

PRIMARY CANDIDATE SURVEY QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES

Right to Life of Northeast Indiana is pleased to present the results of its 2024 Primary Candidate Survey. Responses are as follows: Y=Yes, N=No, U=Undecided. Those who did not respond by the deadline are not listed. Unanswered questions are represented by "/".

Questions

- 1. Do you support Indiana's informed consent law that requires 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 abortions being performed on pain-capable unborn children?
- 3. Do you oppose partial birth abortion, the procedure that kills a living child during delivery?
- 4. Do you believe that abortion providers should be required to dispose of aborted children in a humane manner, instead of treating remains as mere "medical waste?"
- 5. Do you believe that pharmacy workers should have the right to refuse to dispense abortifacients?
- 6. Do you oppose pharmacists being able to prescribe abortifacients?
- 7. Do you oppose physician assisted suicide and euthanasia?
- 8. Do you oppose all efforts to clone human embryos?
- 9. Do you oppose fetal stem cell research that requires the destruction of human embryos?
- 10. Are you opposed to using taxpayer funding to pay for elective abortions or to subsidize abortion providers or referral agencies, such as Planned Parenthood?
- 11. Do you believe that human physical life begins when a human ovum is fertilized by a human sperm?
- 12. Do you support your political party's national platform on abortion?

- 13. Will you vote only for party and caucus leadership that is committed to protecting innocent life from conception to natural death?
- 14. Do you oppose any law that would require medical insurance carriers to provide abortion coverage in their standard plans?
- 15. 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?
- 16. Do you believe that all abortion facilities should be required to comply with all building regulations regarding health, safety, and access?
- 17. Do you support laws that promote adoption?
- 18. Do you oppose legislation that would eliminate current state laws that regulate abortion?
- 19. 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.) Mark all that apply.
 - A. Abortion should never be legal.
 - B. Rape and/or incest.
 - C. If the child is determined to have a mental or physical disability or for sex selection.
 - D. Abortion should be legal in all cases.
- 20. Will you commit to support legislation and existing laws that reflect your positions indicated in questions 1-19, above?

Election day is May 7th! Additional information: ichooselife.org/voters-guide





Endorsements for the 2024 Primary Election

Rhonda Sharp

The Right to Life of Northeast Indiana Political Action Committee endorsements are based, in part, on a survey which each candidate was asked to complete. Candidates who did not respond to the survey were not considered. As part of our regional expansion, the RLNI PAC surveys and endorses candidates throughout the Northeast Indiana region. See the full Voter's Guide and Endorsements List at ichooselife.org/voters-guide

Endorsed Candidates

State Representative, District 51

US Senator Jim Banks

US Representative, 3rd District Wendy Davis

US Representative, 3rd District Tim Smith

US Representative, 3rd District Marlin Stutzman

US Representative, 3rd District Andy Zay

Governor of Indiana Eric Doden

State Representative, District 18 David Abbott

State Representative, District 33 J. D. Prescott

State Representative, District 52 Ben Smaltz

State Representative, District 79 Matthew Lehman

State Representative, District 81 Martin Carbaugh

State Representative, District 83 Christopher Judy

State Representative, District 84

Bob Morris

State Representative, District 85 Dave Heine

Adams County Council, At Large Lance Fiechter

Adams County Council, At Large Shawn Hamrick

Adams County Council, At Large Gina Melcher

Adams County Commissioner, District 3 Stan Stoppenhagen

Allen County Coroner Jon Brandenberger
Allen County Treasurer Samantha Chenery

Allen County Surveyor Michael Fruchey

Allen County Council, At Large Kyle Kerley

Allen County Commissioner, District 1 Tom Harris

Allen County Commissioner, District 1 Ron Turpin

Steuben County Council, At Large Lisa Aldrich
Steuben County Council, At Large Dan Caruso

Wells County Commissioner, District 3 Jeff Stringer



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County	Office	Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Whitley	US Senator	Jim Banks	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Steuben	US Representative, 3rd District	Grant Bucher	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Y
Allen	US Representative, 3rd District	Wendy Davis	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Allen	US Representative, 3rd District	Jon Kenworthy	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Y
Kosciusko	US Representative, 3rd District	Mike Felker	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Allen	US Representative, 3rd District	Tim Smith	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Y
LaGrange	US Representative, 3rd District	Marlin Stutzman	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	US Representative, 3rd District	Eric Whalen	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Y
Huntington	US Representative, 3rd District	Andy Zay	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Vanderburgh	Governor of Indiana	Suzanne Crouch	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	В	Υ
Allen	Governor of Indiana	Eric Doden	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	State Representative, District 79	Matthew S. Lehman	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	Adams County Coroner	Monica Fennig	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	N	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	Adams County Recorder	Thomas R Krueckeberg	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	В	Υ
Adams	Adams County Council, At Large	Lance Fiechter	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	Adams County Council, At Large	Shawn W Hamrick	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	Adams County Council, At Large	Gina M Melcher	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Adams	Adams County Commissioner, District 1	Stan A Stoppenhagen		Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Allen	State Representative, District 81	Martin Carbaugh		Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Allen	State Representative, District 83	Christopher N. Judy		Υ	Υ	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Y	Y	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Υ	Α	Y
Allen	State Representative, District 84	Bob Morris		Y		Y	Y		Y			Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Α	Y
Allen	State Representative, District 85	Dave Heine		Υ	· V	V	·	· V	Υ	V	Υ	· V	· V	· V	· V	V	· V	· V	· V	Y	Α	Y
Allen	Allen County Coroner	Jon Brandenberger		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y
Allen	Allen County Treasurer	Samantha Chenery	Y	· V	· V	V	· V	\ \ \	· V	· V	· V	· V	· V	\ \ \	· V	· V	· ·	· V	· V	· V	A	Y
Allen	Allen County Surveyor	David Devine		Y	Y	Y	\ V	\ V	Y	Y	Y	Y	\ V	U	U	Y	Y	\ V	\ V	Y		Υ
Allen	Allen County Surveyor			Y	Y	V	V	V	Y	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	· ·	V	V	V	A	Y
Allen	•	Michael R Fruchey			Y	Υ	V	Y	Y	V	V	V	V	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	V	Y		Υ
	Allen County Council, At Large	Lindsey Hammond		Y			Y	V		Y	Y	Y	Y					I V	Y	V	A	Y
Allen	Allen County Council, At Large	Robert A Armstrong		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	
Allen	Allen County Council, At Large	Ken Fries		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	В	Y
Allen	Allen County Council, At Large	Kyle Kerley		Y	Y		Y		Y			Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y
Allen	Allen County Commissioner, District 1	Tom Harris		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y
Allen	Allen County Commissioner, District 1	Ron Turpin		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Α	Y
DeKalb	State Representative, District 52	Ben Smaltz		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Α -	Y
DeKalb	DeKalb County Council, At Large	Larry Williams		Υ	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		A, B	
DeKalb	DeKalb County Commissioner, District East	Andrew D Provines	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
Huntington	State Representative, District 50	Rob Miller		Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	В	Y
Wabash	State Representative, District 50	Lorissa Sweet		Υ	Y	Y	Y	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Α	Y
LaGrange	State Representative, District 51	Tony Isa																		Υ		Y
LaGrange	State Representative, District 51	Rhonda Sharp				_															Α	
LaGrange	LaGrange County Commissioner, District 3	Peter Cook	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Noble	State Representative, District 18	David Abbott	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Randolph	State Representative, District 33	J.D. Prescott	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Steuben	Steuben County Council, At Large	Lisa Aldrich	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Steuben	Steuben County Council, At Large	Dan Caruso	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Y
Steuben	Steuben County Commissioner, District South	Wil Howard	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	В	Υ
Wells	Wells County Recorder	Rina E Stuck	Y	Υ	Υ	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	N	В	Y
Wells	Wells County Council, At Large	Vicki Andrews	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	N	Υ	Α	Υ
Wells	Wells County Council, At Large	Scott Elzey	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	U	N	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	В	Υ
Wells	Wells County Council, At Large	Heath L Schlagenhauf	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	U	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ
Wells	Wells County Commissioner, District 3	Tamra Boucher	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	1	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	В	Y
Wells	Wells County Commissioner, District 3	Jeff Stringer	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ

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