

## **Optional Short Answer Questions for Ken Tucker**

### **Optional: What is your position on Medicaid block grants?**

“I believe it is ridiculous to make life more difficult for people especially people with disabilities and or any preexisting medical condition. I believe one of the most important jobs of a government is to protect it's most vulnerable citizens.”

### **Optional: What is your position on LTSS for people with disabilities and are they included in your health care plan?**

“I'm not an expert on this topic. However, as a teacher I know the important role support service providers play in the lives of those that need them.”

### **Optional: What is your position on Direct Support Professionals (DSP) getting paid adequate wages for their work?**

“Much like ESP's in education LTSS's seem to be taken advantage of and not paid a living wage. I believe that is wrong and needs to be addressed.”

### **Optional: What is your position on paid family leave?**

“I absolutely support paid family leave.”

### **Optional: What are you doing to protect the ADA? How will you make sure people with disabilities get treated fairly?**

“The fact that ADA has been a law for 30 years and yet there are some government buildings, or any buildings that are inaccessible to many with disabilities shows me that this is unfinished business. I will work daily demanding equality for all.”