

Senate District 5

Sheikh Rahman (D) – Incumbent

Economy

- Fights to increase the minimum wage from \$5.15/hr to \$10.00/hr, and eventually to \$15.00/hr
- Supports creating a business-friendly atmosphere in Gwinnett County to attract investment
- Believes workers must earn a livable wage

Housing

- No information listed

Public Safety

- No information listed

Education

- Strong advocate for local control of the school board
- Has fought efforts by outside groups to interfere with Gwinnett school board districts and elections
- Opposed efforts to limit teaching on issues surrounding race and diversity

Healthcare

- Supports expanding mental health coverage and making it harder for insurance companies to deny emergency room care
- Supports enacting a Medicare-for-all single-payer healthcare system and lowering prescription drug prices
- Supports expanding Medicaid under the current Affordable Care Act

Voting & Elections

- No information listed

Immigration

- Supports creating a path to citizenship for Georgia's 400,000 undocumented immigrants
- Supports protecting programs like DACA and TPS for people fleeing violence and political conflict.
- Opposes scapegoating immigrants and calls for holding corporations accountable for fueling inequality,

First Amendment

- No information listed



Robin McCoy (D)

Economy

- No information listed

Housing

- Plans to introduce a Tenant Bill of Rights establishing freedoms for tenants and limits on those in power
- Wants to close loopholes that allow hedge funds and large investment firms to dominate the housing market
- Supports prioritizing first-time homebuyers over real estate investors

Public Safety

- No information listed

Education

- Supports spreading school funding equitably so that schools with the greatest need receive the most resources

Healthcare

- Supports protections against bankruptcy and credit damage from medical debt
- Believes the state should not turn down federal Medicaid funding
- Supports expanding access to treatment and preventative care including PrEP

Voting & Elections

- Supports rolling back restrictive voting laws and broadening voting options, including through universal mail-in ballots

Immigration

- No information listed

First Amendment

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