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Running For: State Representative

District: 111

Candidate Questionnaire

Thank you for taking the time to reflect on your experience with Maine's nonprofit sector. Once we receive your response, your answers will be posted on our website at www.nonprofitmaine.org/2016candidates. Please respond no later than Friday, September 30, 2016.

Did you know nonprofits:

- **Employ 1 in 7 workers** in Maine.
- **Contribute \$10 billion per year** to the economy through wages paid, retail and wholesale sales, and professional services contracted.
- **Pay \$3.6 billion annually in wages**, which translates to approximately **\$206 million in personal income tax revenue**.
- **Mobilize 350,000 volunteers each year** to improve communities.

1. Please describe your personal and professional experiences with nonprofit organizations.

I am employed by a nonprofit, Redington-Fairview General Hospital and am on the board of Somerset Woods Trustees (a land trust) and am on Western Mountain committee of Maine Community Foundation. My husband was former board member of BRCA which is also a land trust.

2. Please provide specific ways in which, if elected, you would partner with the nonprofit sector to advance policies that strengthen Maine.

I think that the nonprofits are doing a wonderful job to help Maine Citizens. I am happy to work with them, as I have done in the past when I was a legislator

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3. What is your position on property tax exemption for Maine nonprofit property owners?

I think that this should remain

4. Do you have any specific questions or need further information on any particular issue regarding Maine's nonprofit sector that we can help you with?

I don't think so

You may submit your responses as follows:

Via email to: mecasale@nonprofitmaine.org

Online: www.nonprofitmaine.org/2016candidates

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