

SENATORIABLES 2019

on SAN issues

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Continue Oplan Tokhang

Yes



No



DEBATE 2019 (9 Feb 2019)

Extension of Martial Law

Yes



No



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LABOR WIN

L	umikha ng disenteng trabaho. Makataong kalagayan sa paggawa. Tama ang oras. Walang pang-aabuso, lalo na sa kabataan at kababaihan.
A	grikultura at Industriya ay palakasin. Tapusin ang repormang agraryo. langat ang kalagayan ng manggagawang bukid. Isailalim sa modernisasyon at makabago at makataong teknolohiya ang agrikultura. Suportahan ang small at medium enterprises. Palawigin ang sektor ng manufacturing.
B	abaaan ang presyo ng pangunahing bilingin, pamasaha at pabahay upang makaagapay ang manggagawa at maralita, nang mabuhay nang may dignidad.
O	FW legal defense, lalo na para sa mga kababaihang biktima ng trafficking; at OFW empowerment, na magbibigay sa kanila ng pagkakataon mamuhunan na may garantiya ng pamahalaan.
R	egular na Trabaho. Wakasan ang endo. Kilalanin ang karapatan sa paggawa, palakasin ang karapatan mag-organisa.
W	ages. Pambansang Minimum Wage na nakabubuhay ipatupad. Buwagin ang di pantay na Regional Minimum Wages.
I	nsurance, partikular ang Unemployment Insurance itatag para sa mga tinatanggal at nawawalan ng trabaho.
N	o to ChaCha! Pigilan ang Resolution of Both Houses 15, ang panukalang konstitusyon na di kumikilala sa karapatan sa paggawa at magpapanatili sa pwesto sa mga trapo at kanilang pamilya. Pagbabagong magpapalakas ng demokratikong karapatan ng manggagawa at mamamayan ang isulong!

LABOR WIN

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Ernesto
Arellano

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Leody
De Guzman

LABOR WIN

L	umikha ng disenteng trabaho	Decent Jobs: working condition, just working hours, no abuse to women and child/ young workers
A	grikultura at Industriya ay palakasin.	Strengthen agriculture and local industries: complete Agrarian Reform/ land distribution; improve conditions of farmers/ farm workers; worker-centered modernization of technology; support small and medium enterprises; strengthen manufacturing sector
B	abaaan ang presyo ng pangunahing bilingin.	Lower the price of basic necessities, transportation and housing for workers and the poor to afford and live in dignity.
O	FW legal defense.	Legal defense for OFWs, especially women victims of trafficking; empower OFWs to have start up capital from the government.
R	regular na Trabaho.	Regular work; end ENDO. Recognize workers rights and strengthen workers right to organize.
W	Ages - Pambansang Minimum Wage	Implement Living National Minimum Wage; dismantle unjust Regional Minimum Wages.
I	nsurance	Unemployment Insurance for workers who are laid off by their employers
N	o to ChaCha!	No to Charter Change; stop Resolution 15 that denies workers rights and maintains TRAPO and their families in position. Push for Change that strengthens democratic rights of workers and the nation.

SAN priority campaign/ issues

Candidate	Ecology/ Mining	Federalism	ChaCha	BBL	Human Rights	Tokhang/ War on Drugs	Agrarian Reform	DRR	TRAIN Law
ARELLANO, Ernesto		Yes							Suspension with framework
COLMENARES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - no to large-scale, export-oriented destructive mining - mineral resources should be conserved, envt and communities protected from destruction and plunder - Mining shd be strictly regulated, limited for national industrialization and the needs of the local economy - seriously address climate change filed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - oppose federalism at this time - not solution to underdevt poverty will continue as long as wealth and power is controlled by the political dynasties and economic elite and the majority of the people are denied of their rightful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - against Charter change at this time - RBH15 and other charter change proposals only strengthen control and domination of local and foreign elites in political and economic systems, weaken peoples' bill of rights and sovereign power - RBH15/ other chaCha proposals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - recognize and support struggles of Moro people for self determination - BOL is not enough to fully address their aspirations for genuine autonomy: not contain many provisions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - urgent need to address worsening HR situation and culture of impunity in the country - a stop to the killings due to drug war, human rights violations under Martial Law in Mindanao, killings and bombings of lumad communities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - against Duterte's war on drugs premised on questionable data and employs EJKs and other human rights atrocities - filed resolution in Congress to invetsigate killings related to war on drugs - supported families of victims of war on drugs in filing case in ICC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for AR - Genuine agrarian reform based on free land distribution and full support services to farmers is key to addressing poverty and social injustice among small, landless farmers - co-authored the Genuine Agrarian Reform Bill in Congress 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - support call for separate govt body that will lead comprehensive disaster management - Not agree to present version of a super powerful Dept of Disaster Resilience: dangerous and may undermine efforts of other stakeholder 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for pro-people and progressive taxation. But TRAIN Law burdens the poor majority with added taxes. - filed a case in the SC questioning TRAIN Law. We voted NO to TRAIN Law and filed a bill to repeal excise taxes under TRAIN Law - In the immediate, excise taxes for petroleum products should be suspended

Summary of LABOR WIN positions on SAN priority campaign/ issues

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ARELLANO, Ernesto			Yes							Suspend
COLMENARE S, Neri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Filed Peoples Mining Bill, and others - Resolutions to investigate projects, pollution, reclamation resist plunder and destruction, defend our patrimony, and assert human rights. We must build 	<p>No</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Conserve mineral resources, protect from plunder - Strictly regulate, and for national industrialization and local needs only 	<p>Oppose at this time</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - not solution to underdevt - poverty continues with wealth and power controlled by political dynasties/ econ elite and when majority are denied rightful share to wealth and natural resources 	<p>Against ChaCha at this time</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Oppose RBH15 and other proposals that strengthen control and domination of local and foreign elites in political and econ systems, weaken peoples' bill of rights and sovereign power 	<p>For self-determination of Moro people</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - recognize and support struggles - BOL is not enough to address aspirations for genuine autonomy: lack provisions and powers - MILF has won in peace process with govt and might 	<p>Urgent need to address HR situation and culture of impunity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - stop killings due to drug war, HRV under Martial Law in Mindanao, killings and bombings of lumad communities and political persecution & repression of critics of the admin - File cases in 	<p>Against WoD based on questionable data and employs EJK/ HR atrocities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - filed resolution ito invetsigate killings - supported families of victims in filing case in ICC. - Officials and law enforcement officers involved in drug-related 	<p>For AR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - based on free land distribution and full support services to farmers is key to addressing poverty and social injustice among small, landless farmers - co-authored Genuine Agrarian Reform Bill in Congress 	<p>Support separate govt body to lead DM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No agree to present version of a super powerful Dept of Disaster Resilience: dangerous, may undermine efforts of other stakeholders in disaster mgt. - ** immense 	<p>No</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for pro-people, progressive taxation but TRAIN Law burdens majority poor w added taxes - filed a case in SC questioning TRAIN Law - filed bill to repeal excise taxes under TRAIN - Immediately, excise taxes for petroleum products should be suspended

Nutshell of LABOR WIN positions on SAN priority campaign/ issues

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COLMENARES, Neri	- People's Mining Bill - Resist plunder and destruction	No - Conserve mineral resources, regulate for national, local needs only	Oppose at this time - not solution to underdevelopment	Against ChaCha at this time - Oppose RBH15 and other proposals rights	For self-determination of Moro people - BOL is not enough	Urgently address HRV, culture of impunity - Stop killings; make perpetrators accountable	Against - EJK/ HR atrocities - More budget for rehab of drug users	For AR: free distribution, full support services - Genuine Agrarian Reform Bill	Yes to separate body to lead - No to super powerful Dept of Disaster Resilience	No - burdens poor w added taxes - Suspend excise tax for petrol products immediately
DE GUZMAN, Leody	- just transition to RE and green jobs	No	NO	NO to RBH15	Yes to self-determination of Moro people	right to decent life before property	No to killings target top drug lords	Yes - state support for farmers, Food security, sovereignty	People-oriented not corporate-controlled	No - lift excise taxes and VAT
MATULA, Sonny	- Just transition, green jobs	Moratorium on new mining application	anti- political dynasty provisions	- ConCon - No to Joint House Resolution 15	respect right to self-determination	right to life over property right	End EJK - special high commission to investigate	- strengthen agri sector - full implementation of AR	- People-oriented DRR not corporate driven	- no to excise tax and VAT - progressive taxation according to 1987 Constitution
MONTANO, Allan	- students to involve in tree planting	to be open only to use of "OFW Investment Fund	Form that prohibits political dynasties	No to RBH15 for	respect Moro's right to self-determination	respect HR that don't step on rights of others	Yes to campaign, no to violation of human rights	Complete AR - Suspend land conversions - State subsidy for farmers		YES to TRAIN NO to excise tax on petroleum products

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Ecology and Mining

COLMENARES, Neri	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- No to large scale, export-oriented destructive mining- Conserve mineral resources, protect from destruction and plunder, defend patrimony, build sustainable environment- Regulate for national and local industrialization and needs only- Filed Peoples Mining Bill and resolutions to investigate
DE GUZMAN, Leody	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Just transition to Renewable Energy;- "green jobs" for workers in phased out fossil fuel industries- anti-waste incineration- no to Large Scale destructive mining
MATULA, Sonny	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Moratorium on new mining applications- Just transition to renewable energy,- "green jobs" for workers in phased out fossil fuel industries
MONTANO, Allan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- high school students involvement in "tree planting" and "monitoring" to be required;- Mining: only be open using the "OFW Investment Fund"

Federalism and ChaCha

	Federalism	ChaCha
ARELLANO, Ernesto	Yes	
COLMENARES, Neri	Oppose - Not solution to underdevelopment (deeper poverty roots)	No to RBH15 and others - strengthen of local and foreign elites control in political and econ systems and weakens people's rights and sovereign power
DE GUZMAN, Leody	NO - further entrench political dynasties - democratization through people's participation in governance	NO to RBH15 (removed term limits, and protection to/promotion of local economy) ** pro-people charter change through democratic participation in drafting/ approving of new constitution
MATULA, Sonny	YES - Federal structure w anti- political dynasty provisions	- Through Constitutional Convention - No to RBH15 (removed provisions for labor protection, anti-dynasty, term limits, and protection of local economy)
MONTANO, Allan	"Federal-Parliamentary Form of Government" with prohibition on political dynasties	No (should be through Constitutional Convention) - oppose RBH15 (removed term limits; anti-dynasty provision and constitutional guarantee on rights of workers enshrined under existing Section 3 of Article XIII)

BBL

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COLMENARES, Neri	Support self-determination of Moro people - BBL not enough genuine autonomy that might perpetuate poverty
DE GUZMAN, Leody	Respect the right to self-determination as long as supported by Moro people
MATULA, Sonny	Towards federalism and respect right to self-determination
MONTANO, Allan	- respect right of Moros towards self-determination - should not affect integrity of Phils as a nation

War on Drugs, Human Rights

	Tokhang/ War on Drugs	Human Rights
COLMENARES, Neri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Against: based on questionable data and employs EJK/ HR atrocities - Investigate, support families of victims cases - Accountability for officers in drug-related killings - Funds for rehabilitation of drug sers 	<p>Urgent need to address HR situation and impunity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stop killings due to drug war, ML in Mindanao, other political persecution/ repression of critics - Filed cases and pursue legislative measure to strengthen HR institutions to make perpetrators accountable
DE GUZMAN, Leody	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Against drugs but not by killing - end EJKs - drug abuse is public health issue - rehabilitation not criminalization - ** Target top drug lords 	<p>Primacy of right to decent life over property rights</p>
MATULA, Sonny	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - agree but not the killing - drug abuse is public health issue not only criminal issue - Priority target: source and the top drug lords 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - end EJK, create special high commission to investigate killings - Primacy of right to life over property right - Public Attorney's office to move to CHR
MONTANO, Allan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue campaign but no violation to HR - DP for those found guilty of manufacturing and distribution of illegal drugs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - respect everybody's exercise of their own right, provided they do not step at the rights of others

Land Rights

Agrarian Reform

ARELLANO, Ernesto

COLMENARES, Neri

- For Genuine AR (free land distribution, full support services) to address poverty and social injustice
- Co-authored Genuine Agrarian Reform Bill in Congress

DE GUZMAN, Leody

- complete AR for social justice and industrialization
- suspend land conversions
- dismantle land monopoly and market capture by oligarchic elite, traders and usurers
- Subsidy/ state support for farmers, food security, food sovereignty

MATULA, Sonny

- strengthen agriculture sector
- Full implementation of AR
- suspend land conversions and speed up completion of 500k hectares left for distribution
- Review rice ratification law

MONTANO, Allan

- Suspend land conversion (riecelands to subdivisions)
- Complete AR implementation

DRR

	DRR
ARELLANO, Ernesto	
COLMENARES, Neri	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Support separate government body to lead Disaster management- Oppose present version for super powerful Department of Disaster Resilience that may undermine efforts of other stakeholders- Immense power is prone to abuse and centralized funds prone to corruption
DE GUZMAN, Leody	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- People-oriented not corporate driven DRR and climate adaptation- Repatriation from rich countries that primarily cause climate change
MATULA, Sonny	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Utilize AFP reserve forces- People-oriented, not corporate driven DRR and climate adaptation
MONTANO, Allan	

TRAIN Law

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ARELLANO, Ernesto	Suspend with a framework
COLMENARES, Neri	No: burdens majority poor with added tax <ul style="list-style-type: none">- for pro-people progressive taxation- Filed case questioning TRAIN Law- Suspend excise tax for petroleum products
DE GUZMAN, Leody	No <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Lift excise tax and VAT- Price control- Progressive taxation based on wealth, property and income
MATULA, Sonny	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- no to excise tax and VAT- price controls- Progressive taxation in accordance with the mandate of the 1987 Constitution
MONTANO, Allan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Yes but no to imposition of excise tax on petroleum products- ** needs to be studied

Specific Labor concerns

	ENDO	Wage Board for Min wage	Others
ARELLANO, Ernesto			need collective bargaining
COLMENARES, Neri	<p>NO to contractualization of regular jobs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - oppose contracting for jobs are necessary and desirable for business - Filed bill against ENDO, supported workers' actions against contractualization 	<p>National Minimum Wage based on actual cost of living</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Regionalization of wages is unjust; created disparity in wages of workers nationwide 	
DE GUZMAN, Leody	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - prohibit manpower agencies/ end tri-lateral work arrangement - regular work for al 	<p>ABOLISH regional wage boards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - national minimum wage with cost of living as primary determinant 	
MATULA, Sonny	<p>ABOLISH contractualization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - prohibit "labor-only" contracting and other abusive contractualization schemes - regular work should be the norm 	<p>DISSOLVE regional wage boards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - national minimum wage fixing - Cost of living as primary determinant 	
MONTANO, Allan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - service providers (sub/ contractors, manpower agencies, workers coop) as agents of principal employer, co-employers of the workers 	<p>FOR national minimum wage.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - price of commodities in provincial areas are higher than in Manila and same tax rate imposed on all workers 	

Political issues

	Martial Law	Lowering MACR
ARELLANO, Ernesto		maintain
COLMENARES, Neri	AGAINST: military solution is not proper to address deep historic issues that fueled rebellion	OPPOSE - address why children involve in crime; don't blame them for govt inefficiency in ensuring conducive, healthy environment for children
DE GUZMAN, Leody	NO to extension - Lift Martial Law in Mindanao	AGAINST
MATULA, Sonny	No to extension - Lift Martial Law in Mindanao	AGAINST: Existing law is more progressive than proposed bill
MONTANO, Allan	FOR Martial Law in areas with lawless violence	FOR

Political issues

	Political Dynasty	Corruption
ARELLANO, Ernesto	no; term limits	
COLMENARES, Neri	AGAINST - dynasties monopolize power and wealth for self-serving interests in land reform, wage increase, and taxes that affect poor	- manifestation of rotten bureaucracy - filed FOI, exclusion of pork barrel in budget and others* - be vigilant, expose/fight corruption in all venues
DE GUZMAN, Leody	AGAINST: for term limits; enabling law to implement anti-dynasty provision	- AGAINST pork barrel - FOR Freedom of Information (FOI)
MATULA, Sonny	- FOR term limit - sponsor enabling law to implement anti-dynasty provision of Constitution	- Adopt FOI - recognize public sector unions as partners in anti-corruption campaign
MONTANO, Allan	Against: breeds corruption and criminality, kills democracy, perpetuates poverty - Enact an enabling for up to 3rd civil degree	- DP for guilty of Plunder involving the 10M; - against pork barrel

** Protection, Decriminalizing Libel, Oversight and Audit of Government Intelligence and Confidential Funds, Repeal of the Automatic Appropriation for Debt Service, Congressional Budget Oversight Committee*

Other issues

Senatorial Candidate	Smartmatic
COLMENARES, Neri	BLACKLIST for problems on use of PCOS machines and questions on security features of the technology - government should take over our elections and study and implement the various recommendations of various election watchdogs
DE GUZMAN, Leody	FOR automated elections but selection of provider should be democratic and transparent - Investigate allegations of electoral fraud involving SMARTMATIC
MATULA, Sonny	- Create a special high level committee to Investigate allegations of electoral fraud
MONTANO, Allan	yes to automated election but selection of provider should be democratic and transparent - investigate allegations of electoral fraud committed by SMARTMATIC

Catholic concerns

	Death Penalty	Abortion
COLMENARES, Neri	AGAINST reimposition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not stopped crime incidence - urgent need to reform the present judicial system (fair, affordable and accessible legal services for the poor majority) 	Uphold right to life through health education, counselling, affordable and accessible health service to women at community level to minimize cases of abortion and help young men and women make better choices building a family
DE GUZMAN, Leody	AGAINST <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - not deterrent to crime and spares rich 	Reproductive health and family planning
MATULA, Sonny	AGAINST (disrespect to life) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - not deterrent to crimes, no chance for reformation - regressive form of punishment 	AGAINST <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - opt for family planning preferably natural
MONTANO, Allan	YES for plunder involving 10M or more; guilty of manufactuaing and distribution of illegal drugs; guilty of complex crimes involving loss of lives (rape with homicide)	No

Catholic concerns

	Same Sex Marriage	Legalization of Divorce
ARELLANO, Ernesto		Yes (eg. cases of violence in family)
COLMENARES, Neri	FOR recognition of civil union based on love, mutual respect, and non-discrimination - need legal framework to effectively address the reality of same-sex relationships	Option for failed marriages - Concretely institute measures to support and strengthen Filipino family and address reasons for families break up; government support for single parents and children from broken families
DE GUZMAN, Leody	PRO - Protect and support rights of LGBTQ	PRO
MATULA, Sonny	NO but open to same sex union - Protect and support rights of LGBTQ	NO (opt for less expensive process of annulment and declaration of nullity of marriages)
MONTANO, Allan	No	No

Press Freedom

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COLMENARES, Neri	<p>Freedom loving Filipinos should not allow press freedom to be trampled upon; threat to the freedom of the press is also a threat to our democracy.</p> <p>Civil society, peoples' organizations and journalist organizations must work together to defend press freedom,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- filed bills declaring July 25 as campus press freedom day and decriminalizing Libel, and providing journalists insurance.
DE GUZMAN, Leody	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- defend press freedom; protect freedom of expression- Free press by minimizing influence of corporate owners and advertisement sponsors to news outfits
MATULA, Sonny	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Uphold and protect freedom of expression- Free press by minimizing influence of corporate owners and advertisement sponsors to news outfits
MONTANO, Allan	<p>Defend press freedom as enshrined in the 1987 Constitution</p>

Other issues

Senatorial Candidate	100% foreign ownership	Privatization/ Education
ARELLANO, Ernesto	bill for equal opportunities for locals	
COLMENARES, Neri	AGAINST - deny many Filipinos ownership of land and resources	Affordable and quality education is a prime obligation of the State - Private institutions can be regulated to be affordable and to provide quality education
DE GUZMAN, Leody	UNCONSTITUTIONAL - foreign investments to be directed towards industrialization and development of local economy	- free education for all
MATULA, Sonny	RESPECT EXISTING Constitutional limitations - foreign investments towards agricultural modernization with linkage to industrialization	- Private education be recognized as partner but free education for all shall be the responsibility of the state
MONTANO, Allan	AGAINST - Investment opportunities should be given to OFWs through "OFW Investment Fund" with an ROI of 12% per annum with "State Guarantee"	for free education for all

Other issues (continuation)

Senatorial Candidate	Traffic
COLMENARES, Neri	reverse privatization policy on mass transport; develop train system and shipping industry; modernize jeepneys and small scale transport systems without dislocating millions of small drivers/operators who depend on it for a living
DE GUZMAN, Leody	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Improve public mass transportation- Just transition for existing PUVs drivers and operators- No to liberalized importation of cars and issuance of credit for auto loans
MATULA, Sonny	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Improve public mass transportation- Just transition for existing PUVs drivers and operators- National Govt to promote devt outside Metro Manila- educational institution be encouraged to renovate outside Metro- National minimum wage
MONTANO, Allan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Improve public mass transportation- construction of sub-way from Mindanao Avenue to Taguig City- prohibit private cars in EDSA

Other issues (continuation)

Senatorial Candidate	Others
ARELLANO, Ernesto	insurance for dislocated workers
COLMENARES, Neri	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Peace Talks to settle roots of conflict- No to joint exploration of WFS – sovereignty: our right and responsibility to assert for our territorial integrity and national sovereignty through peaceful means- We should not be subservient to China, economically and politically, in the same way that we should not allow ourselves to be subservient to any foreign power like US and others.
MATULA, Sonny	strengthen agricultural sector, decent jobs, modernization of Sustainable Agriculture, freedom of association
MONTANO, Allan	decent work, decent wages, right to unionize

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ALEJANO
PARA SA
SEGURIDAD



DIOKNO
PARA SA
KATARUNGAN



HILBAY
PARA SA
SOBERANYA



TAÑADA
PARA SA
TRABAHO



ROXAS
PARA SA
EKONOMIYA



AQUINO
PARA SA
EDUKASYON



GUTOC
PARA SA
KABABAIHAN



MACALINTAL
PARA SA
SENIOR CITIZENS

On SAN issues

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ALEJANO, Gary	Not ready			
DIOKNO, Chel	Not in favor. - Cannot address the country's problem		same as human life	Need to improve Justice System
GUTO, Samira				no
HILBAY, Pilo	Not in favor - Not necessary to resolve problems	Special funds needs to be open and monitored by the people		

On SAN issues (continuation)

Senatorial Candidate	Agrarian Reform	TRAIN Law
AQUINO, Benigno Bam		Not in favor - Should amend TRAIN Law
GUTOOC, Samira		Not in favor - Review and suspend
HILBAY, Pilo		Not in favor - TRAIN Law caused the increase in price of basic commodities
TANADA, Lorenzo Erin Tapat	In favor: - Can improve farmers' income to fight poverty - For Coco Levy Fund	Not in favor - increased price of commodities - Can get budget from Public Private Partnership

Political issues

	Martial Law	Death Penalty	Political Dynasty
DIOKNO, Chel		Against Death penalty.	for term limit
GUTOC, Samira	No. Bayanihan Programming instead		
MACALINTAL, Macaromy	No		to be resolved by those who win

Catholic issues

	Death Penalty	Same Sex Marriage	Legalization of Divorce
DIOKNO, Chel	AGAINST	In favor	In favor
HILBAY, Pilo		In Favor	Yes

Other issues

Senatorial Candidate	ENDO	Privatization/ Education	Others
ALEJANO, Gary	AGAINST		defend our territory
AQUINO, Benigno Bam	End ENDO	For reforms on Education (free college/ tertiary education)	
DIOKNO, Chel	End ENDO		
GUTOC, Samira	AGAINST - Indefinite contractualization is form of slavery		
HILBAY, Pilo	End ENDO - “ginagawang instrumento ang mga manggagawa”		
MACALINTAL, Macaromy			for senior citizens

People's Choice Movement

- Believe in God
- Against Charter Change
- Servant-Leaders

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