Climate change is the single greatest threat to the sustainability of human life on our planet, and the 2020 election is the last, best chance for the U.S. to confront this crisis. With a wide-open Democratic presidential primary and critical congressional races, LCV and our allies are embarking on a campaign to keep the climate crisis a top issue and ensure that elected officials are committed to ambitious and immediate action.

WE NEED YOUR HELP

As someone who funds political campaigns, you can expect candidates will be calling to secure your financial support. You have the chance to make an impact during the primary election by maximizing these interactions. When you talk to candidates, take the opportunity to ask directly about their positions on climate solutions and make certain they have a strong answer for how they will prioritize climate solutions.

If you hear from one of the presidential campaigns or attend an event with a candidate, we ask that you please tell LCV staff about your interaction.

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If elected, will you make addressing the climate crisis one of your top three priorities starting on day one in office?

Many elected officials have already committed to achieve 100 percent clean energy by 2050. If elected, will you commit to 100 percent clean energy and net-zero climate pollution economy-wide no later than 2050?

Will you pursue the most just, equitable economic transition that supports good-paying new jobs in clean energy and prioritizes communities that are historically overburdened by pollution and most vulnerable to climate impacts?

Companies whose primary business is the extraction, processing, distribution, or sale of oil, gas, or coal - try to leverage political contributions by their PACs, lobbyists and executives to promote policies with candidates and lawmakers that harm the health of our families and worsen the climate crisis. Will you reject all contributions over $200 from the PACs, lobbyists or SEC-named executives of the fossil fuel industry?

We have seen unprecedented attacks on public health and clean air and water regulations by the current administration. Will you advance strong environmental rules, including restoring and strengthening rules rolled back by the current administration?