

Describing herself as “very progressive,” Jahana Hayes has been touted by organizations which support defunding the police, eliminating money bail, and soliciting donations to bail violent criminals out of prison.

Hayes describes herself as “very progressive” and a partisan democrat ready for “bold and aggressive” change:

- **VIDEO:** Hayes stated that “on some things I’m very progressive.” Reiss: “Do you feel that you perhaps you need to moderate if you were to represent this district as a result of the demographics and the vote shifting further to the right? Hayes: “Yes, absolutely. I think this approach that you either have to be progressive or a moderate really isn’t working. I think our responses need to be nuanced. You know on some things I’m very progressive. You know because I think we need to have a government that works for the people.” (NBC Connecticut, “The Democratic candidates for the 5th Congressional District are participating in a debate at NBC Connecticut. Mary Glassman and Jahana Hayes are taking questions from NBC Connecticut’s Max Reiss. Second half: <http://nbcct.co/Ld4lRtg>,” [Facebook Live](#), 8/8/18)
- **VIDEO:** Hayes stated that she is a partisan Democrat. “But make no mistake about it. I am a Democrat and I believe in Democratic ideas. And I’m gonna go to Washington to fight for those ideas.” (NBC Connecticut, “The Democratic candidates for the 5th Congressional District are participating in a debate at NBC Connecticut. Mary Glassman and Jahana Hayes are taking questions from NBC Connecticut’s Max Reiss. Second half: <http://nbcct.co/Ld4lRtg>,” [Facebook Live](#), 8/8/18)
- **VIDEO:** Hayes “I don’t support band-aid fixes. I think we have to be bold and aggressive in changing policy.” “And I don’t support band-aid fixes. I think we have to be bold and aggressive in changing policy.” (CT Working Families, “WFP Endorsement Interview - Jahana Hayes,” [Facebook Live](#), 7/7/20)

Hayes has twice been endorsed by and run as a candidate on the ticket of a minor political party that supports defunding the police, the elimination of cash bail, solicited donations for a group that bails out violent criminals:

- Hayes has been twice endorsed by the CT Working Families Party.

Organization	Endorsement	Office Sought
Connecticut Working Families Party	2020	CT-05 - 2020 Cycle
Connecticut Working Families Party	2018	CT-05 - 2018 Cycle

- In 2018, Hayes ran as a candidate on the Working Families Party ticket.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 05 (Click here for full race results)			
CANDIDATE PARTY / NAME	VOTES	VOTES %	
Connecticut 05			
Jahana Hayes	142,901	52.80%	
Manny Santos	115,146	42.54%	
Jahana Hayes	8,324	3.08%	
Manny Santos	4,280	1.58%	
John Pistone	13	0.00%	

(Election Center: 11/6/18 ~ November 2018 State Election, [Connecticut Secretary of the State](#), Accessed 4/1/22)

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REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 05 <small>(Click here for full race results)</small>			
CANDIDATE PARTY / NAME	VOTES	VOTES %	
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D Jahana Hayes	183,797	52.58%	
R David X. Sullivan	151,988	43.48%	
I Bruce W. Walczak	5,052	1.45%	
WF Jahana Hayes	8,687	2.49%	

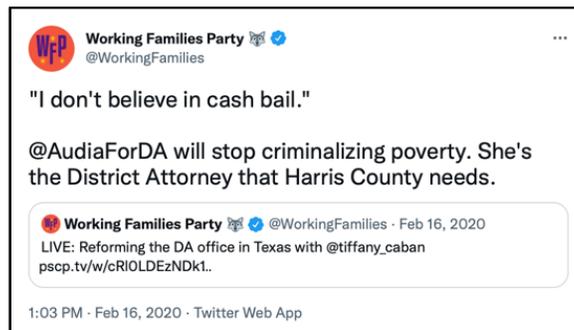
(Election Center: 11/3/20 - Presidential Election, [Connecticut Secretary of the State](#), Accessed 4/1/22)

- The Working Families Party supports defunding the police.



(Working Families Party, [Twitter](#), 5/31/20)

- The Working Families Party supports the elimination of cash bail.



(Working Families Party, [Twitter](#), 2/16/20)

- The Working Families Party and its New York affiliate signed onto a letter “calling upon” state leadership in New York to “protect bail, discovery, and Raise the Age reforms.”

NEW YORK STATE LEADERS: NO ROLLBACKS TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORMS!

We are civil rights, criminal justice reform, democracy, and philanthropic leaders and organizations that have long supported policies that advance a more safe and just New York. We are very troubled by recent proposals from Governor Kathy Hochul that would increase incarceration and racial disparities and undo years of work towards ending the criminalization of poverty and children.

As state lawmakers take on the challenges of keeping New Yorkers safe during this incredibly turbulent time, they must follow the evidence about what actually works to scale safety. Mental health, reentry, violence prevention, and housing - these are the investments that will make New York safe. We must be smart and reject the impulse to act for action's sake.

Mass incarceration was born of hasty political posturing and the fallacy that we can have justice or safety, but not both. Mass incarceration delivered generations of harm to the same Black, brown, poor, and immigrant communities hardest hit by crime without delivering them more safety.

That is why we are calling upon Governor Hochul, Lieutenant Governor Benjamin, and legislative leaders to protect bail, discovery, and Raise the Age reforms. We want New Yorkers to be safe. We have the evidence-based playbook to reduce crime, violence, and incarceration at the same time. Let's use it.

Signed,

(“New York State Leaders: No Rollbacks To Criminal Justice Reforms!” [Fwd.US](#), Accessed 7/18/22)

New York Working Families Party

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- The Working Families Party has advocated for bail reform legislation in Rhode Island.

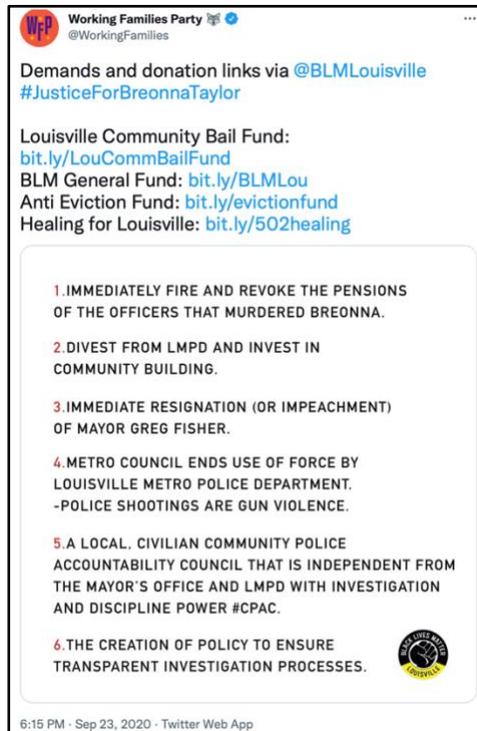
The Working Families Party is committed to ensuring broadened opportunity for all, including those with criminal records. People who interact with our criminal justice system deserve to return to society without crushing debts or insurmountable records. Their family members, too, deserve not to have their futures dismantled because of a system that uses fines to define the severity of crimes assessed and to keep people behind bars. The four bills proposed by Rep. Felix, together, would move our state much closer to having a just, efficient, and effective criminal legal system for our neighbors and their families:

H-7353 – No cash bail

Prohibiting courts from setting cash or surety bail on misdemeanor offenses has become a national rallying cry. Cash bail, simply put, fosters modern-day debtors' prisons: about 60% of the people unable to post bail bonds fall within the bottom 1/3 of our income scale. The cash bail system creates a *de facto* harsher punishment for individuals and their families who cannot afford to pay. And it props up a pervasive debt system, as families often take out predatory loans in order to cover the costs and end up carrying the debts at length.

(Rhode Island Working Families Party, “Support for H-7353, H-7354, H-7355, and H-7356, Relating to Criminal Justice,” [State of Rhode Island General Assembly](#), 3/3/22)

- The Working Families Party solicited donations for a group that bails out violent criminals.



(Working Families Party, [Twitter](#), 9/20/20)

- **The Louisville Community Bail Fund bails out violent criminals.** “A local organization has spent more than \$2 million worth of donations to bail out dozens of people from Louisville’s jail. WAVE 3 News Troubleshooters found that out of the 73 people bailed out by the Louisville Community Bail Fund, during a several-week period ending Aug. 3, 37 of them were charged with violent offenses including rape, domestic violence, wanton endangerment and murder. According to its Facebook page and public statements, the group’s mission is criminal justice reform and bringing an end to mass incarceration during a time of Covid-19 and protests. “The money is spent in accordance to the donor’s mission and the community’s needs,” an LCBF member said during a recent news conference in front of the Jefferson County Courthouse.” (Natalia Martinez, “Crime victims question local group that bails out violent suspects,” [WAVE 3](#), 10/29/20)
- **The Working Families Party is “pressuring candidates who seek their endorsement” to “shun support from law enforcement unions representing beat cops and corrections officers” asking them to “refuse all donations from...police and corrections organizations.”** “The WFP is pressuring candidates who seek their endorsement in 2022 elections to shun support from law enforcement unions representing beat cops and correction officers, as revealed by the party’s 2022 candidate questionnaire, a copy of which was obtained by The Post. The party – which is loosely allied with Rep. Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez’s Democratic Socialists of America and has sway in electing Democratic candidates across the state – is also pressuring candidates to oppose charter schools that serve most mostly black and Hispanic children of working-class parents. ‘Will you refuse all donations from corporate PACs, real estate developers, police and corrections associations, and the charter school industry,’ question No. 44 asks.” (Carl Campanile, “Working Families Party declares war on police unions after killing of NYPD cops,” [New York Post](#), 1/26/22)

Hayes has been endorsed by and has taken tens of thousands of dollars from organizations that have promoted efforts to bail out violent criminals across the country including people charged with terrorism:

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- Planned Parenthood promoted a link for “finding local bail funds” including the Minnesota Freedom Fund and Chicago Community Bond Fund as well as a link to “donate” to local bail funds.

• **Support local bail funds:** Support protesters in your city by [finding local bail funds](#) or [donate to this charity](#) to have your donation divided between cities across the country.

(Alexis McGill Johnson, “For George. For Breonna. For Ahmaud. For Tony. For David. For All of Black America.” [Planned Parenthood](#), 6/3/20)

Minnesota #

- [Minnesota Freedom Fund](#)— Due to an influx of donations, this Bail Fund has suggested to donate elsewhere

(“List of Bail Funds for Protestors across the Country,” [BailFunds](#), 11/3/20)

Illinois #

Champaign County #

- [Champaign County Bailout Coalition](#)

Chicago #

- [Chicago Community Bond Fund](#)

Rockford #

- [Winnebago Bond Project](#)

(“List of Bail Funds for Protestors across the Country,” [BailFunds](#), 11/3/20)

Split a donation between 70+ community bail funds, mutual aid funds, and racial justice organizers

\$19,633,905.67 Raised GOAL \$20,000,000

Help raise \$20 million for these bail funds updated at 4:13 PM

Split a donation to all the bail funds, mutual aid funds, and activist organizations listed on this page, or allocate specific amounts to individual groups. Then be sure to share this page once you're done.

- Milwaukee Freedom Fund
- Louisville Community Bail Fund
- Philadelphia Bail Fund
- LGBTQ Freedom Fund
- Chicago Community Bond Fund
- Forsyth County Community Bail Fund
- Luke 4:18 Bail Fund
- Connecticut Bail Fund
- Restoring Justice
- Dauphin County Bail Fund
- Northwest Community Bail Fund
- Hamilton County Community Bail Fund
- Bukit Bail Fund of Pittsburgh
- Community Justice Exchange National Bail Fund Network
- Massachusetts Bail Fund
- Hawai'i Community Bail Fund
- Tucson Second Chance Community Bail Fund
- Memphis Community Bail Fund
- Mississippi Bail Fund Collective
- Philadelphia Community Bail Fund
- National Bail Out #FreeBlackMamas
- Richmond Community Bail Fund
- Nashville Community Bail Fund
- Fronterizo Fianza Fund
- Free the 350 Bail Fund
- NC Community Bail Fund of Durham
- Colorado Freedom Fund
- Kansas City Community Bail Fund
- New Orleans Safety and Freedom Fund
- Portland Freedom Fund
- Montgomery Bail Out Fund
- Columbus Freedom Fund

Choose an amount to split: 73 RECIPIENTS

Your contribution will be split evenly between Milwaukee Freedom Fund, Louisville Community Bail Fund, and 71 other groups. [Customize amounts](#)

\$5 \$10 \$27 \$100

\$250 \$500 \$1,000 \$

Make it monthly!

We need to make this a long-lasting victory. Can you make this a recurring donation to ensure these groups have continued support?

Yes, count me in!

No, donate once

Checkout

Have an ActBlue Express account? [Sign in to give faster.](#)

(“Split a donation between 70+ community bail funds, mutual aid funds, and racial justice organizers,” [ActBlue](#), Accessed 7/18/22)

- Christian Frazee from Lombard, IL “was charged with one count of possession of an incendiary device and one count of attempted terrorism” after “trying to set village-owned vehicles ablaze.” “A Lombard man allegedly equipped with Molotov cocktails is accused of trying to set village-owned vehicles ablaze Monday in the west suburb. Christian Frazee, 25, was charged with one count of possession of an

incendiary device and one count of attempted terrorism, the DuPage County state’s attorney’s office said in a statement. An officer allegedly saw Frazee, who was wearing gloves, face covering and dressed in all black, walking in the direction of the village’s municipal campus about 12:27 a.m. with a bat hanging from his bag, prosecutors said. Frazee then walked towards employee and village-owned vehicles while holding a lighter and a Molotov cocktail, prosecutors said. He was taken into custody and found with a stash of seven lighters and a butane torch lighter. His bail was set at \$1 million at a hearing Tuesday and is due back in court June 29.” (Emmanuel Camarillo, “Lombard man charged with attempted terrorism,” [Chicago Sun-Times](#), 6/2/20)

- **Frazee was released on a “\$100,000 bond, which was posted by the Chicago Community Bond Fund.”** “Frazee is free on \$100,000 bond, which was posted by the Chicago Community Bond Fund. The group advocates for the elimination of monetary bail.” (Susan Sarkauskas, “Second suspect charged in attempted terrorism case in Lombard,” [Daily Herald](#), 8/5/20)
- **The Minnesota Freedom Fund (MFF) “has bailed out defendants from Twin Cities jails charged with murder, violent felonies, and sex crimes.”** “A Minnesota nonprofit has bailed out defendants from Twin Cities jails charged with murder, violent felonies, and sex crimes, as it seeks to address a system that disproportionately incarcerates Black people and people of color. And it has plenty of money to do it. The Minnesota Freedom Fund (MFF) received \$35 million in donations in the wake of the police killing of George Floyd, with many of those donations intended to help protesters who were jailed during the demonstrations and riots in May.” (Tom Lyden, “Minnesota nonprofit with \$35M bails out those accused of violent crimes,” [Fox 9 – KMSP](#), 8/9/20)

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- **Hayes has been endorsed by NARAL Pro-Choice America in her campaigns for Congress.**

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NARAL Pro-Choice America	2020	CT-05 - 2020 Cycle
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- **NARAL Pro-Choice America encouraged “contributing to bail funds,” which they claimed, “are critical to protecting freedom,” and shared the link to a June 6, 2020 Teen Vogue Article that promoted the Massachusetts Bail Fund and National Bail Fund Network among others.**



(NARAL, [Twitter](#), 6/6/20)

Massachusetts/Boston

The **Massachusetts Bail Fund** is a group committed to paying up to \$2,000 bail on behalf of low-income individuals so that they can remain free while awaiting a trial.

(De Elizabeth and Jewel Wicker, “How to Support the Protesters Demanding Justice for George Floyd,” [Teen Vogue](#), 6/6/20)

National organizations

The Community Justice Exchange operates the National Bail Fund Network, which has a directory of bail funds in cities and states across the country. You can **locate your local bail fund supporting protesters through them**, or find out more about their **COVID-19 Emergency Response Fund**.

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- **The Massachusetts Bail Fund “was unrepentant” after “freeing a convicted rapist now accused of striking again, with the organization doubling down on seeking to free people no matter the charge.”** “The Mass. Bail Fund was unrepentant in its first statement since freeing a convicted rapist now accused of striking again, with the organization doubling down on seeking to free people no matter the charge — and not even mentioning the rape case that’s put the fund in the headlines and has the mayor calling it “a disgrace.” “We post bail for people regardless of charge or court history,” the bail fund wrote.” (Sean Philip Cotter, “Mass. Bail Fund doubles down, doesn’t mention McClinton rape case in new statement,” [Boston Herald](#), 8/12/20)
- **In Oklahoma, the National Bail Fund Network helped bail out violent rioters including those charged with terrorism.** “Oklahoma City’s local Black Lives Matter chapter posted a total of \$1.4 million in cash bonds to release four protesters from jail who were arrested and charged with various crimes during demonstrations against police brutality and racism. With help from the National Bail Fund Network, Black Lives Matter paid a \$750,000 bond to release Eric Christopher Ruffin on Thursday. Ruffin, 26, is charged with violating Oklahoma’s Anti-Terrorism Act for encouraging people to burn an Oklahoma County sheriff’s van and an Oklahoma City bail bonds business on May 30. He denies wrongdoing. Adam Warner Hayhurst, Desha Lee Dixon and James Lovell Holt, who are charged with rioting, were also released Thursday. The trio is accused of violent acts during racial justice protests on May 31. The individual bail for Hayhurst and Dixon separately was \$300,000, while Holt’s was \$50,000, reduced from \$300,000. The nonprofit National Bail Fund Network contributed significantly to the bonds Black Lives Matter in Oklahoma City paid to bail out the protesters.” (“Social justice nonprofits pay \$1.4M in bonds for protesters,” [Associated Press](#), 7/10/20)
- **Hayes has been endorsed by the Sierra Club.**

Organization	Endorsement	Office Sought
Sierra Club	2020	CT-05 - 2020 Cycle
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- The Sierra Club promoted donating to the Louisville Community Bail Fund.



(Sierra Club, [Twitter](#), 9/24/20)

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League of Conservation Voters Action Fund	Friends of Jahana Hayes	Convention	3/3/22	\$75
League of Conservation Voters Action Fund	Friends of Jahana Hayes	Convention	6/17/21	\$1,000
League of Conservation Voters Action Fund	Friends of Jahana Hayes	General	12/27/18	\$962.33
League of Conservation Voters Action Fund	Friends of Jahana Hayes	General	10/30/18	\$500
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(Friends of Jahana Hayes, Federal Elections Commission , Accessed 7/18/22)				

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League of Conservation Voters	2020	CT-05 - 2020 Cycle
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- **The League of Conservation Voters promoted and stands with the National Bail Fund Network.** “We stand with the Black-led and racial justice organizations who are propelling this movement forward and have been doing this work all along – organizations like NAACP Legal Defense Fund, National Bail Fund Network, Black Lives Matter, Movement for Black Lives, Color of Change, and Black Visions Collective.” (Press Releases, “LCV Statement From Gene Karpinski: We Are Committed To The Fight For Black Lives,” [League of Conservation Voters](#), 6/4/20)
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Hayes has endorsed and run alongside politicians that want to “end cash bail” and have promoted efforts to bail out violent criminals across the country:

- Hayes endorsed Kamala Harris for President of the United States.



(Jahana Hayes, [Twitter](#), 7/3/19)

- On June 1, 2020, Kamala Harris nationally promoted the Minnesota Freedom Fund.



(Kamala Harris, [Twitter](#), 6/1/20)

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- Hayes congratulated Joe Biden on securing the Democratic nomination and tweeted “let’s get to work,” and “turn this country around.”



(Jahana Hayes, [Twitter](#), 8/18/20)

- In 2020, Biden ran on a plan to “end cash bail” calling it “the modern-day debtors’ prison.” “End cash bail: Cash bail is the modern-day debtors’ prison. The cash bail system incarcerates people who are presumed innocent. And it disproportionately harms low-income individuals. Biden will lead a national effort to end cash bail and reform our pretrial system by putting in place, instead, a system that is fair and does not inject further discrimination or bias into the process.” (“The Biden Plan For Strengthening America’s Commitment to Justice,” [Biden for President](#), Accessed 3/4/21)

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- **NARAL Pro-Choice America supports defunding the police.** “NARAL Pro-Choice America supports the demands of the Movement for Black Lives, including defunding the police and investing in Black communities, which are a response to hundreds of years of systemic oppression and the failure of reforms to address urgent needs and injustices. Budgets reflect our priorities.” (“Intersectional Commitments and Supporting Policies: Racial Justice,” [NARAL Pro-Choice America](#), Accessed 2/25/22)

- **Hayes has been endorsed by the Sierra Club in her runs for Congress.**

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- **Sierra Club supports defunding the police.** “We added our voices to support the Movement for Black Lives’s demands: Defund the police, invest in Black communities, and get Donald Trump out of office.” (Ramon Cruz, “A Movement Moment,” [Sierra Club](#), 6/23/20)

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MoveOn	2020	CT-05 - 2020 Cycle
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- MoveOn supports defunding the police.



(MoveOn, [Twitter](#), 6/16/20)

- Hayes has been endorsed by Our Revolution in her runs for Congress.

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Our Revolution Central Connecticut	2018	CT-05 - 2018 Cycle

- Our Revolution supports defunding the police.



(Our Revolution, [Twitter](#), 7/9/20)

- Hayes has been endorsed by Democracy for America in her runs for Congress.

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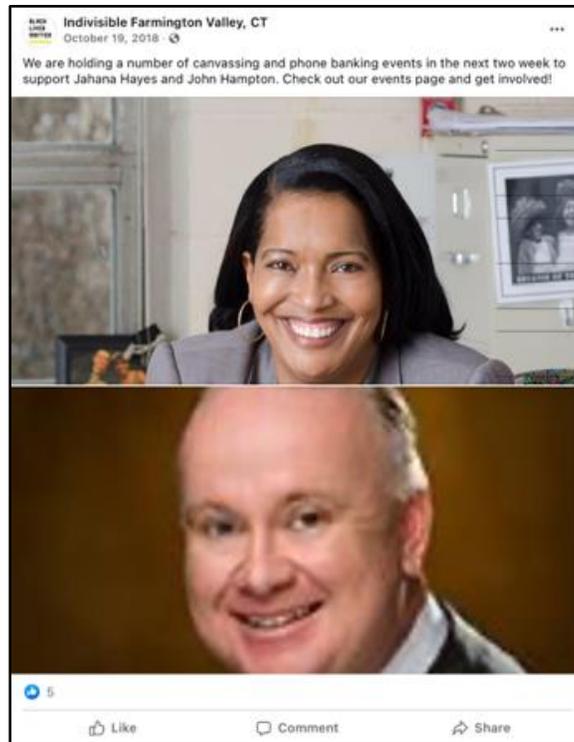
(Democracy for America, [Twitter](#), 7/15/20)

- Democracy for America supports ending cash bail.



(Democracy for America, [Twitter](#), 12/3/20)

- Indivisible Farmington Valley encouraged their Facebook following to “support Jahana Hayes” and “get involved” by attending one of “a number of canvassing and phone banking events” that they held.



(Indivisible Farmington Valley, CT, [Facebook](#), 10/19/18)

- Indivisible Farmington Valley is a local affiliate of the Indivisible Project. (“Find Your Local Group: Indivisible Farmington Valley,” [Indivisible](#), Accessed 3/25/22)
- The Indivisible Project [wants](#) to “end cash bail in America.”



(Indivisible, [Twitter](#), 2/7/20)

- In June 2020, Indivisible claimed that “ICE, CBP, & police departments” are organizations of “hate,” “uphold systemic racism,” are “rooted in white supremacy,” terrorize minorities, and must be defunded.

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They're rooted in white supremacy & often work in tandem. ICE, CBP, & police departments uphold systemic racism in our communities, & every year their budgets receive billions of \$\$ to continue terrorizing, policing, & committing acts of violence against Black & brown ppl.

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That's why when we say [#DefundHate](#) or [#DefundICE](#), we also mean [#DefundthePolice](#) because they're one in the same. And while Trump remains in office, Black, brown, & immigrant communities will continue to be under attack.

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