



Candidate Samuel Vance

PRINCIPLES

Have you read the Alaska Republican Party Platform?

Is there anything in the Platform you disagree with? If yes, please explain below.

YES NO

Please rate your level of support: (Strongly Agree = 5, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Strongly Disagree = 1)

1. We humbly seek the guidance and blessings of God in the tradition of our Founding Fathers. All rights originate from God and are therefore unalienable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2. We staunchly defend the United States Constitution.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Government should be limited, maximizing individual freedom and privacy.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
4. Our country is a sovereign nation; therefore we must never compromise our sovereignty to other nations, the United Nations, or any other organization. Our foreign policy must always promote national security and self-interest.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
5. Religious freedom is one of our paramount values and must be defended.	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
6. Our individual states have sovereign authority to govern the lands and people within their borders, as stated in the Tenth Amendment. We should not abide usurpation of state sovereignty by federal mandate or economic extortion.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
7. Human life begins at the moment of conception and that life is a person. Therefore his personhood shall possess unalienable right to life until natural death. The sanctity of human life is paramount to any free society.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
8. Each individual must be free to succeed or fail according to individual effort and ability, without governmental assistance, interference, or quotas. Individuals must take personal responsibility for their own livelihoods and that of their families.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
9. Taxes should pay only for the enumerated Constitutional duties of government. Government should never penalize financial success or protect from financial failure.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
10. God ordained the traditional family as the foundation of our national stability. We support the national and state Defense of Marriage Acts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
11. Parents bear the sole responsibility before God in the rearing of their children. Parents must be free to discipline their children in love, and direct their education without government intrusion.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Freedom and competition are required for both economic and educational prosperity therefore we support parental choice in education.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
13. Private property including mineral rights are fundamental to our liberty and prosperity.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
14. The right of the individual to keep and bear arms is fundamental to deterring crime and government tyranny. It must be preserved without governmental interference.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
15. Free enterprise competition without government regulation is a pillar of our national success.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
16. We support the United States military in its duty to protect our freedoms from foreign encroachment as outlined in the Constitution. We also support law enforcement officers who uphold an oath to protect our individual freedoms, 4 th Amendment protection of our privacy, and private property rights.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
17. It is the Constitutional prerogative of Congress alone to declare war.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
18. The military should only allow men to serve in combat roles. Women should not be required to register with selective service	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
19. Local government truly serves the needs of the people and is most accountable to its citizens.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
20. The constitutional duty of the courts is to interpret law not to create it.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

Candidate Comments:

#18. I would like to look at this issue further before making a decision.

8. Individuals must be responsible for themselves, but not prevented from a helping hand when needed.