



Questions for Candidates for State Legislative Office from the Conservative Coalition of Harris County

Our questionnaire is for candidates to indicate their reasons and opinions concerning issues surrounding their races. This questionnaire will be posted onto the Conservative Coalition of Harris County website for public voter viewing.

Candidate Name	Position for which Candidate is Running
Bob Mitchell	Texas House District 129

Please give your answer to each of the following questions and please include your rationale with each answer. Please be concise and clear.

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1.	Please describe the qualifications and experience that make you the best candidate in your political race.
	Answer: I bring over two decades of executive leadership growing the Gulf Coast economy as President of the Bay Area Houston Economic Partnership, where I helped create high-wage jobs, expand aerospace and advanced manufacturing, and deliver real results through public-private partnerships. I've been appointed by Governor Abbott twice to lead on coastal protection and serve on the state's Aerospace and Aviation Advisory Committee. I'm a lifelong Southeast Texan who's fought to protect property, strengthen infrastructure, and prepare our kids for real-world careers, NOT just talk about it.

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2.	Please explain what you believe are the most significant issues in this race, why you are running for this position and what differentiates you from the other candidate(s).
	Answer: This race is about results versus rhetoric. Texans are tired of rising property taxes, threats to our kids' safety and traditional values, and China buying up Texas land. I'm running to deliver conservative outcomes: lower taxes, safer schools, and strong support for law enforcement and ICE. I've spent my career building coalitions and solving the big problems here in our coastal communities. My opponent brings empty promises and political theater; I bring proven leadership and accountability.

3. What will be your top 3 priorities during your upcoming term?
Answer: Property Tax Relief: Cut the burden on homeowners and small businesses by slashing property taxes in a meaningful, lasting way.

Protecting Our Children: Keep radical ideologies out of classrooms, support parental rights, and ensure schools are safe and secure.

Border Security & Law Enforcement: Fully fund Texas' border mission, support ICE cooperation, and crack down on fentanyl and human trafficking.
4. What key public state issues do you think need to be addressed by Republicans in 2026-2027, such as AI data centers impact on electricity rates, fraud in state government social programs, DEI, medical rights, infrastructure, etc.?
Answer: Energy & Infrastructure: I will ensure AI data centers and growth don't drive up electricity rates for Texans, and I will invest in grid reliability and coastal protection.

Government Accountability: I will root out fraud in state programs and stop taxpayer dollars from funding DEI and woke mandates.

Medical Freedom & Parental Rights: I will fight every day to protect families from government overreach.

Public Safety: I will strengthen border enforcement, support ICE partnerships, and back our law enforcement every step of the way.

5. Strategy for working with the Texas Senate.
5. What is your strategy in working with the Texas Senate to get more of the Texas GOP legislative priorities passed in the next legislative session?
Answer: I will look to build a conservative coalition early, align House priorities with Senate leadership, and move bills quickly through committee with strong stakeholder support. I'll leverage my experience working across government and industry to keep pressure on leadership, keep the base informed, and deliver strong conservative wins on taxes, border security, and keeping our kids safe.

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