

Here's Guide to State Senate Candidates in Monday's Election

STATE SENATOR
14th District
(including Livonia, Plymouth, Farmington, Northville, Farmington and a portion of Western Oakland County.)
Term: 2 years.
Salary: \$10,000 per year plus \$1,250 expense, plus mileage.
Question Asked Candidates:
The candidates were asked to limit their replies to 100 words.
1. What do you consider the chief issues facing Michigan today and how should they be resolved?

Dems

Burke

JOHN H. BURKE: 42, 31811 Staman, Farmington; Attorney; U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, B.S. Wayne U., Det. College of Law L.L.B.; Previously General Manager and Pres. of manufacturing companies, Patent Advisor-U.S. Army; Pres. Staman Acres Civic Assoc., OLS Men's Club, PTA Guild, Dem. Business and Prof. Assn. — 6 yrs. of training and background that



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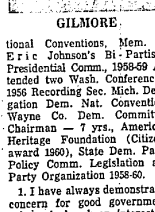
would be of immense value in performing the duties of State Senator-to-wit: the formulation and passing of measures that will be the law of the State.
An extensive period (over ten years) in the management of a national business-experience that would be of particular value in realm of business and labor legislation. The general practice of law which helps in knowing the problems of the average citizen.
1. REAL PROPERTY TAXES: It is my belief that at one time property taxes were a proper method of determining a person's obligation and ability to pay state taxes. Today, however, we find many gross inequities in our general taxation system. Property owners should not be forced with the continual increase of taxes which do not represent his ability to pay. While recognizing that it would be unwise to attempt to replace property taxes with a State Income Tax in one single move, we could start toward this goal with increased deductions in property taxes to be offset by a 1% Income Tax, this would be the best way to maintain fiscal responsibility.

Gilmore
ELSIE GILMORE: 49, 30415 Puritan, Livonia; Co-owner G. E. Gilmore Roofing Co.; Attended Wayne State U.; Det. Parl. Law Club 1950-58, Livonia Business and Prof. Women's Club (charter member 1951), Eleanor Roosevelt League State Treasurer—15 years of Political and Gov. Experience, 10 years precinct delegate Dem. Party, Delegate to 1956 and 1960 Dem. National Conventions, Mem. of E. C. Johnson's 2nd Party Presidential Comm., 1958-60 Attended two Wash. Conferences, 1956 Recording Sec. Mich. Delegation Dem. Nat. Convention, Wayne Co. Dem. Committee Chairman — 7 yrs., American Heritage Foundation (Citizens award 1960), State Dem. Party Policy Comm. Legislation and Party Organization 1958-60.
1. I have always demonstrated concern for good government. I have had a keen interest in the needs of our State. I will support programs to:
... Help reduce local property taxes.
... Expand community mental health services.
... Increase state aid to local school districts, support reorganization of school districts in order to give each child all the facilities for a



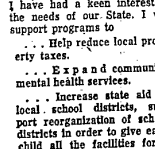
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modern educational program.
... Combat juvenile delinquency.
... Insure traffic safety on our streets and highways.
... Continue the fight for fair utility rates and service in the suburbs.
... County government reform with rules clearly spelled out.
... Tax revision — The Democratic Party has long desired tax reform and will put forth every effort to find a solution.
McNamara
EDWARD H. McNAMARA: 38, 12728 Dolores, Livonia; Manager at Mich. Bell Tele. Co.; Ph. B. U. of Detroit; Rotary Club of Monroe; Pres. Liv. Meadows Homeowners Assoc.; Vice Pres. Livonia City Council—My major in college was in Political Science. In addition, I have served as a school board member in Drbn. Twp for 5 1/2 years (Pres. 2 yrs.) and as a Councilman (3 yrs.) This education and experience has given me an excellent understanding of the needs of the schools and local governments.
1. Tax reform—relief to property tax payers, home-estate exemptions to senior citizens and a more dependable revenue base to schools. I believe these can be accomplished by enacting a modified form of the Swainson-Romney fiscal reform plan.
I also believe expansion of the community college program, expanded mental health facilities and improvement in the Workmen's Compensation Law are necessary.



McNAMARA

Ames
GEORGE T. AMES: 38, 41008 Mooringside, Novi; Barber; Mother High School Ministering, Mich. Cash Tech. (night school); Previously in Insurance, Securities, Salesman, Carr & Co.; Chairman M. M. Committee B.P.O. Elks—Past political experience includes being a director of the Wayne Co. Rep. Precinct Organization, Director



AMES

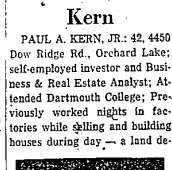
LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS GUIDE
Primary Election . . . Monday, February 15
Polls Open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
This report was prepared as a public information service by the League of Women Voters of Livonia. The LVV is a national volunteer, non-partisan organization established in 1920 to encourage citizen participation in government. It never supports or opposes any political party or candidate.
Information was gathered from questionnaires sent to each candidate. The biographical questionnaire included a question concerning training and experience the candidates had which would qualify them for office.

experience with CPA firm would qualify me for this office.
1. I realize that for years we have been hearing the same issues at every election campaign, such as taxation, mental health, schools, etc. The main issue as far as I am concerned is not to promise



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the people of this district, that I will support this program but rather to promise the people that if elected I will go to Lansing with the promise to do my best to represent everyone in this district. Each proposed bill will be examined and supported or opposed on one basic view, to wit: What is best for the majority of the people of this district.
Kern
PAUL A. KERN, JR.: 42, 4450 Dow Ridge Rd., Orchard Lake; self-employed investor and Business & Real Estate Analyst; Attended Dartmouth College; Previously worked nights in factories while selling and building houses during day — a land developer and finance, build and lease commercial buildings. Served in Air Force during war as pilot and Budget & Analysis Officer B-47 project; Past Pres. Pontiac Taxpayers Assoc.—I am well trained in the virtues of thrift, economy, industry and efficiency. I am well experienced in the advantages of limited government and have a basic understanding of the economics of the Free Enterprise system that has made America and Michigan great.
It is my firm conviction that



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government in getting out to meet the people I represent to find out what they feel about problems and issues, plus my architectural engineering background which has trained me to be thorough and logical in my reasoning, I feel, qualifies me to approach the duties of this office with insight and integrity.
1. I would promote legislation to obtain property relief for the elderly, the reduction of personal property taxes, and fiscal reform to obtain a more equitable taxation for all people. The State Workmen's Compensation law must be improved in the areas of benefits, eligibility, and statute of limitations. Traffic accidents and fatalities have indicated a need for more study and promotion of bills to reduce such an attack on human life. Construction and building safety standards must be improved to protect the people. In all legislative issues, I intend to solve the problems with realistic energy, full time devotion, and common sense.



PAUL A. KERN, JR.

"The big issue of our time is our individual and God-given Rights versus the advancing cynicism of state Socialism." Paul A. Kern, Jr.
A Government that can give you EVERYTHING, can take EVERYTHING.
TAXES: 1. Repeal state tax laws with emphasis on property tax reduction. Oppose State Income tax and work to reduce Federal income tax.
LAW AND ORDER: 1. Uphold criminal delinquency cases. Educate respect of law to reduce enforcement cost. (Law enforcement costs more than education.)
EDUCATION: 1. Make available to local communities, on their option, pre-scheduled school construction packages for communities. Saves cost.
2. Work out flexible plan to encourage qualified teachers to work part time in their communities.
RECRUIT INDUSTRY to our state with a long range plan of support.
3. Make more jobs.
4. Support and encourage existing State industry to expand in our State.
BALANCE BUDGET and increase surplus. Individual Independence protected and expanded.
THE NEW 14TH DISTRICT
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Prescott
FITZHUUGH PRESCOTT: 40; 32235 Loomis Rd., Farmington; Pres. of Fitzmaugh, Inc.; Central Mich. U. and Butler U.; Previously Sales Engineer for McClellan Steel Corp. and International Paper Corp.; American Legion Elks—Business and complete knowledge



PRESCOTT

of Senate affairs by reason of close association with Michigan Senate for a period of 15 yrs. Have attended hundreds of sessions of the Mich. Senate.
1. Employment, Education Health in that order and a return to a "pay as you go" philosophy in state government.
2. Employment... to encourage industry to expand.
3. Education... to increase our mid-level college and university activity. To place more emphasis on skills and trades.
Health... more effectively use our present facilities and encourage preventative medical programs.
All of these things will require financial aid and it must be worked out with a fair tax program wherein we do not penalize one segment of our society in favor of another. We cannot give to the people of Michigan without first taking it away from them.

Roberts
FARRELL E. ROBERTS: 42; 2488 LaFay, Pontiac; Attorney; U.S. Naval Academy, BS; U. of Mich. Law School LL.B. Previously State Senator, 1960-64; State House of Representatives, 1956-60; U. of Mich. Law School B.S. of Visitors, State Bar Comm. on Court Administration, Elks, Kiwanis, Amvets—Served as State Senator from 1960-64, as Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary and as Vice Chairman



ROBERTS

of three committees: Taxation, Labor and Elections. I was also Chairman of the Joint Legislature.
1. Over the next two years we must seek to maintain a workable cooperation between the Governor and the Legislature.
2. Fiscal reform is needed in order to overhaul our outmoded tax structure.
3. We must continue to implement the Community Mental Health Act, so that our mentally disturbed can procure rapid and intensive treatment close to their home environment.
4. A state departmental reorganization act, a county home



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diving Judiciary Committee to implement the new State Constitution. I sponsored many bills in

McHugh
THOMAS J. McHUGH: 32; 1455 Benvenue, City of Sylvan Lake; Engineer; U. of D. Architectural Engineer; Previously Estimator-Salesman-Smith Tarapata, McMahon Inc. and engineer; City Council-City of Sylvan Lake-Councilman-Mayor Pro-Tem, Member of Community Center Comm., Oakland Co. Republican Party-County Committee—My experience in local

rule act, and an inferior court act should be passed during this term.
5. We must continue to meet our higher education needs and to expand our community college facilities.
Don't make the mistake of trying to fight your problems—work to find a solution.

ELECTION QUIZ:
Who has had 5 years of school board experience?
Answer: Page 7
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