# PERCIPIENT STRATEGIES RESEARCH DOSSIER

KESHIA SANDIDGE

(NORTH CAROLINA STATE SENATE: SD-34)

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# **EXECUTIVE SYNOPSIS**

#### **DOSSIER NOTES**

In preparing this background report, we undertook an examination of all readily available and relevant electronic and online records, several hundred Nexis and news articles, dozens of web pages, and several dozen public records from Nexis and the resources of various state and municipal government offices. The results of our analysis are contained below.

*Typographical Note:* There are a number of articles quoted in this report that contain typographical errors. These are from the original text of the article and have not been corrected when being quoted directly.

#### POLITICAL VULNERABILITIES AND TOP HITS

#### **Personal**

#### **Criminal**

- Sandidge has been named in no fewer than nine traffic infractions across multiple jurisdictions dating back to 2000 for myriad transgressions.
  - o In 2009, Sandidge received a traffic citation in Kannapolis, North Carolina for speeding and driving with a revoked license; charges were lessened for Sandidge.
  - In 2005, Sandidge received a traffic infraction and was (technically) arrested in Concord, North Carolina for driving without carrying a license and "without having in full force and effect the financial responsibility required" of her vehicle; the charges were ultimately dropped.

#### **Political**

#### **Civic Participation**

- As a Cabarrus County, NC voter since 2008, Sandidge has failed to vote in a handful of primary elections, including the 2010, 2014, 2016, and 2018 primaries.
  - As a Rowan County, NC voter from September 2004 to April 2008, Sandidge never voted.
  - Sandidge was originally registered to vote in Cabarrus County from January 2001 to September 2004, during which time she only voted in the 2004 general election

#### **Partisanship**

- Sandidge has expressed support for prominent progressive politicians including Elizabeth Warren and Beto O'Rourke.
- On social media, Sandidge has expressed overtly partisan views unbecoming of a public official.

#### **Policy**

#### **Covid And Healthcare**

- Sandidge appears to have fully embraced the left's punishing reaction to covid-19:
  - As a candidate for the Cabarrus School Board, Sandidge stated she does "agree with the board's decision to go to all-virtual learning" (October 2020).
  - O As a candidate for the Cabarrus School Board, Sandidge stated students should only be allowed to resume in person classes "once the school board unanimously determines preservation of health can be sustained without community spread".
  - As a member of the Cabarrus County Board of Education, in August 2021,
     Sandidge supported mask mandates and mandatory social distancing.
  - As a member of the Cabarrus County Board of Education, Sandidge repeatedly supported keepings a mask mandate in place.
  - On social media, Sandidge promoted content critical of the Trump Administration's reaction to covid-19.
  - On social media, in March 2020, Sandidge appears to have promoted content that indicated support a "stay at home order".
- Sandidge has expressed support for Medicaid expansion.

#### **Social Issues**

- Sandidge appears to support the political left's posturing on immigration.
- Sandidge has indicated support for undermining the Second Amendment:
  - o In May 2022, Sandidge promoted a tweet that called for additional gun control
  - In May 2022, Sandidge promoted a tweet from Beto O'Rourke appearing to call for additional legislation on guns; O'Rourke has previously called for gun confiscation.

#### **Police And Race**

- On social media, Sandidge promoted a video calling for the abolition of police:
  - o In April 2021, Sandidge shared a tweet containing a link to a video posted on Instagram the discusses the abolition of the police.
  - Video: "What more is there left for us to say? Abolish the police. Get them out of here!"
  - Video: "You haven't done the one thing we've asked you to do. Abolish the police."

- O Video: "Abolish the police. That's it. That's the video."
- On social media, Sandidge has embraced radical views concerning the criminal justice system.
- On social media, Sandidge has engaged in racial politics, including expressing support for protesting the national anthem.

# **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

# PERSONAL INFORMATION: KESHIA SANDIDGE

Full Name: Keshia Renee Sandidge

(née Valentine)

DOB: September 17, 1978 (43)

Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

Social Security: 567-53-XXXX

Home Address: 270 Post Oake Avenue SW

Concord, NC 28025 Cabarrus County (2016-Pres.)

Secondary Property: 4 Hemlock Ford Road

Candler, NC 28715 Buncombe County

(2000-Pres.)

Marital Status: Married

Spouse: Rick William Sandidge, Sr.

DOB: February 25, 1977 (45)

Children: 2 – Rick Sandidge, Jr. and Britany Sandidge

Voter Registration: Registered Democrat – Cabarrus County, North Carolina

Education: 2008 – 2011 Masters, Social Work, University of South Carolina

Unk. – 2003 B.A., Criminal Justice, Barber Scotia College

(Concord, NC)

Employment: 2021 – Pres. Member, Cabarrus County Schools Board of Education

2016 – Pres. Consumer Rights Officer, Partners Behavioral Health

Management

2006 – 2015 Director, RHA Insurance

Associations: Member, Council on Licensure Enforcement & Regulation

Member, Cabarrus Community Coalition for Recovery & Resiliency

Business Interests: N/A

Military Service: N/A

Electoral History: 2020 Cabarrus County Schools Board of Education (General) (Won)

Web Sites: <a href="https://www.keshia4senate34.com/">https://www.keshia4senate34.com/</a>

https://www.cabarrus.k12.nc.us/ https://keshia4cabarruscounty.com/

https://ballotpedia.org/

https://authorksandidge.wixsite.com/

Social Media: <u>Facebook</u> (Personal 1)

Facebook (Personal 2)

Facebook (Campaign – School Board)

Twitter (Personal)
Twitter (Campaign)
Instagram (Personal 1)
Instagram (Personal 2)

<u>Instagram</u> (Campaign – State Senate) <u>Instagram</u> (Campaign – School Board)

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#### **ELECTION RESULTS**

Keshia Sandidge won her first campaign for public elected office in 2020 as the second top votegetter in a field of twelve (top four win) for a seat on the Cabarrus County Schools Board of Education.

# 2020 General Election, Cabarrus County Schools Board Of Education

# **General Election Results (November 3, 2020)**

Candidate	<b>Vote Total</b>
Tim Furr	45,668
Keshia Sandidge	35,390
Denise D. Adcock	34,918
Robert Walter	34,135
Catherine Bonds Moore	33,836
Cindy Fertenbaugh	30,667
NeQueela Deas-Blanton	25,643
David Harrison	20,280
Frederick (Preach) Merry	20,010
Nora Isabella May	15,159
Sandidgeer Moore	14,099
Sean Irwin	10,350

(2016 General Election Results, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, 11/3/20)

#### **CAMPAIGN FINANCE**

To date, Keshia Sandidge has received just over \$7,000 in total contributions for her 2022 campaign for North Carolina State Senate, of which over \$1,900 has come in the form of a loan from Sandidge personally. Sandidge has received \$5,150 in total itemized and unitemized receipts, \$1,500 of which has come from Mack Humphrey of Waianmae, Hawaii. Individually, Sandidge has contributed \$190 in aggregate contributions to federal and state campaign committees, including Patricia Timmons-Goodson, Aimy Steele, and the Cabarrus Democratic Executive Committee.

# Keshia4CabarrusCounty (2018-2022)

#### **Top-Line Contributions**

According To The North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Sandidge Has Received An Aggregate Of \$7,073.54 In Total Contributions For Her Campaign For North Carolina State Senate. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)

- Sandidge Loaned \$1,923.54 To Her Campaign Committee. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)
- Sandidge Received \$1,550 In Unitemized Contributions. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)

 Sandidge Received \$1,500 From Mack Humphrey Of Waianmae, Hawaii. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)

#### **Individual Contributions**

## **Federal Election Commission**

According To The Federal Election Commission, Sandidge Has Contributed \$20 To Federal Campaign Committees. (Federal Election Commission, Accessed 6/20/22)

- In 2020, Sandidge Contributed \$20 In Earmarked Contributions To ActBlue. (Federal Election Commission, Accessed 6/20/22)
  - In 2020, Sandidge Contributed \$20 To Patricia Timmons-Goodson For Congress. (Federal Election Commission, Accessed 6/20/22)

#### **North Carolina State Board Of Elections**

According To The North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Sandidge Has Contributed \$170 To Campaign Committees In North Carolina. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)

- In 2020, Sandidge Contributed \$125 To The Committee To Elect Aimy Steele. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)
- In 2020, Sandidge Contributed \$45 To The Cabarrus County Democratic Executive Committee. (North Carolina State Board Of Elections And Ethics Enforcement, Accessed 6/20/22)

#### **VOTING RECORDS**

Keshia Sandidge has been an actively-registered Democrat Party voter in Cabarrus County, North Carolina since April 11, 2008. Since 2008, Sandidge has failed to vote in a handful of primary elections, including the 2010, 2014, 2016, and 2018 primaries. From September 2004 to April 2008, Sandidge was registered to vote in Rowan County, North Carolina, during which time she never voted. Sandidge originally registered as a Democrat voter in Cabarrus County in January 2001 and until her move to Rowan County, only voted in the 2004 general election.

#### Cabarrus County, North Carolina

On April 11, 2008, Sandidge Registered To Vote As A Democrat Party Voter In Cabarrys County, North Carolina. (Voter Search: Keisha Renee Sandidge, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 4/11/08)

YOUR VOTER DETAILS	
County:	CABARRUS
Status:	ACTIVE
Voter Reg Num:	000030058548
NCID:	DT109955
Party:	DEM
Race:	BLACK or AFRICAN AMERICAN
Ethnicity:	NOT HISPANIC or NOT LATINO
Gender:	FEMALE
Registration Date:	04/11/2008
NCDMV Customer:	Yes

(Voter Search: Keisha Renee Sandidge, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 4/11/08)

Since 2008, Sandidge Has Failed To Vote In At Least The Following Elections: 2010 Primary; 2014 Primary; 2016 Primary; And 2018 Primary. (Voter Search: Keisha Renee Sandidge, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Accessed 6/10/22)

Election	Voted Method	Voted County	Primary Election Ballot
05/17/2022 PRIMARY	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	DEMOCRATIC
11/02/2021 MUNICIPAL	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	
11/03/2020 GENERAL	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	
03/03/2020 PRIMARY	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	DEMOCRATIC
11/05/2019 MUNICIPAL	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	
11/06/2018 GENERAL	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	
11/07/2017 MUNICIPAL	IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY	CABARRUS	
11/08/2016 GENERAL	IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY	CABARRUS	
11/04/2014 GENERAL	IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY	CABARRUS	
11/06/2012 GENERAL	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	
05/08/2012 PRIMARY	IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY	CABARRUS	DEMOCRATIC
11/02/2010 GENERAL	IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY	CABARRUS	
11/04/2008 GENERAL	ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING	CABARRUS	
05/06/2008 PRIMARY	IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY	CABARRUS	DEMOCRATIC

(Voter Search: Keisha Renee Sandidge, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Accessed 6/10/22)

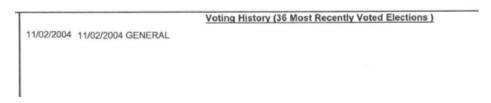
# **Prior Registration**

According To The Rowan County Board Of Elections, Sandidge Originally Registered To Vote In Cabarrus County, North Carolina On January 8, 2001. (Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Cabarrus County Board Of Elections, Filed 1/8/01, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

			CABARRU	S COUNTY BOARD	OF ELECTION	S
				VOTER PROFIL	LE	
Full Name:	VALENTI	NE, KESHIA RENEI	E		VRN:	
Residence Address:		VITH ST SW			Age:	43
	CONCOR	RD, NC 28025			Register Date:	01/08/2001
Mailing Address on File:					Status:	R
Sex:	FEMALE					
Race:	В	Ethnicity:	NL			
Party:	DEMOCE	RATIC				
Birth Place:	CA					

(Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Cabarrus County Board Of Elections, Filed 1/8/01, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

From 2001 To 2004, Sandidge Only Voted In The 2004 General Election. (Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Cabarrus County Board Of Elections, Filed 1/8/01, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)



(Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Cabarrus County Board Of Elections, Filed 1/8/01, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

#### Rowan County, North Carolina

According To The Rowan County Board Of Elections, Sandidge Registered To Vote In Rowan County, North Carolina On September 8, 2004. (Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Rowan County Board Of Elections, Filed 9/8/04, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

Sorry for the delay in responding, I have been out of the office. In our system, the voter you inquired about was listed as Keshia Valentine Sandidge. She was added to our roll 9/8/2004 and was removed 4/16/2008 when she moved within the state. There is no record of her voting or changing her party affiliation while she was on our roll. Her current status is "Removed."

(Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Rowan County Board Of Elections, Filed 9/8/04, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

- On April 16, 2008, Sandidge's Voter Registration Was Purged. (Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Rowan County Board Of Elections, Filed 4/16/08, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)
- From 2004 To 2008, No Record Of Voter Participation Could Be Found For Sandidge In Rowan County, North Carolina. (Voter Search: Keisha Sandidge, Rowan County Board Of Elections, Filed 4/16/08, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

# Lexington County, South Carolina

#### On September 20, 1990, Sandidge Registered To Vote In Lexington County, South

**Carolina.** (Voter Search: Rachel H. Vecchiola, Lexington County Board Of Elections, Filed 9/20/90, South Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)



(Voter Search: Rachel H. Vecchiola, Lexington County Board Of Elections, Filed 9/20/90, South Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/20/22)

**NOTE:** *Voter participation history is beyond record retention schedule.* 

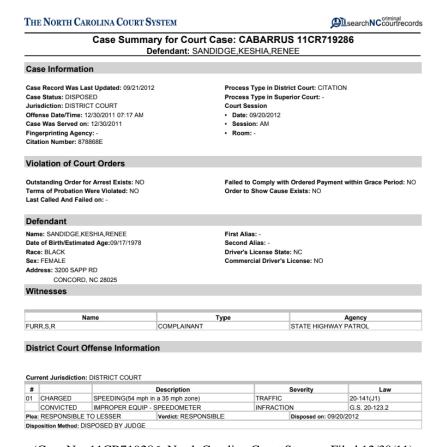
# **CRIMINAL RECORDS**

Keshia Sandidge has been named in no fewer than nine traffic infractions across multiple jurisdictions dating back to 2000 for myriad transgressions ranging from speeding to driving without a drivers' license or proof of insurance or active vehicle registration. (Note: See 'Police Records' for additional context related to two of the cases below.)

# **Traffic Infractions**

#### Cabarrus County, North Carolina

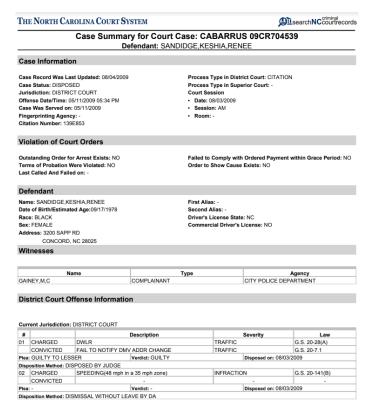
In December 2011, Sandidge Was Charged With A Traffic Infraction For Speeding (54 MPH In 35 MPH Zone) In Cabarrus County, North Carolina. (Case No. 11CR719286, North Carolina Court System, Filed 12/30/11)



(Case No. 11CR719286, North Carolina Court System, Filed 12/30/11)

• In September 2012, Sandidge Pleaded Down To The Lesser Charge Of Improper Equipment – Speedometer, For Which She Was Found Guilty. (Case No. 11CR719286, North Carolina Court System, Filed 9/20/12)

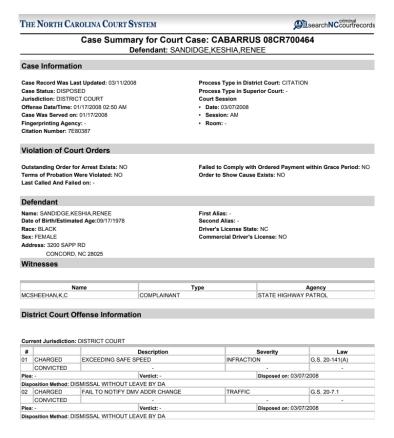
In May 2009, Sandidge Was Charged With A Traffic Infraction For Driving While License Revoked And Speeding (48 MPH In 35 MPH Zone) In Cabarrus County, North Carolina. (Case No. 09CR704539, North Carolina Court System, Filed 5/11/09)



(Case No. 09CR704539, North Carolina Court System, Filed 5/11/09)

• In August 2009, Sandidge Pleaded Down To The Lesser Charge Of Failure To Notify The DMV Of Address Change For The DWLR, For Which She Was Convicted, While Her Speeding Charge Was Dismissed. (Case No. 09CR704539, North Carolina Court System, Filed 8/4/09)

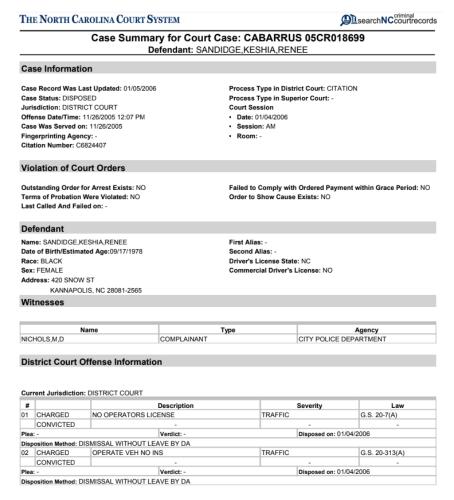
In January 2008, Sandidge Was Charged With A Traffic Infraction For Exceeding Safe Speed And Failure To Notify The DMV Of Address Change In Cabarrus County, North Carolina. (Case No. 08CR700464, North Carolina Court System, Filed 1/17/08)



(Case No. 08CR700464, North Carolina Court System, Filed 1/17/08)

• In March 2008, The DA Dismissed Both Charges Against Sandidge. (Case No. 08CR700464, North Carolina Court System, Filed 3/11/08)

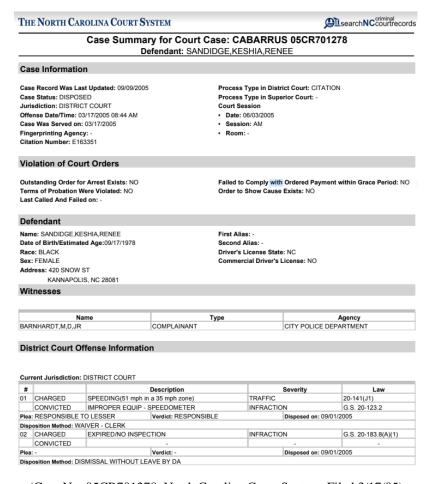
In November 2005, Sandidge Was Charged With A Traffic Infraction For Driving Without Operators' License And Without Proof Of Insurance In Cabarrus County, North Carolina. (Case No. 05CR018699, North Carolina Court System, Filed 11/26/05)



(Case No. 05CR018699, North Carolina Court System, Filed 11/26/05)

• In January 2006, The DA Dismissed Both Charges Against Sandidge. (Case No. 05CR018699, North Carolina Court System, Filed 1/5/06)

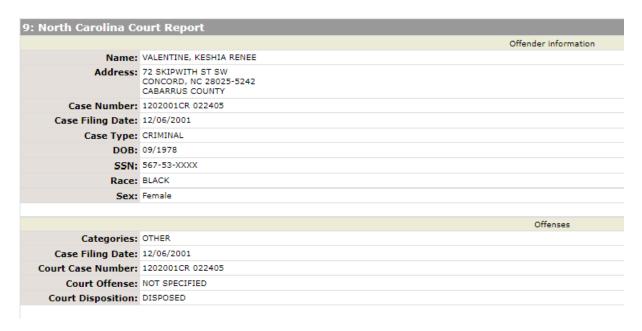
In March 2005, Sandidge Was Charged With A Traffic Infraction For Speeding (51 MPH In 35 MPH Zone) And Expired Registration/No Inspection In Cabarrus County, North Carolina. (Case No. 05CR701278, North Carolina Court System, Filed 3/17/05)



(Case No. 05CR701278, North Carolina Court System, Filed 3/17/05)

• In September 2005, Sandidge Pleaded Down To The Lesser Charge Of Improper Equipment – Speedometer, For Which She Was Found Guilty, While The Other Charges Were Dismissed. (Case No. 05CR701278, North Carolina Court System, Filed 9/905)

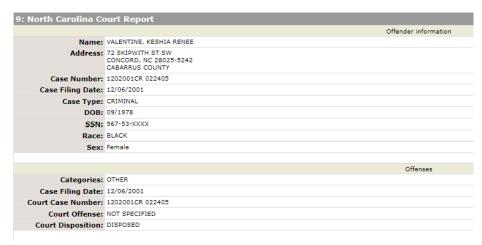
According To Nexis, Sandidge Was The Subject Of A Traffic Infraction In Cabarrus County, North Carolina In December 2001. (Case No. 1202001CR 022405, Nexis, Filed 12/6/01)



(Case No. 1202001CR 022405, Nexis, Filed 12/6/01)

• **NOTE:** This case was not retrieved by the client in the course of its court running; the specifics and disposition of the case is unknown.

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(Case No. 1202001CR 022405, Nexis, Filed 12/6/01)

• **NOTE:** This case was not retrieved by the client in the course of its court running; the specifics and disposition of the case is unknown.

#### **Davidson County, North Carolina**

According To Nexis, Sandidge Was The Subject Of A Traffic Infraction In Davidson County, North Carolina In December 2000. (Case No. 2802000CR 015597, Nexis, Filed 12/29/00)

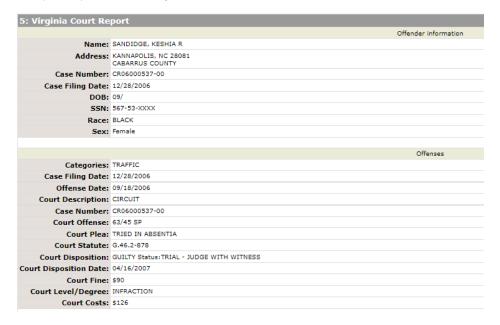


(Case No. 2802000CR 015597, Nexis, Filed 12/29/00)

• **NOTE:** This case was not retrieved by the client in the course of its court running; the specifics and disposition of the case is unknown.

#### **Virginia**

According To Nexis, Sandidge Was The Subject Of A Traffic Infraction For Speeding (63 MPH In 45 MPH Zone) In Mecklenburg County, Virginia In December 2006. (Case No. 117CR0600053700, Nexis, Filed 12/28/06)



(Case No. 117CR0600053700, Nexis, Filed 12/28/06)

• In April 2007, Sandidge Was Found Guilty And Paid \$216 In Fines And Costs. (Case No. 117CR0600053700, Nexis, Filed 4/16/07)

# **POLICE RECORDS**

According to local police reports in North Carolina, Keshia Sandidge has received a couple of notable traffic infractions pertaining to misdemeanor behavior. In 2009, Sandidge received a traffic citation in Kannapolis, North Carolina for speeding and driving with a revoked license. Several years earlier, in 2005, Sandidge received a traffic infraction and was (technically) arrested in Concord, North Carolina for driving without carrying a license and "without having in full force and effect the financial responsibility required" of her vehicle. (Note: See "Criminal Records" for additional information related to the cases below; in both cases, charges were either dropped entirely or lessened for Sandidge.)

# Kannapolis Police Department

In May 2009, Sandidge Received A Uniform Traffic Citation From The Kannapolis Police Department For Speeding And Driving While License Revoked (DWLR) In Kannapolis,

**NC.** (Case No. 0903178, Kannapolis Police Department, 5/11/09, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/1/22)

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(Case No. 0903178, Kannapolis Police Department, 5/11/09, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/1/22)

2. Speeding

# **Concord Police Department**

In November 2005, Sandidge Was Arrested By The Concord Police Department For Driving Without Carrying A License And "Without Having In Full Force And Effect The Financial Responsibility Required" Of Her Vehicle In Concord, NC. (Case No. 0517160,

Concord Police Department, 11/26/05, North Carolina Public Records Request, Filled 6/1/22)

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#### **REAL PROPERTY RECORDS**

# 270 Post Oak Avenue SW, Concord, NC, Cabarrus County

This is the primary residence owned by Keshia Sandidge. This single-family residence comprises three bedrooms and two-and-a-half bathrooms and has a 2021 appraised property value of \$184,110. Sandidge has owned the property since November 2016.



(Zillow, Accessed 6/10/22)

#### **Property Information**

Full Address: 270 Post Oak Avenue SW, Concord, NC, 28025

County: Cabarrus County
Parcel ID: 55390859860000

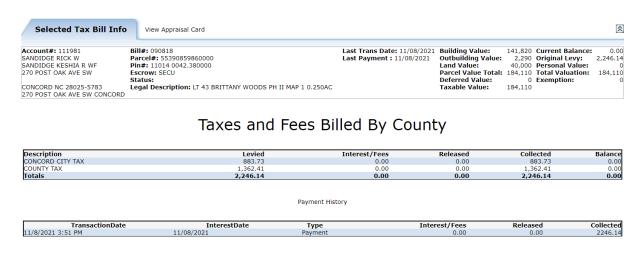
Sale Date: 11/10/2016 Sale Price: \$199,000

Owner: SANDIDGE RICK W & SANDIDGE KESHIA R WF

Year Built: 1987
Bathrooms: 3
Bedrooms: 2.5
Total Square Footage: 2,061
2021 Appraised Value: \$184,110
(Cabarrus County Assessor, Accessed 6/10/22)

# **Tax Information**

In 2021, Sandidge Paid \$2,246.14 In Total Municipal Property Taxes. (Cabarrus County Tax Department, Accessed 6/10/22)



(Cabarrus County Tax Department, Accessed 6/10/22)

#### **North Carolina Senate District**

According To The 2022 Redistricting Map Provided By The North Carolina Legislature, Sandidge Resides In North Carolina Senate District 34 (SD-34), The District For Which She Is Running. (2022 Redistricting Map, North Carolina Legislature, Accessed 6/10/22)



(2022 Redistricting Map, North Carolina Legislature, Accessed 6/10/22)

# BANKRUPTCIES, JUDGMENTS, & LIENS RECORDS

NOTE: No bankruptcies, judgments, or liens could be found for Keshia Sandidge.

#### **LEGAL ISSUES**

NOTE: No legal issues could be found for Keshia Sandidge.

#### **CURRENT BUSINESS RECORDS**

NOTE: No business records could be found for Keshia Sandidge.

# **NON-PROFIT RECORDS**

Since 2012, Keshia Sandidge has run the North Carolina-domiciled nonprofit, Females Leading In Philanthropy (FLIP). Though active to date, the organization is registered to operate out of Sandidge's former residence and is not recognized as a tax-exempt entity by the Internal Revenue Service.

# Females Leading In Philanthropy

In March 2012, Sandidge Incorporated Females Leading In Philanthropy As A Domestic, Non-Profit Organization With The North Carolina Secretary Of State. (North Carolina Secretary Of State, Filed 3/13/12)

	State of North Carolina Department of the Secretary of State	Elaine F. Marshall North Carolina Secretary of State C201205800547
	ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION NONPROFIT CORPORATION	
Pur	suant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation or the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.	does hereby submit these Articles of
1.	The name of the corporation is: Females Leading In Ph	illanthropy, Inc.
2.	(Check only if applicable.) The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation	on as defined in NCGS §55A-1-40(4).
3.	The street address and county of the initial registered office of the corporation is:	
	Number and Street 3200 Sapp Rd	
	Number and Street 3200 Sapp Rd  City, State, Zip Code Concord, NC, 28025 Cour	nty Cabarrus
4.	The mailing address if different from the street address of the initial registered office is:	
	NA	
5.	The name of the initial registered agent is:  NA BEEFER 313/12 KESNIO Sandidge	
6.	The name and address of each incorporator is as follows: Kesnia Renee S	andidge, 3200
	Sapp Rd, Concord, NC. 28025.	0 ,
7.	(Check either a or b below.) a The corporation will have members. b The corporation will not have members.	
8.	Attached are provisions regarding the distribution of the corporation's assets upon its disso	olution.
9.	Any other provisions which the corporation elects to include are attached.	
10.	The street address and county of the principal office of the corporation is:	
	Number and Street 3200 Sapp Rd	
	City, State, Zip Code Concord, NC. 28025 County	Cabarrus
11.	The mailing address if different from the street address of the principal office is: $N/\rho$	

(North Carolina Secretary Of State, Filed 3/13/12)

 The Stated Mission Of Females Leading In Philanthropy Was "To Increase The Prosperity And Success Of Communities By Helping Individuals Find Leadership In Their Potential." (North Carolina Secretary Of State, Filed 3/13/12)



# Statement of purposes for which the corporation was organized:

#### Mission:

To increase the prosperity and success of communities by helping individuals Find Leadership In their Potential.

#### Vision:

FLIP envisions a growing society where women, men, and families stand together, supporting one another, creating bonds and unity; stronger communities helping one another dissolve societal problems, ultimately resulting in a nation of thriving leaders encouraging limitless potential for the next generation.

#### Slogan:

Women Planting Seeds of Hope

#### Website:

www.facebook.com/flipnow

(North Carolina Secretary Of State, Filed 3/13/12)

• The Entity Is Active To Date; Sandidge's Prior Residence Is Listed As Its Principal Address And Place Of Business. (North Carolina Secretary Of State, Accessed 6/20/22)

#### Legal Name

Females Leading In Philanthropy, Inc.

# Information

SosId: 1249072

Status: Current-Active ①
Date Formed: 3/13/2012
Citizenship: Domestic
Annual Report Due Date:

Registered Agent: Sandidge, Keisha

# **Addresses**

#### Mailing

3200 Sapp Road Concord, NC 28025

#### Principal Office

3200 Sapp Road Concord, NC 28025

#### Reg Office

3200 Sapp Road Concord, NC 28025

#### Reg Mailing

3200 Sapp Road Concord, NC 28025

(North Carolina Secretary Of State, Accessed 6/20/22)

#### **IRS Tax-Exempt Status**

According To The Internal Revenue Service, Females Leading In Philanthropy Is Not Recognized As A 501(c)(3) Tax-Exempt Organization. (Internal Revenue Service, Accessed 6/20/22)



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(Internal Revenue Service, Accessed 6/20/22)

#### PROFESSIONAL & RECREATIONAL LICENSES

Keshia Sandidge has been a licensed clinical social worker in North Carolina since July 29, 2016; no disciplinary history could be found for Sandidge.

#### Licensed Clinical Social Worker

#### **North Carolina**

According To The North Carolina Social Work Certification And Licensure Board, Sandidge Has Been An Actively-Licensed Clinical Social Worker In North Carolina Since July 29, 2016. (North Carolina Social Work Certification And Licensure Board, Filed 7/29/16)

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Sandidge, Keshia Renee	C010302	Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)	Current	N	07/29/2016	07/29/2024	07/01/2022	0	N

(North Carolina Social Work Certification And Licensure Board, Filed 7/29/16)

• No Disciplinary History Could Be Found For Sandidge. (North Carolina Social Work Certification And Licensure Board, Accessed 6/10/22)

#### PERSONAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

According to her most recently filed Statement of Economic Interest, Keshia Sandidge's primary sources of income are Partners Behavioral Health Management and GT Independence, both of which are managed care and family/community services groups. Sandidge declared five combined joint and personal liabilities. Sandidge declared only her primary residence as real property and disclosed no asset investment holdings.

# 2022 Statement Of Economic Interests (SD-34)

# **Real Property**

# In 2022, Sandidge Declared 100 Percent Interest In Her Concord, NC Primary Residence.

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

Property Interests								
1.	<ol> <li>As of December 31, 2021, did you or any members of your immediate family:</li> <li>A. have an ownership interest in North Carolina real estate (including your residence) with a market value of \$10,000 or more?</li> <li>Yes  \Boxed{\Boxes} No</li> </ol>							
	Owner of Real Estate	% Owner	ship Interest	Loca	tion by City	Location by County		
(Self plus Spouse)		100.00%	00.00%			Cabarrus		

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

#### **Investments**

**In 2022, Sandidge Declared No Investments.** (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

Financial Interests					
3. As of December 31, 2021, did you or any members of your immediate family own any of the following financial interests valued at \$10,000 or more? List each company individually.					
A. Stock in a publicly owned company?					
☐ Yes   ☑ No					
▶ Do <u>not</u> list interests in a widely held investment fund (including mutual funds, regulated investment companies, or pension or deferred compensation plans) if:  1. the fund is publicly traded or its assets are widely diversified; and  2. neither you nor an immediate family member are able to control the underlying assets.					
Owner of Interest	Full Name of Company or ticker symbol				
B. Stock options in a company or business?					
☐ Yes   No					
Owner of Stock Option	Full Name of Company (Do not use a ticker symbol)				
C. Interests in a non-publicly owned company or business entity? These include interests in sole proprietorships, partnerships, limited partnerships, joint ventures, limited liability companies, limited liability partnerships, and closely held corporations.					
☐ Yes    ☐ No - If "No," proceed to question 4.					
Owner of Interest	Name of Company or Business Entity				

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

# **Creditors**

In 2022, Sandidge Declared A Joint Liability Owed To A Credit Union. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

In 2022, Sandidge Declared A Joint Liability Owed To A Commercial Bank. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

**In 2022, Sandidge Declared A Joint Liability Owed To A Commercial Bank.** (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

In 2022, Sandidge Declared A Personal Liability Owed To A Credit Union. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

In 2022, Sandidge Declared A Personal Liability Owed To A Student Loan Company. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

S. As of December 31, 2021, did you any members of your immediate family have liabilities of \$10,000 or more, excluding the mortgage on your primary personal residence? Examples include credit card debts, auto loans, student loans, personal loans and intra-family debt.  Yes  No				
Name of Debtor	Type of Creditor (commercial Bank, credit union, individual, etc.)			
(Self plus Spouse)	Credit Union			
(Self plus Spouse)	Commercial Bank			
(Self plus Spouse)	Commercial Bank			
Keshia Sandidge (Self)	Credit Union			
Keshia Sandidge (Self)	Students Loan			

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

#### **Income**

In 2022, Sandidge Declared Personal Salary Of More Than \$5,000 Received From Partners Behavioral Health Management. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

In 2022, Sandidge Declared Personal Salary Of More Than \$5,000 Received From GT Independence. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

In 2022, Sandidge Declared Spousal Salary Of More Than \$5,000 Received From DDR, Inc. (2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

List each source of income (not specific amounts) of more than \$5,000 received by you or any members of your immediate family during 2021. Include salary, wages, state/local government retirement income, professional fees, honoraria, interest, dividends, rental income, business income, and other types required to be reported on State and federal tax returns. Please remember to disclose your receipt of salary or wages from any governmental or private entity. Do **not** include income received from the following sources: ▶ Capital gains ► Federal government retirement ► Military retirement ► Social security income/SSDI Recipient of Income Name of Source Type of Type of Income Business/Industry Keshia Sandidge (Self) Partners Managed Care Salary Organization Keshia Sandidge (Self) GT Independence Family/Community Wages Services Rick Sandidge SR (Spouse) DDR, Inc. Developmental Disability Salary Provider

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

#### **Fiduciary Positions**

#### In 2022, Sandidge Declared A Personal Fiduciary Relationship As LME/MCO At Partners.

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

7(b). If the nonprofit corporations or organizations listed above do business with the State of North Carolina or receive State funds, briefly describe the nature of that business, if known or with due diligence could reasonably be known.					
Name of Nonprofit Corporation or Organization	Describe State Business				
Partners	LME/MCO				

(2022 Statement Of Economic Interests, North Carolina State Board Of Elections, Filed 3/24/22)

# SANDIDGE'S SUPPORT FOR THE RADICAL LEFT'S PROGRESSIVE AGENDA AND NOTEWORTHY POLITICAL BEHAVIOR

# SANDIDGE APPEARS TO HAVE FULLY EMBRACED THE LEFT'S PUNISHING REACTION TO COVID-19

As A Candidate For The Cabarrus School Board, Sandidge Stated She Does "Agree With The Board's Decision To Go To All-Virtual Learning" (October 2020)

While Campaigning For The Cabarrus School Board, Sandidge Stated She Does "Agree With The Board's Decision To Go To All-Virtual Learning." "Q: Do you agree or disagree with the decision to go to all-virtual learning by the current Board of Education in July, and why? A: I agree with the board's decision to go to all-virtual learning. Cabarrus County Schools is the largest employer in the county and the decision of the board greatly impacts the health and safety of our residents. As a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, I am concerned about children and their parents who cannot afford to support their child's ability to learn virtually. It is critically important that we do not forget them and find alternative ways to support their access to a virtual education during COVID-19." ("2020 Election Guide," Issuu, Accessed 6/22)

As A Candidate For The Cabarrus School Board, Sandidge Stated Students Should Only Be Allowed To Resume In Person Classes "Once The School Board Unanimously Determines Preservation Of Health Can Be Sustained Without Community Spread"

Sandidge Stated Students Should Only Be Allowed To Resume In Person Classes "Once The School Board Unanimously Determines Preservation Of Health Can Be Sustained Without Community Spread." "Q: At what point should students be allowed back into schools, at least under the "Plan B" guidelines set forward by the state? A: Students should be allowed to resume in person classes once the school board unanimously determines preservation of health can be sustained without community spread. We must ensure board decisions match the best available science and epidemiologists confirm our risk mitigation is achieved. I have met with local professionals to review the most up-to-date data that supports safe re-entry. At this point parents and teachers/staff should be given the option to either return to school or remain in virtual learning until a viable vaccine is readily available. Because of disinformation, our county is divided, and the board must address this division, to unite parents, administrators, and teachers through constructive conversations. While I do not foresee a single solution to COVID-19, I do see plenty of evidence that supports teamwork and conscientious (sp) awareness being vital in mitigation of community spread." ("2020 Election Guide," Issuu, Accessed 6/22)

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In August 2021, Sandidge Supported Mask Mandates And Mandatory Social Distancing

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In August 2021, Sandidge Motioned That "All Board Members, Children, And Staff In Grades Pre-K Thru 12, Shall Wear Masks Indoors, Including School Busses... Children Should Maintain Three (3) Foot

**Distance... Staff Shall Socially Distance At Least 6 Feet".** (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 8/16/21)

A motion was made by Mrs. Keshia Sandidge, seconded by Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter that all Board members, children, and staff, in grades Pre-K thru 12, shall wear masks indoors, including school busses. Unless actively eating, children should maintain three (3) foot distance, to the fullest extent possible. Children will be allowed mask breaks throughout the day. A medical exemption may be applied for, due to an issue that is exacerbated by COVID. Staff shall socially distance at least 6 feet, to the fullest extent possible. This matter will be addressed at the next business meeting of this school board with guidance from the COVID-19 Task Force and recommendation by the Superintendent. The motion passed 5-2. Mr. Tim Furr and Ms. Laura Blackwell dissenting.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 8/16/21)

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Supported A Recommendation By The Superintendent To Keep A Mask Mandate In Place

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Seconded A Motion To "Accept The Superintendent's Recommendation To Keep Masking Mandate In Place For One (1) Month"

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Seconded A Motion To "Accept The Superintendent's Recommendation To Keep Masking Mandate In Place For One (1) Month." (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/11/21)

A motion was made by Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter, seconded by Mrs. Keshia Sandidge to accept the Superintendent's recommendation to keep masking mandate in place for one (1) month. The motion did not pass with Mrs. Denise Adcock, Ms. Laura Blackwell, Mr. Tim Furr, Mr. Rob Walter, Ms. Holly Grimsley dissenting.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/11/21)

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Voted Yea To Approve A Motion To "Grant Authority To The Superintendent To Change The CCS Masking Guidelines To Optional Once All Three (3) Indicators Recommended By The CCS Task Force Reach The Yellow Or Green Metric"

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Voted Yea To Approve A Motion To "Grant Authority To The Superintendent To Change The CCS Masking Guidelines To Optional Once All Three (3) Indicators Recommended By The CCS Task Force Reach The Yellow Or Green Metric." (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/11/21)

A motion was made by Mr. Rob Walter, seconded by Mrs. Denise Adcock to grant authority to the Superintendent to change the CCS masking guidelines to optional once all three (3) indicators recommended by the CCS Task Force reach the yellow or green metric. The motion passed 4-3, with Mr. Tim Furr, Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter and Ms. Holly Grimsley dissenting.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/11/21)

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Voted Against Making Masks Optional

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In October 2021, Sandidge Voted Nay On A Motion That Would Result In Masks Becoming Optional For All But CCS Transportation At The End Of October. (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/18/21)

Board members discussed revised Covid-19 metrics. A motion was made by Mr. Rob Walter, seconded by Mr. Tim Furr to adopt the revised metrics developed by the metrics committee. Masks will become optional effective October 26, 2021, masks remain required on CCS transportation. If metrics go outside the guidelines, the board will call a meeting to address mask requirements. The motion passed by a vote of 4-3. Those voting in favor of the motion were Board Chair Holly Grimsley, Vice-Chair Tim Furr, Ms. Laura Blackwell, and Mr. Rob Walter. Those voting against the motion were Mrs. Denise Adcock, Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter, and Mrs. Keshia Sandidge.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/18/21)

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In November 2021, Sandidge Against Voted Against Making Masks Optional

As A Member Of The Cabarrus County Board Of Education, In November 2021, Sandidge Voted Nay On A Motion To "Remain Mask Optional". (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 11/8/21)

A motion was made by Ms. Holly Grimsley, seconded by Mr. Tim Furr to remain mask optional based on 3 of the 4 current metric based guidelines being in the yellow and green zones. The motion passed 5-2, with Mrs. Keshia Sandidge and Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter dissenting.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 11/8/21)

# In March 2022, Sandidge Voted Yea On A Motion For "Cabarrus County Schools To Remain Mask Optional"

In March 2022, Sandidge Voted Yea On A Motion For "Cabarrus County Schools To Remain Mask Optional." (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 3/14/22)

Board Chair Holly Grimsley asked for a motion for Cabarrus County Schools to remain mask optional. Ms. Laura Blackwell made the motion and Mr. Tim Furr seconded. This passed unanimously.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 3/14/22)

## On Social Media, Sandidge Promoted Content Critical Of The Trump Administration's Reaction To Covid-19

In March 2020, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet From Amy Klobuchar Appearing To Express Her Opposition To Trump's Initial Reaction To Covid-19, "Trump Downplays The Coronavirus By Comparing It To The Seasonal Flu. It's Not A Fair Comparison". (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 3/24/20)



(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 3/24/20)

On Social Media, In March 2020, Sandidge Appears To Have Promoted Content That Indicated Support For South Carolina's "Stay At Home Order"

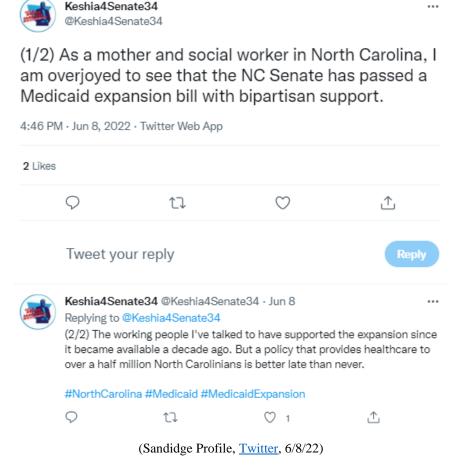
In March 2020, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet Appearing To Express Support For South Carolina's "Stay At Home Order" While Simultaneously Expressing Disappointment In The Governor Of South Carolina's "Failed" Execution Of That Very Order. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 3/24/20)



## SANDIDGE HAS EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR MEDICAID EXPANSION

In 2022, Sandidge Shared A Tweet Expressing Her Support For Medicaid Expansion, "I Am Overjoyed To See That The NC Senate Has Passed The Medicaid Expansion Bill"

In June 2022, Sandidge Shared A Tweet Expressing Her Support For Medicaid Expansion, "I Am Overjoyed To See That The NC Senate Has Passed The Medicaid Expansion Bill". (Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 6/8/22)



# SANDIDGE APPEARS TO SUPPORT THE POLITICAL LEFT'S POSTURING ON IMMIGRATION

On Social Media, Sandidge Promoted Content From Controversial Figure Maxine Waters Criticizing The Trump Administration's Border Security Policies

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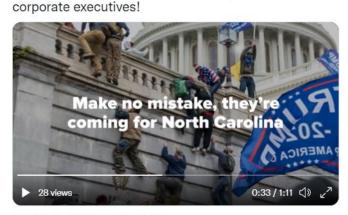


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## **POLICY ISSUES**

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**In Person Instruction** 

While Campaigning For The Cabarrus School Board, Sandidge Stated She Does "Agree With The Board's Decision To Go To All-Virtual Learning." "Q: Do you agree or disagree with the decision to go to all-virtual learning by the current Board of Education in July, and why? A: I agree with the board's decision to go to all-virtual learning. Cabarrus County Schools is the largest employer in the county and the decision of the board greatly impacts the health and safety of our residents. As a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, I am concerned about children and their parents who cannot afford to support their child's ability to learn virtually. It is critically important that we do not forget them and find alternative ways to support their access to a virtual education during COVID-19." ("2020 Election Guide," Issuu, Accessed 6/22)

Sandidge Stated Students Should Only Be Allowed To Resume In Person Classes "Once The School Board Unanimously Determines Preservation Of Health Can Be Sustained Without Community Spread." "Q: At what point should students be allowed back into schools, at least under the "Plan B" guidelines set forward by the state? A: Students should be allowed to resume in person classes once the school board unanimously determines preservation of health can be sustained without community spread. We must ensure board decisions match the best available science and epidemiologists confirm our risk mitigation is achieved. I have met with local professionals to review the most up-to-date data that supports safe re-entry. At this point parents and teachers/staff should be given the option to either return to school or remain in virtual learning until a viable vaccine is readily available. Because of disinformation, our county is divided, and the board must address this division, to unite parents, administrators, and teachers through constructive conversations. While I do not foresee a single solution to COVID-19, I do see plenty of evidence that supports teamwork and conscientious (sp) awareness being vital in mitigation of community spread." ("2020 Election Guide," Issuu, Accessed 6/22)

#### **Masking & Social Distancing**

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A motion was made by Mrs. Keshia Sandidge, seconded by Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter that all Board members, children, and staff, in grades Pre-K thru 12, shall wear masks indoors, including school busses. Unless actively eating, children should maintain three (3) foot distance, to the fullest extent possible. Children will be allowed mask breaks throughout the day. A medical exemption may be applied for, due to an issue that is exacerbated by COVID. Staff shall socially distance at least 6 feet, to the fullest extent possible. This matter will be addressed at the next business meeting of this school board with guidance from the COVID-19 Task Force and recommendation by the Superintendent. The motion passed 5-2. Mr. Tim Furr and Ms. Laura Blackwell dissenting.

(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 8/16/21)

In October 2021, Sandidge Seconded A Motion To "Accept The Superintendent's Recommendation To Keep Masking Mandate In Place For One (1) Month." (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/11/21)

A motion was made by Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter, seconded by Mrs. Keshia Sandidge to accept the Superintendent's recommendation to keep masking mandate in place for one (1) month. The motion did not pass with Mrs. Denise Adcock, Ms. Laura Blackwell, Mr. Tim Furr, Mr. Rob Walter, Ms. Holly Grimsley dissenting.

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In October 2021, Sandidge Voted Nay On A Motion That Would Result In Masks Becoming Optional For All But CCS Transportation At The End Of October. (Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 10/18/21)

Board members discussed revised Covid-19 metrics. A motion was made by Mr. Rob Walter, seconded by Mr. Tim Furr to adopt the revised metrics developed by the metrics committee. Masks will become optional effective October 26, 2021, masks remain required on CCS transportation. If metrics go outside the guidelines, the board will call a meeting to address mask requirements. The motion passed by a vote of 4-3. Those voting in favor of the motion were Board Chair Holly Grimsley, Vice-Chair Tim Furr, Ms. Laura Blackwell, and Mr. Rob Walter. Those voting against the motion were Mrs. Denise Adcock, Mrs. Carolyn Carpenter, and Mrs. Keshia Sandidge.

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(Cabarrus County Board Of Education, Meeting Minutes, 11/8/21)

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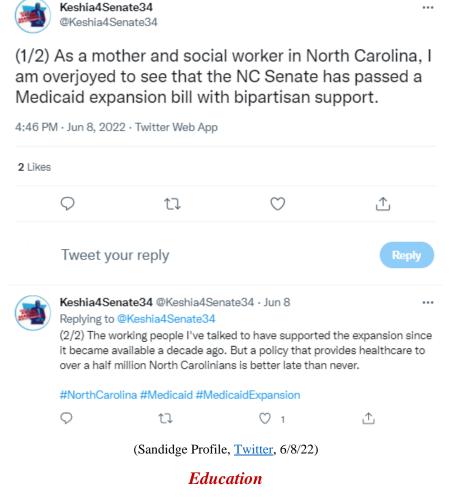
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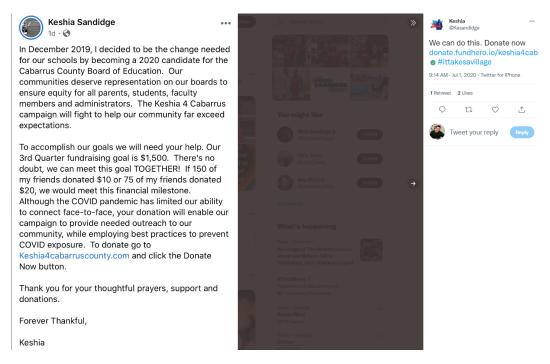
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- "We're Preparing Everybody To Go To Prison Through The Schools." "And we're preparing everybody to go to prison through the schools. It's like 'Oh ok the people who are not doing ok in the grades, and ah you're doing like this, and oh what's in detention, and dadada.' There's too many correlations between public schools and prison. The fact that you have the long hallways; the fact that you have a fixed response to authority; the fact that there's a specific time you can go outside and play and a specific time you can come back in." (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 6/3/18)
- "They're Subconsciously Getting You The Have A Fixed Response Of Authority And Understanding What It's Going To Be Like You Are In Prison". "And the way that you're notified of that happening is through the bells. They're subconsciously getting

you the have a fixed response of authority and understanding what it's going to be like you are in prison it's like 'no you when you're here you have to listen to me. I'm in charge and now I'm going to pass you off to this next person who's in charge when you're doing this. And it's like you have this response to authority." (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 6/3/18)

#### Race

## **National Anthem**

In June 2020, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet Stating The "[National] Anthem Means Nothing". (Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 6/3/20)



(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 6/3/20)

In June 2020, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet Appearing To Express Her Support For NFL Players Kneeling During The National Anthem. (Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 6/3/20)



(Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 6/3/20)

## **White People**

In August 2019, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet That Stated "This Is Some White People Shit" When Referencing What A Prominent Social Media Influencer Who Also Appears To Be A Person Of Color. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 8/17/19)



(Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 8/17/19)

## **Black Lives Matter**

In August 2020, Sandidge Shared A Tweet Appearing To Express Her Support For Black Lives Matter. (Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 8/28/20)



This momma of Gamecock player #90 is with you. I understand and love each and everyone you. #ItTakesAVillage #endhate #BetterTogether #onenation #imhumanfirst #thisistheamericailove



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(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 8/28/20)

#### **Summer 2020 Riots & Protests**

In May 2020, Sandidge Shared A Tweet Appearing To Express Her Opposition To The Riots In Response To George Floyd's Death. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 5/31/20)



Social Issues

In May 2022, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet That Called For Additional Gun Control. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 5/24/22)



(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 5/24/22)

## In May 2022, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet From Beto O'Rourke Appearing To Call For Additional Legislation On Guns. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 5/27/22)



During A September 2019 Presidential Debate, Beto O'Rourke Said "He Wants To Confiscate All 10 Million Or More Assault-Style Weapons Owned By Americans." "Beto O'Rourke's declaration at Thursday night's Democratic presidential debate that he wants to

confiscate all 10 million or more assault-style weapons owned by Americans electrified both sides of the nation's gun divide. "Hell, yes, we're going to take your AR-15, your AK-47," he said. "We're not going to allow them to be used against fellow Americans anymore." On one side of the gun divide, the unvarnished call for confiscation was a gift, proof that Democrats really are a bunch of gun-grabbing liberals. But after a bloody summer of mass shootings, including the rampage that left 22 Walmart shoppers dead in O'Rourke's hometown of El Paso, public support is growing for such measures." (Todd J. Gillman, "Hell, Yes,' Beto O'Rourke's Call To Confiscate AR-15s Pushes Gun Debate To New Level," *Dallas Morning News*, 9/13/19)

- O'Rourke: "Hell, Yes, We're Going To Take Your AR-15, Your AK-47." (Todd J. Gillman, "Hell, Yes,' Beto O'Rourke's Call To Confiscate AR-15s Pushes Gun Debate To New Level,"
   <u>Dallas Morning News</u>, 9/13/19)
- O'Rourke: "We're Not Going To Allow Them To Be Used ... Anymore." (Todd J. Gillman, "Hell, Yes,' Beto O'Rourke's Call To Confiscate AR-15s Pushes Gun Debate To New Level,"
   Dallas Morning News, 9/13/19)

## **POLITICAL**

#### **Government Powers**

Sandidge States She Views "Government As A Powerful Took To Facilitate Constructive Change." "We need leaders who are in touch with the problems faced by their constituents. As a mother, I've had two kids enrolled in our public school system. Over the years, I've attended and voiced my concerns regarding my children in appearances before the board. Too many times, I experienced a lack of response from the board or was totally dismissed. More importantly, I've been on the receiving end of decisions that affect my kids, without anyone trying to engage the populace. From my perspective, I saw a board beholden to special interest. My belief is government functions better for the community when local government is seen by constituents see it as a vehicle to make positive change in their communities. Like Ronald Reagan, I do not believe government is the answer for all our problems. Like many centrists, I do see government as a power tool to facilitate constructive change. All across our state we are seeing the negative effects of behavioral health and socio-economic disparities. If elected, my extensive mental health and social work experience will serve as a resource for county. I'm desperately hoping our school board will work to adopt policies that adequately support all children, regardless of socioeconomic status." ("2020 Election Guide," Issuu, Accessed 6/22)

## Party Affiliation Beliefs

In June 2019, Sandidge Shared A Tweet Appearing To Express Her Opposition To People Identifying With Political Parties. (Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 6/24/19)



Integrity. Be A GOOD HUMAN". (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 2/5/20)

In February 2020, Sandidge Shared A Tweet Calling For People To "Stop Being Democratic Or Republican," And Instead "Be Honest, Have Morals, Show Empathy, Value



Guess what's live right now? My campaign website! If there was ever a way to support me here's your chance! Please interact with the site and tell me what you think. Go check it out! Help needed: Please retweet.

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(Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 2/5/20)

**Democrat Affiliations** 

## Elizabeth Warren

In March 2020, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet Appearing To Express Her Personal Support For Elizabeth Warren. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 3/8/20)



(Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 3/8/20)

## Beto O'Rourke

In May 2022, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet From Beto O'Rourke Appearing To Express Her Support For His Campaign For The Texas Governorship. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 5/28/22)



Ketanji Brown Jackson

In March 2022, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet Expressing Support For Ketanji Brown Jackson's Confirmation To The United States Supreme Court. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 3/22/22)



(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 3/22/22)

Republican Affiliations

## **Trump**

In April 2022, Sandidge 'Retweeted' A Tweet That Appears To Describe Trump To Putin. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 4/12/22)



(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 4/12/22)

In May 2022, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet Describing Trump As A "Disgusting Excuse For A Human" For Speaking At A "Fucking NRA Convention". (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 5/28/22)



(Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 5/28/22)

#### **Republicans**

In April 2022, Sandidge 'Retweeted' A Tweet That Claims You Can "Help save Our Democracy By... VOTE Blue In 2022 Up And Down The Ballot". (Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 4/12/22)



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(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 4/12/22)

In April 2022, Sandidge 'Retweeted' A Tweet That Appears To Claim Something Similar To The January 6<sup>th</sup> Riot At The Capitol Will Be "Coming For North Carolina" If Democrats Don't Control The State's Legislature. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 4/12/22)





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(Sandidge Profile, <u>Twitter</u>, 4/12/22)

In April 2022, Sandidge 'Retweeted' A Tweet Appearing To Describe A Vote For Democrats As A Vote For "Democracy" And A Vote For Republicans As A Vote For "A Dictatorship". (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 4/12/22)



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(Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 4/12/22)

#### Miscellaneous

## **Epstein**

In July 2019, Sandidge 'Liked' A Tweet From Kamal Harris Calling For Attorney General Barr And Deputy Attorney General To "Recuse Themselves From All Matters Involving Jeffrey Epstein" Due To "Their Professional Ties" To Epstein. (Sandidge Profile, Twitter, 7/9/19)

