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 *

david4emeryville@gmail.com

Name (First Last) *

David Mourra
Are you a registered Democrat *

- Yes
- No

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

City Council

Jurisdiction *

City of Emeryville

District *

City of Emeryville

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
- [x] 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?

I am a new member of the East Bay Stonewall Democratic Club. I'm not a member of other LGBTQ+ organizations however I consider myself a strong supporter of LGBTQ+ rights.

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.

I strongly support LGBTQ+ rights and I only vote for pro-LGBTQ+ candidates and issues.
Have you previously supported LGBTQ+ candidates for office? If yes, did that include financial support?

Yes, I've financially supported Emeryville's current mayor John Bauters.

Which LGBTQ+ organizations and elected officials have formally endorsed you for this race?

None at this time. Endorsement discussions are in progress.

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

Homelessness and housing instability occur at higher rates among transgender and nonbinary youth due to discrimination at home and in their communities. I strongly support building more housing and affordable housing and securing the resources needed to support such youth. Specific care must be taken to ensure those providing support services are trained and understand the needs of homeless youth, including ensuring safety and placing in housing with sensitivity to gender identity.

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

I have practical experience from my role in the City's planning commission. This role requires engaging directly with developers and advocating for securing resources for the city, including financial support for initiatives on housing and other city priorities.