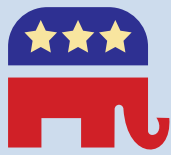


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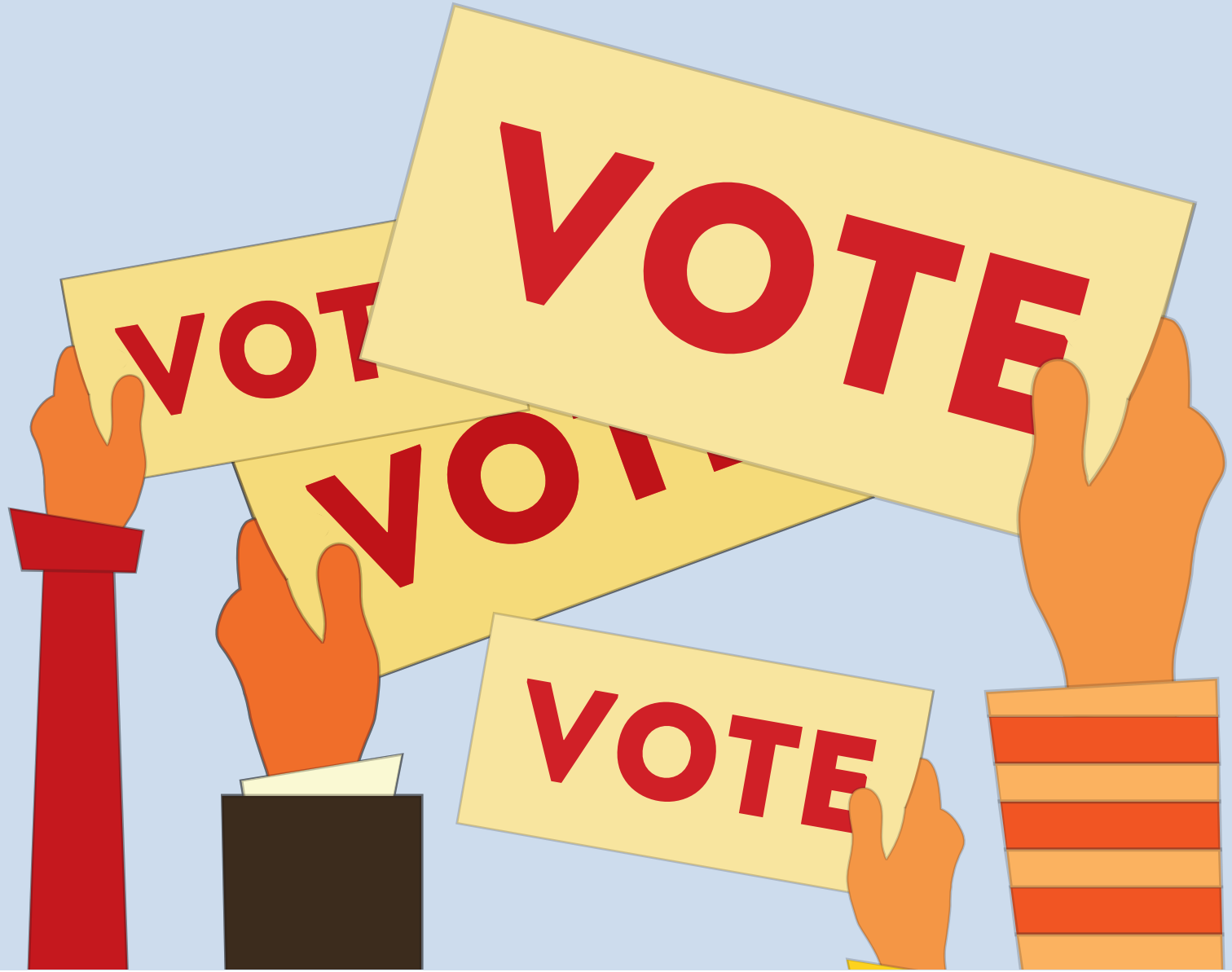
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Comparison of US Presidential and Senate Candidates

President Trump has proven his pro-life commitment throughout his first term with many pro-life triumphs. Those include appointing pro-life advocates to his cabinet and administration, restoring the Mexico City Policy, and pledging to veto any legislation that weakens current pro-life laws, or that destroys human life at any stage.

Former Vice President Joe Biden supports the current policy of abortion on demand. He voted for the Harkin Amendment to endorse *Roe v. Wade*, which allows abortion for any reason. Biden supports the Democrat platform of unlimited abortion even through birth. He pledges that his judicial nominees would “support the right of privacy, on which the entire notion of a woman’s right to choose is based.”

Senator Capito has a 100% pro-life voting record as a Senator. She voted to defund Planned Parenthood and stop government funding of abortion. She voted for the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act and various bills to repeal and replace ObamaCare. She voted in support of both of President Trump’s nominees for the Supreme Court.

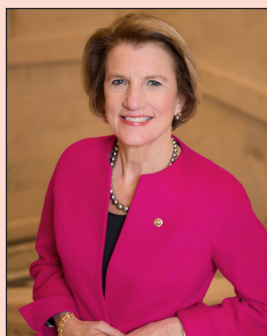
Paula Jean Swearingen has never held a public office. She rubs elbows with pro-abortion Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez (AOC) and is endorsed by Women to Win, a group which champions Democrat women who support the right to choose abortion on demand.



Donald Trump



Joe Biden



Shelley Moore Capito



Paula Jean Swearingen

Perfect 100% Records Say it ALL in Congressional Races

West Virginia can boast that all three incumbent Congresspeople have 100% pro-life voting records: David McKinley (1st District), Alex Mooney (2nd District) and Carol Miller (3rd District).

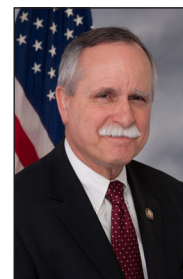
Since the Democrats gained the majority in the House of Representatives, our Republican representatives have needed to vote to stop the pro-abortion bills being introduced by the pro-abortion majority.

Although unsuccessful due to Democrat tactics, all three of them signed the Discharge Petition to force a vote on the *Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act* on the floor of the House of Representatives. This is the same bill that just passed and was signed by Governor Justice during the 60-day West Virginia 2020 legislative session.

By contrast, David McKinley’s opponent, Natalie Cline, is endorsed by Women to Win, a group which champions Democrat women who support the right to choose abortion on demand.

The same can be said of Alex Mooney’s opponent, Cathy Kunkel. Kunkel, too, is endorsed by the pro-abortion group Women to Win.

Carol Miller’s opponent, Hilary Turner, is not only endorsed by Women to Win, but actually says on her campaign website that she “supports a woman’s right to medically safe abortions.”



David McKinley



Natalie Cline



Alex Mooney



Cathy Kunkel



Carol Miller



Hilary Turner

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Compare these Gubernatorial Candidates and Decide for Yourself

During Incumbent Governor Jim Justice’s administration, the Parent’s Right to Know Act (2017) and Telemedicine Bill (amended to exclude web-cam abortions in 2017) have been enacted.

In 2018, he publicly supported the historical Amendment 1 referendum, which did away with taxpayer funding of elective abortions.

Justice actually conducted a bill-signing ceremony for the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act on March 2, 2020 at the Capitol.

Justice has even spoken at the State Pro-Life Convention (2019).

By contrast, Ben Salango did not even return a candidate survey leaving us to guess where he stands.



Jim Justice



Ben Salango

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**From the
President**



**Actions Speak
Louder than
Words**

Dear friends,

The death of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg from the U.S. Supreme Court and the appointment by President Trump of Amy Coney Barrett to take her seat has reopened the debate on the role of judges in our Democracy. West Virginians for Life recognizes the importance of the “separation of powers” to our government. According to the separation of powers, legislators were meant to legislate and judges were meant to interpret the legislation in light of the Constitution.

The pro-life movement has always argued that we need to have justices, who support the original intention of the Constitution, because we know the Constitution does not contain a “right to abortion.” Indeed, the Constitution is based on the Declaration of Independence that guarantees us the “...right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.” The “right to life” is our first right as American citizens. President Trump said the kind of Supreme Court Justice he would pick would “interpret the Constitution the way the founders wanted it interpreted,” and he has not disappointed his voters. He has already appointed Justice Neil Gorsuch and Justice Brett Kavanaugh, who work to interpret the Constitution in terms of how it was understood by the founders.

In 1992, then U.S. Supreme Court Justice Scalia wrote: “The issue is whether [abortion] is a liberty protected by the Constitution of the United States. I am sure it is not. I reach that conclusion...because of two simple facts: (1) the constitution says absolutely nothing about it, and (2) the long-standing traditions of American society have permitted it to be legally proscribed.”

Judge Amy Coney Barrett has similar beliefs and

credentials and is known for her Conservative approach. We believe she is a judge who does not impose her own policy preferences onto the law. Rather, she leaves such debate and decision-making to the duly-elected legislators. It is not her position on abortion that matters, but, rather, her position on the role of judges that is important.

The fight over U.S. Supreme Court nominations is due to the fact that liberal activists in the United States have failed to get their radical agendas through the people’s legislative bodies. The liberal activists have been forced to use the Courts to create rights, such as abortion, which do so much damage to the law, the Constitution and our entire system of government.

President Trump promised to correct these problems by appointing judges to our courts, who will correct this dangerous trend and repair the damage done. He has kept his promise and deserves the thanks and gratitude of everyone who values life and works to protect the innocent.

pro-life commitment is what they do while in office. That is the reason, whenever possible, WVFL-PAC endorses pro-life incumbents for the specific office for which they are running.

WVFL-PAC has placed the endorsement list for your specific district on the website at pac.wvforlife.org/vote. Please check this site as you plan for voting in the General Election and provide this information to all your friends and relatives.

Wanda Franz, Ph.D.

Wanda Franz, Ph.D., President

**Joe Biden: “I am the Democratic Party”–
The Democratic Party Equals Abortion on Demand**

WASHINGTON (NRL News) — During the September 29 presidential debate, Joe Biden declared that he was the Democratic Party:

My party is me. Right now, I am the Democratic Party. I am the Democratic Party, right now. The platform of the Democratic Party is what I, in fact, approved of.

“The Democratic Party and its leadership want abortion at any time, anywhere, and under any circumstances,” said Carol Tobias, president of National Right to Life. **“In his own words, it means that Joe Biden wants abortion at any time, anywhere, and under any circumstances.”**

A Biden/Harris administration would seek to:

- enshrine abortion on demand in federal law;
- appoint justices who will commit, in

advance, to uphold abortion on demand;

- reverse the Trump Administration’s pro-life policies;
- reverse President Trump’s Title X rule

that prevents family planning grantees from co-locating with abortion clinics, or from referring clients for abortion;

- promote abortion around the world by reversing the Protecting Life in Global Health Assistance program which prevents federal taxpayer dollars from being used by abortion groups to perform or promote abortion overseas;
- abolish the Hyde Amendment and use federal tax dollars to pay for abortion on demand.

In an interview with *The New York Times* editorial board in January 2020, Joe Biden was asked what he would look for in a nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court.



He said:

They have to have an expansive view of the Constitution. Recognize the right to privacy, unenumerated rights that exist in the Constitution... that means I know they will in fact support *Roe v. Wade*.

“Joe Biden would force taxpayers to pay for abortions, he would turn back the clock on pro-life policies, and he would run rough-shod over the wishes of the American people in an effort to please pro-abortion groups,” said Tobias. **“Women and their unborn children would suffer if Joe Biden were to win.”**

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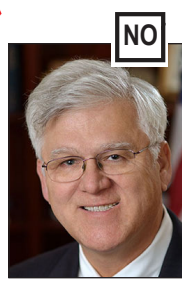
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Claytor**



**Riley
Moore**



**John
Perdue**



**Kent
Leonhardt**



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Attorney General **Patrick Morrissey** stands firm on the side of life.

Morrissey joined the national lawsuit supporting conscience rights of Little Sisters of the Poor. He joined nine other attorneys nationwide to defend the Texas pro-life bill and he committed to defending the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act and the Unborn Child Protection from Dismemberment Abortion Act.

Morrissey's opponent, **Sam Petsonk**, is endorsed by Planned Parenthood, the nation's largest abortion provider.

Secretary of State **Mac Warner** has spoken at numerous pro-life events including State Pro-Life Conventions and Rallies in Charleston. His opponent, **Natalie Tennant**, has been endorsed in the past by the radical pro-abortion group EMILY's List, which supports only candidates who support abortion for

any reason, and using your tax dollars to pay for them.

John "J.B." McCuskey has garnered the endorsement of the WVL-PAC for State Auditor by attending state pro-life events. **Mary Ann Claytor** has been silent on pro-life issues.

Riley Moore, while serving in the House, amassed a perfect pro-life voting record and has attended pro-life events. **John Perdue**, meanwhile, has not attended any pro-life events in recent years and has no voting record on pro-life issues.

Kent Leonhardt had a 100% pro-life voting record as a state senator. Opponent **Bob Beach**, has only a 33% pro-life voting record having voted against protecting babies 20 weeks and older who feel pain and he voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.

Abortion Pill RU-486 History and Dangers

by Wanda Franz, Ph.D.

The abortion pill RU-486 was developed in France by Roussel-Uclaf. Pro-abortion forces in the United States urged the company to request approval of the drug from the FDA. The pro-life movement during the Bush administration produced counter pressure on the company, which was successful in preventing Roussel-Uclaf from transferring the drug to the United States.

When President Clinton was elected, Ron Weddington, a co-counsel of *Roe v. Wade* and ex-husband of *Roe* attorney Sarah Weddington, exposed his eugenic philosophy in a letter written to the newly-elected Bill Clinton administration. His letter has been released by Judicial Watch in a Freedom of Information Request. Weddington's letter reads:

"Sarah and I have been discussing the notion of our setting up [a non] profit corporation to license and distribute RU486. It's possible that such an endeavor could be the vehicle for a number of birth control efforts. 26 million food stamp recipients is more than the economy can stand."

In 1994, with the encouragement of the Clinton administration, Roussel-Uclaf assigned the US rights of marketing and distribution of the abortion pill to the eugenics-founded Population Council. The drug's distribution was later handed over to Danco Laboratories, a sub-licensee of the Population Council.

Initially, the use of the abortion pill was limited compared to surgical abortions.

However, over time, chemical abortions have increased. In West Virginia, the WV Department of Health & Human Resources reported that chemical abortions accounted for 18.6% of all abortions in 2016. By 2019, the rate had increased to 41.3%. These abortions are overwhelmingly performed at the Women's Center in Charleston, WV.

Unfortunately, the immediate complication rate of abortion on women's bodies has been found to be more negative for chemical abortions than for surgical ones. This

is partly because surgical abortions can be performed relatively quickly and in the presence of medical personnel. Chemical abortions are completely different.

The purpose of the abortion pill (RU-486 or Mifepristone) is to kill the unborn baby. The mother must then take the second pill (Misoprostol) to

expel the baby at home without any medical attendants. This constitutes a delivery, which can normally take hours. It is also more painful, as the cramping is being unnaturally

induced. It is bloody and messy, and the mother often sees her baby after delivery.

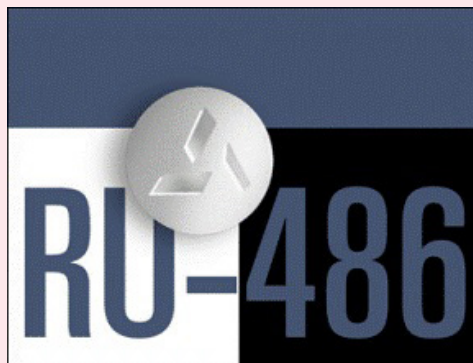
Now there is evidence that the drug RU-486 (Mifepristone) interferes with the innate immune system that results in disintegration of the body's defense system. In addition, the FDA has found that Misoprostol also acts as an immunosuppressive agent. That is, when women use these

chemicals for abortion, they expose themselves to the risk of severe infection. According to the FDA, at least 24 women have died using the pill since 2000, and there have been at least 4,195 adverse events since 2018.

In a recent Finnish study using government health records, the overall incidence of adverse events was fourfold higher in the chemical abortions compared with surgical abortion (20% compared with 5.6%). Hemorrhage was 15.6% with chemical abortion compared with 2.1% following surgical abortion. The incomplete abortion rate was 6.7% with chemical compared with 1.6% with surgical abortion.

West Virginians for Life will be introducing a bill in the upcoming legislative session to require that women be told that there is an abortion reversal method to prevent the death of the baby when medication is taken after the inception of the Mifepristone minus the Misoprostol.

You can help us to pass this legislation by signing the *Abortion Pill Reversal* petition online at wvforlife.org and by talking with your legislators during this campaign season.



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All you need to do is plug in your street address and zip code to see who the pro-life candidates are in your house district.



IMPORTANT DATES

September 18 to October 28 - Mail absentee ballots

October 13 - Voter registration deadline to vote in the November 3 General

October 21-31 - Early Voting

November 2 - Deadline to Hand-Deliver Absentee Ballot to the Clerk's Office

November 3 - General Election Day

NOT REGISTERED TO VOTE?
VISIT: OVR.SOS.WV.GOV
AND REGISTER ASAP!

Most Americans know that abortion has gone too far. Yet, some candidates support abortion for any reason.

Be sure to vote on Tuesday, November 3, and before you vote, find out where the candidates *really* stand on abortion and human life. *Vote as if life depends on it ... because it does.*

Please vote **only** for pro-life candidates, even if your ballot says you can vote for more. A vote for a pro-abortion candidate is a vote **against** unborn babies.

With close to 62 million abortions since 1973, nearly 2,500 daily, abortion has killed more unborn children than those combined who died in the:

- Revolutionary War
- Civil War
- World Wars I & II
- Korean War
- Vietnam
- Persian Gulf War
- War on Terrorism

Candidate Surveys & Voting Records

The graphs on page 5 are a service to you describing the pro-life records of the candidates running in this year's general election. The first four columns consist of selected questions from the West Virginians for Life Candidate Survey. The questions for each are presented here. A "yes" answer is pro-life for all four questions. If no response is indicated, a survey was not received. An asterisk (*) indicates written comments were included.

Among others, the following four selected questions were asked:

1 = Would you vote for an abortion pill reversal bill?

2 = Would you vote to prevent the use of tax funds for abortion other than to prevent the death of the mother?

3 = Would you vote for a bill to correct the WV Code on Living Wills to protect patient rights by providing for a choice in whether or not to receive artificially-provided food and fluids when in a terminal condition or chronic vegetative state?

4 = Would you oppose the legalization of assisting suicide through lethal prescription?

Gov Ovr = Override vote of Governor Tomblin's veto of The Unborn Child Protection from Dismemberment Abortion Act on 3/10/2016. Y is a pro-life vote. N is for no. A is for absent.

SJR 12 = Constitutional Amendment to make the WV Constitution abortion neutral and abortion funding neutral (2/9/2018 in Senate and 3/5/2018 in House). Y is a pro-life vote. N is for no. A is for absent.

Born-Alive Bill = Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act to ensure proper medical care is given to an infant abortion survivor + legal recourse (2/18/2020 in House and 2/19/2020 in Senate). Y is a pro-life vote. N is no. A is for absent.

The "% pro-life votes" column is a compilation of votes from 2013-2020 and not just the three votes shown.

Call to See if You Can Still Make the October 10 State Pro-Life Convention

There are still plenty of seats for the State Pro-Life Convention in Fairmont at Trinity Assembly of God.

We must know in advance of your attending, however. And if childcare is needed, that information is vital. You may pay online at this late stage of the game or you can pay at the door, but you must let us know and commit to coming.

The office phone number is 304-594-9845.

A headcount will be given to the caterer by Wednesday, October 7, so time is of the essence.

In keeping with the convention theme *Every Day is a Second Chance*, the keynote speaker Rebekah Hagan should be very compelling. She will be sharing her personal testimony regarding the use of the abortion pill reversal procedure in saving the life of her son.

Covid regulations will be in place. Attendees will be expected to wear masks and to social distance. Hand sanitizer will be available and latex gloves. Your compliance is very much appreciated.



Senate

Senate Candidates	Party	Dist.	County	1	2	3	4	Gov Override	SJR 12	Born-Alive	% pro-life votes*
Weld, Ryan	R	1	Brooke,Hancock,Marshall,Ohio	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y in House	Y	Y	100%
Swartzmiller, Randy	D	1	Brooke,Hancock,Marshall,Ohio	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y in House	88% in House
Maroney, Mike	R	2	Cal,Dod,Gil,Mars,Mari,Mono,Ritt,Ty,Wet						Y	Y	75%
Gary, Josh	D	2	Cal,Dod,Gil,Mars,Mari,Mono,Ritt,Ty,Wet	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Boley, Donna	R	3	Pleasants,Roane,Wirt,Wood	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	90%
Wilson, Robert	D	3	Pleasants,Roane,Wirt,Wood								
Grady, Amy Nichole	R	4	Jackson,Mason,Putnam,Roane	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Ashworth, Bruce	D	4	Jackson,Mason,Putnam,Roane								
Shaffer, Charles	R	5	Cabell,Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Plymale, Robert	D	5	Cabell,Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	78%
Swope, Chandler	R	6	McDow,Mercer,Mingo,Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Phillips, Rupie	R	7	Boone,Lincoln,Logan,Mingo,Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			88% in House
Rodighiero, Ralph	D	7	Boone,Lincoln,Logan,Mingo,Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100% in House
Crouse, Kathie Hess	R	8	Kanawha,Putnam	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Jeffries, Glenn	D	8	Kanawha,Putnam					N		Y	25%
Stover, David	R	9	McDow, Ral, Wyo								
Woodrum, Jack David	R	10	Fayette,Green,Monroe,Summers	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Laird, William	D	10	Fayette,Green,Monroe,Summers					N			67%
Karnes, Robert	R	11	Gra,Nich,Pe,Po,Ran,Upshur,Web	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100%
Campbell, Denise	D	11	Gra,Nich,Pe,Po,Ran,Upshur,Web	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			88% in House
Martin, Patrick	R	12	Brax,Clay,Gilmer,Harr,Lewis						Y	Y	100% in House
Facemire, Doug	D	12	Brax,Clay,Gilmer,Harr,Lewis					N	N	Y	10%
Polis, Rebecca	R	13	Marion,Monongalia	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Caputo, Mike	D	13	Marion,Monongalia					N	N	Y	6%
Smith, Randy	R	14	Bar,Gra,Har,Mine,Mono,Pres,Tayl,Tuck	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Childers, David	D	14	Bar,Gra,Har,Mine,Mono,Pres,Tayl,Tuck								
Blair, Craig	R	15	Berk,Hamp,Mine,Morgan					Y	Y	Y	100%
Rucker, Patricia	R	16	Berkeley,Jefferson	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Dougherty, Pete	D	16	Berkeley,Jefferson								
Nelson, Eric	R	17	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100% in House
Robinson, Andrew	D	17	Kanawha					N		Y	17% in House

House

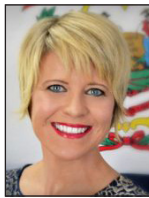
House Candidates	Party	Dist.	County	1	2	3	4	Gov Ovr	SJR 12	Born-Alive	% pro-life votes
McGeehan, Pat	R	1	Brooke, Hancock					Y	Y	Y	100%
Zatezalo, Mark	R	1	Brooke, Hancock					Y	Y		100%
Jones, Ronnie	D	1	Brooke, Hancock	Y	Y	Y	Y				33%
Wood, Jack	D	1	Brooke, Hancock								
Greer, Gordon	R	2	Brooke, Ohio	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Diserio, Phillip W.	D	2	Brooke, Ohio						N	Y	25%
Haas, Dalton	R	3	Ohio	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Storch, Eriikka	R	3	Ohio					Y	Y	Y	94%
Fluharty, Shawn	D	3	Ohio					N	N	Y	18%
Schneider, Ben	D	3	Ohio								
Reynolds, Charlie	R	4	Marshall, Ohio	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Turak, Christian	D	4	Marshall, Ohio								
Zuckoff, Lisa	D	4	Marshall, Ohio							Y	100%
Wiley, Phillip	R	5	Monongalia, Wetzel	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Pethtel, Dave	D	5	Monongalia, Wetzel					N	N	Y	6%
Kelly, David L.	R	6	Doddridge, Pleasants, Tyler							Y	100%
Barnhart, Trenton	R	7	Pleasants, Ritchie	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Anderson, Bill	R	8	Wood	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100%
Alvarez, Andrew	D	8	Wood								
Kimes, D. Shannon	R	9	Wirt, Wood	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Marion, Jim	D	9	Wirt, Wood								
Conley, Roger	R	10	Wood	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Criss, Vernon	R	10	Wood						Y	Y	100%
Kelly, John R.	R	10	Wood	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100%
Pritchard, Trish	D	10	Wood								
Winters, Luke	D	10	Wood								
Keaton, Riley	R	11	Jackson, Roane	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Pauley, Mark	D	11	Jackson, Roane								
Westfall, Steve	R	12	Jackson					Y	Y	Y	100%
Higginbotham, Joshua K.	R	13	Jackson, Mason, Putnam						Y	Y	100%
Pinson, Jonathan	R	13	Jackson, Mason, Putnam	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Brewer, Scott	D	13	Jackson, Mason, Putnam						N		25%
Caldwell, David	D	13	Jackson, Mason, Putnam								
Wamsley, Johnnie	R	14	Mason, Putnam	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Yeager, Chris	D	14	Mason, Putnam								
Foster, Geoff	R	15	Putnam					Y	Y	Y	100%
Jackson, Theresa	D	15	Putnam								
Bates, Mark	R	16	Cabell, Lincoln	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Linville, Daniel	R	16	Cabell, Lincoln							Y	100%
Mandt, John F.	R	16	Cabell, Lincoln							Y	100%
Hornbuckle, Sean	D	16	Cabell, Lincoln					N	N	Y	7%
Lewis, Anna	D	16	Cabell, Lincoln								
Nelson, Dakota	D	16	Cabell, Lincoln								
Rohrbach, Matthew	R	17	Cabell, Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100%
Lovejoy, Chad	D	17	Cabell, Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Rowsey, Jeanette	D	17	Cabell, Wayne								
Worrell, Evan	R	18	Cabell	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Ross, Paul	D	18	Cabell	Y	Y	Y	N				
Evans, Derrick	R	19	Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Stephens, Jason	R	19	Wayne	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Griffith, Ric	D	19	Wayne								
Thompson, David	D	19	Wayne								
Deskins, Matthew	R	20	Logan, Mingo								
Brown, Nathan	D	20	Logan, Mingo	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Dean, Mark	R	21	McDowell, Mingo, Wyoming						Y	Y	100%
White, Phyllis	D	21	McDowell, Mingo, Wyoming	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			100%
Jeffries, Joe	R	22	Boone, Lincoln, Logan, Put	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Maynard, Zack	R	22	Boone, Lincoln, Logan, Put	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Eldridge, Jeff	D	22	Boone, Lincoln, Logan, Put	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N		88%
Silva, Cecil	D	22	Boone, Lincoln, Logan, Put	N	Y	Y	Y				
Holstein, Josh	R	23	Boone	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Miller, Rodney A.	D	23	Boone						N	Y	50%
Bridges, Jordan	R	24	Boone, Logan, Wyoming	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Mazzocchi, Margitta	R	24	Boone, Logan, Wyoming	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Perry, Susan Shelton	D	24	Boone, Logan, Wyoming								
Tomblin, Tim	D	24	Boone, Logan, Wyoming	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Paynter, Tony	R	25	McDowell, Mercer, Wyoming	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Payne, Wesley	R	26	McDowell, Mercer	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Evans, Ed	D	26	McDowell, Mercer						N	Y	40%
Ellington, Joe	R	27	Mercer, Raleigh					Y	Y	Y	91%
Gearheart, Marty	R	27	Mercer, Raleigh	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		100%
Smith, Doug	R	27	Mercer, Raleigh	Y	Y	Y	N				

House (continued)

House Candidates	Party	Dist.	County	1	2	3	4	Gov Ovr	SJR 12	Born-Alive	% pro-life votes
Russell, Tina	D	27	Mercer, Raleigh								
Cooper, Roy G.	R	28	Monroe, Raleigh, Summers					Y	Y	Y	100%
Pack, Jeffrey	R	28	Monroe, Raleigh, Summers	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Nahodil, Ryne	D	28	Monroe, Raleigh, Summers								
Steele, Brandon	R	29	Raleigh	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Oglesby, Xavier	D	29	Raleigh								
Trump, Tyler	R	30	Raleigh								
Bates, Mick	D	30	Raleigh					Y	N	Y	95%
Toney, Christopher	R	31	Raleigh, Wyoming	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Fast, Tom	R	32	Clay, Fayette, Nicholas, Ral	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100%
Haynes, Austin	R	32	Clay, Fayette, Nicholas, Ral	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Kessinger, Kayla	R	32	Clay, Fayette, Nicholas, Ral					Y	Y	A	100%
Hurt, Mark	D	32	Clay, Fayette, Nicholas, Ral	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Staggers, Margaret Anne	D	32	Clay, Fayette, Nicholas, Ral		Y	Y	N			Y	50%
Vickers, Selina	D	32	Clay, Fayette, Nicholas, Ral								
Hanshaw, Roger	R	33	Calhoun, Clay, Gilmer					Y	Y	Y	100%
Cottrell, Larry	D	33	Calhoun, Clay, Gilmer								
Boggs, Brent	D	34	Braxton, Gilmer	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	88%
Capito, Moore	R	35	Kanawha						Y	Y	100%
Morris, Trevor	R	35	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Pack, Larry	R	35	Kanawha								
Stansbury, Chris	R	35	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			100%
Ferguson, Kathy	D	35	Kanawha								
Skaff, Doug	D	35	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	50%
Williams, Rusty	D	35	Kanawha								
Young, Kayla	D	35	Kanawha								
Pritt, Chris	R	36	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Thaxton, Stevie	R	36	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Walters, Chris	R	36	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y in Sen.			100% (Sen.)
Barach, Jim	D	36	Kanawha								
Estep-Burton, Amanda	D	36	Kanawha							Y	100%
Rowe, Larry	D	36	Kanawha					N	N	Y	18%
Pushkin, Mike	D	37	Kanawha					N	N	Y	5%
Graves, Dianna	R	38	Kanawha, Putnam						Y	Y	100%
Ardman, Nikki	D	38	Kanawha, Putnam								
Ferrell, Dana	R	39	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Holmes, David "Woody"	D	39	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Jeffries, Dean	R	40	Kanawha	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Tully, Heather	R	41	Greenbrier, Nicholas	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Bragg, Duane	D	41	Greenbrier, Nicholas	Y	Y	*	Y				
Bruce, Barry	R	42	Greenbrier, Monroe, Summers	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Longanacre, Todd	R	42	Greenbrier, Monroe, Summers	Y	Y	N*	Y				
Campbell, Jeff	D	42	Greenbrier, Monroe, Summers						N	Y	50%
Lavender-Bowe, Cindy	D	42	Greenbrier, Monroe, Summers							Y	100%
Nestor, William "Ty"	R	43	Pocahontas, Randolph	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Rennix, Mark	R	43	Pocahontas, Randolph								
Hartman, Bill	D	43	Pocahontas, Randolph					Y	N	A	82%
Thompson, Cody	D	43	Pocahontas, Randolph							Y	100%
Hanna, Caleb	R	44	Nich, Rand, Upshur, Web	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	100%
Cutlip, Robin	D	44	Nich, Rand, Upshur, Web								
Martin, Carl "Robbie"	R	45	Upshur							Y	100%
Burkhammer, Adam	R	46	Lewis, Upshur	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Stultz, Robert "Bob"	D	46	Lewis, Upshur								
Phillips, Chris	R	47	Barbour, Tucker							Y	100%
Larry, Ed	D	47	Barbour, Tucker	Y	N	N	N				
Hamrick, Danny	R	48	Harrison, Taylor					Y	Y	Y	100%
Kimble, Laura	R	48	Harrison, Taylor	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Queen, Ben	R	48	Harrison, Taylor						Y	Y	100%
Riley, Clay	R	48	Harrison, Taylor	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Deems, Ryan	D	48	Harrison, Taylor								
Garcia, Robert "Bob"	D	48	Harrison, Taylor	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Iaquinta, Richard J.	D	48	Harrison, Taylor	Y	Y	Y	Y		N		43%
Maxwell, Josh	D	48	Harrison, Taylor								
Hamilton, J. Steve	M	48	Harrison, Taylor								
Summers, Amy	R	49	Marion, Monongalia, Taylor	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	100%
Manypenny, Mike	D	49	Marion, Monongalia, Taylor								formerly 25%
Mallow, Phil	R	50	Marion	Y	Y	Y	Y				
McIntire, Darton	R	50	Marion	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Ward, Guy	R	50	Marion	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y		75%
Angelucci, Michael	D	50	Marion							Y	100%
Garcia, Joey	D	50	Marion								
Straight, Ronald	D	50	Marion								
Frich, Cindy	R	51	Monongalia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		100%
Lemaire, Zach	R	51	Monongalia	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Stainbrook, Todd	R	51	Monongalia	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Statler, Joe	R	51	Monongalia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		100%
White, Justin	R	51	Monongalia								
Fleischauer, Barbara Evans	D	51	Monongalia					N	N	N	0%
Hansen, Evan	D	51	Monongalia							N	0%
Pyles, Rodney A.	D	51	Monongalia						N	N	20%
Walker, Danielle	D	51	Monongalia							N	0%
Williams, John	D	51	Monongalia						N	Y	80%
Sypolt, Terri Funk	R	52	Preston	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	100%
Wolfe, Junior	D	52	Preston								
Jennings, D.R. "Buck"	R	53	Preston, Tucker						Y	Y	100%
Chase, Cory	D	53	Preston, Tucker								
Hott II, John Paul	R	54	Grant, Mineral, Pendleton								
Ward, Bryan	R	55	Hardy, Pendleton	Y	Y	Y	N				100%
Shockey, Jarod	D	55	Hardy, Pendleton								
Howell, Gary G.	R	56	Mineral					Y	Y	Y	100%
Rowan, Ruth	R	57	Hampshire, Mineral					Y	Y	Y	100%
Miller, George	R	58	Hampshire, Morgan	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Harden, Tom	D	58	Hampshire, Morgan	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Reed, Ken	R	59	Berkeley, Morgan								
Forsht, Don	R	60	Berkeley	Y	Y	Y	*				
Noll, Brad	D	60	Berkeley								
Mongan-Saladini, Kim	R	61	Berkeley	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Barrett, Jason	D	61	Berkeley						N	Y	25%
Horst, Charles	R	62	Berkeley	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Carrol, Debi	D	62	Berkeley								
Hardy, John	R	63	Berkeley							Y	100%
Bennett, Daniel	D	63	Berkeley								
Householder, Eric L.	R	64	Berkeley					Y	Y	Y	100%
Clark, Wayne	R	65	Jefferson	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Brown, Sammi	D	65	Jefferson							N	0%
Espinosa, Paul	R	66	Jefferson					Y	Y	Y	100%
Shiley Frame, Storme	D	66	Jefferson								
Simon, Elliot	R	67	Jefferson	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Doyle, John	D	67	Jefferson							N	0%

Vital Head-to-Head Senate Races

State Senate District 4



Amy Nicole Grady

VS.



Bruce Ashworth

Amy Nicole Grady will support an abortion pill reversal bill. Such a bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.

Bruce Ashworth did not return a WVFL candidate survey.

In an email response to a potential constituent, he says he personally does not agree with abortion, but he does not convey how he will vote as a legislator.

State Senate District 8



Kathie Hess Crouse

VS.



Glen Jeffries

Kathie Hess Crouse will support an abortion pill reversal bill. Such a bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.

Glenn Jeffries has a 1 of 4 or 25% pro-life voting record in the Senate. He voted against a parent being notified regarding a daughter's impending abortion and voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.

State Senate District 10



Jack David Woodrum

VS.



William Laird

Jack David Woodrum will support an abortion pill reversal bill. Such a bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.

William Laird has a poor record on pro-life issues. When he previously served, Laird even voted to allow living, fully formed unborn babies in the 2nd trimester to endure a brutal dismemberment abortion.

State Senate District 12



Patrick Martin

VS.



Doug Facemire

Patrick Martin has had a perfect pro-life voting record in the House. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill. Such a bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind.

Doug Facemire has a 1 in 10 or 10% pro-life voting record. He voted against protecting unborn babies 20 weeks and older who feel pain and voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.



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State Senate District 13



Rebecca Polis

VS.



Mike Caputo

Rebecca Polis will support an abortion pill reversal bill. Such a bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.

Mike Caputo has only a 1 of 18 voting record on pro-life legislation. He voted to allow living, fully formed babies in the 2nd trimester to endure a brutal dismemberment abortion and voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.

State Senate District 16



Patricia Rucker

VS.



Pete Dougherty

Patricia Rucker has a 100% pro-life voting record. She was lead sponsor of the Parent's Right to Know Act and the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act. Rucker was a leader in getting Amendment 1 (constitutional amendment to stop taxpayer-funded elective abortions) on the ballot in 2018.

Pete Dougherty supports a policy of abortion on demand. He is endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State Senate District 17



Eric Nelson

VS.



Andrew Robinson

Eric Nelson has a 100% pro-life voting record (18 of 18) during his time in the WV House. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill, which will require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind.

Andrew Robinson has a 1 of 6 or 17% pro-life voting record in the WV House. He voted against a ban on web-cam abortions (Telemedicine Bill) and voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.



West Virginians for Life Office Assistant Sadie Shields shows off the sentiment for Election 2020.

Vital Races in the House of Delegates

State House District 2



Gordan Greer

VS.



Phil Diserio

Gordan Greer supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Phil Diserio supports a policy of abortion on demand. He even voted to force WV taxpayers to pay for elective abortions.

State House District 5



Phillip Wiley

VS.



Dave Pethtel

Phillip Wiley supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Dave Pethtel voted to allow living, fully formed unborn babies in the 2nd trimester to endure a brutal dismemberment abortion.

State House District 9



D. Shannon Kimes

VS.



Jim Marion

D. Shannon Kimes supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Jim Marion supports a policy of abortion on demand. He is endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State House District 16 (Vote for 3)



Mark Bates



Daniel Linville

Mark Bates and **Daniel Linville** support laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. They will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*



Sean Hornbuckle



Anna Lewis



Dakota Nelson

Sean Hornbuckle has only voted for pro-life legislation 1 of 15 times. He even voted to allow living, fully formed babies in the 2nd trimester to endure a brutal dismemberment abortion. **Anna Lewis** and **Dakota Nelson** have given no concrete answers as to how they would vote on pro-life legislation.

State House District 17 (Vote for 2)



Matthew Rohrbach



Chad Lovejoy

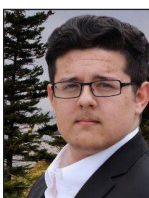


Jeanette Rowsey

Matthew Rohrbach and **Chad Lovejoy** support laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. They will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Jeanette Rowsey is endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State House District 23



Josh Holstein

VS.



Rodney Miller

Josh Holstein (left) supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

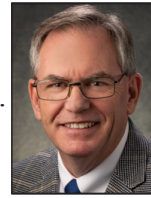
Rodney Miller (right) voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.

State House District 26



Wesley Payne

VS.



Ed Evans

Wesley Payne supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

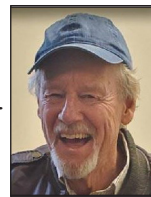
Ed Evans voted against a parent being notified of a minor daughter's impending abortion. He also voted to force West Virginia taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.

State House District 33



Roger Hanshaw

VS.



Larry Cottrell

Roger Hanshaw supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Larry Cottrell gives no indication how he will vote on pro-life legislation.

State House District 35 (Vote for 4)



Moore Capito



Trevor Morris



Larry Pack



Chris Stansbury



Doug Skaff

Moore Capito, Trevor Morris, Larry Pack, Chris Stansbury and Doug Skaff support laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. They will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*



Kathy Ferguson



Rusty Williams



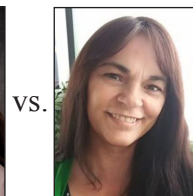
Kayla Young

Kathy Ferguson supports a policy of abortion on demand as per her ACLU survey. **Rusty Williams** and **Kayla Young** are endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State House District 38



Dianna Graves



Nikki Ardman

VS.

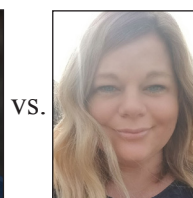
Dianna Graves supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. She will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Nikki Ardman has given no concrete answers as to how she would vote on pro-life legislation.

State House District 43



Caleb Hanna



Robin Cutlip

VS.

Caleb Hanna supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Robin Cutlip gives no indication how she will vote on pro-life legislation.

*An abortion pill reversal bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.

Vital Races in the House of Delegates

State House District 47



Chris Phillips

VS.



Ed Larry

Chris Phillips supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Ed Larry supports a policy of abortion on demand. He is endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State House District 61



Kim Mongan - Saladini

VS.



Jason Barrett

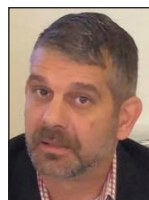
Kim Mongan-Saladini supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. She will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Jason Barrett voted against protecting unborn babies 20 weeks and older who feel pain and voted to force WV taxpayers to pay for abortion on demand.

State House District 51 (Vote for 5)



Cindy Frich



Todd Stainbrook



Joe Statler



Zach Lemaire



John Williams

Cindy Frich, Todd Stainbrook, Joe Statler, Zach Lemaire and John Williams support laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. They will support an abortion pill reversal bill. An abortion pill reversal bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.



Barbara Fleischauer



Evan Hansen



Rodney Pyles



Danielle Walker



Larry Cottrell

Barbara Fleischauer, Evan Hansen, Rodney Pyles and Danielle Walker voted in opposition to a bill that allows unborn babies who survive abortions to receive medical care. They are endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

Larry Cottrell gives no indication how he will vote on pro-life legislation.

State House District 63



John Hardy

VS.



Daniel Bennet

John Hardy supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Daniel Bennet gives no indication how he will vote on pro-life legislation.

State House District 65



Wayne Clark

VS.



Sammi Brown

Wayne Clark supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Sammi Brown voted in opposition to a bill that allows unborn babies who survive abortions to receive medical care. She is endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State House District 66



Paul Espinosa

VS.



Storme Shiley Frame

Paul Espinosa supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Storme Shiley Frame gives no indication how she will vote on pro-life legislation.

State House District 52



Terri Funk Sypolt

VS.



Junior (JR) Wolfe

Terri Funk Sypolt supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. She will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

Junior "JR" Wolfe is endorsed by the nation's largest abortion provider.

State House District 67



Elliot Simon

VS.



John Doyle

Elliot Simon (left) supports laws that protect unborn babies from abortion. He will support an abortion pill reversal bill.*

John Doyle (right) voted in opposition to a bill that allows unborn babies who survive abortions to receive medical care.

*An abortion pill reversal bill would require that a patient receiving a chemically-induced abortion be informed that the abortion can potentially be reversed if she changes her mind after taking the first of two drugs, but before taking the second one.

Pro-Life Profile

Paula McLaughlin lives in Lewisburg and has been a widow since November 2018. She has 3 children, all of whom live in the area plus 12 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. She is a retired real estate broker and presently attends the First Baptist Church of Fairlea. In all of her 74 years, this is the first time she has attended a pro-life church!

Paula's mother was very active in supporting the Hagerstown, MD pregnancy center. Paula said that although she always considered herself pro-life, it wasn't something to which she gave much thought. After her husband Philip died, she knew she needed to be more active in the pro-life movement other than simply writing a check and reading about it. Paula attended Martha Hunter's chapter meetings in Monroe County and this is where the inspiration really took root in her heart. The lack of any pro-life influence in Greenbrier County increasingly impacted her, until she realized that she either had to follow God's lead or not... and Martha had "made this chapter thing look pretty easy!"

Paula is the President of the Greenbrier County Chapter of West Virginians for Life, which just held its second meeting. Since Greenbrier County just flipped to red, she felt this was the ideal time to revive the effort.

Other than the usual agenda, their meetings include "solid food" where attendees educate themselves in order to lose the "fear of confrontation" (per pro-life apologist Scott Klusendorf).

After studying the writings of Scott Klusendorf and others, Paula thinks their biggest challenge is not giving a face to the abortion issue. She feels we have been too timid and soft. She wonders if, with love and grace, we can work to confront the issue in a more direct way. Paula is reminded of an interview with Rosa Parks when asked why she refused to go to the back of the bus. Rosa had seen a picture of Emmett Till, the African American boy who lay in a casket after being brutally beaten and killed in 1955. Emmett's mother insisted the coffin be opened "so they can see what they did to my boy." Rosa saw this picture and would never forget it. She felt that this marked the beginning of the Civil Rights Movement.

Paula believes we need to open the casket and let the world see what abortion is doing to babies in the womb.

WVFL shares in Paula's hope for the future that every mother and father will consider killing their baby as UNTHINKABLE.



*Greenbrier County
Chapter Leader*
Paula McLaughlin

WVFL Treasurer's Article

Pro-Life VOTER GUIDES: Get the Word OUT!

With President Trump's nomination of pro-life judge Amy Coney Barrett for possible confirmation and appointment to the Supreme Court, the American Left is terrified and panicked that *Roe & Doe* could actually be overturned—wholesale killing of preborn babies would be curtailed, delegitimized. Their response includes a "pull no punches" election cycle. Some on the Left deem false rhetoric and even voter fraud as *noble*. We're in a battle for life. We must do all we legitimately can. Every single pro-life voter guide will be *essential*, whether *digital* or *paper*.

Re. paper: Contact your county chapter—wvforlife.org/chapters—to find out how you can help with voter guide literature distribution. In addition to curtailed literature distribution, online/digital efforts are even more essential.

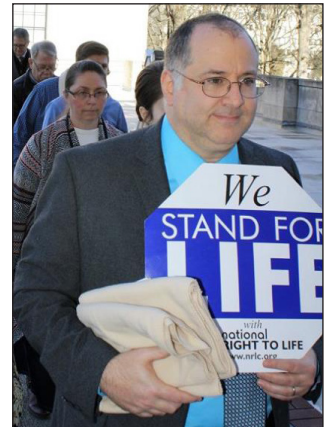
Re. digital: Most major social networks have banned paid ads deemed political. Voter guides that endorse/oppose candidates are political. Thankfully, Facebook has not banned political ads, and it is the largest (by far) with 2.5 billion users. Regular posts anywhere are free, so please SHARE and LIKE—pac.wvforlife.org/vote—However, algorithms limit reach of free posts, and some networks are banning pro-life pages/censoring posts to hinder conservative influence. Twitter has suspended several WVFL chapter pages although the chapters did nothing amiss, and appeals get no reply, even after weeks. Thus, we're delighted to announce that WVFL has gotten Facebook to accept a paid ad (boosted post) promoting our instant online delivery of pro-life voter guides at pac.wvforlife.org/vote.

Both paper and digital: To promote pro-life candidates for the upcoming general election, WVFL is by necessity using an "all of the above" approach. Please consider joining me in donating at pac.wvforlife.org/donate.

Your pro-life *support and vote* are needed now more than ever. Join us: wvforlife.org/membership

Better yet, step up to **Rose Society Membership** while you're there! Already a member? Give here: wvforlife.org/donate

With determination, Pastor Doug Joseph, WVFL Treasurer



WVFL Treasurer
Pastor Doug Joseph

West Virginia

Teens For Life

Dear Teens for Life,

I so regret not being able to attend the Teen Day Camp this year. It's scheduled for October 10. For those of you who can make it, please bring a friend or two along. You WILL have a good time and you WILL learn something. I pick up something new every time I go. And the special speaker will have a memorable talk.

The next event after that will be the Rose Dinner on November 12. Fall is in full swing.

Speaking of Fall, it's been good to get back to the classroom, though social distancing and wearing masks are not fun rules to follow. Hopefully, this will all be a painful memory soon.

Continue to speak up for the babies when you can!

*Your WV Teens for life President,
Margaret Deely*



WV Teens for Life President
Margaret Deely

Rescheduled November Rose Dinner Possibly Virtual

Because the annual Rose Dinner was canceled in April and had to be rescheduled due to the pandemic, you are now invited to attend on Thursday, November 12. For now the venue remains the same, Holiday Inn on Pineview in Morgantown, however, please stay tuned because this possibly could be a virtual event.

West Virginians for Life hopes you will join us for an educational evening. The 30-minute movie *I Lived on Parker Avenue* will be shown and the birth mother in the documentary, Melissa Coles, will tell her side of the story.

Bring tissues.

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Thursday, November 12, 2020

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Please indicate if you will be attending the Dinner

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2020-2021 Calendar of Events

Oct. 10 (Sat.) **Annual State Convention,**
Trinity Assembly of God, Fairmont
CALL IMMEDIATELY, IF YOU WANT TO ATTEND!!

Oct. 13 (Tues.) **Last Day to Register to Vote**

Oct. 21 through Oct. 31 **Early Voting Starts in General Election**

Nov. 3 (Tues.) **General Election**

Nov. 7 (Sat.) **Board Meeting, Clarksburg**

Nov. 12 (Thurs.) **22nd Annual Rose Dinner,**
Holiday Inn, Pineview Drive, Morgantown
Melissa Coles, birth mother in "I Lived on Parker Avenue", is keynote.

(Keep checking because this possibly could become a virtual event.)

Jan. 17 (Sun.) **Sanctity of Human Life Sunday**

Jan. 29 (Fri.) **Annual March for Life,**
Washington, D.C.

YES! You can count on me to help save unborn children from abortion. Enclosed is my **Basic membership** contribution of \$35 () or a **GOLD membership** contribution of \$50 (). One statewide pro-life t-shirt at no additional cost is an optional gift to those who pay the **GOLD membership**. Adult sizes are: S-M-L-XL-2XL-3XL. Indicate size here: _____

YES! You can count on me to help save unborn children from abortion with this donation.
\$ _____

I wish to support the work of the Political Action Committee* with a contribution of:

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I wish to join the Rose Society with a monthly pledge of:

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(Rose Society members receive a monthly update from the President and do not receive other fundraising mailings or calls other than fundraising for the political action committee.)

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Because in addition to educating, we are involved in trying to change the law, contributions to West Virginians for Life, Inc., are not deductible as charitable contributions for income tax purposes. "West Virginia residents may obtain a summary of the registration and financial documents from the Secretary of State, State Capitol, Charleston, WV 25305. Registration does not imply endorsement."

*A maximum donation of \$5,000 per person per election cycle is allowed to the WVFL State PAC or \$5,000 per person per year to the WVFL Federal PAC. Please include occupation and employer when donating to the PAC. Corporate and church contributions to West Virginians for Life PAC are prohibited by law. Contributions to West Virginians for Life PAC are voluntary. Please disregard if you are a public employee or not a WVFL member.

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Berkeley



Setting up for the Celebrate Life event on 9/12

Greenbrier



The Greenbrier County startup meeting was August 13 in Fairlea. Above left is Chapter President Paula McLaughlin speaking. WVFL President Wanda Franz (above) also spoke to the sizeable crowd of around 30.



Lewis



Dr. Wanda Franz posed with the new Lewis County Chapter Leader Judith Barrett at their September startup meeting.

Monongalia



Mon County Chapter held its annual Precious Baby Photo contest online. The winners (clockwise) are 1st-Nora Swanson, 2nd-Ariella Petree, and 3rd-Selena Baker.



Nicholas



4th Annual Jim Gilbert Memorial Golf Tournament on August 8

WVU Mountaineers for Life/ Students for Life



A chalking event at the WVU Mountaineers for Life featured such sayings as "WVU is pro-life."

Below is a Sock Vote tabling event.



8th Annual GOLF FOR LIFE TOURNAMENT



Second Place went to James Sabin, Matt DuBois, Larry Elliot, and Dr. Jim Holehouse with a 58 also, but the tiebreaker determined the final outcome.



Appalachian Pest Control **First Place** winners were Paula and Glen Voithofer, Chase Voithofer, and Bill Wilkins with a 58 (14 under par).



Third Place team was Dave Johnson, Jeff Rossy, John Christy, and Dennis Kelley with a 60.



Thanks to every single volunteer, the tournament raised roughly \$8,600 for the Educational Trust Fund.



Berkeley County:

The *Berkeley County Celebrate Life* event on September 12 saw around 50 people come through. Chapter Leader Pam Brush was happy with that given the pandemic.

Clay County:

Sheena Rapp-Leedy, the chapter president, is looking for more interest from others in her county. The contact email is sheena192001@gmail.com and phone is 304-587-7073.

Doddridge County:

Special thanks to Marge and Chuck Northrop for taking coffee responsibilities at the State Convention.

Greenbrier County:

The chapter held a startup meeting in August. Welcome, new Chapter Leader Paula McLaughlin! Read about her in the Pro-life Profile on page 8. WVFL President Dr. Wanda Franz spoke at the meeting. Around 30 were in attendance. Interested in getting involved? Call 304-661-9866.

Lewis County:

The Lewis County Chapter has been revived after a year or so of inactivity. Chapter Leader Judith Barrett invites you to attend meetings. Wanda Franz spoke at the chapter's September 17 startup meeting. Call 304-269-4281 to get involved.

Marion County:

The chapter contributed continental breakfast at the State Convention this year, limited somewhat in selection due to the coronavirus.

Marshall County:

If there are interested parties in Marshall County who would like to help with the chapter, please email Karen Ali at klee1105@yahoo.com.

Monongalia County:

Every year, the Monongalia County Chapter of West Virginians for Life features a Precious Baby Photo Contest. This year the online contest resulted in First-Place winner being Nora Grace Swanson of N. Chesterfield, VA, daughter of John and Abby Swanson. Second-Place went to Ariella Elise-Adams Petree of Fairmont, daughter of Steve and Gina Petree. The Third-Place winner, from Terra Alta, was Selena Mariana Baker, daughter of Brady Baker and Tasha Wolfe. Seven contestants entered the race. All received a certificate and Precious Feet pin. Additionally, the top three received trophies. The First-Place winner will ride in a future parade once pandemic restrictions allow. The contest raised an incredible \$3,249 for the WVFL Mon County Chapter.

Morgan County:

The chapter is known for its effective sidewalk counseling two days a week in front of the abortuary in Hagerstown, Maryland. The count is 531 unborn babies that have been saved over the years, not to mention the women. It is estimated that at least an equal number of women have changed their minds about abortion after viewing their large signs and witnessing the people praying. This is the story of SAVE #527: "A couple pulled in out front and pro-lifers went right over to help them. At first, they helped them by telling them about the limited 30-minute parking meter and the nearby 2 hour parking meters. W. gave them a gold pro-life pin of baby feet. The pro-lifers got on the couple's good side and they listened right away and took the pro-life papers. The young woman wanted to go for an abortion, but the young man said he never wanted it and never should have driven there. Then, a pro-lifer prayed out loud while in the middle of counseling. 'Holy Spirit, be our guest, please, help us always think and say and do what's best.'

The pro-lifer showed them the Love & Let Live paper with the photos of the baby's development. The young man looked and said, 'See!', as he pointed to the paper noting that the baby has a beating heart. He was not having it! He told her they were leaving. Pro-lifers told them they have lots of help for them and gave them information about adoption and baby supplies, etc. They also told them about the help available at HAPC, including free ultrasounds. The young man was thankful and thanks be to God and the pro-lifers prayers and efforts, he drove off with his friend and their baby was SAVED! Hurray! Praise God! Thank You, God! Thank you, dear pro-lifers, for your wonderful prayers and help for life."

WDTF broadcasts several pro-life messages a day including a five-minute National Right to Life program called Pro-Life Perspective. The Knights of Columbus originate and record another set of pro-life messages created by Dick Byrne. Another Knight, Patrick Crosby is the pro-life station engineer.

The chapter continued its 8' X 12' pro-life billboard outside of Berkeley Springs on Route 522. Thanks to all who support this, especially the Knights of Columbus and the Holy Name Society.

Nicholas County:

The 4th Annual Jim Gilbert Memorial Golf Tournament benefitting the Nicholas County Pro-Life Chapter was held on Saturday, August 8th at Nicholas Memorial Golf Course. Nine teams competed for three money prizes, along with two closest to the pin and one longest drive prize. The team of Larry Powers, Kathy Thompson, Tony Hanlon and Tony Giles claimed first place with a score of 17 under par. Stanley Adkins, Aaron Adkins, Doug Adkins and Esther Joo took 2nd place in a tie breaker over the team of

Andy McDonald, Bill Starcher, Mark Strickland and Ed McCormick, placing them in 3rd. Linda Fox and Kathy Thompson, each won a long drive and closest to the pin award. Tony Giles won the men's longest drive, while Ed McCormick won closest to the pin.

Summers County:

Meetings are the third Tuesday of each month in Hinton, WV. Interested parties may call Bonnie at 304-466-1370 for information about the chapter. You are invited to visit the chapter Facebook page at *WV For Life – Summers County Chapter*.

Wayne County:

Newly installed chapter leader Tranae Mathis invites Wayne Countians to monthly meetings. Find out details at 304-417-1925.

Wood County:

Chapter meetings are the third Thursday monthly at the Public Library on Emerson Avenue in N. Parkersburg. Email Jaime Bigley at mrsjbiggs@gmail.com or call 304-494-0333 to get involved.

WV Teens for Life:

President Margaret Deely invites teens to contact her at deelyma@aol.com.

WVU Mountaineers for Life:

Judging from the pictures (opposite page), it's not hard to see that the group has been very busy making the student population aware of a pro-life presence on campus. They have had a chalking demonstration, set up a *Sock Vote* tabling event, and sponsored a *Life Chain* in front of the Mountainlair on Oct. 4. The successful *Life Chain* of about 35 consisted of half students and half Morgantown residents. The reception was more positive than negative. Pray that their numbers increase.

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MELISSA COLES

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6 p.m. Reception • 7 p.m. Dinner
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Covid guidelines will be observed.

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The night of the dinner we will see the 30-minute documentary *I Lived on Parker Avenue* and hear the story directly from Melissa, the birth mother of the young man she gave up but would meet 19 years later.

Bishop Brennan with the Charleston-Wheeling Diocese will give the invocation. West Virginians for Life President Dr. Wanda Franz will address the crowd. A Silent Auction will also be a highlight.

Tickets are \$50 each or \$1,000 for sponsoring a table of eight with proceeds benefitting the West Virginians for Life Educational Trust Fund. Other levels of support are also possible. The Educational Trust is tax deductible and provides literature and resources to educate the public on pro-life issues.

Call 304-594-9845 or visit <https://www.wvforlife.org/events/> for more flyers and to sign up!



*Keynote Speaker
Melissa Coles*



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