



2026 CANDIDATE SURVEY

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1. Do you support legislation that protects preborn human life from abortion, including prohibiting taxpayer funding, and rejecting abortion as a right in the Delaware State Constitution? (References: SB 317 (2024); HB 110 (2024); SB 301 (2024); SB 232 (2024); HB 31 (2023); HB 400 (2022); SB 251 (2026); SB 252 (2026))

RESPONSE Yes

I fully support a woman's choice, and that choice is weather or not she has sex. Once a woman decides to have sex and she becomes pregnant as a result of that choice, there is another human life that should be protected. I would only support ending a pregnancy in cases of rape, incest, or to save the mother's life.

2. Do you support legislation that holds the abortion industry accountable and liable for medical malpractice, negligence in providing informed consent, and removing the safeguards meant to protect women? (References: SB 252 (2026); HB 31 (2021); HB 400 (2022), HB 320 (2022); SB 301 (2024))

RESPONSE Yes

3. Do you oppose legalized assisted suicide and attempts to expand it? (References: HB 140 (2024))

RESPONSE Yes

4. Do you support amending the Delaware Constitution to explicitly protect the fundamental right of parents to direct the upbringing, education, and care of their children? (References: HB 319 (2022))

RESPONSE Yes

5. Do you support holding medical providers legally accountable and liable for performing experimental, permanent, or irreversible medical interventions on minors that interrupt and pause puberty, introduce cross sex hormones, and amputate body parts? (References: HB 346 (2024); SB 55 (2025))

RESPONSE Yes

I am against the mutilation or removal of body parts, dangerous hormone replacement protocols, or any other sexual grooming of children under the age of 18. These practices are proving to have potentially life long negative physical and emotional effects for the people who are subjected to them.

6. Do you support legislation that protects the fundamental rights of children to know and be known by their biological mother and father, prohibits changing a child's sex on their birth certificate, and protects family biological connection between parents and children? (References: SB 250 (2026); HB 375 (2026))

RESPONSE Yes

7. Do you oppose policies that embed sexually explicit material and comprehensive sexuality frameworks into school libraries and public school curricula, particularly when they conflict with obscenity laws, parental rights, or religious beliefs? (References: HB 199 (2021); SB 97 (2024); HB 119 (2025); SCR 156 (2026))

RESPONSE Yes

8. Do you support legislation that preserves sex-based protections in athletics to ensure fairness, safety, and equal opportunity for female athletes? (References: SB 191 (2024); SB 215 (2026))

RESPONSE Yes

9. Do you support protecting individuals, churches, schools, and faith-based ministries from government penalties when operating according to sincerely held religious beliefs regarding sexuality, marriage, and human life? (References: HB 199 (2021); HB 74 (2023); HB 275 (2024); SB 169 (2021); SB 100 (2025); HB 37 (2025))

RESPONSE Yes

10. Do you support ensuring Delaware law clearly protects free speech, religious expression, and public advocacy — while limiting criminal penalties only to physical violence, threats, or force? (References: HB 272 (2025); SB 300 (2024))

RESPONSE Yes

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE CANDIDATE

I believe in personal accountability, supporting morally sound, healthy, and safe environments for children, and constitutional governance that equally protects all citizens of Delaware.