

Nebraska Right to Life

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Pro-Life Educational Survey 2013 Omaha and Lincoln City Elections

Candidates: Your answers to this survey are for educational purposes only; this is not an endorsement of any candidate.

Pro-life citizens in your county/city are sending this educational survey to local candidates in selected races. Responses of those who reply will be shared with the general public via whatever means of communication the local pro-life activists wish to employ such as social media, email, newsletters or newspaper ads.

1. In its 1973 rulings, Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton, the U.S. Supreme Court created a constitutional “right to abortion” that invalidated the abortion laws in all 50 states giving us a policy of abortion on demand through all nine months of gestation. Under what circumstances, if any, do you believe abortion should be legal?
 - a. In no case. Yes No
 - b. Only to prevent the death of the mother. Yes No
 - c. In cases of incest and rape reported to law enforcement authorities. Yes No
 - d. In cases of fetal deformity. Yes No
 - e. In cases to select the desired sex of the child. Yes No
2. Do you support the reversal of Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton, which would return the issue of abortion to the individual States as a matter of public policy? Yes No
3. Planned Parenthood is the largest provider and promoter of abortion in the U.S. Planned Parenthood of the Heartland has expressed a desire to move into cities outside of Omaha and Lincoln. Would you support efforts to divert tax funds for government programs away from Planned Parenthood and any such organizations that perform, promote, counsel or refer for abortion? Yes No
4. Would you oppose efforts to place restrictions on abortion alternative pregnancy care centers through unnecessary regulations, zoning ordinances or other policies which apply only to these pro-life centers and would disrupt their ability to provide services? Yes No
5. Abortion clinics in Nebraska are largely unregulated. Would you support requiring abortion clinics to meet the same public health standards as other outpatient surgical facilities? Yes No
6. Would you support banning the taxpayer funding and creation of school-based health clinics in public schools that could counsel and refer for abortion without parental consent? Yes No

Note: For Question 7, the term “use” means: “the sale, purchase, research and/or transplantation of.”

7. Would you support banning the “use” of human embryonic stem cells, either multiple frozen embryos created through in vitro fertilization or embryos created for the express purpose of medical research? Yes No

CANDIDATE RESPONSES Key: Y=Yes N=No — No Answer

OMAHA

MAYOR

David Nabity
Jean Stothert
Dan Welch

	1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
Y	—	—	—	—	—	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

See more responses on next page.

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OMAHA

CITY COUNCIL

Dist. 1

Ed Truemper

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Dist. 4

Virgil J. Patlan Sr.

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Dist. 5

Jeff Moore

Rich Pahls

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Y	—	—	—	—	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Dist. 7

Tim Lonergan

Aimee Melton

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

OMAHA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Sub Dist. 5

Lou Ann Goding

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Sub Dist. 7

Andy Allen

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y

Sub Dist. 8

Mark Walenz

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N

Sub Dist. 9

Rebecca Barrientos-Patlan

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

LINCOLN

CITY COUNCIL

Roy Christensen

Norman Dority

Trent Fellers

Mark Whitehead

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

LINCOLN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Dist. 5

Lanny Boswell

1a	1b	1c	1d	1e	2	3	4	5	6	7
N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Candidates not listed did not respond to e-mail or mail request to return survey.

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