

Please provide as much information as possible. Recognizing this form is general, certain questions may be more or less pertinent to a specific office or applicant.

**Candidate Profile – Personal Profile**

- 1. Candidate Name Henry Parrish
- 2. Office You Are Running For 51st Seat of the Florida House of Representatives.
- 3. Phone Numbers.
  - home: \_\_\_\_\_
  - office: 321-505-0404
  - cell: 321-302-4017

**Please include a copy of your professional resume**

- 4. Current Occupation: President of Parrish Redevelopment, President of Parrish Grove Inn, Elected official, Brunswick Corp, Product Development + Engineering.
- 5. Education (if not detailed on your resume)  
Rockledge High School.

6. Civic Involvement (if not detailed on your resume)

7. Are you involved in or have been involved with a local Chamber of Commerce?

yes

8. Have you run for office before? If so, when and what was the outcome?  Yes  No

Elected City of Cocoa Mayor 2012  
ReElected City of Cocoa Mayor 2016

9. Party Affiliation  Republican  Democrat Other: \_\_\_\_\_

10. How long have you been registered as the above Party?

37 yrs, 1981

**Pre-Interview Questions**  
(For Legislative and County Commission races)

1. In the next 10 years, what do you believe will be the top three critical needs of Floridians/Brevard County residents? What role will the office you are seeking play in helping meet these needs, and what plans do you have to help us do so?

The Indian River Lagoon. I'll question the schedule, Accountability, results, Economic Development, Bring in more Manufacturing to Brevard, Help promote the space Coast, Clean Water initiatives, protect our water resources, Help plan for future water needs, Help bring in new Technologies,

2. How do you weigh decisions between the needs of your local district constituency and those of the county/state as a whole?

Coming from local government, I will support our local government first without hesitation.

3. Assuming you are elected/re-elected to the Florida legislature/county commission, what will be your primary area of interest and what do you hope to accomplish in this area? What committees will you request if elected to the legislature?

Restoring the Indian River Lagoon, Improve Economic Development, Image of Brevard County, safety Issues, Support the Space Center, Port Canaveral, Work on Clean Water Issues, upgrading and expanding our infrastructure.

I will serve where ever the speaker thinks I will add the most value.

## Campaign Profile

1. Manager's Name Advisor, Brian Graham
2. Phone Numbers  
office: 321-505-0404  
cell: 904-376-5288
3. Treasurer Steve Ellis
4. Other Consultants, Staff or Key Volunteers
5. If qualifying by petition, how are you collecting petitions?
6. How many fundraisers have you had? 3
7. What is your fundraising goal? Hard Money, local 60K, 1st 3 months,
8. What type of voter contact are you budgeting for?  
mailers, Door to Door,
9. How many volunteers do you have engaged in your campaign and describe how you are engaging them?  
20-25
10. Why are you running for this office?  
To make a difference. I want to use my experience to improve District 51 just like we did in Cocoa.

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## Business Profile

1. Various organizations and interest groups make endorsements, contribute to campaigns and help build a support coalition for candidates. Please indicate groups or organizations that you would seek out to support your candidacy.

All of the business Community. All Aboard Florida, Insurance Industry, Fire + Police Unions, Realtors, Medical Industry.

2. The Business community should support my candidacy because:

I am a successful business owner and I support local + small businesses. Proven track record.

3. Describe your experience that qualifies you for the position you seek, or to hold public office in general.

I bring a unique business perspective to governing by understanding the positive and negative effects that government will have on business.

4. What have you done to prepare yourself to serve in this office?

I've learned so much through my mayoral position. Also I was a Jeb Bush Appointee on the TRDA (2004-2008), worked with state + Federal officials.

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