when Chicago's population declined, which underscores the need for more housing that is affordable. The average household stays on the Housing Choice waiting list for 4.3 years, although some people remain on the waiting list considerably longer.

My administration will utilize and enforce the Source of Income ordinances and other tools which prevent property owners from discriminating against voucher holders, while ensuring optimal use of incentives such as the Housing Opportunity Tax Incentive Act, which rewards owners and developers for renting to voucher holders in economically stable neighborhoods.

Schools

Yes/No			
61.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you support a city-wide lottery for enrollment in magnet schools?
62.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you support Local School Councils (LSCs) in maintaining full powers, and support them through adequate funding levels that provide training and support for LSCs to do their jobs?
63.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you support a moratorium on school closings until a detailed analysis of the impacts of shuffling children is completed, and a real plan to address the quality of education and safety for every child is in place?

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64.	Will you support an ordinance requiring every school to have a:	
64 a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	full-time nurse?
64 b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	full-time social worker?
64 c.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	full-time librarian?

Choose one		
65.	Which of the following options for choosing the School Board do you support?	
65 a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Popular Election
65 b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mayoral appointment from nominations made by community representatives
65 c.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Maintaining the current system of Mayoral appointment
65 d.	<input type="checkbox"/>	A mix of elected and appointed members

Environment

Yes/No			
66.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you oppose disposal of contaminated dredging sediment from the Cal-Sag Channel within Chicago city limits?
67.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you support an infrastructure project to replace Chicago's remaining lead service lines?
68.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Will you support mandatory private side replacement of lead pipes with need-based subsidies for homeowners? A size fits all approach is not appropriate. Any decisions to replace lead pipes must be made with input from residents and be based, in part, on the result of water testing.

Parks

Yes/No	
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69.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you support park prioritization of land acquisition and capital improvements first to those neighborhoods which are underserved by existing facilities?
70.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you support election of the Chicago Park District Board?

Transportation

Yes/No			
71.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you vote to increase the City subsidy to the CTA?

Rank from 1st to last preference (1, first – 4, last)			
72.	Please indicate which CTA expansion plans, if any, you support and rank them in order of priority.		
72 a.	X 1	Red Line south to 130th Street	
72 b.	X 2	Orange Line to Ford City Mall	
72 c.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Downtown-O'Hare Express This is a bad and unnecessary idea.	
72 d.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other – please specify	

Criminal Justice

Yes/No:			
73.	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	Do you support re-allocating police services from low-crime to high-crime neighborhoods? We need enough resources to address the policing needs of every neighborhood. Of course those areas of the city where violence is raging out of control need to take priority. However, draining resources from one neighborhood to give to another is bad policy. Policing should not be a zero sum game.

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74.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you vote for more funding for alternative crime prevention programs such as Cease Fire?
75.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Will you support an ordinance codifying the provisions of the Consent Decree regarding the duties and accountability of school resource officers?

Essay	
76.	<p>Do you support the proposed Civilian Police Accountability Council (CPAC) Ordinance? If not, how can it be improved.</p> <p>I support the Grassroots Alliance for Police Accountability (“GAPA”) plan for civilian oversight.</p>

Civil Rights

Yes/No:			
77.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you support affirmative action based on race, gender and sexual orientation in establishing criteria for hiring and promoting public employees?
78.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you support affirmative action as a criteria in letting city contracts?
79.	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you favor restructuring the wage scale of city employees to institute gender-equal pay for jobs of comparable worth?

Mayoral Priorities

Essay	
80.	<p>What are your top priorities for Chicago?</p> <p>I am running for mayor to to build a City government that listens to and prioritizes the needs of low-income and middle-class families. We’ve got to invest in people and neighborhoods. My policy priorities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Guaranteeing public safety as a basic right by addressing the root causes of violence, implementing a proactive strategy to stop gun violence, building trust between police officers and communities, and dramatically improving the low homicide clearance rate

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81.	<p>What is your long-range plan for development of the city?</p> <p>As mayor, I will commission a panel to analyze long-term economic development opportunities for the entire city. The city has been without a comprehensive land use plan since 1966, even though some individual neighborhoods have quality of life plans. We must do better and not leave decisions regarding development to the vagaries of developers who may or may not speak our values.</p> <p>My panel will identify assets and opportunities in our neighborhoods, assess how they fit into the Chicago, regional and national economies, and then make proposals for investing in those neighborhoods based on their findings.</p> <p>In the more immediate term, I will work to make capital available to neighborhood businesses by converting certain grant programs, like the Neighborhood Opportunity Fund, into low interest loan programs so entrepreneurs and businesses that lack access to traditional sources of capital can start or expand existing businesses. In addition, I will work with businesses, non-profits and local universities to fund, create and staff business incubators, like mHUB and 1871, and job development programs in neighborhoods on the west and south sides so entrepreneurs and workers have the same opportunities as people downtown and on the north side of the city.</p>
82.	<p>How will you solicit and follow citizens' and community groups' recommendations on City matters?</p> <p>As set forth in my plan to clean up city government, available here, I intend to make Chicago city government accessible to everyone. I have proposed giving the public input into creating any new TIF districts, and holding town hall meetings throughout the city as part of the annual budget process. I also support an elected school board that conducts its business in public, rather than executive session, and civilian oversight of the Chicago Police Department. These are just the beginnings of my plan to make city government accessible and responsive to the people it serves.</p>

Thank you for your participation!