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Center for Civic Engagement to host Candidate Forum

The [Center for Civic Engagement](https://www.oakland.edu/polisci/cce/) (<https://www.oakland.edu/polisci/cce/>) at Oakland University, in partnership with [The New Foster Care](http://thenewfostercare.org/) (<http://thenewfostercare.org/>) and [Michigan's Children](https://www.michiganschildren.org/) (<https://www.michiganschildren.org/>), will host a Candidate Forum event on Thursday, October 18 in Banquet Room B of the Oakland Center. The event will run from 7-9 p.m.

The Candidate Forum will feature nearly a dozen political candidates in the Michigan House, Michigan Senate and Governor's race in attendance. The plan is to talk to the candidates about their stance on issues that face children and foster care families.

Confirmed Candidates so far include:

[Bill Schuette](https://billschuetter.com/), candidate for governor (<https://billschuetter.com/>)

[Garland Gilchrist II](https://www.gretchenwhitmer.com/about/garlin/), candidate for lieutenant governor (<https://www.gretchenwhitmer.com/about/garlin/>)



[Kyle Cooper, candidate for Michigan House District 45 \(https://jllai.github.io/kyle_cooper_website/index.html\)](https://jllai.github.io/kyle_cooper_website/index.html)

[Padma Kuppa, candidate for Michigan House District 41 \(https://www.electpadmakuppa.com/\)](https://www.electpadmakuppa.com/)

[Mari Manoogian, candidate for Michigan House District 40 \(https://www.mariformi.com/\)](https://www.mariformi.com/)

[Michael McCready, candidate for Michigan Senate District 12 \(https://www.mccreadyforsenate.com/\)](https://www.mccreadyforsenate.com/)

[Mallory McMorrow, candidate for Michigan Senate District 13 \(https://www.mcmorrowformichigan.com/\)](https://www.mcmorrowformichigan.com/)

[Jeff Pittel, candidate for Michigan Senate District 12 \(https://jeffpittel4mi.org/\)](https://jeffpittel4mi.org/)

[Doug Tietz, candidate for Michigan House District 41 \(https://www.votedougietz.com/\)](https://www.votedougietz.com/)

[Michael Webber, candidate for Michigan House District 45 \(http://webberforstaterep.com/\)](http://webberforstaterep.com/)

[David Wolkinson, candidate for Michigan House District 40 \(https://www.davidwolkinson.com/\)](https://www.davidwolkinson.com/)
