

## **Business Empowered PAC**

### **Key Issues**

### **Local Races**

	<u>Raise Taxes and Fees</u>	<u>Elect or Appoint Auditor</u>	<u>Olympian Drive</u>
Stephanie Holderfield - GOP - CB#1	Last Resort, control spending	Elected	Support
Particia Petrie - DEM - CB#6	Last Resort, control spending	Change State Statute, elected or appointed not problem.	Oppose
Joshua Hartke - DEM - CB#6	Last Resort, shift burden from home owners and small businesses to large developments and multiple property owners	Elected	Oppose
Christopher Alix - DEM - CD9	Last Resort, control spending	Like idea of referendum on issue and did not epxress view point either way	Support

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#### **Governor**

	<u>Raise Taxes and Fees</u>	<u>Managed Medicaid</u>	<u>High Speed Rail</u>
Kirk Dillard - GOP	Control Spending	Support	Support, but didn't indicate state funding support
Dan Proft - GOP	Control Spending, "categorically oppose any tax or fee increase"	Support, but caution with implementation not to jeopardize \$5 billion in federal matching funds from hospital tax dollars	Oppose as presented and oppose state funding
Bill Brady - GOP	Control spending, oppose tax and fee increases	Support	Supports state funding and believes communities should have say in route planning
Dan Hynes - DEM	Control spending, implement progressive tax system ranging from 0.5% to 4.5%. Individuals making over \$200,000 will see their taxes raised	Partially supports, need to study Medicaid liability growth.	Support and would advocate for state dollars.

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#### **Lt. Governor**

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Jason Plummer - GOP	Control Spending, increase "tax base" not taxes	Support	Support, but would not be a priority
Don Tracy - GOP	Control spending, support tax increase only to avert state bankruptcy and make it temporary.	Support	Support, but would not be a priority
Brad Cole - GOP	Control spending, however, can not take the issue of raising taxes off the table.	Support	Support, need more study before allocating state dollars for the project
Scott Lee Cohen - DEM	Would support tax and fee increases only after spending has been controlled and necessary cuts are made	Wait to see what Washington does and coordinate Medicaid reform then.	Support and would advocate for state dollars.