

Madison County Democrats' Platform 2020

1. We believe accessible, affordable healthcare is a human right.
 - a. We support additional access to mental healthcare services for all and specifically for adolescents.
 - b. We support increased education to de-stigmatize mental health issues.
 - c. We support insurance coverage for those with pre-existing conditions.
 - d. We support access to affordable prescription medications.
 - e. We support increased access to medical marijuana.
 - f. We support women's health care rights.
 - g. We oppose privatization of Medicaid.
2. We support the middle and working classes.
3. We support employees' rights to unionize and collective bargaining.
4. We oppose right-to-work legislation.
5. We support equal pay.
6. We support fully funding public schools.
7. We support regulated supervision of home-schooled students.
8. We oppose school vouchers.
9. We believe that voting is a fundamental right to all American citizens. We support ending unjust laws that strip citizens of their fundamental right to vote due to criminal convictions because we all must have a voice in how we shape our society. Iowa is now the only state to permanently disenfranchise individuals with felony convictions. We believe Iowa's constitution should be amended to restore voting eligibility for Iowans with felony convictions.
10. We support the elimination of Columbus Day as a national holiday and designation of the general election day as a national holiday.
11. We support elimination of the electoral college.
12. We oppose election and voter fraud.
13. We support the funding of natural resources, clean water, and the outdoor recreational trust.
14. We support incentives and regulations to protect the environment.
15. We support the protection of Native American land and burial sites.
16. We support protecting our national parks, monuments, and resources.
17. We oppose the continuation of wind energy tax credits.
18. We support victims of sexual harassment, abuse, and assault including funding programs and services put in place to help them.
19. We support the prevention and prosecution of cyber crimes.

20. We support overhauling our immigration system.
21. We support creating new paths to citizenship.
22. We oppose the detainment of immigrants.
23. We support addressing the issues in the nations from which refugees are fleeing.
24. We oppose discriminatory regulations for travel, student and work visas.
25. We oppose the discriminatory bans put in place by Donald Trump, including the Muslim ban.
26. We oppose sanctions or policies limiting healthcare, education, food, and other human services except in cases of war as voted on by the US Congress.
27. We support oversight, accountability, transparency, and the elimination of tax shelters for large corporations.
28. We support regulating how third parties share and use our personal data.
29. We support measures to reduce mass incarceration.
30. We support an assault weapons ban.
31. We support the notion that no one is above the law.