

Right to Life of Greater Cincinnati, Inc.  
STATE CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE 2012

A candidate's position on life issues is important to pro-life voters. Whether sponsoring legislation, setting policy, or making public statements, the candidates we elect are crucial for promoting the sanctity of life. Please identify your positions on the following issues.

Candidate Name: WES RETHERFORD

Candidate Signature: 

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Position and District Sought: STATE House of Rep 51<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT

Have you previously held any public office? Please specify: NO

The 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decisions in *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton* did more than just "legalize" abortion-on-demand; they prohibited virtually any federal, state or local laws from protecting pre-born children from death by abortion throughout all nine months of pregnancy.

1. Do you support reversal of *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*?

- YES
- NO

Comments:

2. Do you support federal and state legislation to ban abortion-on-demand from fertilization to birth?

- YES
- Yes, with exceptions (please explain)
- NO

Comments: Exceptions should made in case of life or death situations for the mother ~~with respect~~

3. Do you support legislation that prohibits distributing tax money for any reason to organizations that promote or perform abortions?

- YES
- NO

Comments:

4. Do you support medical standards, regulations, and inspection of abortion facilities?

- YES
- NO

Comments:

5. Do you oppose abortion being funded, subsidized, or otherwise promoted in government programs or education?

YES

Comments:

NO

6. Do you oppose any legislation that promotes or encourages healthcare rationing for the elderly and other vulnerable people?

YES

Comments:

NO

7. Do you support conscience protection legislation for healthcare workers who do not want to participate in abortions or other immoral practices?

YES

Comments:

NO

8. Do you support legislation prohibiting the killing of human embryos used for scientific research?

YES

Comments:

NO

9. Do you support legislation prohibiting all cloning of human beings?

YES

Comments:

NO

10. Do you support legislation prohibiting assisted suicide in Ohio?

YES

Comments:

NO



11. Will you vote for leadership in the Ohio House/Senate who upholds pro-life principles?

YES

Comments:

NO

12. List all organizations to which you have contributed time or money in the past four years.

Butler County GOP  
Maine Coops League  
Buckeye Firearms Assoc

NRA

Ohio GOP  
Heritage Foundation

