

Nancy Lacore Admitted To Voting Republican Up To 2016 When Donald Trump Became The Republican Nominee For President. She Then Embraced Radical Democratic Socialist And Progressive Policies Meant To Build Her Ego.

Nancy Lacore Stated She Voted Republican Up Until The 2016 Election. “Lacore’s first electoral test is just under two months away: the June 9 Democratic primary. On our drive to the Lowcountry Indivisible candidate forum in Bluffton, she told me that she didn’t grow up in a political household and spent most of her life voting for Republicans until the 2016 election. She knew very little about how political campaigns operated and was shocked by the amount of fundraising that was required. No one in her family had ever been a political donor before she jumped into the race. When I asked whether it felt odd to adopt a party label after eschewing partisan politics for so long, she asked to go off the record to answer it honestly. Publicly, she keeps her message focused on restoring democracy, the high cost of living, and the need to protect South Carolina’s coast.” (Lauren Egan, “Can This Former Admiral Navigate Rough Political Seas,” [The Bulwark](#), 4/15/26)

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Lacore Wants To Provide A Public Healthcare Option. “Offer all Americans a non-profit insurance option like Medicare, an insurance that prioritizes patients over profits.” (Priorities For The Lowcountry & SC-01, [Nancy Lacore For Congress](#), Accessed 8/12/26)

Democratic Socialists Healthcare Plans Include Providing A Public Healthcare Option. “Many democratic socialists want to see private insurance entirely eliminated. Others are open to giving people the option to keep their private insurance plans.” (Emily Davies, “Here’s What It Means to Be a Democratic Socialist,” [The New York Times](#), 6/25/26)

Lacore Advocated For Capping The Cost Of Childcare At 7% Of A Family’s Income. “Cap childcare costs at 7% of a family’s income with quarterly tax credits, so they get money back in hand regularly to help pay bills.” (Priorities For The Lowcountry & SC-01, [Nancy Lacore For Congress](#), Accessed 8/12/26)

According To The Guardian, “Democratic Socialists Like Bernie Sanders Have Long Called For Such An Approach” On Providing Taxpayer Funding To Childcare Costs. “In fact, nearly all wings of the Democratic party have now embraced universal childcare as a goal. In November, the strategist and Clinton White House veteran James Carville wrote in a New York Times op-ed: “When 70 percent of Americans say raising children is too expensive, we should not fear making universal child care a public good.” Then earlier this month, David Plouffe, former campaign manager for Barack Obama’s 2008 run and an adviser to Kamala Harris, asserted in the same pages that “establish[ing] universal child care” should be part of the party’s 2028 platform. And democratic socialists like Bernie Sanders have long called for such an approach.” (Elliot Haspel, “Why Democrats Are Suddenly Embracing Universal Childcare,” [The Guardian](#), 1/28/26)

Democratic Socialist Gubernatorial Candidate Francesca Hong Called For Capping The Cost Of Childcare At 7%. “In a matter of weeks, Francesca Hong, an unlikely candidate for governor in one of the country’s most heated battleground states, will test a message that is at once radical and, to many, incredibly practical: the government should help pay for childcare. ‘When we talk about free childcare, you can connect to folks whether it’s on an economic argument or just purely that it’s the right thing to do for our kids,’ said Hong, a democratic socialist running in Wisconsin’s Democratic primary on 11 August. ‘I always like to remind folks: if we don’t take care of our kids, who’s going to take care of us?’ Hong’s plan would provide free childcare up to 400% of the federal poverty level, a 7% cap on childcare spending for all families and loan-forgiveness programs for early educators. ‘We cannot have a sustainable workforce without affordable childcare for working families,’ Hong said.” (Sunny Patel, “How Free Childcare Started Winning US Elections: ‘Overnight, People Realized How Essential It Was,’” [The Guardian](#), 7/29/26)