Now’s Your Chance: Ask your elected officials tough questions about Money in Politics

Here are some suggested questions for elected officials and candidates running for local, state and national offices. These are suitable for your voters’ guides and candidates’ forums.

1. Do you support any changes to federal or state campaign finance laws and, if so, what specific change(s) do you support?

2. What should be the purpose of campaign finance regulation? What are your goals?

3. How should campaign finance regulations be administered and enforced (at the federal, state or local level, as appropriate for your candidates/officials)?

4. How much should PACs, SuperPACs, and candidate campaigns have to disclose about the contributions they make or receive?

5. What role should broadcast and cable television programming play in fair elections?

6. What is your position on publicly financed elections? Would you run your campaign using public money?