# POLK COUNTY CITIZENS DEFENDING REEDOM

# 2024 CANDIDATE INFORMATION FOR BIBLICAL VOTERS



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# **AMENDMENTS**

# AMENDMENT 1:

A **YES** vote changes school board elections from nonpartisan to partisan beginning in the November 2026 general election and for primary elections nominating party candidates for the 2026 election.

# **AMENDMENT 2:**

A <u>YES</u> vote establishes a state constitutional right to hunt and fish.

# AMENDMENT 3:

A **NO** would prevent recreational marijuana being legalized for adults 21 years old and older

# **AMENDMENT 4:**

Amendment 4 would make abortion the only medical procedure that minors could undergo without parental consent, gives abortion clinics a rubber stamp to approve late-term, third trimester abortions and provides ZERO definitions of key words like "government interference", "viability", "health care provider", "patient's health".

ACCORDING to God's moral law, Christians should vote **NO** on this Amendment to protect human life.

# AMENDMENT 5:

A **YES** vote would provide for an annual inflation adjustment for the value of the homestead property tax exemption

# **AMENDMENT 6:**

A **YES** vote would repeal a constitutional provision providing for public campaign financing for candidates who agree to spending limits



# Polk County Commissioner District 1 Candidates:



Henry











1.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	No	*	No	No
2.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida Election process?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
3.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
4.	Do you support providing social services to a non-U.S. citizen?	*	*	No	No
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	*	No	No
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	No	*	Yes	Yes
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	No	*	No	No
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	*	*	Yes	Yes
11.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	No	*	No	No
12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
14.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	No	*	No	No
15.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	Yes	*	Yes	Yes
16.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	No	*	No	No

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# Polk County Commissioner District 5 Candidates:









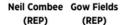




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2.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida Election process?	*	Yes	Yes
3.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	*	Yes	Yes
4.	Do you support providing social services to a non-U.S. citizen?	*	No	No
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	*	No	No
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	*	Yes	Yes
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	*	Yes	Yes
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9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	*	No	No
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	*	Yes	Yes
11.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	*	No	No
12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	*	Yes	Yes
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	*	Yes	Yes
14.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	*	No	No
15.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	*	Yes	Yes
16.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	*	No	No

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# **Property Appraiser Candidates**

1.	Will you require all non-citizen homestead applicants to produce legal form I-9 documents to prove their residency?	Yes	*
2.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida Election process?	Yes	*
3.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	Yes	*
4.	Do you support providing social services to a non-U.S. citizen?	No	*
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	*
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	*
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	Yes	*
8.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	*
9.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	No	*
10.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	Yes	*
11.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	No	*

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# Melony Bell Lori Edwards (REP) (NON)





# **Supervisor of Elections Candidates**

1.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida Election process?	Yes	*
2.	Do you believe there are any vulnerabilities in the electronic equipment used to tabulate voter ballots?	Yes	*
3.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	Yes	*
4.	Do you support legislation that would strengthen voter ID requirements that would disallow unsecure IDs from being used such a neighborhood association ID, student ID. and a credit or debit card that can currently be used to vote?	Yes	*
5.	Do you support measures to increase ballot box security?	Yes	*
6.	Do you support measures to limit mail-in voting to those who are disabled, in the military, or are not physically able to be present on election day?	Yes	*
7.	Do you support measures that would restrict ballot harvesting?	Yes	*
8.	Do you support implementing measures to ensure only U.S. Citizens are voting in our elections?	Yes	*
9.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	*

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"WHEN THE
RIGHTEOUS ARE IN
AUTHORITY, THE
PEOPLE REJOICE;
BUT WHEN A WICKED
MAN RULES, THE
PEOPLE GROAN."

# PROVERBS 29:2





# Christopher Blair Allen Desrochers





# **Public Defender**

1.	Do you believe the parent/guardian is the most important stakeholder in education?	Yes	*
2.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	No	*
3.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	*
4.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	*
5.	Do you believe the right to keep and bear arms should not be infringed?	No	*
6.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	Yes	*
7.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	No	*
8.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	*
9.	Should equal outcomes be the preferred objective over equal opportunity?	No	*
10.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	Yes	*
11.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	No	*
12.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	No	*

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# **Candidate** Questionnaire





Ī	Polk County School Board District 1	William Allen (Incumbent)	Bernnie Brandt
1.	Do you believe the parent/guardian is the most important stakeholder in education?	Yes	*
2.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	No	*
3.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	*
4.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	*
5.	Do you believe the right to keep and bear arms should not be infringed?	Yes	*
6.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	Yes	*
7.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	No	*
8.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	*
9.	Should equal outcomes be the preferred objective over equal opportunity?	No	*
10.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	Yes	*
11.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	No	*
12.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	No	*
13.	Should a book be removed from the school library if it contains obscenity that meets the definition in F.S. 847.001(19)?	Yes	*

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# Travis Ma Keyes Wrig

# Marcus Wright, Jr.





# **Polk County School Board District 2**

1.	Do you believe the parent/guardian is the most important stakeholder in education?	Yes	*
2.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	No	*
3.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	*
4.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	*
5.	Do you believe the right to keep and bear arms should not be infringed?	Yes	*
6.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	Yes	*
7.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	No	*
8.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	*
9.	Should equal outcomes be the preferred objective over equal opportunity?	No	*
10.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	Yes	*
11.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	No	*
12.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	No	*
13.	Should a book be removed from the school library if it contains obscenity that meets the definition in F.S. 847.001(19)?	Yes	*

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# Rebekah Ricks

Sara Beth Wyatt (Incumbent)





# **Polk County School Board District 4**

1.	Do you believe the parent/guardian is the most important stakeholder in education?	Yes	*
2.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	No	*
3.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	*
4.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	*
5.	Do you believe the right to keep and bear arms should not be infringed?	Yes	*
6.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	Yes	*
7.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	No	*
8.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	*
9.	Should equal outcomes be the preferred objective over equal opportunity?	No	*
10.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	Yes	*
11.	Are you in favor of raising taxes?	No	*
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## Jon Albert (REP)

# Jerry Carter (REP)

# Chad Davis (REP)

# John Hill (DEM)

# Debbie Owens (REP)

Amilee Stuckey (REP)

Benny Valentin (REP)

# Florida House of Representatives District 48 Candidates:











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1.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	No	No	*	*	No	No	*
2.	Do you believe every elected official should be required to complete and pass a course on the U.S. Constitution?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
3.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida election process?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
4.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	No	No	*	*	No	No	*
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	No	No	*	*	No	No	*
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
11.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	No	No	*	*	No	No	*
12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
14.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	Yes	Yes	*	*	Yes	Yes	*
15.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	No	No	*	*	No	No	*

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# Florida House of Representatives **District 49 Candidates:**



Jennifer Hermann Kincart Jonsson (REP)

Heather (REP)

Shawn (REP)

Randy McArthur McDonough Wilkinson (REP)











1.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	*	No	No	*	No
2.	Do you believe every elected official should be required to complete and pass a course on the U.S. Constitution?	*	Yes	*	*	Yes
3.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida election process?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
4.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	*	No	No	*	No
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	*	No	No	*	No
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
11.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	*	No	No	*	No
12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
14.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	*	Yes	Yes	*	Yes
15.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	*	Yes	No	*	No

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# Florida House of Representatives District 50 Candidates:

Jennifer Canady (REP) Incumbent Bonnie Patterson-James (DEM)





1.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	*	*
2.	Do you believe every elected official should be required to complete and pass a course on the U.S. Constitution?	*	*
3.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida election process?	*	*
4.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	*	*
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	*	*
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	*	*
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	*	*
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	*	*
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	*	*
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	*	*
11.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	*	*
12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	*	*
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	*	*
14.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	*	*
15.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	*	*

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# Florida House of Representatives District 51 Candidates:

Josie Tomkow (REP) Incumbent





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Hernandez

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2.	Do you believe every elected official should be required to complete and pass a course on the U.S. Constitution?	*	*
3.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida election process?	*	*
4.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	*	*
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	*	*
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	*	*
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	*	*
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	*	*
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	*	*
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	*	*
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12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?	*	*
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	*	*
14.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	*	*
15.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	*	*

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# **U.S. Congress Candidates** Florida's 15th Congressional District

Jennifer Barbosa (REP)



James Judge (RFP)



Laurel

Lee (REP)

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1.	As current legislation states, do you agree that the Florida Department of Health should be able to mandate individual care "by any means necessary" during a declared emergency?	NO	*	
2.	Do you believe every elected official should be required to complete and pass a course on the U.S. Constitution?	YES	YES	*
3.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida election process?			
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5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	NO	NO	*
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	YES	YES	*
7.	Do you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any way under any circumstance?	YES	YES	*
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?	YES	YES	*
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	NO	NO	*
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	YES	YES	*
11.	Do you support Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training?	NO	NO	*
12.	Are you in favor of biological sex as determinant for using bathrooms, participating in sports, etc.?  YES		YES	*
13.	Are you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?	re you in favor of reducing regulations where possible?		*
14.	Are you in favor of passing ordinance/statutes to further protect children in public parks and public facilities?	YES	YES	*
15.	Are you affiliated with a PAC?	NO	NO	*

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# U.S. Congress Candidates Florida's 18th Congressional District



# Scott Franklin (REP) Incumbent









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2.	Do you believe every elected official should be required to complete and pass a course on the U.S. Constitution?	NO	*	*
3.	Do you believe that there are currently vulnerabilities in our Florida election process?	YES	*	*
4.	Are you in favor of strengthening identification requiring proof of U.S. citizenship to cast a ballot in a Florida election?	NO	*	*
5.	Do you believe the United States of America is a fundamentally racist country?	YES	*	*
6.	Do you believe our rights come from God?	NO	*	*
7.	you believe the right to bear arms should not be infringed in any under any circumstance?		*	*
8.	Do you believe life begins at conception and should be equally protected under the law?			*
9.	Do you believe there are more than two genders?	YES	*	*
10.	Do you support continuing the Biblical principles America was founded on?	NO	*	*
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