

**Q31 Please name the top 1-3 national issues that are most important to you, and explain why.**

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#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Campaign Finance Reform; Dissolution of the Major Parties; Healthcare for All; No more arbitrary power without checks on that power. No more corruption. No more bullshit.	9/20/2020 10:19 AM
2	Climate change- we are already experiencing the impact of climate change and we need comprehensive plans for decreasing carbon emissions, increasing land conservation, improving clean water regulations etc., and addressing rising sea levels. 2. Reproductive Rights- reproductive rights are human rights.	9/18/2020 4:57 PM
3	Income inequality, threat of Communist China, clean water	9/17/2020 11:18 PM
4	Reproductive rights, coronavirus, and healthcare. Because each of these areas has seen a massive regression under the current administration, as it continues to chip away at reproductive and healthcare rights won in recent years, while simultaneously undermining the threat of the coronavirus and making it harder to get accurate information, let alone affordable treatment.	9/17/2020 12:40 PM
5	Climate change: Everything is predicated on ecology. Without a human friendly habitat there is no hope for anything else. Economy. We need to stop running up the debt. For the last 40 years we've been told we need to cut spending. It's more clear than ever before that government is not the enemy and we need to support it through equitable taxation to ensure sustainable investment in public services without hamstringing future generations with debt. Education. Without educating our population democracy cannot thrive, nor can a competitive workforce in the 21st century.	9/17/2020 11:40 AM
6	Climate change, racial inequality, fighting Covid-19. Climate change is the top priority for me because we are quickly running out of time to take action. We cannot wait 4 more years before we start taking drastic action.	9/17/2020 8:18 AM
7	Jobs/Economy, Putting America first	9/17/2020 7:22 AM
8	Climate change, race and ethnic inequality, and coronavirus because they are all immediate threats to people's physical well-being	9/16/2020 9:56 PM
9	N/A	9/16/2020 9:08 PM
10	Voting rights, clean energy, economic recovery	9/16/2020 6:30 PM
11	The most important thing is civic participation/engagement. If everyone used made their values clear - at protests, at forums, at the voting box - to the best of their ability, the rest of the issues will follow into place and our nation would move forward much faster. Beyond that, the U.S. needs to seriously begin to right its wrongs with systemic changes to combat systemic racism and inequality.	9/16/2020 2:28 PM
12	reproductive rights - immigration - protect women's rights and get kids out of cages and get back to humane immigration policy	9/16/2020 12:47 PM
13	Removing tRump from office.	9/16/2020 12:35 PM
14	Climate, police reform, systematic racism	9/16/2020 12:10 PM
15	2A Rights - California's restrictions are unconstitutional on the most important amendment, Riot control - the BLM riots have gotten out of hand	9/16/2020 12:00 PM
16	Reopening, jobs, rebuilding the economy	9/16/2020 11:48 AM
17	Crime	9/16/2020 11:28 AM
18	Climate Change, I am not wealthy enough to easily run away from a badly affected area.	9/16/2020 11:10 AM
19	Climate change, racial equality, economic equality	9/16/2020 10:51 AM
20	The economy: shuttering businesses is destroying lives across the nation. This has to stop. We need to reopen. Law and order: people need to be held accountable for disorderly conduct. Violent protests and vandalism should be punishable offenses. Somehow we are ignoring them and calling them peaceful protests. That's wrong. Health of our communities: keeping vulnerable populations safer at home while reopening the economy for everyone else is key. Keep elderly and vulnerable people safe at home and let everyone else go back to work and	9/16/2020 10:45 AM

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school. This is ridiculous. Lives are completely destroyed and devastated because of this. It needs to run its course. People will not get or trust vaccine that is rushed through trials.

21	Climate change, coronavirus response. The fires and heat is just the start - we really need to do more to address climate change.	9/16/2020 10:38 AM
22	Healthcare, climate change, racial justice	9/16/2020 10:37 AM
23	1. Police brutality because those sworn to serve and protect us continue murdering civilians with occasional consequences. 2. Fires burning on "record-setting" scales across the US, destroying homes, polluting the air, etc. 3. Social justice and racial inequity because systemic racism remains rampant.	9/16/2020 10:15 AM
24	COVID, economy, health care, climate change - They are all SO important and interdependent. I.E. Need to grow economy but they should reflect climate change issues	9/16/2020 10:13 AM
25	COVID response, environment, immigration	9/16/2020 10:06 AM
26	Racial inequality, police brutality, access to healthcare	9/16/2020 10:05 AM
27	Environmental Crisis, Mental Health Crisis, Foreign Diplomacy	9/16/2020 10:00 AM
28	Reproductive rights, coronavirus, and gun rights because these are life/death issues	9/16/2020 9:49 AM
29	Racial Equality, LGBTQ Rights, Healthcare Access	9/16/2020 9:07 AM
30	N/A	9/16/2020 8:52 AM
31	1) Re-opening the economy & schools 2) reducing the high cost of college tuition; 3) manufacturing jobs in America	9/16/2020 8:42 AM
32	Climate change, politics/2020 elections, police reform,	9/16/2020 8:35 AM
33	Climate change, education, Healthcare	9/16/2020 8:15 AM
34	getting along with other countries	9/16/2020 7:26 AM
35	Equality because we are all one human race. Women's reproductive rights because ITS MY BODY, MY CHOICE. Climate change because its real and we only have one planet and so much time to reverse the effects we've already damaged	9/16/2020 7:26 AM
36	Health care, climate change, reproductive rights	9/16/2020 6:21 AM
37	a new president-a new majority in the senate-better relations internationally	9/16/2020 6:16 AM
38	COVID-19	9/16/2020 6:13 AM
39	A COVID vaccine, closing our borders, and making sure Biden doesn't win the election	9/16/2020 5:44 AM
40	Income inequality, privatization of things that should be in the public sector so they can be regulated and kept in service of low income individuals, the influence of conspiracy theorists - embracing these asinine stories distracts from the issues at hand and keeps people voting for their own destruction	9/16/2020 3:39 AM
41	Trump	9/15/2020 10:53 PM
42	Climate change	9/15/2020 10:38 PM
43	Climate change, health care, education access	9/15/2020 10:35 PM
44	Coronavirus, racial injustice, woman's rights. As a white privileged woman growing up in SB, there are so many issues I've seen those around me face that I haven't had to because of my family's economic status and the color of my skin. As with most young people, the more you see of the world, the more you realize you have to learn. We have such a long way to go but viewing each other as equals and caring for our neighbors of all colors, gender, economic status, is a start.	9/15/2020 9:29 PM
45	Addressing climate change, better COVID response and recovery plan, universal Healthcare and reducing medical costs	9/15/2020 9:18 PM
46	Education, Economy, Immigration.	9/15/2020 8:31 PM
47	Access to affordable (and good) education, financial security, access to affordable healthcare.	9/15/2020 7:54 PM

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If people have access to education, financial security, and actual healthcare, the kind where insurance companies don't deny every intervention and make it impossible to get anything done, there would be a systemic decrease in poverty and crime.

48	In no order: Coronavirus, Racial Justice/Equality and Police reform, Healthcare	9/15/2020 7:50 PM
49	Immigration environment education	9/15/2020 7:27 PM
50	Racial inequality, healthcare reform, environmental protections because I want to live and not eat smoke	9/15/2020 5:52 PM
51	Climate change, race and ethnic inequality, and health care	9/15/2020 3:54 PM
52	Climate change is important to me because we need to act sooner rather than later to protect our planet and the future. Racial and ethnic inequality is another important issue because it makes no sense to me that people are still treated as less just because of their skin color or background. Income inequality is important because everyone deserves a financially secure life and if that can be fixed, many other things will too.	9/15/2020 3:44 PM
53	Climate Change, Racial Justice, Reproductive Rights	9/15/2020 3:20 PM
54	Democratic or republican they're both corrupt and don't keep promises	9/15/2020 2:29 PM
55	Coronavirus and climate change. These are the most important because we have total lack of leadership in the White House on both issues.	9/15/2020 12:20 PM
56	Health care, climate change, race/ethnic inequality. All three tie correlate with our economic health and income inequality.	9/15/2020 11:13 AM
57	Immigration, coronavirus, Trump	9/15/2020 10:46 AM
58	Climate Change/Environmental issues, Health Care related Covid and the economy related to Covid	9/15/2020 10:36 AM
59	Climate change. There is no economy, no jobs, no future, nothing if we don't halt and then reverse climate change.	9/15/2020 10:31 AM
60	Safety, Economics, Equity	9/15/2020 10:19 AM
61	There needs to be some level of police/judicial reform regarding the treatment of African Americans, which I think needs to also start with anti-racist discussions in all public schools. Immigrants should also have protected rights and not fear being deported as they make up a large part of this economy and shouldn't be treated as less than human.	9/15/2020 9:55 AM
62	Climate change, universal health care, affordable college	9/15/2020 9:35 AM
63	Education ie student loan debt, economy, jobs. Student doubt is suffocating, I want to see local businesses thriving, and I want to see the job market open up with higher paying roles for young people.	9/15/2020 9:11 AM
64	Environmental, racial, and gender protection	9/15/2020 9:09 AM
65	Climate change, coronavirus, campaign finance reform	9/15/2020 9:06 AM
66	economy and prison reform, too many ppl stuck in prison for outdated mandatory minimums	9/15/2020 9:06 AM
67	Economy. Upholding The Constitution. Draining the swamp.	9/15/2020 8:00 AM
68	police brutality, healthcare, education	9/15/2020 7:15 AM
69	Less foreign adventurism/oil driven intervention in the middle east, shrink the welfare state, give yang-style UBI a try	9/15/2020 6:47 AM
70	Income inequality, marriage rights, tax reforms	9/15/2020 1:19 AM
71	Income inequality/workers rights, universal healthcare, racial justice. The system should serve, protect, and afford opportunity equally to all.	9/15/2020 1:18 AM
72	Opening economy, putting end to riots/looting/violence against first responders	9/15/2020 12:01 AM
73	Coronavirus because it has killed 190,000 people. Taking care of the environment because if we don't, more than 190,000 people will die.	9/14/2020 11:51 PM

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74	foreign diplomacy, racial issues and representation	9/14/2020 11:13 PM
75	Foreign policy, Crime, Gun policy. Foreign policy because as a country we should focus on healing ourselves before trying to aid other countries. Gun policy because stricter gun laws will not do anything to prevent firearm related crimes. Firearms will always be available, even if they are strictly regulated or banned; if you look hard enough you can find weapons online. And crime because crime affects everyone not just one specific group. Its shouldn't matter if someone is rich or poor, black or white, crime can be prevented. But it also must come at a cost, and that includes the appropriate punishment which should be apied equally across the board.	9/14/2020 10:59 PM
76	Climate change, Covid 19, Economy	9/14/2020 10:35 PM
77	Climate change, health care, police reform	9/14/2020 8:38 PM
78	Income inequality, climate change, gun violence. Income inequality and climate change are issues that need to be addressed and fixed immediately for anything else to actually get better. Billionaires should never exist and wealth should be evenly distributed. Climate change is going to kill all of us eventually if we do not do some thorn about it now. Gun violence is killing people needlessly every day and guns should not be in the hands of the general public.	9/14/2020 7:51 PM
79	Environment, covid, human rights for all	9/14/2020 7:35 PM
80	Police brutality, social inequities, education	9/14/2020 7:34 PM
81	Religious freedom, protection of life, protection of constitutional rights/freedoms	9/14/2020 7:15 PM
82	Income inequality, climate change, COVID-19	9/14/2020 7:10 PM
83	Climate change, coronavirus response, criminal justice reform	9/14/2020 6:53 PM
84	Covid and healthcare and reproductive rights. Covid because i think the president isn't doing enough testing and we need more guidance. Healthcare because i have a pre-existing condition along w my son and we battle insurance over ridiculous things that should be covered. Reproductive rights- I'm a female and i believe in choice.	9/14/2020 6:46 PM
85	National security and jobs	9/14/2020 6:37 PM
86	Election interference by foreign government, Voter suppression by Republicans, The fact that the current president may likely try a coup to retain power	9/14/2020 5:53 PM
87	Law and order, border control, gun rights!	9/14/2020 5:33 PM
88	climate change is by and far my top priority because the world cannot continue on the path paved by previous generations.	9/14/2020 5:26 PM
89	Environmental issues, hands down. If COVID doesn't kill us our mistreatment of the environment surely will. We have had DOUBLE the amount of wildfires in 2020 compared to 2019 and 2020 still has 3 months left to go.... Besides the environment we need to create meaningful gun reform policies that stop our children from being murdered in schools where they are supposed to be safe. Third, we need to reduce partisan politics to a low-roar so we can actually hear each other. Crossing the partisan line should be a priority for turning the tides on the last 4 years.	9/14/2020 5:20 PM
90	Climate change, public lands vs privatization, income inequality	9/14/2020 5:19 PM
91	Coronavirus, Climate Change, Healthcare	9/14/2020 5:13 PM
92	gun rights, criminal justice reform, and the economy	9/14/2020 5:10 PM
93	COVID, because thousands are dying every day; Healthcare Policy (I have type 1 diabetes and don't want to go bankrupt or have to ration insulin if coverage for pre-existing conditions is removed)	9/14/2020 5:07 PM
94	Climate change is the most important issue to me because without a healthy environment, no other issues would matter. The future of the human race depends on how we mitigate climate change. The second most important issue to me is racial equality because our country does not treat all races equal and it has led to the death and mass incarceration of people of color. Lastly, health care is the third most important to me because of the severity of COVID-19 and the dangers to society.	9/14/2020 2:43 PM

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95	Political division, racial division, coronavirus.	9/14/2020 2:14 PM
96	coronavirus, climate change, racial justice	9/14/2020 1:21 PM
97	Getting Trump out of office (which takes care of national security); global warming; race equality	9/14/2020 1:18 PM
98	Environmental misuse are causing major issues, not limited to but including global warming, that are having significant impact on life around the world. Today these effects don't feel close to home for most people, but they will be and by then it will be too late. Economy & Nutrition. Nationwide the food we eat is horrible for us - things like high fructose corn syrup our outlweid in other countries but here we do nothing with legislation or eductaion and wonder why the country is so unhealthy and obese.	9/14/2020 1:10 PM
99	Racism, gun laws, and climate change. Equality is imperative for the success of America and by ignoring systemic racism, we are only backtracking. The issue of guns in America is one we must handled immediately before any more lives are lost. Lastly, climate change must be ACKNOWLEDGED, addressed and handled appropriately or our world will dissapear before our eyes.	9/14/2020 11:52 AM
100	Virsus. Global Climate Energy Independence	9/14/2020 11:24 AM
101	Environmental, racial equity, education	9/14/2020 11:08 AM
102	Coronavirus and universal healthcare access. Our country is woefully behind compared to all other "first world" countries' healthcare systems. Paying for necessary medical treatment should not bankrupt families, nor should women have to fight for basic reproductive care/birth control in 21st century America. Access to healthcare (including mental health treatment!) is at the root of so many of our country's challenges (poverty, prison overpopulation as a substitute for mental health treatment, student achievement gaps, etc.) My third priority would be raising the minimum wage for Americans who are struggling to make ends meet while working 40 hours a week and still needing assistance. It is shameful that our country has allowed the working class to get by on wages that haven't grown with our economy while the richest Americans consume the vast majority of the wealth in our country.	9/14/2020 10:11 AM
103	environment, education, housing	9/14/2020 10:10 AM
104	healthcare, race and income inequality. We need to be more human, how in the hell is it fair to have to fight for basic human right like receiving proper medical care and treatment? By treatment I mean people being treated equally in community spaces, corporate spaces, in any spaces.	9/14/2020 9:55 AM
105	NA	9/14/2020 8:39 AM
106	Climate change, prison industrial complex, health care	9/14/2020 8:20 AM
107	Economy, Liberal bias of Press, Community Safety	9/14/2020 3:34 AM
108	Medicare for All: It is a moral failing of The United States, the richest nation in the history of the world, to not uphold this fundamental human right. Climate Change: Due to corporate greed and unfathomable corruption, 100 corporations contribute to 70% of all carbon emissions, our planet is headed towards biodiversity collapse and ecocide. Economic inequality: Due to over 40 years of failed economic practice and theories in neoliberalism, the top three billionaires in The United States now own more wealth than the bottom half of all our citizens. The top 10% of income earners in The United States own 92% of stock market shares, while 51 million U.S. citizens have lost their jobs, and 30 million of our fellow citizens are food insecure.	9/13/2020 8:49 PM
109	Climate change, socioeconomic inequality, healthcare	9/13/2020 12:40 PM
110	Climate change, healthcare, economic opportunity	9/13/2020 11:10 AM
111	Reproductive rights, I'm very concerned that if Republicans have another 4 years of filling the courts that Roe V Wade will be over turned. Climate Change, the fires in California are just the beginning of the effects of climate change and if we don't change as a nation now, it will only get worse. Racial justice, which encompasses many other issues, like income equality and police reform, this is long overdue and we need to take steps to live up to our national values of equality for all.	9/13/2020 11:06 AM
112	Economy, institutions are failing, corporations are owning the world	9/13/2020 9:34 AM

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113	Racial inequality/police brutality, the climate, healthcare/the pandemic: all of these are solvable!!! Defund the police, it seems ridiculous to explain why this is important because our police are violating the basic rights of black people which should never have been politicized. Living in CA only makes it more obvious why the climate is an issue, if we don't make changes like investing in green alternatives it'll be too late. The pandemic was avoidable and our government didn't act to protect the people, it had one job in a crisis like this and it failed abysmally and lives were lost. Despicable.	9/13/2020 6:46 AM
114	Education because I work in the schools and our country is doing a disservice to our future generations	9/12/2020 11:27 PM
115	Gun reform, environmental care, women's reproductive rights	9/12/2020 9:38 PM
116	Universal healthcare, income inequality, global warming	9/12/2020 9:27 PM
117	economy and equity issues	9/12/2020 8:27 PM
118	Coronavirus, Police reform, climate change	9/12/2020 7:54 PM
119	Medicare for all and reforming our criminal justice and electoral systems	9/12/2020 6:10 PM
120	Economy and the Federal debt. A vibrant economy is crucial for job production and Americans earning a high standard of living. Our Gerald debt is massive and is never talked about by politicians. That fact is very concerning and our country is headed to a scary place of our debt issue is not confronted. We must shrink the size of the federal government significantly.	9/12/2020 4:24 PM
121	climate change and environmental protections, protecting democracy from facism, inequailty.	9/12/2020 4:12 PM
122	Education	9/12/2020 3:25 PM
123	1. Racial justice, which includes criminal justice reform. Black and Latinxs Americans are incarcerated and brutalized too much. 2. Healthcare reform because people in this country pay so much money just to pay more money upon receipt of medical services. It makes no sense. 3. Climate change because I really don't believe our planet will be livable when I am my parent's age. Aside from not being able to afford it, I am not considering buying a home at all because I believe it will just be destroyed anyway.	9/12/2020 3:00 PM
124	The Democratic Party supports pedos	9/12/2020 1:38 PM
125	There already is gender and race equality. Corona virus seems to only be something that California is using for politics now.	9/12/2020 1:09 PM
126	In order: Climate Change, Income Inequality, Racial Justice. Climate change first because it goes so much farther than just humans; it threatens not only the most vulnerable people but also the most vulnerable species around the world, reducing biodiversity and making the world not only a more difficult but a more lonely place to live, full of less wonder and joy. Income and racial inequality come next because they form the base of all human suffering and the reasons that suffering is unequally distributed. Having a good economy, a strong military or a strong police force don't matter at all if those things only serve certain identity groups and harm others. Racial and income inequality also make certain groups significantly more vulnerable to climate change than others.	9/12/2020 11:32 AM
127	Education: kids are the future; first responder reform: black lives matter and our police forces and other social services shouldn't get in the way of that; climate change: have you seen the fires???	9/12/2020 8:01 AM
128	Racial inequity, gender inequity, climate change	9/12/2020 7:41 AM
129	Black Lives Matter and bringing justice to countless lives lost to police brutality.	9/12/2020 2:48 AM
130	Economy. How organizations police free speech. How independent contractors are handled in CA.	9/12/2020 12:14 AM
131	Reduction of income inequality, assurance of a fair, swift, efficient justice system, and the suppression of public corruption	9/11/2020 9:14 PM
132	Constitutional rights being maintained	9/11/2020 9:02 PM
133	Immigration, gun policy, and income inequality because those are best tackled at the federal level. States and local governments can take actions on those fronts but it will not matter unless there is federal action to make it easier to become a citizen in this country, regulate	9/11/2020 6:49 PM

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guns at least the same way we regulate cars, and ensure that corporations are paying their fair share into the systems that made them successful.

134	Coronavirus, voting rights, defund the police - the first so we can figure out a better "new normal." The second to strengthen our democracy and empower the people to demand more of their society. The third to bring peace to our community and strengthen our democratic values.	9/11/2020 6:44 PM
135	Climate change, reproductive rights, corruption. We are not addressing climate change nationally and are rolling back environmental protections that would help. The religious right is stripping women of reproductive choices and it will negatively impact my generation for decades. Corruption in the executive branch is blatant and obvious and needs to end.	9/11/2020 6:20 PM
136	We need medicare for all, a green new deal, and stronger labor rights & accessibility to unions.	9/11/2020 5:00 PM
137	Prison industrial complex, immigration and healthcare. The prison industrial complex targets minorities and makes profit off incarceration. Immigration is a problem because we are locking people in cages and making it impossible for them to seek asylum. And healthcare because too many people are dying or becoming homeless because they can't afford to pay outrageous medical bills	9/11/2020 4:45 PM
138	Gun violence, economic crisis, racial equality	9/11/2020 4:41 PM
139	Climate Change, Reproductive Rights, Coronavirus	9/11/2020 4:35 PM
140	Health Care - costs keep skyrocketing and it only benefits insurance companies and big Pharma. It's shameful that we "have the best medical technology in the world" but we can't figure out a way to take care of our own people. Income Inequality - the super wealthy like Jeff Bezos keep finding loopholes to make themselves richer while the poor get poorer. That needs to stop and we need to save the middle class. People who work average jobs like a locksmith or the post office should be able to send their kids to college without going broke. Gun Control - our nation's obsession with guns is ridiculous, so this is probably a culture thing that will take a millennium to undo, but research shows gun control usually works. School shootings and mass shootings are unnecessary. Perhaps the "mental health issues" that cause this are actually triggered by income inequality and lack of health access that I mentioned earlier.	9/11/2020 2:48 PM
141	higher education/student loan crisis - i think in the next 10-20 years the amount of Americans defaulting on their student loans could lead a similar economic decline as 2008; coronavirus - as someone in the health care field, i am concerned with the US's response to the virus; race and ethnic inequality - i feel that the protests that started this spring have helped racial inequality finally get the attention it deserves and i do not want to lose momentum	9/11/2020 2:46 PM
142	Climate change is the most important, because if we make our planet totally unlivable, nothing else matters. Healthcare is next most important, because it is unconscionable that we have one of the wealthiest nations in history but people cannot afford basic medical care. I also think that environmental justice and health justice are racial justice issues; you can't just separate racial justice out as a different thing.	9/11/2020 2:30 PM
143	Coronavirus - we have the ability to combat it better. Climate change - impacts everything	9/11/2020 2:24 PM
144	Foreign policy, immigration rights and equality and most important to me because I seek to live in a nation that is a role model for the world and treats its citizens with equal respect and care.	9/11/2020 1:52 PM
145	domestic safety and government corruption	9/11/2020 1:51 PM
146	The movement for Black lives, the climate crisis, and our fascist president because they are a threat to our future.	9/11/2020 1:45 PM
147	Climate change, the coronavirus pandemic and social/racial inequities	9/11/2020 1:38 PM
148	Healthcare, Racial Justice, Climate Change	9/11/2020 1:14 PM
149	Climate Change, COVID, Equal Rights	9/11/2020 1:11 PM
150	Coronavirus relief, immigrant rights, climate change, all of these I see as related, and will damage the working class if they are not addressed	9/11/2020 1:01 PM
151	Taking care of the environment, gun reform, and stopping harmful border policies. Our stance on these issues are vastly out of line with the rest of the world and it's terrifying.	9/11/2020 12:43 PM
152	Climate Change, immigration and the economy. I see these as key issues determining our	9/11/2020 12:27 PM

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collective way of moving forward and developing our nation and the planet.

153	Medicare for all because health insurance is a human right. Green New Deal because we only got one planet and corporate destruction of land, animals and people needs to end, police reform because we need public safety nets that are supportive of people and not enable racist people	9/11/2020 12:08 PM
154	Woman's healthcare, Climate Change, and the Economy. As a young woman, I get free birth control from Planned Parenthood and if Trump gets his way that could be taken away for me, so that is what it is my most important thing. The second thing is Climate Change because living in California I have been evacuated from my home at least 6 times in my life and i believe something needs to be done. Especially this year, The entire west coast is experiencing large wildfires, the south is being hit with hurricanes and Colorado got their earliest recorded snow fall this year. The last thing is the economy because I am a college student and I will be graduating soon getting into a career and I need the economy to be good so I can make a good living for myself.	9/11/2020 11:49 AM
155	Climate change, money in politics, racial injustice. Herein lies the hope or loss of all our futures. Can we build a solidarity society based on renewables and equity and kick polluters and corporate influence out of wielding disproportionate amounts of power in policy, or will we fail, yet again, and be subject to the dream of what could have been being further destroyed beyond redeemable hope?	9/11/2020 11:48 AM
156	Defunding the police and reallocating those funds to social workers and people better equipped to handle many situations police officers are not the best option for will save lives and change community attitudes towards the police and policing. Environmental restrictions not on individuals but on the small number of corporations creating a massive percentage of carbon emissions will help slow climate change. On a similar note, taxing corporations and their mega-rich executives would completely change the country for the better. Why do I have to pay 20% of my paycheck when corporations like amazon which bring infinitely more money into the country than I do only pay 1 or 2 percent?	9/11/2020 11:33 AM
157	Immigration reform- My husband is a DREAMER and despite being a citizen it doesn't guarantee an automatic green card for him. It was a nightmare to try to navigate the application process and that was 15 years ago; it is even harder now. Kids should not be separated from their families nor should they be locked in cages! 2- Racial and social injustices and inequalities, 1% of the population should not be holding the majority of the wealth by using tax loopholes and tax shelters to Scrooge McDuck their way through life 3- Environmental protections/Climate change because there is no Planet B and without the earth nothing else matters	9/11/2020 11:27 AM
158	Return of sanity to government	9/11/2020 11:11 AM
159	Racial inequality, climate change, trans rights	9/11/2020 11:11 AM
160	Economic health	9/11/2020 10:46 AM
161	1. Defund the police. We are tired of being over policed and targeted over the color of our skin. We are tired of the damn police unions bailing out shitty racist cops. 2. Racial justice and equity. People of color need more opportunity so that they have economic freedom, just as the white people in this country do. 3. Global Warming/Climate change. Get rid of consumerism. We are sick of all the pollution that it's creating in the name of capitalism and "economy" create innovative jobs in clean energy.	9/11/2020 10:28 AM
162	Education, it is so important for the future health of our nation for its citizens to be well informed (especially in the wake of social media/disinformation). Racial inequality as it is still not recognized as a problem at all by many Americans. Police reform as the system does not hold corrupt police accountable for their actions, and funding drains money from school and social programs	9/11/2020 10:10 AM
163	Income/economic inequality, environmental protection, racial justice	9/11/2020 10:00 AM
164	Police brutality, healthcare, abolish the ineffective 2 party system	9/11/2020 9:29 AM
165	Funding for education, getting coronavirus under control, over omg our Trump	9/11/2020 9:24 AM
166	Coronavirus, Science Policy, and Foreign Policy. The coronavirus is an immediate and continuing issue that requires coordination between science policy (promoting new therapies and preparing for new pandemics) and foreign policy (our ability to respond on a global setting).	9/11/2020 9:03 AM

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167	Coronavirus, racial justice, income inequality	9/11/2020 8:12 AM
168	Boosting the Economy, protecting the environment, gun safety reform	9/11/2020 7:33 AM
169	Climate change, criminal justice reform, and income inequality	9/11/2020 7:25 AM
170	Social justice, climate change, and health care - we cannot keep ignoring these massively broken elements of our society	9/11/2020 7:23 AM
171	biased national media's distorted and always negative reporting, second national defense as well as shoddy law enforcement funding, third the irresponsible leadership pandering to movements such as BLM	9/11/2020 7:21 AM
172	Climate change because it's literally killing us all. Income inequality because people who work and people who can't work shouldn't be in poverty. Racial equity and justice because it's far past time to atone.	9/11/2020 7:09 AM
173	Climate change and environmental protection.	9/11/2020 7:03 AM
174	Climate change - without reform we have no home. Gun policy - if guns were outlawed we would be safer. COVID - because I want to live life without a mask or fear of transferring this to anyone.	9/11/2020 1:48 AM
175	Government debt is the most important issue facing our country because it is growing at an alarming rate and will soon be larger than our economy while growing at a faster rate. The second most important issue is immigration. We need a realistic immigration plan that legally allows foreigners to come and work in our country if business are willing to hire them.	9/11/2020 1:12 AM
176	1) coronavirus - so many more people have died than needed to. 2) racial injustice - it must stop, now. 3) decency, honesty, trust - the world has become an ugly place.	9/11/2020 1:12 AM
177	Covid19 - it's all consuming these days, politicization of everything - right and left draw lines on every topic and demonize each other instead of working together for solutions, mistrust of news - many people distrust the news and no one knows what to trust as a result most people do not get news outside of their political circles and see the people who disagree with their views as other or worse as evil	9/10/2020 11:33 PM
178	Immigration reform, education equity, economic justice	9/10/2020 11:22 PM
179	Covid, firearm ownership, jobs	9/10/2020 11:17 PM
180	Climate change, income inequality, racial justice... for God sake we need to stop talking about the economy or even America, we live on a bubble with limited resources and we need to radically change how we organize ourselves. Fascism is here, democracy is dying, our planet is dying. I begrudgingly vote democrat but think we need a radical change and the big tent appeasement is not doing enough to save our planet	9/10/2020 11:03 PM
181	Coronavirus is the most important national issue because progress can not be made on anything else until people can safely live their lives; health care (including reproductive rights) is the next most important because people shouldn't be dying of preventable illnesses in America in 2020; the economy because as more people earn income and reinvest through consumer spending or otherwise, the better off we will be and the more funding will exist for other programs that are important.	9/10/2020 10:23 PM
182	Race and ethnic inequality to fight racism; education and health care for all	9/10/2020 10:15 PM
183	Affordable and accessible healthcare is what I'm mainly concerned about. I would not have health coverage without the help of programs like CoveredCA, but the rates are still a stretch and any major accident would deplete my savings account. Basic healthcare is a human right, and when a country's citizens are healthy, the economy is healthy.	9/10/2020 10:12 PM
184	Coronavirus, health care, education	9/10/2020 10:10 PM
185	Coronavirus, climate change, education	9/10/2020 9:48 PM
186	Income inequality, environmental justice, and reproductive rights are most important to me as a young female as I begin to enter the working world and want to have equal opportunity and pay and the choice of what happens to my body in a safe environment.	9/10/2020 9:47 PM
187	Racial justice - it's long overdue. Police reform - free up money for education and mental	9/10/2020 9:33 PM

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	health. Climate change - we need to take care of our planet.	
188	1. Climate Change - nothing else matters if we have no world to live on; 2. social justice - it's 2020 and we still aren't treating people like people; 3. healthcare - healthcare in the US is a disaster that only makes rich people richer and forces poor sick people to die.	9/10/2020 9:26 PM
189	Healthcare, race inequality, defunding and demilitarizing the police	9/10/2020 9:25 PM
190	Climate change, economic inequality, and corruption of corporations because its rigging the game and causing devastating impacts. By focusing on the few in power causing the damage to the environment, we will address corruption as well as wealth hoarding	9/10/2020 9:13 PM
191	Climate Change; we are f*ed if we don't address this.	9/10/2020 9:08 PM
192	Racial inequality, income inequality, climate change. Much of which would be dealt with if we addressed government corruption.	9/10/2020 9:07 PM
193	Racism because it's harmful, police brutality because it's shameful and cops who kill should be held accountable, Trump's re election - he's horrible and should not get re elected	9/10/2020 9:03 PM
194	Coronavirus, immigration, economy	9/10/2020 8:48 PM
195	Systems Change) Climate, Economic Inequality, education	9/10/2020 8:41 PM
196	National security, equal rights, stopping political corruption and the mishandling of taxpayer dollars	9/10/2020 8:39 PM
197	Climate change, racial inequality and gun policy. All of those have cost people their lives. I'm sick of places burning to ashes. I'm tired of children dying in schools. I'm also fed up with Black people dying at the hands of law enforcement. It needs to stop.	9/10/2020 8:27 PM
198	I am most concerned about climate change. As an individual, I do my part to lower my carbon footprint. As an educator, I teach my students how to be environmentally conscious. But if big businesses and our government do not also address the causes of climate change, our actions will be in vain. If we don't immediately take action to save our planet, we are all fucked.	9/10/2020 8:26 PM
199	Climate change is the single most pressing issue that faces every single person on this planet	9/10/2020 8:22 PM
200	Our descent into fascism because look at what fascist governments do to their citizens, healthcare needs to be socialized especially with corona virus impact, and the racial disparities between white Americans and all other groups that have been ingrained into our social structures need to gtfo	9/10/2020 7:54 PM
201	Energy Independence	9/10/2020 7:52 PM
202	Lgbtq+ rights, racial justice and police reform	9/10/2020 7:52 PM
203	Climate change, because I want my kids to have a world to grow up in that has breathable air and sustainable energy and consumption. Education, because currently we are ranked very low in the world, I want my kids to attend public school and need it to have a quality curriculum, education needs to be inclusive of BIPOC history, and I have many friends who are teachers and they are barely surviving on their public school salaries. Lastly, healthcare because I am a healthcare worker and need a system that works and still pays well, and universal access to healthcare will lower the burden and cost in the country.	9/10/2020 7:49 PM
204	Media integrity, healthcare, affordable housing, super tax for the rich	9/10/2020 7:31 PM
205	Climate change is the number one issue because we are on such a short timeline to make the changes we need to make to save our planet before it is too late.	9/10/2020 7:16 PM
206	Climate Change, corona virus, income inequality	9/10/2020 7:11 PM
207	The US played a big role in global heating and climate catastrophe, and if it is not seriously combated soon with a comprehensive Green New Deal, then human extinction is to come soon. The US drops a bomb every 12 minutes, and the effects of US Imperialism are devastating to much of the human race, but are rarely discussed and continue similarly under Republican and Democratic administrations. Medicare-for-all, or somethn other version of single-payer healthcare, is too radical for even the Democratic candidate to support it, but exists only in every other country.	9/10/2020 7:10 PM
208	Economy- undergirds everything - housing, stability, ability of services to be funded, Education	9/10/2020 7:05 PM

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gap - free speech, and civic education should be two of the goals of that institution, What are we putting value into when we choose students for higher education, and how higher education degrees work in the economy

209	Income inequality, race inequality, healthcare	9/10/2020 6:55 PM
210	Economic recovery/growth, income equality, and personal freedoms (reproductive rights, first amendment rights, general preservation of individuality and democracy). These are the hallmarks of a developed nation, and we cannot have social change or social justice if we do not have a strong economy. I am in favor of expanding healthcare, housing, etc but we cannot have these things if our country is suffering economically. This is basic economics, you see it all around the world.	9/10/2020 6:55 PM
211	Reproductive rights because it's a woman's right to choose. Abortions are lower when women have access to birth control. Climate change because corporations need to be held accountable and individuals can only help so much. Racial inequality because it's 2020 and black and brown communities deserve better.	9/10/2020 6:47 PM
212	Healthcare, Environment, Racial Justice	9/10/2020 6:39 PM
213	Black lives matter, I want to live	9/10/2020 6:35 PM
214	Global warming- this planet is all we've got. The increasing socioeconomic divide- to care about the environment, first you and your loved ones need to have essential matters taken care of (food, housing, fair wages, etc). Education- everyone should have access to good education. Since public schools are funded by property taxes, we still have separate but unequal education.	9/10/2020 6:33 PM
215	climate change (including energy policy as the biggest most existential issue), racial equality/police brutality, voting rights	9/10/2020 6:27 PM
216	1. Defense of American lives - this is the chief reason government exists. 2. Maintain a free market economy but prevent monopolies so Americans don't get taken advantage of, economically, by 1 or 2 companies. 3. Preserving, maintaining, and expanding National Parks so that the natural world provided to us is kept safe for future generations to enjoy.	9/10/2020 6:26 PM
217	climate change, electoral reform, wealth inequality. We need to redesign our government so that it actually gets things done	9/10/2020 6:19 PM
218	health care, climate change, inequality	9/10/2020 6:12 PM
219	Racial inequality, health care, climate change - we need to think about 7 generations from now.	9/10/2020 6:02 PM
220	Coronavirus cases because there is an insane amount in the United States and there are many ways to prevent it. Climate change because it is dangerously hot right now to the point random fires are igniting and creating a dangerous atmosphere for everyone. Having school available for everybody because I think it's important for everyone to get a more equal chance to get an education.	9/10/2020 5:53 PM
221	COVID-19 without a handle on the pandemic, situations won't improve	9/10/2020 5:31 PM
222	Racial justice and police reform, economic inequality, climate change	9/10/2020 5:13 PM
223	Foreign affairs, because globalization is upon us and it is vital to maintain constructive relations with other nations; equality/equity, because "land of the free" should mean unadulterated freedom from oppression, societal and systemic, for everyone; climate change, because it lays at the foundation of the livelihoods of all things in living existence.	9/10/2020 4:40 PM
224	reproductive right, race and ethnic equality and climate change	9/10/2020 4:34 PM
225	1) health care, because I believe maintenance of health should not depend on income. 2) immigration, because I want to live in a country that functions as a place of safety and prosperity for immigrants. 3) climate change, because I want to preserve all of the beauty the planet has to offer.	9/10/2020 4:28 PM
226	Climate change, healthcare, COVID	9/10/2020 4:26 PM
227	Environment equal rights-sex and race	9/10/2020 4:22 PM
228	environmental justice, reproductive rights, housing & homelessness	9/10/2020 4:21 PM

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229	climate change bc if we don't address it the earth will kill us all, racial inequality bc it's just evil and sad and we should care about each other, health care access for the same reason and freaking coronavirus?? Are we not civilized??	9/10/2020 4:09 PM
230	Reproductive Rights because no one can tell me what to do with my body but me, social justice because the school to prison Pipeline and Institutional racism are endemic and deeply harmful, Climate change because the planet is changing faster than we are	9/10/2020 4:00 PM
231	Huge lack of proper response and information on Covid 19, lack of accessible healthcare to all, and wage inequality.	9/10/2020 3:49 PM
232	Coronavirus, climate change, healthcare	9/10/2020 3:43 PM
233	Health care, education, climate change. EVERYONE should have access to free/cheap education and health care. Climate change needs much more focus and more jobs need to be made towards renewable energy and less on oil drilling, etc	9/10/2020 3:36 PM
234	1) reproductive rights. Healthcare is a human right 2) Racial inequality. Minorities are unfairly and disproportionately disadvantaged by our legal systems 3) Climate change. Corporations should be held accountable	9/10/2020 3:24 PM
235	climate, democracy, financial corruption	9/10/2020 3:22 PM
236	Race inequality, income inequality, immigration	9/10/2020 3:03 PM
237	At the moment, the top 3 national issues that are important to me are how this nation will address coronavirus, climate change, and racial inequality because I feel these are the issues that have been the most clearly defined this year and have most clearly exposed this nation's shortcomings. These three issues have been directly harming thousands of people and we need a government that is willing to face this challenges head-on.	9/10/2020 3:00 PM
238	National security is the most pressing point due to the overwhelming evidence of Trump impeding federal investigations into Russian interference. Our entire democracy is at stake. The second most important is healthcare. Without access to general care AND vision, dental, and reproductive care, citizens will continue to amass medical debt or forego important procedures if they cannot afford out of pocket treatment costs. The third most important national issue is income inequality. People of color deserve equal protection and consideration for any job, specifically white collar jobs. The income inequality between sexes also needs attention and the ratification of an equal rights amendment to the Constitution. In a related topic, parents should not have to choose between a career or affordable child care. A comprehensive family leave protection amendment should factor in an option for guaranteed paid leave for new parents and also for subsidized child care should they decide to return to work as a new parent.	9/10/2020 2:53 PM
239	Climate change- we are literally ON FIRE. Police reform- we need to put our resources into different outlets (like social work) to diversify our response force. Environmental protection-we need to save this world before it's too late (which it already kind of is)	9/10/2020 2:48 PM
240	Police reform and immigration reform (overall:systematic racism)	9/10/2020 2:37 PM
241	Capitalism is an issue to me. I don't necessarily think that other economic systems are going to fix everything, but we can't pretend like capitalism has put us in a good spot. We need to focus on making capitalism more equitable and work for people.	9/10/2020 2:33 PM
242	Climate change, racial equity, gun reform. I want to live in a safe environment which is impossible to do with these three issues.	9/10/2020 2:28 PM
243	1. Climate change!!! Literally everything else on the ballot or in the world won't matter if our planet is uninhabitable. 2. Racial and ethnic inequality. This should go without saying but racial and ethnic equality AND equity are long overdue. It is about time that we take the resources and action to get this done. 3. Healthcare. We have one the most expensive and confusing healthcare systems and as a first world country, it's honestly embarrassing how much of a disservice we are offering to our people. The healthcare system should not be limited to those you can afford it, this is a matter of providing care for human beings!	9/10/2020 2:16 PM
244	Climate change, gun control, reproductive rights	9/10/2020 2:11 PM
245	Climate Change, racial and ethnic inequality, and gun policy. The environmental impact on the world caused by humans has reached and continuing to further reach irreparable levels, we	9/10/2020 2:10 PM

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serious record breaking national disasters daily and the current administration just keeps rolling back environmental protections. Racial inequality continues to be a major public health crisis, Black and other minority groups are subject to persecution and murder just by existing, it is a long engrained issue built in our country that needs to be identified and resolved through systemic policy and government change. Everyday more than 100 Americans are killed by a gun and 200 more are harmed or injured by one (Everytown Research), that number is ridiculously high and serious reform needs to happen otherwise the numbers will just keep increasing.

246	Climate Change; Racial and Social Justice; Income Inequality: These things are all facets of the same issue--short-sighted greed and unsustainable policies that benefit from (and depend upon) maintaining a permanent underclass that fights one another instead of addressing the big picture	9/10/2020 2:09 PM
247	Climate change: it's not adressed enough on the national level. It seems lime it's being ignored. Women's rights/reproductive health: During this presidential term things seem to have gone backwards rather than forwards. Race and ethnic inequality: this year has brought that vividly to light. By some it's being turned a blind eye but, it needs to be addressed.	9/10/2020 2:00 PM
248	Climate change, Reproductive rights, Income inequality	9/10/2020 1:55 PM
249	1) Immigration - I think it is crazy that we have birth right citizenship. We basically encourage family separation. I don't know of any other developed country that had birth right citizenship. 2) China - I think China are terrifying. What they did and are doing in Hong Kong and Tiwan should scare every other sovereign nation.	9/10/2020 1:53 PM
250	Foreign Policy, Coronavirus, Economy. The USA is an international leader, and it's decisions could affect the fragile global peace in many compelling ways. The coronavirus needs to be more adequately addressed, so that lives may be saved and the economy can begin to recover.	9/10/2020 1:53 PM
251	1. Dismantling power of large corporations through self sustaining communities and not being chained to conveniences that take away our freedom. 2. Establishing healthcare models that provide meaningful Heath care for all without influence from big pharma and insurance companies. 3. Social programs that help people in need become valuable members of society through skill acquisition as opposed to handouts.	9/10/2020 1:51 PM
252	Climate change, immigration, guns	9/10/2020 1:49 PM
253	Environmental concerns - our time is running out, if it has not already, we need to have our governments hold businesses accountable to work to reduce our carbon footprint / minimize waste, we are already seeing the impacts of climate change with extreme natural disasters -- forest fires, hurricanes, etc- and these tend to impact social demographics of lower incomes harder. Police Reform! We need to begin reallocating funds that are spent on the police and put them back into communities. Police brutality, especially targeted towards BIPOC is an epidemic, there is no justification for it, and we need to rewrite the systems that allow a. Police Officers to get away free of punishment / give P.O.'s such large pensions, let's focus on education / stop terrorizing members of society so they can live a more meaningful life and build our communities from the ground up. 3. Gun Reform, if we didn't have as many guns in this country we would have less need for armed officers. Period.	9/10/2020 1:46 PM
254	Coronavirus, racial injustice and immigration, because the longer reform is delayed, the more lives are lost.	9/10/2020 1:41 PM
255	Racial inequity, income inequity, climate change	9/10/2020 1:37 PM
256	Freedom of speech, public safety, and protection from tyranny	9/10/2020 1:36 PM
257	reproductive rights, environmental policy, and COVID/public health.	9/10/2020 1:32 PM
258	Global Warming, Healthcare, Environmental protections are the things I care most about on a national level because I believe those are the most important for the general wellbeing of all humans, especially future generations.	9/10/2020 1:32 PM
259	Racial equality, healthcare, gun violence	9/10/2020 1:27 PM
260	Immigration, race/ ethnic inequality, income inequality. I care about immigration because I think there should be much simpler paths to citizenship for undocumented people who came to the U.S. out of economic need/ refuge. I care about income and racial reform because	9/10/2020 1:26 PM

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everyone deserves to live a life free from prejudice and have enough employment opportunities to enjoy a comfortable standard of living.

261	Addressing White supremacy and racial inequality because it is the root of many other issues in our country	9/10/2020 1:25 PM
262	Climate Change - Our future and the future of the upcoming generations are in jeopardy. None of the other issues matter if we don't have a planet to live on.	9/10/2020 1:25 PM
263	Climate change is an emergency that needs to stop being ignored, our president is treasonous and the definition of bad	9/10/2020 1:19 PM
264	Climate change, nothing else will matter if we are all dead	9/10/2020 1:18 PM
265	BLM, ICE raids, coronavirus	9/10/2020 1:18 PM
266	Education, Climate Change, Economic Inequality. Many of the social issues that currently face our nation stem from inadequate education (including inadequate nation support/funding for education), climate change is now an unavoidable looming global threat that cannot be ignored any longer, and there is an exorbitant amount of money being controlled by FAR too few individuals/corporations that must be redistributed for the betterment of our society as whole. There must be taxation of the super rich to help fund social welfare programs, universal basic income, universal healthcare, environmental preservation, and so on.	9/10/2020 1:12 PM
267	economy, jobs, worker's rights. Help all hard working people.	9/10/2020 1:06 PM
268	Climate change, pandemic end and health, wages and safety for all classes, racial and gender inequality	9/10/2020 1:06 PM
269	Climate justice, social justice (racial and economic), education reform	9/10/2020 1:03 PM
270	Environment/climate change, Covid-19, Racial/Economic Inequality	9/10/2020 1:02 PM
271	Coronavirus, Climate Change, Racism	9/10/2020 1:01 PM
272	Universal Healthcare, inequality, climate change	9/10/2020 12:54 PM
273	Gun control, covid 19, student loan debt	9/10/2020 12:52 PM
274	Sex trafficking, jobs, freedom of speech.	9/10/2020 12:52 PM
275	income inequality, police abolition, climate. 1 this is the root of much of our nations distress, 2. police are an occupying army that suck up the majority of state and local budgets, 3. we are near if not past the point of no return. look around	9/10/2020 12:51 PM
276	Climate change, reproductive rights, racial inequality	9/10/2020 12:50 PM
277	Electoral reform - removing challenges for voter registration & fix gerrymandering. Healthcare for all! And solving corruption, large monied interests have an unfair influence over political outcomes.	9/10/2020 12:38 PM
278	Climate change, for the obvious reason that it will kill us all. And the boomers laugh in our faces for caring about the fate of humanity at large. They need to step out of the way and let us take charge of our futures. They are too out of touch on issues that they will be dead before seeing.	9/10/2020 12:38 PM
279	Climate Change. if we don't pass a green new deal, the earth dies and the world destabilizes in such a drastic manner life will forever be changed. Medicare for All. in a global pandemic which has killed 200,000 people in our nation, millions are uninsured and under insured. we need a national Healthcare plan that replaces the flimsy plans tied to your employment, which can be terminated any time. healthcare is a right, it shouldn't be tied to your job status. Income inequality. we need massive tax increases on the rich in powerful to create a better society for everyone.	9/10/2020 12:21 PM
280	Destruction of Federal institutions, US Imperialism, Replace liberals/conservatives with socialists	9/10/2020 12:21 PM
281	Foreign policy (strategic bilateral trade agreements, defense R&D into space and cyber/new military alliances, and decoupling from China), Economic Growth (protectionism, lower taxes, domestic production), Police Reform (focus training on de-escalation and redesigning qualified immunity for all govt officials)	9/10/2020 12:21 PM

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282	Climate Change policy (Green New Deal), Political reform (Electoral College and lobbying), and Health Care (Medicare for All). Climate change is probably the most important issue of our generation, and it is the most urgent too. Political reform would allow for a more just and fair democracy and better representation of the American people. Health care is extremely important due to inequalities in health access and increasing prices of healthcare providers.	9/10/2020 12:10 PM
283	Our president is a liar and crook, that is important that we fix it.	9/10/2020 12:10 PM
284	Women's rights, healthcare for all, gun regulations	9/10/2020 12:08 PM
285	1. COVID 2. Student loans 3. Healthcare these are lol issues that are crippling our society	9/10/2020 12:02 PM
286	Climate change, because nothing else matters if we ruin our planet.	9/10/2020 11:57 AM
287	Climate change, racial inequality, and coronavirus. It's very clear across CA and across the country that climate change is incredibly detrimental to everyone. It's not a question anymore, it requires a solution. It's also incredibly clear that our justice system is racially biased and that a disproportionate number of POC are killed and convicted at higher rates than is fair. I am also very disappointed in the way that coronavirus is being handled by the current administration. While other countries have been working to stop it being a problem, the US has adopted a mentality of simply living with it which is terrifying and going to cause a lot of people to die.	9/10/2020 11:54 AM
288	Immigration, wealth Gap, Institutional racism	9/10/2020 11:49 AM
289	Trump out, environment, income gap	9/10/2020 11:47 AM
290	1) Race & Ethnic Inequality, 2) Income Equality, 3) Immigration Reform - All of the issues are about equality: Americans deserve actual equal opportunities, and people who want asylum should be able to enter and gain American rights	9/10/2020 11:43 AM
291	Racial and social justice, fair immigration policies, Gender equality	9/10/2020 11:39 AM
292	Climate change is 1 because it's our future, Covid is 2 because it's our present and can determine much of our immediate future, 3. Racial justice because the movement is progressing.	9/10/2020 11:37 AM
293	Corona virus, Racial Inequality, Income inequality	9/10/2020 11:34 AM
294	Climate Change, Racial inequality, Education	9/10/2020 11:32 AM
295	environmental protections, race/class/gender inequalities, economy.	9/10/2020 11:31 AM
296	Healthcare, Job security, economy	9/10/2020 11:29 AM
297	Racial equality, because I've been discriminated and tokenized my entire life. Medicare for all because healthcare should be provided by the government for the people. And taxing the rich, because they are killing us economically.	9/10/2020 11:23 AM
298	Racial equality, gender equality, healthcare	9/10/2020 11:17 AM
299	Making voting more accessible, such as making it required for all Americans and making voting day a national holiday, like it is in other countries.	9/10/2020 11:13 AM
300	Climate change because it's not only an environmental issue but an environmental injustice issue and we only have a limited amount of time to solve it until our mitigation measures will be too late. Black Lives Matter because we need to end violence against black people. Defunding the police because as I got deferred this year from Teach for America due to budget cuts, I know know the drastic difference in funding between public ed and law enforcement.	9/10/2020 11:08 AM
301	COVID-19 to get it under control, climate change to save us, racial justice, BLM.	9/10/2020 11:07 AM
302	Climate change, Medicare for All	9/10/2020 11:01 AM
303	I would say at the moment the most important issues are the CoronaVirus, racial and ethnic inequality, and income inequality simply because they're killing Americans, disproportionately people of color, the fastest right now.	9/10/2020 10:52 AM
304	Coronavirus, inequality, climate change	9/10/2020 10:50 AM
305	transportation, real estate , commuter issues, traffic congestion, work from home impacts,	9/10/2020 10:49 AM

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	opportunities for all people	
306	Education - ensuring a variety of quality education options for all our communities regardless of their economic status; Immigration - making our immigration process easier and more affordable so more people can come here legally and contribute to our society and economy; Climate change - more collaboration is needed between scientists and the various industries in our country to make sustainable progress rather than the current reality of the scientific/intellectual elites shaming agricultural and industrial workers for their "lack of care" of the planet. The assumption that farmers don't care about the environment is largely untrue. Their livelihoods depend on healthy land and animals. Rather than shaming them for harmful ecological practices, scientists and policy makers need to partner with farmers to find sustainable practices that allow them to do their jobs more effectively with less harm done to the planet.	9/10/2020 10:44 AM
307	racial inequality, income inequality, climate change. we live in a fucked up oligarchy and we literally don't have to put up with this. TAX THE RICH	9/10/2020 10:32 AM
308	Climate change, racial justice and police reform, and Medicare for all- we need to live in a more civilized society that takes care of our citizens and doesn't bend to the will of corporations.	9/10/2020 10:30 AM
309	Climate Change, Rights for all genders and races, and health care not from employer	9/10/2020 10:19 AM
310	Climate change. This is a tremendous crisis that continues to wreak havoc globally but no meaningful actions have been made	9/10/2020 10:09 AM
311	Climate change, because it's an existential threat that will worsen social inequality	9/10/2020 10:08 AM
312	Wealth inequality (because it is root cause of the systematic undermining of our democratic checks and balances); vilification of expertise (see Asimov's The Cult of Ignorance); legal protections against discrimination based on gender and sexual orientation	9/10/2020 9:57 AM
313	Climate Change, Healthcare, Immigration	9/10/2020 9:48 AM
314	Climate change, racial and income equity, housing	9/10/2020 9:47 AM
315	Education, public health, gun violence	9/10/2020 9:45 AM
316	climate change is the biggest existential threat, fueled by corporate capitalism and corruption	9/10/2020 9:42 AM
317	1. Voting and Election Reform: Under the current duopoly the govt mostly only serves itself. 2. Police Reform: Policing sucks up so much of our national budget that there isn't money left over to actually help people. 3. Racial Equality: There are way too many people in the US who think less of others just because of skin color.	9/10/2020 9:42 AM
318	1) Racial justice. 2) Freedom of the press/journalistic integrity. 3) Fighting for the marginalized.	9/10/2020 9:41 AM
319	Covid-19 because life can't get back to normal right now. The Green New Deal because....california is burning down	9/10/2020 9:27 AM
320	Climate change, racial injustice, income inequality	9/10/2020 9:21 AM
321	Dismantle and Defund the Police, Public Healthcare for all, reparations in the form of Housing, jobs, racial justice.	9/10/2020 9:10 AM
322	Education, Economy, & Reproductive rights - These are things that directly impact me right now or are areas I'm most worried about for the future.	9/10/2020 9:02 AM
323	I want the next administration to appoint supreme court justices that will protect reproductive, marriage, and equity rights for years to come. Climate change is an issue that I hope will start getting the swift action that is so desperately needed.	9/10/2020 9:00 AM
324	Not defunding planned parenthood , sex trafficking and educational funding	9/10/2020 8:57 AM
325	Coronavirus, Healthcare, and Education. For me it's simple - we can do the most good in these three areas. Why we aren't is beyond me. None of these should be partisan issues.	9/10/2020 8:56 AM
326	BLM and defunding the police right now are antithetical to our American ideals. They are not based on facts and numbers.	9/10/2020 8:41 AM
327	Healthcare, race inequality, climate change	9/10/2020 8:35 AM
328	Jobs, COVID-19, police reform	9/10/2020 8:27 AM

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329	Gun safety/laws and environmental changes	9/10/2020 8:16 AM
330	Prison reform/ Police reform/ And environmental protections. They seem to me like the most URGENT, considering a faulty prison system steals years from peoples lives, a lot of them unjustly imprisoned, police reform is urgent, we need to hold officers who injure citizens without cause to a HIGHER standard than we hold average americans not trained and paid specifically to protect us. And the environment is changing before our eyes at a rate much faster than we can begin to try and control which is why we must focus on that now.	9/10/2020 8:11 AM
331	Corona virus, civil injustice	9/10/2020 8:05 AM
332	education-- because I am a teacher and we need to channel more funding into our schools; climate change-- as a teacher, I want to ensure that there is a world left for my students; coronavirus-- we need to be able to open up our country so that people can return to work & students and teachers can return to school	9/10/2020 8:00 AM
333	Climate change, healthcare, and immigration. The decarbonization of the global economy is essential if the planet is to avert the worst scenarios for climate change, and the USA has got to be a world leader on this, not only by decarbonizing our own economy but also providing help to poorer nations to do the same. Healthcare is very important to me as a chronically ill person, and I think access to quality healthcare is unaffordable for far too many people. A serious diagnosis like cancer should never result in financial ruin. We need Medicare for All to properly control costs and provide accessible healthcare. Finally, immigration is very important to our national future. We need to grant full amnesty to undocumented Americans, while dramatically liberalizing our immigration policy to encourage the best and brightest from all over the world to move here. At the same time, we need to accept that there is a vital role for our fellow North Americans even in "unskilled" positions, so we should liberalize policies to allow people to come work here and even stay if they want to, perhaps subject to some additional requirements. On the flip side, having opened the path for legal entry, we should take measures to use humane technologies to secure the border and prevent migrant deaths, as well as taking steps to ensure employers cannot hire people without the right to work.	9/10/2020 7:52 AM
334	Healthcare and climate change. So many people and employers pay so much for insurance, just to line the pockets of corporations whose job is to deny coverage. We need Medicare for All so that people don't have to pay through the nose, or stay at a job they hate just for the coverage, or marry someone to be on their insurance. Climate change--if we don't act RIGHT NOW on a national level on this, the devastation and inequities we see it causing now will pale in comparison to what is coming.	9/10/2020 7:50 AM
335	Covid-19	9/10/2020 7:45 AM
336	Racism, because seriously do I need to explain? Police again they're murderers or not trained for everything they are called for. Donald Trump is a worldwide issue but the nation suffers most because of him like really he's old and disgusting	9/10/2020 7:41 AM
337	Climate, social justice, income inequality	9/10/2020 7:31 AM
338	Climate change	9/10/2020 7:23 AM
339	Climate change (global issue, but it has national consequences and causes). It affects our access to natural resources, to food, to clean air, to a safe living environment. Also taxes: we need our social safety net programs and public projects to be funded by a sliding income/wealth tax. The wealthy should be taxed at a higher rate than the working class, period. Education: our public schools this country are still segregated , teachers are underpaid and schools lack financial resources to support learning.	9/10/2020 7:14 AM
340	Economic success determines our countries future. National policy determines our countries future. Corona virus shit down needs to stop.	9/10/2020 7:13 AM
341	Climate change policies, police reform to include increased social services and trainings, universal health care, student loan forgiveness	9/10/2020 7:11 AM
342	Racial injustice, Poverty and Homelessness, and Police Reform. The United States justice system is flawed and outdated, and often caters towards white individuals. Racism has been happening for years, but in these past few years in the U.S, it is impossible to ignore and MUST be addressed. Meaning, that police reform and homelessness need to be addressed as well, seeing as they go hand-in-hand.	9/10/2020 7:05 AM

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343	Gun control, taxes and unemployment	9/10/2020 6:54 AM
344	1. Justice system--how else do we resolve disputes? 2. Riots--not a good way to persuade people of the righteousness of the cause 3. Foreign wars--none of our business. the cause	9/10/2020 6:48 AM
345	Immigration, radicalization, economy	9/10/2020 6:40 AM
346	Universal Basic Income, Student Debt, Health Care	9/10/2020 6:38 AM
347	Making essential medicines in America, protecting our borders, jobs	9/10/2020 5:58 AM
348	Racial Justice, Healthcare Access, , Income Inequality	9/10/2020 3:37 AM
349	Climate crisis because it is an existential threat to the species; foreign policy/imperialism/military-industrial complex because our imperialist policies kill hundreds of thousands of people around the world, contribute to our own problems of police brutality, immigration, and poverty, and are simply morally unconscionable; acceptance of capitalism as the only way to organize a society because there are better ways that do not actively destroy the planet and people's lives for profit, but national discourse never acknowledges that there are alternatives to many of the things we accept as unavoidable, such as workplace hierarchy, unemployment, and homelessness	9/10/2020 3:02 AM
350	COVID-19, racial inequality, police reform	9/10/2020 12:52 AM
351	Controlling the coronavirus pandemic, working towards single-payer healthcare, and reforming the electoral system away from one based on electoral college	9/10/2020 12:37 AM
352	Climate change, racial inequality, human rights	9/10/2020 12:06 AM
353	Healthcare (the fact that a person can still go bankrupt for getting sick is shameful, especially when other countries have already found workable solutions), coronavirus (I prefer my parents alive, thanks. I want responsible scientists in charge), income inequality (the rich have gotten far too rich, to the point where they basically live in a different universe, and yet have outsized influence on our political and other systems).	9/10/2020 12:04 AM
354	Universal healthcare, racial justice, income inequality	9/10/2020 12:01 AM
355	Wealth inequality, Covid crises, universal healthcare	9/10/2020 12:00 AM
356	Racial justice, climate change, health care	9/9/2020 11:58 PM
357	abortion - its murder	9/9/2020 11:53 PM
358	Police reform and racial justice, it's long overdue. The crimes of police are apparent and the system doesn't work. It's time to try something new	9/9/2020 11:52 PM
359	Climate change, gun control, racial justice	9/9/2020 11:48 PM
360	Racial Inequality because it's affects everyone and will help other issues, reproductive rights because not only wealthy communities should have rights to their own bodies, and climate change it affects the largest population, everyone regardless of other factors and with it now is impossible for the future.	9/9/2020 11:46 PM
361	Providing Americans with a universal basic income of \$2000 a month for the duration of the pandemic, Enacting a medicare for all universal healthcare program, enacting a green new deal to prevent a major depression and deal with the environmental crisis.	9/9/2020 11:26 PM
362	Wealth inequality, black lives matter, transgender rights are human rights	9/9/2020 11:20 PM
363	Climate change, pollution, Oil reliance	9/9/2020 11:15 PM
364	police reform, environmental, and healthcare	9/9/2020 11:10 PM
365	1st amendment rights, 2nd amendment rights, 4th amendment rights	9/9/2020 11:01 PM
366	NA	9/9/2020 10:15 PM
367	1) Economy 2) bringing critical health care infrastructure back to the United States 3) No mail in voting	9/9/2020 10:05 PM
368	Climate change. For my children's future. Police brutality/racial discrimination.	9/9/2020 9:52 PM

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369	Climate change. If our waste levels continue to rise we will not have a earth to sustain human life. 2. Police brutality and race inequality. Systematic racism oppresses people of color by giving them less of a chance at success. 3. Immigration. It is a human right to seek asylum	9/9/2020 9:39 PM
370	1. Having a competent federal government and President who can effectively lead the federal bureaucracy, most especially one that can accomplish bold, progressive legislation and appoint non-conservative judges. The second is climate change. I fully support a Green New Deal to me it is not about saving bird (as how liberals talk about it) for me, the GND is about America leading and creating blue collar type and engineering jobs. Third is immigration reform - leaving so many families of mixed status is inhumane.	9/9/2020 9:26 PM
371	Climate change, poverty, racial inequality	9/9/2020 9:10 PM
372	Economy, crime, defense	9/9/2020 9:05 PM
373	Coronavirus, climate change, racial equality	9/9/2020 8:54 PM
374	Supporting law enforcement, fire and EMS	9/9/2020 8:53 PM
375	Climate change - seriously? Do I seriously have to explain why when it was 105 degrees in SB last weekend and half the state is on fire.	9/9/2020 8:50 PM
376	Income Inequality/Union, Climate, Racial Justice	9/9/2020 8:48 PM
377	Racial Justice, Single Payer Healthcare, & Climate Change	9/9/2020 8:47 PM
378	Environment, Healthcare, Anti-corruption	9/9/2020 8:36 PM
379	Climate change--because our global house is literally on fire; Medicare for all--because our current insurance system is robbery and should be illegal, and everyone deserves to be healthy; and free higher education/cancelling student loan debt--because my entire generation is mired in crippling life-long debt when wages are stagnant and housing is unaffordable. Student debt is long-term hurting the economy.	9/9/2020 8:25 PM
380	Healthcare, Voting Rights and Protections, Systemic Inequality. I believe healthcare is a human right. Many people are unable vote and there is still policy in place that disenfranchises voters of marginalized groups. The Trump administration has taken part in rolling back voting rights and protections, for example. Systemic inequality (racial, gender, immigration status, sexual orientation, etc) is the reason it is so difficult in this country to get ahead for many individuals in marginalized groups. We need to replace policy that has had a hand in maintaining systemic inequality with anti-racist, anti-sexist, etc. policy.	9/9/2020 8:23 PM
381	Health care, racial and ethnic inequality, and income inequality. We have no path forward as a modern, wealthy country if we permit people to go with out health care, be murdered by law enforcement in the street based on skin color, and be unable to survive without a living wage.	9/9/2020 8:17 PM
382	Race relations because we have had enough. There is so much traction for potential changes and addressing these issues will improve the state of our society. Trump's criminal activity and accountability for it. It is disheartening and frustrating to see the unwieldy support for him without any critique or accountability. He is creating a fascist regime with support from ignorant people. Finally, flipping the senate Because that is where the real power is. No important changes will be possible without flipping the senate.	9/9/2020 8:11 PM
383	Climate Change.	9/9/2020 8:07 PM
384	Climate change, healthcare, student debt relief	9/9/2020 8:06 PM
385	Equality/equity, criminal justice reform, combating climate change	9/9/2020 7:51 PM
386	Economic health, immigration, gun control	9/9/2020 7:46 PM
387	1. Bi-partisanship 2. Foreign policy 3. Economy. 1). We need to begin de-escalating the animosity between "left" and "right." 2). We need to build strong relationships with foreign powers and position America/democracy for continued power/protection 3). We need to roadmap our short term path out of the recession and deal with the national debt.	9/9/2020 7:41 PM
388	Make abortion illegal, improve health care, and improve equal education for children; All life is important.	9/9/2020 7:37 PM
389	Protecting non-human species and their habitats, raising the minimum wage, ending the oppression of women in all its forms	9/9/2020 7:23 PM

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390	Supreme court	9/9/2020 7:22 PM
391	Coronavirus, healthcare/reproductive rights, racial inequality	9/9/2020 7:17 PM
392	Public health, we need to get protocol and emergency measures to fight COVID quickly	9/9/2020 7:15 PM
393	Climate change, covid-19, economy	9/9/2020 7:03 PM
394	Climate change, racial equality, gender equality	9/9/2020 7:00 PM
395	Second Ppp, second stimulus check and Supreme Court nominee	9/9/2020 6:58 PM
396	War - War is a waste of money and lives. Universal Healthcare - With a smaller war budget we can likely afford a larger safety net in terms of healthcare. The War on Drugs - All drug legislation should be legalized, regulated and taxed. This can reduce the prison population and increase federal income.	9/9/2020 6:48 PM
397	Cannabis reform / federal legalization	9/9/2020 6:47 PM
398	Freedom of Speech, Reforming voting, wealth inequality and environmental policy. I think the country is heading in the wrong direction and revisiting liberty as a core value of inclusiveness is important for everyone from diverse backgrounds of identity, gender, race, etc. I fundamentally believe the government has failed to address all of these concerns and a process of replacement is critical including the necessity to disband political regimes as a way of rebuilding America. We cannot help others if we cannot help ourselves.	9/9/2020 6:34 PM
399	Pandemic - we can't move forward without controlling this first.	9/9/2020 6:30 PM
400	General economy, tax reforms, and budget reforms. A lot of our problems can be attenuated with sensible changes to how we manage our economy (legislation, subsidies, economic incentives, etc.), generate tax revenue (who we tax, what we tax, and how much we tax) , and how we spend our money (federal level, state level, etc.).	9/9/2020 6:24 PM
401	Ending institutional racism, climate change, income inequality	9/9/2020 6:18 PM
402	Rise in authoritarianism--it is emboldening white supremacy and deteriorating already weakened democratic institutions. Housing--there is no reason people should be houseless or fear they may lose housing, it is a human right; defunding the police--safer communities don't have more police, they have more resources. we don't need a militarized police force, low-income, black, and brown communities need resources like housing, better educational institutions, social workers, etc not police	9/9/2020 6:15 PM
403	Coronavirus, Getting Trump Out of Power, Climate Change	9/9/2020 6:14 PM
404	Gun Policy, Police Reform, and Immigration. I think there has to be a big change to the Gun policies we have because before this pandemic we had a problem with massacres. We also need Police Reform because of the violent culture that has been created within policing, and that is not acceptable. Also Immigration is important because we need to allow people into our country and it needs to have a good balance between safety and opportunity.	9/9/2020 5:53 PM
405	Immigration, climate changes, education and wealth gap	9/9/2020 5:40 PM
406	Income inequality, racial and ethnic inequality, and climate change - pretty much everything majorly wrong with the US can be tied to one of those 3 things. The greatest threat to our country is White Supremacy. Its blatant form features seething hatred, insatiable greed, and willful ignorance. Those attributes don't change in its more hidden, systemic form - they're just normalized and delivered with more precision.	9/9/2020 5:26 PM
407	Income inequality (I feel this is the root of many of our problems), access to healthcare (would like to see a single payer system), police reform (all police depts should have independent review boards in place, and officers should be held liable for their actions)	9/9/2020 5:18 PM
408	Climate change, covid19, universal healthcare	9/9/2020 4:58 PM
409	-	9/9/2020 4:48 PM
410	Ending this Republican nightmare and prosecuting these monsters so they never come back. Removing them will allow racial justice and economic equality to be implemented.	9/9/2020 4:38 PM
411	Coronavirus (its a pandemic!), Wealth Inequality (this perpetuates over types of inequality for	9/9/2020 4:33 PM

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generations), Healthcare (it's too expensive for most people and provides inadequate coverage, plus the system is hard to navigate)

412	Racial justice, police reform, climate change. Government must help those without power and worry about the future of our country	9/9/2020 4:23 PM
413	Climate change, income inequality, and health care	9/9/2020 4:13 PM
414	Income inequality, climate justice, women's rights	9/9/2020 4:13 PM
415	Universal health care and economic safety nets for low to middle incomes. As someone growing into adulthood and prioritizing setting myself up for long-term success, I'm learning that it's so hard to do that when you need to worry about base-level things like "if I get sick can I still retire"	9/9/2020 4:02 PM
416	First and foremost, we need to shut down all non-essential businesses, bars, restaurants, etc and do a real hard closure if we expect to come out "on top" of this pandemic. Second, we need to do better for our fellow POC Americans as everybody deserves fair and equal chances here. No one should be seen as more threatening or less promising because of the color of their skin.	9/9/2020 3:58 PM
417	climate policy, lgbtq policy	9/9/2020 3:40 PM
418	Police reform, environmental reform, reproductive reform	9/9/2020 3:40 PM
419	1- Trump abusing power like a fascist dictator 2- BLM/ reparations /housing segregation 3- Hazard pay for essential workers	9/9/2020 3:15 PM
420	Healthcare, climate change, coronavirus	9/9/2020 3:15 PM
421	Coronavirus (because *gestures broadly*), and reproductive rights and healthcare because they have ripple effects to many things in our community	9/9/2020 3:14 PM
422	Abortion, Gun Control, Jobs	9/9/2020 3:05 PM
423	Getting the pandemic under control is the most urgent national issue for me. We knew about this virus going back to the end of 2019, yet the response was too little, too late, and there have been more than 6 million cases and over 190,000 deaths, the highest death toll in the world. My second most important national issue is ending racial inequality, starting with ending police brutality. I'm ashamed of the racial disparities in the US (life expectancy, household wealth, educational success, etc) and I believe ending these disparities is an obvious issue our country needs to commit itself to. The third most important national issue to me is responding to climate change. I am seriously concerned that we have already wasted so much time. We have no Planet B.	9/9/2020 3:00 PM
424	M4A, Climate Change, income inequality. Simply: there is enough wealth in this world to solve every world crisis we currently have. The problem is that a very small few are hoarding wealth at a rate that we have no comprehension of. We need to provide for ALL people with the wealth that is generated by most people. The few at the top provide very little benefit to society while costing incredibly huge sums in terms of environmental impact.	9/9/2020 2:59 PM
425	Crime~Looting~protesting there out of control. Healthcare we give too much aide to those not contributing and take too much away from our elderly who paid into the system covid 19 we need statewide mandate to wear masks no exceptions	9/9/2020 2:53 PM
426	Economy, terrorism, jobs	9/9/2020 2:52 PM
427	Coronavirus, racial discrimination, student debt	9/9/2020 2:47 PM
428	Coronavirus because, well, that's very obvious. Healthcare - it drives the economy and equality. Gun control - also very obvious.	9/9/2020 2:43 PM
429	Income Inequality, Structural Racism, Universal Health Care	9/9/2020 2:34 PM
430	Education inequality, wealth redistribution/tax reform, racism	9/9/2020 2:31 PM
431	1. income inequality 2. foreign policy 3. riots	9/9/2020 2:30 PM
432	Healthcare, Climate Change, and Corona Virus	9/9/2020 2:26 PM
433	Health care access (and women's reproductive health is Health), immigrant and police reform	9/9/2020 2:25 PM

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(including ICE and DHS), and restoring the efficacy of international partnerships with other democracies

434	Climate change and economic inequalities as these are the most pressing issues nationally. They are interconnected and they are the drivers of the other issues our country is dealing with.	9/9/2020 2:25 PM
435	Economy, climate change, family leave/pre-school subsidies	9/9/2020 2:16 PM
436	coronavirus- an urgent public health issue that affects the most marginalized in our society. As well as Climate Change which is an existential threat to mankind.	9/9/2020 2:14 PM
437	COVID - the lack of consistent messaging and leadership has led to deaths equivalent to wiping out the entire Goleta through Montecito area. Foreign Policy - we shouldn't be bedfellows with fascist dictators. Climate Change - this is literally the apocalypse unfolding and yet big business interests and individual selfishness are letting it continue.	9/9/2020 2:11 PM
438	Environment- so many beneficial environmental policies that were out in place have been rolled back. We don't have any more time to waste, continually polluting this planet. Other countries are making progress, why can't we? Racial justice- why are we not seeing progress with racial justice. Black people should not have to live in fear, they deserve justice and a fair life.	9/9/2020 2:10 PM
439	Climate Change, healthcare and coronavirus. We can't hope to work on the other issues if these aren't seriously dealt with	9/9/2020 2:09 PM
440	Racial&Ethnic Inequality, Income Inequality and Immigration.	9/9/2020 2:06 PM
441	Education (I work in higher ed), healthcare (our system is broken), racial inequality	9/9/2020 2:04 PM
442	Climate change because what we do in the next three years determines our future 2. Public lands protection 3. Equal rights	9/9/2020 2:03 PM
443	Crime/public safety, economy, foreign policy	9/9/2020 1:59 PM
444	Climate change, health care, and education.	9/9/2020 1:58 PM
445	Climate Change (because if we don't act now, our planet will never recover), Racial & ethnic inequality (because injustice is at the root of our society), Feminism (because women, especially women of color, deserve the same rights as men)	9/9/2020 1:57 PM
446	Climate change because of the extent of the threat; corporate power because it drives climate change	9/9/2020 1:55 PM
447	Political reform its starts too to bottom	9/9/2020 1:54 PM
448	Less regulation leading to more jobs, No foreign wars, America First - we have to take care of our citizens.	9/9/2020 1:53 PM
449	Healthcare, climate change, education	9/9/2020 1:52 PM
450	Single Payer Health Care - remove the complexity, inequities, and costliness of the private system for a simple, quality, and universal program that overall costs less. As a manager picking a health plan and as someone who receives "almost free" health insurance through virtue of being an SBCC Trustee, it just makes total sense to cover everyone that way. 2) Green New Deal because it will be a large scale investment, similar to one we did almost 100 years ago, in new economy jobs, building new and needed infrastructure, focuses on averting additional climate disasters, and also would focus on racial equity in awarding the monies. Huge potential for a win-win-win-win and set us up for a great 21st century since our path now is not so good. 3) Reforming the tax system and the government's budget priorities - right now the wealthy/rich/large corps don't pay their fair share while the middle income and small businesses pay too much, all while our money is being essentially wasted primarily by a overly bloated military budget and to a much smaller degree inefficiency in government programs that could better be implemented as universal ones. A minor reduction in the military budget would easily fund tuition-free college for all at all public universities. Taxes can be raised but if current spending is an indication of where they'd go I can't support them on middle/working class people until there is a fundamental change in spending priorities by the government.	9/9/2020 1:48 PM
451	Economy, jobs creation, and business opportunities. This is important to me because removing barriers to business will help create jobs and grow the economy, which is the most proven way of lifting people out of poverty.	9/9/2020 1:48 PM

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452	Coronavirus because it's not being handled well, stimulus spending on people rather than companies, rooting out white supremacy in police	9/9/2020 1:48 PM
453	Economy Economy Economy	9/9/2020 1:45 PM
454	Student loan forgiveness/higher education, Equal opportunity/diversity BLM, Environment	9/9/2020 1:45 PM
455	Climate change, urban planning, and policing reform	9/9/2020 1:42 PM
456	Donald Trump, Donald Trump, Donald Trump	9/9/2020 1:39 PM
457	LGBT rights (I'm gay), reestablishing international allies, curbing the Republican Party's lack of accountability	9/9/2020 1:36 PM
458	Freedom of speech and practices	9/9/2020 1:35 PM
459	Race inequality, healthcare, climate change because all of these issues are killing people every day.	9/9/2020 1:34 PM
460	Racial justice, health care, and education	9/9/2020 1:34 PM
461	Unity - We're stronger together, we've been growing further apart, need leadership that will work to unify us. Economy - Far too many people believe taxes will fix everything, we need to increase those, but also look at ways of reducing our expenditures, responsibly. HealthCare - Too many people still don't feel comfortable going to the doctor because of costs, myself included	9/9/2020 1:29 PM
462	Immigration - we need a pathway to citizenship for all 11 million undocumented immigrants, 2) Climate Change - we have too many fires and it's getting warmer every year and 3) Health Care for ALL - people are dying because they do not have access to affordable health care	9/9/2020 1:29 PM
463	Income inequality and housing cost. Due to the housing collapse and covid-19 I had to find a new career twice. Also I married my wife and I can barely afford a studio apartment. Also is not high enough to support yourself are your family even if we both work. I don't think we'll ever be able to have kids Healthcare also we can't afford that either	9/9/2020 1:28 PM
464	Income inequality, the climate crisis, and racial justice. These three issues will dramatically shape how we live in Santa Barbara and around the nation.	9/9/2020 1:26 PM
465	Racial Justice. Wealthy inequity. Political oligarchs.	9/9/2020 1:25 PM
466	Abolishing police i.e. creating systems of care rather than punishing, public health, environment.	9/9/2020 1:25 PM
467	Immigration. Police and gun. Immigration is a very important issue that should be touched. No human is illegal. We all deserve to be here. We also need better policemen. For the people. They should need for training and not just physical but on subjects about race. They shouldn't come into the police force if they have any type of hate towards someone because of The way they look.	9/9/2020 1:24 PM
468	Climate Change - we need to protect the planet above all else. Other issues are important but without swift and meaningful environmental policy changes they won't matter because we won't have an inhabitable planet.	9/9/2020 12:51 PM
469	Climate change because without a healthy habitable planet most will not have futures. Healthcare because I believe healthcare is a human right and no one should profit off of it (medicare for all now). Redistribution of wealth most of the problems we see are because a few people are so greedy hoarders who exploit their employees and the environment for profit and this needs to end (the existence of billionaires is immoral).	9/9/2020 12:44 PM
470	climate action, racial justice, economic inequality	9/9/2020 12:24 PM
471	Education, Foreign Policy, and Climate Change. All 3 are critical to future generations' well-being and success.	9/9/2020 11:59 AM
472	Inequality, climate change, healthcare. Because without addressing those we are a failed state (we are a failed state).	9/9/2020 11:56 AM
473	Climate Change, Race & Ethnic Inequality, and Income Inequality because they are all intertwined and connected in some way or another and environmental injustice and racism is a huge issue.	9/9/2020 11:38 AM

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474	Climate Change, Paid Family Leave, Universal Healthcare	9/9/2020 11:27 AM
475	The top national issue is fighting fascism and removing the current president from office. We need a government is functions and our current administration is making it so that our government goes underfunded while the private industries that are causing most of our problems (oil & gas, weapons, prisons, pharmaceuticals) get rewarded. Racism and police violence/the military industrial complex mustn't be addressed if we are to achieve a functioning democracy where all people are truly equal and seen as such under the law. And of course, we need a government that will take action on climate change, we are beginning to see how quickly it can destroy everything.	9/9/2020 11:26 AM
476	Coronavirus, climate change, economy	9/9/2020 10:37 AM
477	Climate change, racial inequality, gun policy	9/9/2020 10:32 AM
478	Racial and Social Justice (including Criminal Justice Reform) - Reproductive Healthcare Access - Universal Healthcare; every person in this nation deserves the right to equal protection under the law , bodily autonomy, and the right to live without going into crippling debt.	9/9/2020 10:21 AM
479	Lack of civics and constitutional literacay; the deep state; power of public sector unions	9/9/2020 10:04 AM
480	Police demilitarization, health care access, climate change	9/9/2020 9:57 AM
481	economy, law and order, environment	9/9/2020 9:52 AM
482	Climate Change, Campaign Finance Reform, Coronavirus Response - these are the most pressing issues of our day, and improving the outcomes on all of them will vastly improve life for all, but specifically the least financially stable among us.	9/9/2020 9:48 AM
483	Reproductive Healthcare, Gender/Ethnic/Racial Equality, Healthcare. These issues are very important to me because the inequality we currently experience in regards to these issues create a foundation of failure and upward mobility. They currently are creating a caste system. Limiting these freedoms also stifles innovation and economic growth.	9/9/2020 9:35 AM
484	Constitution freedom and ILLEGAL immigration	9/9/2020 9:21 AM
485	Climate change, housing justice, racial justice— all three build toward a more sustainable and equitable future	9/9/2020 9:20 AM
486	Trans Rights - I would like the right to exist please and thank you	9/9/2020 9:18 AM
487	Health care- Cost of meds and care; environment and defense	9/9/2020 9:15 AM
488	COVID-19, climate change, and corruption. There are many issues that are extremely important, but these three in particular are emergencies. There's no fixing the economy, adding jobs, or moving forward until we get the pandemic under control. Climate change is going to kill us all, yet our older politicians and leaders don't seem to care about what happens to us younger generations in the future as long as they get to keep their money now. The Trump regime is a transnational crime syndicate that is actively trying to strip down our country and sell its parts to the highest bidders. We are slipping further and further into an autocracy while Democratic leadership refuses to do their jobs, hoping that by some miracle Trump will fail to steal the 2020 election and that he will go quietly when voted out.	9/9/2020 9:10 AM
489	Climate Change and Income Inequality. These are not issues we can tackle at a grassroots level and requires policy change at a national level to bring about lasting change. California fires and gulf coast hurricanes are just early indicators but things will only get worse. We as individuals can only do so much to alleviate energy consumption and reduce single use plastics. As for income inequality, tax policy in the US is so far gone and needs to be rehailed to stop allowing wealthy individuals from exploiting loopholes.	9/9/2020 9:00 AM
490	Health care, immigration rights (abolishing ICE), white supremacy. Simply put, all those areas are sincerely structural messes, people are dying and we need to do something about it to ensure people's livelihood and dignity and human rights/care.	9/9/2020 8:54 AM
491	COVID Response, Health care, Immigration Reform	9/9/2020 8:52 AM
492	environment - because a lot of the decisions we make now can't be undone and will have large impacts on future generations.	9/9/2020 8:45 AM

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493	Climate Change - if our planet dies, we die; Affordable Health Care - Healthcare should be considered a basic human right, no one should be bankrupted from cancer or die because they can't afford insulin	9/9/2020 8:38 AM
494	Stopping the pandemic, electing competent leaders, protecting our democracy from election tampering	9/9/2020 8:35 AM
495	Police reform - even as a white-ish female I've been abused by police enforcement; environmental policy - we need to protect our natural resources	9/9/2020 8:05 AM
496	Coronavirus, gun policy, racial equality	9/9/2020 8:01 AM
497	climate change because it threatens the whole world and our futures. Racial justice issues (especially abolishing the police) because there needs to be change, so many people of color are dying because of racism. Anti-patriarchy work - I say this broadly because I want to encapsulate fighting rape culture, discrimination against women and transwomen, toxic masculinity and more.	9/9/2020 7:38 AM
498	Trump. Trump Trump. He is a fascist and he has made a mockery of this country	9/9/2020 7:35 AM
499	1) Guns: As a gun owner I think California has too many restrictions that don't work and should be more in line with the rest of the country. 2) Economy: We have been hit with 2 economic crisis in the last 20 years and both have affected my generation. 3) Racial Inequality: We have acknowledged their is a problem, but it's barely been fixed.	9/8/2020 10:40 PM
500	Environmental issue	9/8/2020 9:25 PM
501	funding of social programs such as housing, universal Healthcare for both mental and physical health, wealth gap, climate change. Healthcare should be a right for all citizens, especially in the richest country in the world. Health care costs can drive people into extreme debt and homelessness due to lack of insurance. Housing market is crucially important especially as younger generations struggle to achieve the dream of home ownership with rising costs but unequal increases in pay. Wealth gap contributed to all these issues.	9/8/2020 9:25 PM
502	Climate change because as we've seen throughout the nation, our planet needs to be preserved. Wild fires, hurricanes, and other natural disasters are devastating and will only get worse unless we change our and big business habits.	9/8/2020 8:48 PM
503	coronavirus, climate change, health care	9/8/2020 8:18 PM