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Candidate's name	James DeHart
Candidate's email address	dehartforlegislatedistrict35@gmail.com
Candidate's phone number	360-791-1367
Office and position sought (e.g. LD 50 legislature, position 2)	LD 35 Position 1
Are you an incumbent running for re-election?	No
Have you ever served in an elected position? If so, what position, and when?	No
How many other Democratic candidates are there in your race (at the time you fill this out)?	0
I am willing to be identified with the Democratic Party (except judicial candidates)	Yes
Link to campaign web page and/or Facebook and other Social Media	www.dehartforlegislature.com
Term of office	2 years
Campaign manager contact information (name, email, phone number)	Jason Bennett jason@argo.us 206-718-8600
Campaign consultant contact information (name, email, phone number)	Jason Bennett jason@argo.us 206-718-8600
Do you agree to not accept campaign donations from fossil fuel companies?	Yes
Have you signed or will you sign the No Fossil Fuel Money Pledge (https://nofossilfuelmoney.org)?	Yes
Why are you running for this position? What in your background has led you to run? (100 word limit)	I am running because my 14+ year as a public servant both at the state and municipal level will bring a much needed amount of experience to the legislature. I am running for reproductive rights, education and infrastructure upgrades and repairs. This includes finding ways to upgrade infrastructure in sustainable and environmentally conscious ways.

What are your most significant accomplishments on environment and climate change?

NA - Have not served at and elected official level. Will, when elected, work to offset the effects of climate change in any way I can to include infrastructure, transportation funding and replacement of old buildings and helping to fund clean building upgrades.

Briefly list organizations, events, rallies, canvassing, referendums, or petitions you have engaged in to advocate for environmental protections?

I have been endorsed by Transportation WA by stating support for clean and sustainable infrastructure upgrades to transportation systems. I have donated to many causes in the past few years that were closely associated to the Democratic party and their commitment to combatting climate change, including Governor Inslee's campaign in 2020.

If elected or re-elected what specific environment, climate change, biodiversity, and environmental justice legislation will you prioritize and champion?

I want to make sure that as we repair WA's crumbling infrastructure that we prioritize green materials, non-fossil fuel operated or built systems and ensuring that we continue to clean our water-ways around the 35th LD as our shell fishing industry is vital to our prosperity.

For state office positions, what action will you take to accelerate efforts towards Washington State's 2030 Climate Goals, specifically a 45% reduction of carbon pollution below 1990 levels?

Any bill that crosses my desk will be scrutinized as to its affect on our climate and carbon emissions. This is part of my promise to not harm any group or our planet with legislation.