Ballots Over Bars Non-partisan Voter Guide 2018: Statewide Primary Elections

Statewide Offices up for Election and their role in the criminal justice system:

1. **Governor**
   a. Appoints the Secretary of Public Safety and the DOC Commissioner.
   b. Nominates Parole Board members and judges.
   c. Can commute and pardon individuals.
   d. Can introduce, veto or sign legislation.

2. **Lieutenant Governor**
   a. Sits on the Governor’s Council.

3. **Attorney General**
   a. Can bring criminal charges.
   b. Can investigate civil rights violations.

4. **Secretary of State**
   a. Protects access to voting rights.

5. **Treasurer**
   a. Manages and safeguards the state’s public deposits and investments through sound business practices for the benefits of the Commonwealth’s citizens.

6. **Auditor**
   a. Conducts audits of state entities and contractors to assess their performance and recommend improvements and ensure tax dollars are spent widely.

7. **U.S. Senator**
   a. Introduces and votes on federal legislation.

Regional Elections – Not included in this guide

1. **U.S. Representative**
   a. Introduces and votes on federal legislation.

2. **County District Attorney**
   a. Top-elected prosecutor for each county; decides criminal charges to bring.

3. **Governor’s Council**
   a. Can approve or deny the Governor’s nomination for Parole Board and judiciary.

4. **State Representative**
   a. Introduces and votes on state-level legislation.

5. **State Senator**
   a. Introduces and votes on state-level legislation.

Note: 3 statewide ballot questions will appear on the general election ballot.
Candidates for Governor

Charlie Baker
Republican, Incumbent
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Candidate Background
Charlie Baker was elected Governor of Massachusetts in 2014. According to ontheissues.org, Charlie Baker is in favor of legal abortion, marriage equality, charter schools, universal health care, gun control, the Secure Communities method of immigration enforcement, and a two year limit and work requirement for welfare. He believes in taking steps to reduce the effects of global warming and that each city should be entitled to decide whether or not to become a sanctuary city.

Stance on Criminal Justice
Baker has said “Massachusetts should be proud that our prison population has declined by 1,300 inmates over the last two years, leaving us with one of the lowest incarceration rates in the country. However, we must focus on addressing recidivism by providing opportunities for certain prisoners who are willing to help themselves and participate in programs like workforce skills training opportunities that put them on the path to being productive members of society once their sentence is served.” (mass.gov) Filed legislation to reduce "fine time" (serving prison time for legal fees people can't afford). (WBUR) Sought to charge state prisoners $5 a day for room and board (ontheissues.org). Believes in repealing mandatory minimums for drug offenses. When signing recent criminal justice reform legislation, Baker stated, “We are pleased to sign a number of important reforms to the criminal justice system today, including a long overdue ‘fentanyl fix’ to allow law enforcement to go after fentanyl traffickers, expanded protections against witness intimidation and increased penalties for repeat OUI offenders and corporate manslaughter, and a new mandatory minimum for assault and battery on a police officer causing serious injury. As this process continues, we look forward to future progress with the Legislature on this bill and others to best serve our Commonwealth.” (mass.gov)

Scott Lively
Republican
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Candidate Background
Scott Lively is a pastor and lawyer. He describes himself as “Pro-Life, Pro-Gun, Pro-Trump.” He is the president of Abiding Truth Ministries and cofounder of Watchmen on the Walls, conservative Christian groups that emphasize an anti-LGBTQ agenda. Lively supports school vouchers and the death penalty for first degree murder, is against legal abortion and sanctuary cities, and believes that Islam poses a serious threat to the United States. [https://www.livelyforgovernor.us/issues.htm]
**Stance on Criminal Justice**
Lively believes laws should be rooted in the morals of the Bible and that the government should focus on preventing crime by “strengthening family values” in partnership with churches. He supports relaxing gun laws to arm more citizens and placing bounties on people known to deal drugs. He believes in demilitarization of police, and community policing. Lively has stated that prisons should only house “criminals who represent a genuine danger to the public” and should become “work centers.” He has also stated that he is committed to restorative justice and integrating therapy into incarceration. [https://www.livelyforgovernor.us/issues.htm]

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**Jay Gonzalez**
*Democrat*
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**Candidate Background**
Jay Gonzalez is the President and CEO of CeltiCare Health and New Hampshire Healthy Families. He previously worked as the chair of the Massachusetts Board of Early Education and Care and was the Secretary of Administration and Finance of MA in Deval Patrick’s Administration. Gonzalez believes in expanding supports for veterans, raising the minimum wage to $15, increasing paid family and medical leave, funding sexual and reproductive healthcare, closing the gender wage gap, expanding early education opportunities for all families, campaign finance reform, expanding gun control, increasing MA’s reliance on green energy sources, investing in more reliable transportation, and instituting a single-payer healthcare system. [https://jay4ma.com]

**Stance on Criminal Justice**
Gonzalez believes Massachusetts has a costly and harmful problem of over-incarceration and that our state criminal justice system does not address the root causes of crime. He believes in raising the juvenile age to 21, supporting community organizations to work with youth in violence prevention programs, expanding programs for mental illness and addiction, eliminating cash bail and stopping incarcerating people based on the inability to pay, repealing mandatory minimum sentences for all crimes except murder, allowing medical parole, expanding educational and work programs in prison, curtailing the use of solitary confinement, increasing resources for formerly incarcerated people, limiting driver’s license suspensions, and reducing the time to seal CORI records. [https://jay4ma.com]
Bob Massie
Democrat
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Candidate Background
Bob Massie is an author, activist, and former minister who has founded several international nonprofit organizations. Massie’s work has focused on opposing apartheid, and promoting environmentalism, sustainability, corporate accountability and social justice broadly. Massie has stated, “We must work together to reverse our current upside-down economy that favors Wall Street over Main Street and fight a federal government in the pockets of corporate elites...For children to thrive and learn in school they need a safe and secure home, healthy food, available parents, and good schools. Their parents need childcare support, affordable healthcare, and access to good jobs. To start a small business, entrepreneurs need high speed internet, local capital, a trained workforce, and reliable infrastructure. Everything links to everything else. We cannot treat opioid addiction, reduce mass incarceration, increase affordable housing or battle climate change, one issue at a time. We need a coordinated approach and a holistic vision.” He believes in expanding arts funding, a single payer health care system, increasing the minimum wage, and increasing gun control. (bobmassie2018.com)

Stance on Criminal Justice
Massie has stated, “America’s justice system is fundamentally broken...The system is full of racial disparity and bias, some of it unintentional but no less institutionalized. We spend taxpayer dollars to jail people for failure to pay small fines or for minor drug offenses, many of which are no longer even illegal. We must distinguish between dangerous offenders and small and first time offenses, make better use of alternative sentences, remember to temper justice with mercy, and assist those who have done their time to re-enter our communities. We have chronically underfunded programs that could steer youth away from trouble, even though we know that doing so saves money and improves public safety.” He has promised to invest in early interventions, support body cameras, retrain police, fund public defenders, eliminate mandatory minimums, support alternatives to jail, free people in jail for offenses that are no longer illegal, seek alternatives to incarceration for parents, end solitary confinement, support family visits, offer more mental health care in jail, sponsor job programs, and reform bail. (bobmassie2018.com)
Candidates for Lieutenant Governor

Karyn Polito
Republican, Incumbent
Running with Charlie Baker
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Candidate Background
Karyn Polito was elected Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts in 2014. Polito was previously a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives and was involved in local government in Shrewsbury. She supports charter schools, abortion rights, privatizing social security, lowering taxes on the wealthy, restricting welfare benefits, and loosening gun control. She voted against: universal health care and providing undocumented immigrants with in-state tuition to MA colleges. She voted on a constitutional amendment to define marriage as between a man and a woman, but has since come out in support of same-sex marriage. (ontheissues.org)

Stance on Criminal Justice
Polito has voted to reinstate the death penalty in Massachusetts. She opposed publicly funding legal service for incarcerated people. She advocated passing a law that would impose mandatory minimum sentences for child sex offenders. Polito responded to the recently-passed Massachusetts criminal justice reform legislation, saying, “Commonsense reforms like expanded protections for witnesses and their families and stiffened penalties for repeat OUI offenders will make our communities safer, while workforce skills training opportunities for certain prisoners will help offenders transition to be more productive once they leave jail.” (mass.gov)

Quentin Palfrey
Democrat
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Candidate Background
Quentin Palfrey, a Harvard College and Harvard Law School graduate, was Senior Advisor for Jobs & Competitiveness in the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy during the first term of President Obama. In 2008, he was the voter protection director for Obama’s campaign in Ohio.

Palfrey said he fought for consumers in both his previous roles as Massachusetts Assistant Attorney General and then Chief of the Health Care Division in the Office of the Massachusetts Attorney General. He supports gun control, affirmative action, passing the Millionaire’s tax, resisting the Trump presidency, expanding voter registration, and net neutrality. (brookline.wickedlocal.com)
Stance on Criminal Justice
"In this campaign, we’ll be fighting for [...] criminal justice reform" [campaign site]

“We imprison too many people, for too long, for doing too little, and race has way too much to do with who ends up in the criminal justice system. I want to use the platform of the Lt. Governor’s Office to be a real leader in reforming that system and getting better services for mental health and for substance use disorders.” Palfrey also supports decriminalizing drug use, bail reform and investing in community-based organizations with a track record of facilitating reentry. [thereminder.com]

Jimmy Tingle
Democrat
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Candidate Background
Jimmy Tingle is a comedian, political humorist, and actor. He supports abortion rights, Obamacare, drug tests for welfare recipients, raising taxes on the rich, barring Syrian refugees from the U.S., further gun control, charter schools, increasing environmental regulations, requiring vaccinations for children, increasing spending on public transportation, and supporting worker unions. [isidewith.com]

Stance on Criminal Justice
Tingle has expressed support for equipping police with body cameras and has said he does not support the death penalty. He has stated, “I understand how economic pressure, unsupervised children, substance abuse and the mistakes of youth can often lead to an early life of crime and incarceration, a life that is often very difficult to change. I plan to work for the continued reform of the Massachusetts criminal justice system, including alcohol and drug treatment, job training, employment opportunities for inmates while incarcerated and upon release as part of comprehensive reentry reform.” Tingle supports limits on solitary confinement, bail reform, expunging some criminal records, eliminating mandatory minimums for nonviolent drug offenses, raising the threshold at which a larceny becomes a felony, preventing witness intimidation, increasing access to clergy and religious services, and increasing the access to 12 step programs and peer to peer mentoring programs for incarcerated people. [jimmytingle4mass.com]
Candidates for Attorney General

**Maura Healey**  
*Democrat, Incumbent*  
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**Candidate Background**  
Maura Healey was elected the Attorney General of Massachusetts in 2014. Previously, Healey served as chief of the civil rights division, a role in which she challenged the Federal Defense of Marriage Act. She is the first openly gay state attorney general elected in the United States. Healey believes in abortion rights, deportation of immigrants who commit serious crimes, Obamacare, drug testing for welfare recipients, raising taxes on the rich, accepting refugees from Syria, decreasing military spending, further gun control, the Common Core national standards, increasing regulations to prevent climate change, and increasing spending on public transportation.  

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Healey has a background as a civil rights attorney and criminal prosecutor, and has stated “we need an approach to criminal justice that focuses on outcomes - stronger and healthier communities - and not just on punishment. It’s not enough to just be tough on crime; we have to be smart on crime.”  

Healey believes the current prisons reflect three decades of tough on crime laws, and “We cannot incarcerate and imprison our way to a healthier, more productive state...We need to reform the criminal justice system to serve communities trapped in generations of poverty and cycles of incarceration.”  

She believes in reforming sentencing, ending mandatory minimums, banning solitary confinement for juveniles, equipping police with body cameras, improving reentry, and releasing people who have committed non-violent crimes, in order to reduce prison overcrowding.

**Jay McMahon**  
*Republican*  
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**Candidate Background**  
Jay McMahon has been an attorney at law since 1988, practicing civil, criminal, domestic, probate and bankruptcy law. McMahon believes in looser gun control laws, stricter laws and enforcement against opioid distribution, working with Federal authorities against illegal immigration, and supports law enforcement. McMahon generally supports President Trump.

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
McMahon believes in stricter enforcement and more laws to regulate the opioid crisis, and that local law enforcement should cooperate with ICE, the DEA, and the FBI to combat illegal immigration.
Candidates for Secretary of State

Bill Galvin
Democrat, Incumbent
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Candidate Background
Bill Galvin was elected Massachusetts Secretary of State since 1995 and has been continuously re-elected to the office since then. He is the chairman of the Massachusetts Historical Commission. He hopes to make voter registration more convenient and to work to ensure that investors are protected from fraud. Galvin supports abortion rights, deporting immigrants who have committed serious crimes, a single-payer healthcare system, drug-testing welfare recipients, raising taxes on the rich, increasing military spending, barring Syrian refugees from entering the U.S., further gun control measures, and increasing government regulations to reduce climate change. (isidewith.com)

Stance on Criminal Justice
Galvin believes police officers should be required to wear body cameras, that drug traffickers should not receive the death penalty, that non-violent prisoners should be released from jail to reduce overcrowding, that solitary confinement should be banned for juveniles. (isidewith.com)

Josh Zakim
Democrat
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137 Lewis Wharf, Boston, MA 02110

Candidate Background
Josh Zakim is a member of the Boston City Council and an attorney. He is a chairman on the Council’s Committee on Housing and Community Development. Zakim hopes to increase voter turnout and supports automatic voter registration, weekend voting, and same-day voter registration, as well as stronger oversight of businesses and increasing public access to government records. Zakim’s website states he plans to address equity and fairness in Boston. He has worked to enact sanctuary city protections in Boston and tried to expand affordable housing in Boston. (joshzakim.com)

Stance on Criminal Justice
Josh Zakim has not yet released any statements on the criminal justice system.
Anthony Amore
Republican
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[address not known]

Candidate Background
Anthony Amore currently works as the Director of Security and Chief Investigator at the Isabella Stewart Museum in Boston. Prior to his current position, Amore used to work as a Special Agent with the Federal Aviation Administration's Security Division. Amore also worked as an officer with the U.S. Immigration Service and with the U.S Department of Homeland Security Transportation Security Administration prior to the attacks on 9/11. He believes in open government records, securing our voting systems from cyber threats, and providing resources to business to stop identity theft (Amore).

Stance on Criminal Justice
Anthony Amore has not taken an official stance on criminal justice, but has worked in law enforcement and security for many years.
Candidates for Treasurer

Deb Goldberg (Incumbent)
Democrat
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Candidate Background
Deb Goldberg was elected Massachusetts Treasurer in 2014. Before taking on her current role, she served in local government in Brookline. She is active in statewide and national Democratic Party politics. Her great-great grandmother founded the grocery store that became Stop & Shop, and Goldberg cites her early experience as a union grocery store employee as foundational. She has degrees from Boston College and Harvard College. Her website states that she “believes that government has an important role to play in improving people’s lives.”

Stance on Criminal Justice
While the office of Treasurer does not typically take positions on - or have influence over – the criminal justice system, Goldberg has taken steps to increase diversity in the workplace, and as Treasurer has voted against investing in corporate boards of directors if the board is less than 25% female or people of color.

Keiko Orral
Republican
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Candidate Background
Keiko Orral is a Republican member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives (first elected in 2011), running this year for State Treasurer. She states that she was the first Asian-American person to serve in the House, and would be the first Asian-American treasurer were she elected (https://www.votekeiko.com/). She is a former teacher and graduate of Smith College, where she studied education. During the 2016 election, Orral coordinated the state’s Republican party convention and in that role endorsed Donald Trump for president.

Stance on Criminal Justice
As a State Representative, Orral voted against a 2017 bill that would have legalized the personal use of marijuana. However, this year she voted in favor of a comprehensive criminal justice reform bill (H 4011) that, according to news reports, would make “major changes to the state’s criminal justice system including repealing mandatory minimum sentences for low level drug offenders, restricting the use of solitary confinement, allowing for the expungement of juvenile records, strengthening laws against fentanyl trafficking, raising the minimum age of criminal responsibility from seven to twelve and decriminalizing a first offense misdemeanor if the punishment is a fine or imprisonment for not more than six months” (Taunton Gazette).
Jamie Guerin
*Green-Rainbow Party*
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[address not known]

**Candidate Background**
Jamie Guerin is a third-party candidate for State Treasurer. She lives in Northampton and touts her family’s working-class roots in the Pioneer Valley. She serves as the membership director of the Green-Rainbow party. She worked in 2016 for Green Party candidate Jill Stein's presidential campaign.

**Stance on Criminal Justice**
Guerin has not made statements about the criminal justice system.
Candidates for Auditor

Suzanne Bump  
*Democrat, Incumbent*  
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**Candidate Background**  
Suzanne Bump has been the Auditor of Massachusetts since 2011 and is the first woman to ever hold that position. Bump states that her vision is “to bring accountability and modernization to state government operations” and to “look over for the most vulnerable by strengthening the social safety net.” She believes in using data to enhance auditing, increasing cyber security, connecting veterans to services, and has a record of looking for fraud and overspending in government agencies including welfare. Bump has audited Massachusetts Department of Children and Families (DCF) and has pushed for more oversight of children in care of the department.

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Bump believes in “keeping the public from dangerous citizens” by maintaining current addresses for sex offenders. She has also recommended that Massachusetts public defenders (CPCS) provide legal services only to those who could not afford legal representation otherwise to “keep CPCS caseloads manageable.”

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Helen Brady  
*Republican*  
[https://www.giveemhelen.com/](https://www.giveemhelen.com/)  
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**Candidate Background**  
Helen Brady is an executive at the Boston Pops. She states that she wants to “stand up and fight for taxpayers” by playing “an active and aggressive role in rotting out waste, fraud, and abuse” in the “Beacon Hill bureaucracy.” ([giveemhelen.com](http://giveemhelen.com))

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Brady has not released any statements yet discussing criminal justice reform.
**Jed Stamas**  
*Green-Rainbow Party*  
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[address not known]

**Candidate Background**  
Jed Stamas is a science teacher from Northampton. He believes that it is important for someone from an outside party to be in the position of auditing the state government. Stamas’ goals are to “change the priorities of Beacon Hill so that the state invests its energy towards helping people prosper in their lives — rather than catering to corporate interests, to audit state agencies that are not achieving their intended results; ensure that tax revenues are used ethically and efficiently to benefit the people of Massachusetts, and to upgrade our education system to see that all students receive the skills necessary to meet their intellectual, economic and psychological needs.” (green-rainbow.org)

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Stamas has Tweeted about legalizing marijuana but has not yet released other opinions on criminal justice reform.

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**Daniel Fishman**  
*Libertarian*  
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**Candidate Background**  
Daniel Fishman writes software that supports special education. He is “driven by a belief that if we want to get the state out of the social safety net business, we have to show it's not needed.” Fishman believes the current auditor is “spending the people’s money on luxuries” and that the auditor should not be allowed to track private citizens’ spending. He wants to put all state agencies’ books online so that it is easier to track spending. [https://www.auditmassachusetts.com/]

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Fishman believes that the State Police have not been audited well and that their spending should be looked at much more closely. [https://www.auditmassachusetts.com/]
### Candidates for U.S. Senate

#### Elizabeth Warren

*Democrat, Incumbent*

https://elizabethwarren.com/

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**Candidate Background**

Elizabeth Warren was elected U.S. Senator for Massachusetts in 2012, and is currently the senior U.S. senator for Massachusetts. Previously, Warren was a law professor specializing in bankruptcy law. She supports abortion rights, consumer protection against big banks, gay marriage rights, raising taxes on the rich, government regulation and investment in new energy sources to reduce climate change, promoting further voter registration especially among African-Americans, providing more government support to Native Americans, further gun control legislation, Obamacare, sanctuary cities and the DREAM act, and bolstering Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid. *(ontheissues.org)*

**Stance on Criminal Justice**

Elizabeth Warren has stated, “We need criminal justice reform in this country, but we need to understand it’s not a little slice. We need reform of the whole system.” She has been vocal about police officers violating citizens’ constitutional rights, and supports the decriminalization of marijuana. Warren opposes the death penalty but stated she wouldn’t fight the execution of the Boston Marathon Bomber. She has called for reform of sentencing guidelines and to improve interactions between police and local communities. *(elizabethwarren.com)*

#### Geoff Diehl

*Republican*

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**Candidate Background**

Geoff Diehl is a State Representative from Whitman, and has served as a Representative since 2010. Geoff believes in more transparency and accountability at the State House as well as lowering taxes, and prevented an increase in the Massachusetts gas tax. He also supports expanding treatment for drug addicts, looser gun control laws, and is a vocal supporter of fisherman and the state of Israel. *(diehlforsenate.com)*

**Stance on Criminal Justice**

Geoff Diehl believes illegal immigration is the source of the Massachusetts drug epidemic, and supports stopping illegal immigration through increased law enforcement. He believes police officers should wear body cameras, drug traffickers should be allowed to receive the death penalty, and solitary confinement should be allowed to be used on juveniles. *(isidewith.com)*
John Kingston  
*Republican*  
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**Candidate Background**  
John Kingston hopes to “restore civility to politics.” He supports reducing taxes and supporting businesses, ending Obamacare, increasing enforcement against illegal immigration, defunding sanctuary cities, creating more charter schools, requesting the U.S.’s allies to bear more military responsibilities, creating more green technology to reduce climate change, supporting fishermen and veterans, and increasing treatment for opioid addiction. ([johnkingston.com](https://johnkingston.com))

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Kingston states on his website, “Police are our first line of defense against those who would commit crimes, and they are our last hope for ensuring social order.” He believes that communities calling for police reform have created too much distrust of police. Kingston also believes in reducing the rate of imprisonment for nonviolent crimes and investing in mental health services and job opportunities for people returning from prison. ([johnkingston.com](https://johnkingston.com))

Beth Lindstrom  
*Republican*  
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**Candidate Background**  
Beth Lindstrom is a small business owner and was the first female Executive Director of the Massachusetts Republican Party. She was also the executive director of the Massachusetts State Lottery. Lindstrom believes in further enforcement in securing the U.S.’s borders, and lowering taxes for businesses. ([bethforsenate.com](https://bethforsenate.com))

**Stance on Criminal Justice**  
Lindstrom has called for more law enforcement against illegal immigration. She has not yet released other statements on law enforcement or criminal justice reform.
Shiva Ayyadurai
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Candidate Background
Shiva Ayyadurai is a scientist and entrepreneur who holds four degrees from M.I.T. Ayyadurai received criticism for his controversial claim to have invented email. Ayyadurai is a heavy believer in human innovation and believes that it is necessary to improve the quality of life. He is also in favor of reducing climate change, clean food and safety, jobs with good wages, low taxes, immigration control and secure borders, dropping Obamacare, and the protection of gun rights for firearm owners. He was arrested in 2005 for shoving his girlfriend during an argument and stabbing a police officer with a pen after she called the police. (https://shiva4senate.com/)

Stance on Criminal Justice
Shiva Ayyadurai believes that “most gun owners are law abiding citizens we must protect their constitutiona rights”(shiva4senate.com). He is a supporter of President Trump and believes in “cracking down” on crime.