

**PLEASE EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT TO
VOTE ON NOVEMBER 3, 2020**



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Right to Life of Gibson County 2020 General Election Voter Guide

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School Board Candidate Survey Questions

1. Do you oppose school-based clinics that offer abortion counseling, abortion referrals, or access to so-called “emergency contraceptive” pills?
2. Do you support legislation that makes it a crime for an adult counselor or teacher to transport a minor across state lines for an abortion without a parent’s knowledge or consent?
3. Do you support legislation requiring that fetal development curriculum be included in high school health education classes?
4. Do you oppose Planned Parenthood’s use of peer educators who are students trained and paid by Planned Parenthood to promote Planned Parenthood activities and events on campus?
5. Do you support teaching students that abstinence is the only certain way to prevent pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases?
6. Do you oppose allowing Planned Parenthood representatives to make classroom presentations that promote premarital sex, contraceptive use, and/or alternative lifestyles such as homosexuality?
7. Under what circumstances do you believe abortion should be legal? Treatment for a mother’s life-threatening illness that unintentionally results in the death of the baby is not considered an abortion for the purposes of this survey. (Mark all that apply.)
 - A) Abortion should never be legal.
 - B) To save the life of the mother.
 - C) In the circumstances of rape and incest.
 - D) If the child is determined to have mental or physical disabilities.
 - E) Abortion should be legal in all cases.

		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7
Tim Nurrenbern	South Gibson School Bd Dist. 1	DNR						
David Lewis	South Gibson School Bd Dist. 2	DNR						
Janet McBee	South Gibson School Bd Dist. 3	DNR						
H. Mark Iunghuhn	North Gibson School Bd Dist. 3	DNR						
Brock M. Sievers	North Gibson School Bd Dist. 3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Joe Williams	North Gibson School Bd Dist. 3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	B
Travis E. Nolcox	North Gibson School Bd D 4 At-Large	DNR						
Wendi Nurrenbern	East Gibson School Bd Dist. 2	DNR						
Roger Sermersheim	East Gibson School Bd Dist. 4	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	BC

KEY: Y = YES; N = NO; U = UNSURE; DNR = Did Not Respond; * = Comments on File (See explanation)

NOTE: ALL CANDIDATES WERE CONTACTED VIA LETTER. THOSE WHO CHOSE NOT TO RESPOND ARE LISTED AS “DID NOT RESPOND.”

- **Comments on File** - The responses from candidates who included comments are marked with an asterisk (*). Due to space limitations, comments were not included in our standard voter education material but are available upon request by calling
- 812-768-6768 or via e-mail: aminnis@twc.com.

Copies may be made of this voter guide

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State & County Survey Questions

1. Do you support Indiana's informed consent law requiring that women be informed, in writing, of the risks of abortion, alternatives to abortion, and fetal development (including information about fetal pain), at least 18 hours prior to an abortion?
2. Do you oppose partial-birth abortion, the procedure that kills a living child during delivery?
3. Do you believe that pharmacy workers should have the right to refuse dispensing drugs they believe are purposely being used to cause abortions?
4. Do you oppose physician-assisted suicide and euthanasia?
5. Do you oppose all efforts to clone human embryos?
6. Do you oppose fetal stem cell research that requires the destruction of human embryos?
7. Do you oppose using taxpayer funds to pay for elective abortions, to subsidize abortion providers, or to subsidize abortion referring agencies, such as Planned Parenthood?
8. Do you support current Indiana law stating that human physical life begins when a human ovum is fertilized by a human sperm?
9. Do you support your political party's national platform on abortion? *(See attached for abortion platforms)*
10. Do you believe that abortion providers should be required to provide to the State, in writing, proof that they have local hospital admitting privileges or have entered into a written agreement with another physician with local hospital admitting privileges?
11. Do you believe all abortion facilities should be required to comply with all federal, state and local building regulations regarding health, safety, and ambulance access?
12. Do you oppose legislation that would eliminate current state laws that regulate abortion?
13. Do you support state law requiring that aborted babies be buried or cremated, instead of being treated as mere "medical waste"?
14. Will you vote only for party and caucus leadership that is committed to protecting innocent life from conception to natural death?
15. Do you support laws that promote adoption?
16. Under what circumstances do you believe abortion should be legal? (Mark all that apply.)
 - A) Abortion should never be legal.
 - B) Life of the mother only.
 - C) Rape and/or incest.
 - D) Other _____
 - E) Abortion should be legal in all cases.

			Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10	Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16		
Eric Holcomb	(R)	Governor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	B	
Woodrow A. Myers	(D)	Governor	DNR																	
Todd Rokita	(R)	Attorney General	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Jonathan Weinzapfel	(D)	Attorney General	DNR																	
Matt Hostettler	(R)	State Representative D 64	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Ian Gamroth	(D)	State Representative D 64	DNR																	
Mike Watkins	(R)	Gibson County Auditor	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	DNR	
Barrett W. Doyle	(R)	Gibson County Coroner	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Scott A. Martin	(R)	Gibson County Surveyor	DNR																	
Kenneth Montgomery	(R)	G.C. Commissioner Dist 2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Gerald L. Bledsoe	(R)	G.C. Commissioner Dist 3	Y	Y	U	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Warren E. Fleetwood	(D)	G.C. Commissioner Dist 3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
William "Bill" McConnell	(R)	G.C. Council At-Large	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Derek McGraw	(R)	G.C. Council At-Large	DNR																	
Mike Stilwell	(R)	G.C. Council At-Large	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Michael Priar	(D)	G.C. Council At-Large	DNR																	

(See KEY on back.)

NOTE:

The 2020 Indiana Right to Life Voters' Guide is now posted online at <http://www.irtl.org/voter-education-resources/>
Some county Right to Life voter guides are, also, posted on the website, including this one.

Excerpts from **2020 Republican Party Platform on abortion: The Fifth Amendment: Protecting Human Life:** ...we assert the sanctity of human life and affirm that the unborn child has a fundamental right to life which cannot be infringed. ...We oppose the use of public funds to perform or promote abortion or to fund organizations, like Planned Parenthood, so long as they provide or refer for elective abortions or sell fetal body parts rather than provide healthcare...We will not fund or subsidize healthcare that includes abortion coverage. We support the appointment of judges who respect traditional family values and the sanctity of innocent human life. We oppose the non-consensual withholding or withdrawal of care or treatment, including food and water, from individuals with disabilities, newborns, the elderly, or the infirm, just as we oppose euthanasia and assisted suicide. We affirm our moral obligation to assist, rather than penalize, women who face an unplanned pregnancy....We strongly oppose infanticide. ..We call on Congress to ban sex-selection abortions and abortions based on disabilities--...We oppose federal funding of embryonic stem cell research. We support adult stem cell research...

-Excerpts from **2020 Democratic Party Platform on abortion: Securing Reproductive Health, Rights, and Justice:** We believe...that every woman should be able to access high-quality reproductive health care services, including safe and legal abortion. We will repeal the Title X domestic gag rule and restore federal funding for Planned Parenthood, which provides vital preventive and reproductive health care...We will repeal the Hyde Amendment, and protect and codify the right to reproductive freedom...Democrats oppose restrictions on medication, abortion care...We are proud to be the party of the Affordable Care Act, which...requires insurers to cover prescription contraceptives at no cost...

Indiana Right to Life PAC Endorses Todd Rokita For Attorney General

Indianapolis – The Indiana Right to Life PAC has announced its endorsement of Todd Rokita for Attorney General. Rokita is a long-time advocate for the unborn, compiling a **100% pro-life voting record** as a member of Congress. In addition, Rokita was endorsed by IRTL-PAC during his two terms as Secretary of State.

The race for Attorney General is being watched as the top race in Indiana due to the key role the next attorney general will play in defending Indiana's pro-life laws in court.

Rokita is a no-exceptions candidate who has vowed to fight for the pro-life laws already being challenged, as well for future laws to be passed by the legislature.

Rokita's opponent, Democrat Jonathan Weinzapfel, did not reply to Indiana Right to Life's candidate survey.

Indiana Right to Life PAC Endorses Larry Bucshon