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## PAGE 2: CAMPAIGN INFORMATION

<b>Q1: Candidate Name</b>	Ethan Orr
<b>Q2: Party Affiliation</b>	Republican
<b>Q3: Legislative Chamber</b>	House
<b>Q4: Legislative District</b>	District 9
<b>Q5: Campaign Website</b>	www.ethanforhouse.com
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## PAGE 3: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

<b>Q8: Have you ever been involved in any animal protection issues?</b>	<p>YES,</p> <p>Comments I amended the racing omnibus bill to include additional protecting and injury reporting for Greyhounds. As a result Grey2K a National Greyhound advocacy organization awarded me their legislator of the year award for 2014. I also supported legislation creating an animal abuse registry and also worked to tie that registry into the child protective services database, I am hoping to complete that project if I am re-elected.</p>
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**Q9: Do you have, or have you had in the past, any companion animals that have had an impact on you?**

YES,

Comments

I was the executive director of an organization which served people with disabilities for over ten years and I saw first hand the necessity and importance of service and companion animals. I also work closely with and financially support Gabriel's Angels, a non-profit that helps provide companion animals into contact at risk youth for therapeutic reasons.

**Q10: Do you financially or philosophically support any local or national animal protection organizations?**

YES,

If so, which ones?

I have lent political support to an effort by our county to issue bonds in order to rebuild the Pima County Animal Control facility. Also, our family adopts animals from the Humane Society of Tucson.

#### PAGE 4: FARM ANIMALS

**Q11: Do you support removing farm animals and horses from protection under Arizona's animal cruelty law and placing them under new, weaker laws in the agriculture code?**

Comments

HB 2587 involved a number of stakeholders including representatives from the agricultural community as well as advocates for animals. As stakeholders we need to continue the ongoing discussion between the farm community and advocates for animals.

#### PAGE 5: COMPANION ANIMALS

**Q12: Would you support legislation to require registration, oversight and/or standards of care for animals in boarding facilities and breeding kennels?**

YES,

Comments

In crafting this legislation it would be important to me that everyone, including kennel owners have a seat at the table and that all viewpoints regarding the issue are heard.

#### PAGE 6: ANIMAL CONTROL

**Q13: Do you believe that Arizona should have uniform animal control laws to prevent inhumane treatment of animals?**

YES,

Comments

It is important as we craft this legislation to understand the challenges facing rural counties and make sure that we understand the dynamics throughout the entire state before we draft the requirements.

**PAGE 7: WILDLIFE AND HABITAT**

**Q14: Do you support a process that includes less than 1% of hunters & anglers and limits the voice of a majority of Arizonans to participate in the Arizona Game & Fish Commission appointment process?**

NO,

Comments

My understanding was that SB1200 was an attempt to create a merit-based process to appoint members to the Game and Fish board. I am happy review and make changes to the process but only if everyone, including members of the review board has a seat at the table.

**Q15: Do you believe that SB 1200 should be repealed?**

NO,

Comments

I believe that the best policy is made when everyone is part of the conversation. I will help facilitate the conversation about repealing SB1200 but I would not support a repeal until I have heard all sides of the issue.

**PAGE 8: GREYHOUND RACING**

**Q16: Would you support legislation to repeal multi-million dollar tax breaks to dog tracks?**

YES,

Comments

I am working on legislation that would decouple live racing from simulcast if my bill were to pass; the Tucson Greyhound Park could stop live racing almost immediately. If I am re-elected I will introduce this legislation during the 2015 session.

**PAGE 9: CITIZEN INITIATIVE PROCESS AND ANIMAL PROTECTION**

**Q17: Do you support Arizona's public initiative process?**

YES

**Q18: If YES, what steps would you take to protect our public initiative process?**

*Respondent skipped this question*