

IOWA GENERAL ELECTION

Tuesday, NOVEMBER 8, 2016

FEDERAL: The National Right to Life Committee (NRLC) evaluates candidates for federal office, summarized here or as noted.

PRESIDENT	
Donald Trump - R Vastly superior responses in support of NRLC goals	Hillary Clinton - D Aggressive support of taxpayer-funded legal abortion for any reason for all 9 months of pregnancy; aggressively supported by pro-abortion organizations
U.S. SENATE	
Chuck Grassley - R	Supports the Republican Party's pro-life platform; strong record of support for right to life
Patty Judge - D	Supports the Democratic Party's platform of taxpayer-funded legal abortion without restriction
U.S. HOUSE	
Christopher Peters - R	Opposes taxpayer funding of abortion including defunding Planned Parenthood; supports "discretion at the state level" as to its legality (Source: Project Vote Smart)
David Loeb sack - D	Supports the pro-abortion Democratic platform and has a voting record to support it

State: Our affiliate state organization provides a list of Iowa legislative and judicial candidates in selected races found to meet certain criteria reflecting their record, or responses to a questionnaire.

CANDIDATES WHO MEET PRO-LIFE CRITERIA			
Senate Dist. 46	Mark Lofgren -- R	House Dist. 94	Gary Mohr -- R
House Dist. 92	Rep. Ross Paustian - R	House Dist. 97	Rep. Norlin Mommsen -- R
OTHER RACES			
House Dist. 93	Kurt Whalen -- R	Opposes tax dollars for abortion; supports requiring abortion clinics meet the same standards as out-patient surgical facilities	
	Phyllis Thede -- D	Voting record on key matters in line with pro-abortion Democratic Party	
House Dist. 89 & 92		Seats held by pro-abortion incumbents who are running unopposed	

COUNTY: Candidates who provided pro-life response to a QCRTL questionnaire regarding issues relevant to county government or have a record in support of our goals are listed below:

Scott County Supervisor – Tony G. Knobbe	Scott County Sheriff – Tim Lane
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JUDGES: Our affiliate state organization calls for voting against (no) retention on State Supreme Court Justices. Quoting their publication, "When given the chance to protect women and unborn children in 2015, the Iowa Supreme Court ignored the medical expertise of the Iowa Board of Medicine. Rather, they stood with Planned Parenthood of the Heartland, Iowa's largest abortion chain. These men enabled Planned Parenthood to continue to unleash dangerous webcam abortions across Iowa."

Brent R. Appel oppose retention	Mark S. Cady oppose retention	Daryl L. Hecht oppose retention
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Appellate Court and District Court Judges: QCRTL only has information as to which governor initially appointed them. Name listed with the identity of appointing governor.

Appellate Court: Richard H. Doyle — by liberal Democrat Chet Culver; David R. Danilson — by liberal Democrat Chet Culver; Amanda Potterfield - by liberal Democrat Chet Culver; Gayle Vogel — appointed by Republican Terry Branstad

7th District Court Judges: Mark J. Smith - by Republican Terry Branstad; Stuart Werling — by Republican Terry Branstad; Paul L. Macek - by liberal Democrat Chet Culver; Phillip J. Tabor (Assoc. Judge) - by liberal Democrat Chet Culver