

**Santa Cruz for Bernie questionnaire for Emanuel Navarro-Ortiz
2020 Bernie Delegate to the Democratic National Convention (DNC)
Candidate Questionnaire - CA Congressional District 20**

(Just start typing after the >> cue)

1. Your full name >> **Emanuel Navarro-Ortiz**
2. Your city and county of residence >> **Watsonville, Santa Cruz county**
3. Length of residence in CD20 >>**30 years**
4. Your occupation or avocation >> **Software Engineering student and Mathematics Tutor**
5. Significant memberships and affiliations (political, labor union, public service, etc.) >> **Bernie Sander community canvas organizer**
6. Which of Bernie's policy proposals are you most passionate about? >> **I am passionate about Medicare for all, criminal justice reform, Climate Change, free college tuition and addressing increase wealth inequality.**
7. Do you consider support for Medicare for All single-payer healthcare to be an essential conviction of a true progressive? *Yes or No* >> **Yes, it is one of Bernie's strongest platforms.**
8. During 2019-2020, approximately how many hours were you engaged in campaigning for Bernie in these activities? 80 hours
 - door-to-door canvassing >> **10 hours**
 - phonebanking >> **15 hours**
 - tabling >> **0 hours**
 - other >> **55 hours** hours Describe campaign activity >> **Community canvas leader-Organizing my community in a grass roots movement.**
9. Were you active in Bernie's 2016 campaign? *Yes or No* >>**Yes**
If so, how? >> **Volunteered house to be Bernie Campaign unofficial headquarters for Watsonville**
10. In what other campaigns, organizations, or movements have you been active, and what role did you play? >> **Occupy Wallstreet, Protested against PIPA and SOPA.**
11. If you were eligible to vote in the 2016 Primary, who did you vote for for President? >> **Bernie Sanders**
Who did you vote for in the 2016 General Election? >> **Bernie Sanders**
If not in California, in what state? >>
12. At the DNC, in addition to supporting Bernie's platform and voting for Bernie on the first ballot, what do you realistically hope to accomplish as a part of the delegation at the convention? >> **I would like to push for a progressive agenda where the central talking points of the DNC should focus on Medicare for all, Criminal Justice reform, Climate change, and addressing wealth inequality.**
13. If there is a second ballot at the DNC, who would you support for President? >> **Elizabeth Warren**
Who would you never support? >> **Michael Bloomberg**
14. Who do you fancy for Vice President? >> **Elizabeth Warren if Biden keeps his word to choose a female candidate as his VP.**
Who would you never support? >>**Michael Bloomberg**
15. Do you do your political work primarily inside the Democratic Party or outside of it? >> **N/A**
16. Do you think the U.S. needs a viable progressive third party? *Yes or No* >> **Yes**
If Yes, what are you doing to build it? >> **I support candidates not by party lines but by ideologies that resonate with my community and my family. I advocate candidates by the merit of their actions.**
17. In your opinion, how electable is Joe Biden in November 2020?
(enter a number from 1 to 5, with 1=No Chance to 5=Slam Dunk) >>**4**
18. What do you think are Biden's assets? >> **Strong support among older generation**
What do you think are Biden's liabilities? >> **sexual Allegations, Gaffes that he has on stage.**

19. What differences if any do you think would result from a Biden administration compared to a second Trump administration? >> **There would be a large contrast between Joe Biden and Donald Trump. Joe Biden is not my first choice, but he would be an improvement to the angry oompa Loompa of a President Donald J Trump.**

20. Give an example of when you spoke truth to power. Who were the players, what were the stakes, and what did you do? >> **In 2015 I spoke to my family and peers of the danger Donald J Trump is to society. A lot of people underestimated him and saw him as a Joke Candidate. I saw how he catered to poor white conservatives and used immigrants and people of color as scape goats for their misfortune. Donald J Trump is a master manipulator and is not be underestimated.**

21. Why should Bernie supporters vote for you to be their DNC Delegate? *(max 50 words)* >> **I would like to represent the Latinx community by tackling basic human rights such as Medicare for all, criminal justice reform, climate change, and addressing wealth inequality. I will advocate for a progressive movement that is transparent and pivot away from divisive politics.**