

STATE ASSEMBLY, 142ND DISTRICT VOTER GUIDE 2022



PATRICK BURKE	THE 142 ND DISTRICT INCLUDES: th Buffalo, Lackawanna, West Seneca, and Orc	hard Park.
Democratic	ISSUES	Republican, Conservative
– Did not respond –	BACKGROUND	Registered Nurse for 40 years
	CAMPAIGN WEBSITE	
	TOP PRIORITIES	No more lockdowns or mandates. People that have been fired because of vaccine mandates return to work. Lower taxes and regulations and use common sense.
	Good Cause Eviction	SUPPORT
	Banning Natural Gas hookups	OPPOSE
	Single Payer Healthcare	OPPOSE
	Extended Producer Responsibility	OPPOSE
	Enacting a Climate Change Superfund	OPPOSE
	Protecting Employers from Unemployment Insurance Rate Increases	SUPPORT
	Repealing the Brownfield Cleanup Program's \$50,000 Application Fee	SUPPORT
	Extending Aid to Offset the Benefits Cliff	SUPPORT
	Expanding 0% corporate franchise tax to smaller manufacturers	OPPOSE

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PATRICK BURKE Democratic	ISSUES	SANDRA MAGNANO Republican, Conservative	
– Did not respond –	On energy and climate policy	Nothing is really affordable and gas prices are through the roof. This affects everything we do and people are making choices about the amount of gas they put in their tanks and cheaper food choices. One party rule is destroying this state. The price of electric cars is high and not everyone can afford an electric car and frankly it doesn't really work when we are struggling through a blizzard.	
	On the largest impediment to growth in our region	High taxes and too many regulations that control everything. My husband was a small business owner before he died in 2019. I know the struggles first-hand and this state continues to punish small business owners. They now are slapping small business owners with a surcharge to help the state pay back federal loans.	
	On bridging the digital divide	Increase digital literacy by providing programs to address deficiencies in different age groups. I see that older citizens struggle more with technology because they weren't raised with it. My in-laws used to use their local library for support. Libraries are still relevant and important and should be funded.	
	On developing the next generation of workers	We need to show people the value of going to work. Covid made things upside down and we still are struggling to find workers to fill positions. I was a cleaning lady at 12 and have always worked so we need to show people there is value in working and a good worker is a gift. I hostess on the weekend at a local restaurant and work with some very hard-working amazing people.	
	On why employers should support him/her	I am a hard worker and I am committed to working for everyone. I want to keep my children in this state and I want people to stop fleeing New York.	

