



Kentucky Forward

**A vision for
our families**



2025 LEGISLATIVE PLATFORM



STRONGER PUBLIC SCHOOLS
HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS/HOUSING
PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE FOR ALL
HEALTHIER COMMUNITIES
PROTECTING WORKERS' RIGHTS



STRONGER PUBLIC SCHOOLS



Pre-K for all:

**Preschool services
for all four-year-olds**

Higher wages:

**5% raises for
public school
employees**

Fully fund student

mental health services:

**Prioritize meeting critical
goals already in law**



HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS



Affordable Housing:
“Homenibus” to
increase housing
availability

Bad weather help:
No utility shut-offs
during extreme temps

Stop sales tax expansion
Ban new taxes on
food and medicine

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUSTICE FOR ALL



Improve juvenile justice system:

Implement new services and better care for our children

Helping first responders:

Workers' comp coverage for PTSD

“Ban the box”:

Remove criminal history questions from job applications



HEALTHIER COMMUNITIES



Maternal/infant health:

Address frightening level of maternal and infant mortality

Expand medical

**cannabis program:
Include additional qualifying conditions**

EpiPen assistance:

Cap costs for lifesaving medicine



PROTECTING WORKERS' RIGHTS



Repeal right to work:

**Strengthen unions
so wages rise and
families flourish**

Paid family leave:

**Codify benefit
for state employees**

Increase minimum wage:

**Livable wages for
working people**