

East Bay Stonewall Democratic Club Endorsement Questionnaire

Thank you for your interest in obtaining an endorsement from the East Bay Stonewall Democratic Club.

Per the Club's bylaws, to be eligible for endorsement, a candidate must be a registered Democrat. All candidates must also complete this candidate questionnaire to be considered for an endorsement. Endorsements are decided by the general membership, and candidates must receive at least 60% of votes cast to be endorsed.

The deadline for questionnaires is posted on the East Bay Stonewall website (<http://eastbaystonewalldemocrats.org/Elections>). Any candidate submitting a questionnaire that is received after the deadline will not appear on the endorsement ballot. To ensure a fair process, no grace period will be granted.

Please return your completed questionnaire via Google forms by clicking submit at the bottom of this form. All form submissions are final. If you have questions, please contact Joe Greaves, EBSDC PAC chair via email at jsphgreaves@gmail.com.

Email *

hank@hlgcpa.com

Name (First Last) *

Henry (Hank) Levy

Are you a registered Democrat *

Yes

No

Office you are seeking? (e.g. City Council, School Board, Supervisor, etc) *

Treasurer-Tax Collector

Jurisdiction *

Alameda County

District *

n/a

Are you an East Bay Stonewall Democratic Club member in good standing? If you are unsure, email eastbaystonewalldems@gmail.com. *

Yes

No

I self-identify as: (check all boxes that apply; note these identifiers will be used publicly during our endorsement process.) *

Gay

Lesbian

Transgender

Gender non-conforming

Bisexual

Queer

Straight

Other:

How have you participated in East Bay Stonewall Democratic Club activities, and/or supported the Club other ways? What other LGBTQ+ organizations are you affiliated with and in what capacity? What other Democratic clubs are you affiliated with? *

No, I haven't participated in Stonewall Democratic Club activities. And, I haven't been active in other Democratic clubs.
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Using specific examples, please identify the causes you have advocated for and the ways you have helped advance LGBTQ+ rights or otherwise helped foster a community of inclusivity for LGBTQ+ individuals and families. *

Mostly on a personal basis with my family.
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Have you previously supported LGBTQ+ candidates for office? If yes, did that include financial support? *

I believe I have, but I cannot recall specific names.
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Which LGBTQ+ organizations and elected officials have formally endorsed you for this race? *

None that I know of. I have been endorsed by many organizations and other elected officials, but none that I know of that are formerly LGBTQ+.

Please describe a policy/goal that is part of your formal platform that benefits the LGBTQ+ community? *

I have no formal platform goals specific to the LGBTQ+ community, but (given my office and responsibilities), I am open to hearing your ideas.

What makes you uniquely qualified for the office and how are you different or unique from the other candidates in your race? *

I have been instituting various policies that are different than many of my peers, including using my powers as Treasurer (impact lending), as tax collector (promote affordable housing & open space), as retirement plan trustees (promote sustainable investing). Fortunately, I have no opposition.

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