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Pro-Life U.S. Senator Jim Inhofe Targeted; State Legislature Hangs in the Balance

Longtime pro-life champion U.S. Senator Jim Inhofe is running for reelection this year and is being targeted for defeat by radical pro-abortion groups in Washington. His Democrat opponent in November, following the July 29 Primary Election, is expected to be pro-abortion state Senator Andrew Rice.

All five of Oklahoma's members of the U.S. House of Representatives are also on the ballot this year. The four Republican incumbents all have 100% pro-life voting records: 1st district Congressman John Sullivan, 3rd district Congressman Frank Lucas, 4th district Congressman Tom Cole, and 5th district Congresswoman Mary Fallin. Second district Democratic Congressman Dan Boren has a 67% pro-life voting record during his four years in Congress.

Senator Jim Inhofe has been a steadfast defender of the unborn child and a strong and effective leader in the

corporation commission, appear on pages 4 through 8 of this newsletter.

The surveys (and this entire newsletter) are posted on our Oklahomans For Life website www.OkForLife.org

Senate Key Battleground In Fight for Control of State Legislature

With the state Senate currently split 24-24 between Republicans and Democrats, the stakes are high this election year. Both parties are seeking to win the majority.

Republicans' best hopes for gains are in Stillwater, where pro-life Dr. Jim Halligan, former OSU president, is competing for an open seat long held by Democrats, and in Tulsa, where pro-life Dan Newberry is running for the seat of Republican-turned-Democrat Nancy Riley, who has had a checkered voting record on the abortion issue. On eight key votes on the Senate floor over the past two years, Senator Riley voted pro-abortion four times, voted pro-life three times, and was absent once (when she was the only senator missing). [See our website for votes.]

Pro-life Republican Kenny Sherrill of McAlester is seeking election to replace pro-abortion Democrat Richard Lerblance in Democrat Gene Stipe's former seat.

Democrats are challenging two pro-life Republican incumbents, pro-life Senator Jonathan Nichols in Norman, and pro-life Senator Don Barrington in Lawton. Both Republican senators have 100% pro-life voting records. The Democratic challengers did not answer our survey.

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pro-life effort throughout his public life. Sen. Inhofe has compiled a 100% pro-life voting record through his 22 years in the U.S. House and Senate.

Democrat state Senator Andrew Rice has compiled a pro-abortion voting record in the legislature and last year was one of those actively urging pro-abortion Governor Brad Henry to veto a major pro-life bill that had passed overwhelmingly in the Oklahoma House and Senate.

Candidates Surveyed on Right-to-Life Issue

We sent questionnaires about pro-life legislation to candidates in the July 29 Primary Election. The questions and responses from federal candidates appear on page 3.

A different set of questions, and the responses of candidates for the Oklahoma state legislature and for the

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Legislature Enacts Major Pro-Life Law Over Governor's Veto

A bill to help protect women, unborn children, health care professionals, and individuals with disabilities was voted into law by the Oklahoma legislature April 17. Supporters of SB 1878, led by the authors, Senator Todd Lamb and Representative Pam Peterson, overcame Governor Brad Henry's veto of the pro-life legislation, the first time in 14 years that a veto had been overridden by the Oklahoma legislature. The law has five parts:

1) It protects health care professionals' freedom of conscience by upholding their right to refuse to participate in the taking of an innocent human life. The preeminent principle of medical ethics is, "*First, do no harm.*" Society must protect health care professionals' right to refuse to be involved in the destruction of an innocent human life. "*Freedom of choice for one person must never force on another the obligation to be complicit in the killing.*"

2) It ensures that RU-486, the chemical abortion pill, is used in accordance with federal Food and Drug Administration guidelines. RU-486 is used by abortionists to cause the deaths of unborn children who are approximately five to nine weeks old. The deaths of several mothers following RU-486 abortions have caused concern about the ways in which some abortion practitioners use the drugs.

3) It ensures that a mother's consent to an abortion is truly voluntary, and safeguards against coerced abortions. Many women, of all ages, are pressured to have abortions. Boyfriends are the chief offender, though not the only one. A desire to evade responsibility for child support is a frequent motive. And threats, tragically, often turn violent if the woman follows her maternal instincts and refuses to abort the baby: *among pregnant women in the United States, a leading cause of death is murder.*

4) It provides a woman an ultrasound of her unborn child which she may view prior to an abortion. For the baby, it is the last line of defense. For the mother, the ultrasound provides the benefit of crucial information prior to an act that is irrevocable. *Someday, she will see an ultrasound* – on television,

on a magazine cover, on a friend's refrigerator. This bill allows her to see it when it can still influence her life-or-death decision.

When former Rep. Kevin Calvey authored an ultrasound law in 2006, he got an email from a woman who told him that, 17 years earlier, she had gone to a clinic to get an abortion. The doctor was using ultrasound as he got ready to begin the abortion, but he inadvertently turned the screen at an angle where she was able to view it. She saw that, unbeknownst to her, she was pregnant with twins. She told the doctor to stop, got up off the table, and left the clinic, never to return. She wanted Rep. Calvey to know that she was very thankful for her 16-year-old twins.

5) It fosters respect for babies with disabilities by disallowing wrongful-life lawsuits that claim *life* is a "wrong" for a baby with a disability – and that a less-than-perfect baby would have been better off being aborted. Such cases severely undermine society's respect for persons with disabilities, and promote the specter of eugenic abortions. The pressure in our culture for "quality control" carries over for some to their attitude about babies, and has had a corrosive effect on our society's respect for the sanctity of human life. Doctors are put under tremendous pressure by the coercive effect of malpractice lawsuits to abandon their life-affirming values and, instead, participate in what former U.S. Surgeon General C. Everett Koop, MD, described as "search and destroy missions."

Not the medical profession, nor the court system, nor society at large should be accomplices in a program of selectively eliminating (killing) those unborn children who don't measure up to some arbitrary standard of perfection.

Oklahoma is the first state to ensure that each woman planning an abortion be provided an ultrasound, so that she might make a truly informed decision.

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Federal Candidate Survey

In anticipation of the Primary Election on Tuesday, July 29, Oklahomans For Life/National Right to Life asked the twelve questions below of candidates for the U.S. Senate and U.S. House of Representatives. The initial after a candidate's name represents party affiliation (Republican, Democrat, or Independent). On the first eleven questions, a "yes" answer indicates agreement with the position of Oklahomans For Life. On question 12, the answer "A," "B," or "C" is shown, as indicated by the candidate.

1) In its 1973 rulings in *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*, the U.S. Supreme Court created a "right to abortion" for any reason until "viability" and for any "health" reasons – including "emotional" health – even during the final three months of pregnancy. Do you support the reversal of the *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton* decisions, so that elected legislative bodies may once again protect unborn children by limiting or prohibiting abortion?

2) Would you support federal legislation, such as the Ultrasound Informed Consent Act, to require that before an abortion is performed, the abortionist must perform an ultrasound and display the ultrasound images for the mother, so that she may view the images?

3) The right to life of human beings must be respected at every stage of their biological development. Human individuals who are at the embryonic stage of development should not be used for harmful or lethal medical experimentation. This applies equally to human beings whether their lives were begun by *in vitro* fertilization, by somatic cell nuclear transfer (human cloning), or by some other laboratory technique. We oppose harvesting "stem cells" from living human embryos, since this kills the embryos. (We are NOT opposed to other research on stem cells that are obtained without killing embryos, e.g., stem cells from umbilical cord blood and adult tissue.) Will you vote for measures to protect living human embryos from being used for medical experiments that would harm or kill them, including so-called embryonic stem cell research that would require the killing of human embryos, regardless of the method used to create these human embryos?

4) Human cloning (somatic cell nuclear transfer) is a process in which genetic material from one person is artificially transferred into a human or animal egg cell, thereby beginning the life of a new human individual who has only one parent and who is genetically nearly identical to that parent. We believe human life at every stage of biological development is deserving of respect and protection regardless of the circumstances under which that human life was created. It has been proposed to create human life through cloning for the purpose of destructive experiments on those humans, resulting in their deaths, a process sometimes referred to as "therapeutic cloning." Would you support a legal prohibition on all human cloning (i.e., the creation of human embryos by cloning)?

5) Would you vote for the current Hyde Amendment policy (restricting federal Medicaid funding of abortions) without weakening amendments?

6) Title X ("Title 10") of the Public Health Service Act provides more than \$300 million annually for grants to state and private entities for "family planning" programs. Although federal law does not permit such funds to be used directly for abortions, large amounts of Title X funds go to organizations (such as Planned Parenthood) that operate abortion clinics. Would you support legislation to make organizations that operate abortion clinics (not bona fide hospitals) ineligible for Title X funding?

7) Would you vote against any attempt to weaken or overturn the pro-life Mexico City Policy, under which, in order to be eligible for U.S. population-control funds, a private overseas organization must agree not to perform abortions (except to save the life of the mother, or in cases of rape or incest) or to "actively promote abortion as a method of family planning"?

8) Would you vote for the Child Interstate Abortion Notification Act (which prohibits the circumventing of state parental-notification or consent laws by making it a federal offense to transport a minor across state lines for a secret abortion) and would you oppose weakening amendments?

9) Across the nation, pro-abortion officials and advocacy groups have sought to use the compulsory powers of government to compel health-care providers to participate in abortion. The Abortion Non-Discrimination Act would prohibit state and local governments from discriminating against

any health care professional, hospital, HMO, insurance plan, or other "health care entity" because of that provider's decision not to perform, cover, or pay for induced abortions. Would you vote for the Abortion Non-Discrimination Act and oppose weakening amendments?

10) Some hospitals have implemented formal policies authorizing denial of lifesaving medical treatment against the will of a patient or the patient's family if an ethics committee thinks the patient's quality of life is unacceptable, even though the patient and family disagree. The federal Patient Self-Determination Act currently requires health care facilities receiving Medicare or Medicaid to ask patients on admission whether they have an advance directive indicating their desire to receive or refuse life-saving treatment under certain circumstances. Would you support preventing involuntary denial of lifesaving medical treatment by amending the Patient Self-Determination Act to provide that if failure to comply with a patient's or surrogate's choice for life-saving treatment would in reasonable medical judgment be likely to result in or hasten the patient's death, a health care provider unwilling to respect the choice for life-saving treatment must allow the patient to be transferred to a willing provider and must provide the treatment pending transfer?

11) Would you vote against any bill that imposes price controls or otherwise limits the right of older Americans who choose to do so to add their own funds on top of the government contribution in order to obtain Medicare health insurance that is less likely to ration medical treatment and prescription drugs?

12) The National Right to Life Committee (NRLC) believes that unborn children should be protected by law, and that abortion should be permitted only when necessary to prevent the death of the mother. Under what circumstances, if any, do you believe that abortion should be legal?
 A – Only to prevent the death of the mother (the NRLC position).
 B – To prevent the mother's death, in cases of incest committed against a minor, and in reported cases of forcible rape.
 C – Other

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Question numbers 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

United States Senate

Jim Inhofe	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	B
Dennis Lopez	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	- C
Evelyn L. Rogers	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	A
Ted Ryals	R	Survey not returned to us													
Andrew Rice	D	Survey not returned to us													
Jim Rogers	D	Survey not returned to us													
Stephen P. Wallace	I	Survey not returned to us													

United States House of Representatives

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

John Sullivan	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	A
*Fran Mo-ghaddam	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	no	no	A			
Georgianna W. Oliver	D	Survey not returned to us														
Mark Manley	D	Survey not returned to us														

SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Dan Boren	D	no	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	A
Kevin Coleman	D	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	B
Raymond J. Wickson	R	Survey not returned to us														

THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Frank D. Lucas	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	B
*Frankie Robbins	D	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	B
Forrest Michael	I	Survey not returned to us														

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Tom Cole	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	A
Blake Cummings	D	yes	yes	-	no	yes	no	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	B		
*David E. Joyce	I	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	B

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

Mary Fallin	R	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	A
Steven L. Perry	D	Survey not returned to us														
Bert Smith	D	Survey not returned to us														

State Candidate Survey

In anticipation of the Primary Election on Tuesday, July 29, Oklahomans For Life asked the twelve questions below of candidates for the Corporation Commission and for the Oklahoma State Senate and the Oklahoma State House of Representatives. The most important question is No. 1, and the candidate's answer to that question is written in capital letters. (We asked Corporation Commission candidates, who could not literally "vote for" these measures, to indicate whether they "support" them.) For House and Senate races, the counties or partial counties (marked by an asterisk) in the district are indicated after the district number. The initial after a candidate's name represents party affiliation (Republican, Democrat, or Independent). On each question, a "yes" answer indicates agreement with the position of Oklahomans For Life.

- 1) Upon reversal of the U.S. Supreme Court's Roe v. Wade decision, will you vote for a law that would protect the lives of unborn children and prohibit abortion except to prevent the death of the mother?
- 2) If efforts to enact such a law failed, will you vote for a law that would prohibit abortion except when necessary to prevent the death of the mother, or when the pregnancy is the result of forcible rape (reported to law enforcement authorities within seven days), or when the pregnancy resulted from an act of incest committed against a minor (with the perpetrator reported to law enforcement authorities)?
- 3) Will you vote for a law to prohibit sex-selection abortions?
- 4) Will you vote for a comprehensive abortion-reporting law that would provide an understanding of the prevalence of abortion in Oklahoma, the reasons abortions are sought, the complications that result, and that would monitor, and ensure compliance with, our existing abortion statutes?
- 5) The right to life of human beings must be respected at every stage of their biological development. Nevertheless, some have proposed taking living human embryos from in vitro fertilization clinics and harvesting their stem cells, thereby killing these embryonic human beings. While we support research on stem cells obtained without killing human embryos – e.g. stem cells harvested from umbilical-cord blood or from adult tissue – we oppose killing embryonic human beings. Would you vote for a law to protect living human embryos from being used for medical experiments that harm or kill them, including so-called "embryonic stem-cell research" that would require the killing of human embryos?
- 6) Some researchers have proposed creating human life through cloning, a process wherein genetic material would be artificially transferred into an egg cell from which the nuclear material has been removed, thereby beginning the life of a new human individual. Cloning is being promoted in order to perform destructive experiments on embryonic human beings, which would cause their deaths, or to scavenge cloned humans' bodies for cells, tissue, and organs, resulting in their deaths. Would you vote for a law to prohibit all use of cloning to create any human beings, including human embryos?
- 7) Would you oppose the establishing or funding of school-based "health" clinics, unless they are explicitly prohibited from doing abortion counseling or making abortion referrals or referring students to any other entity which counsels for, refers for, or performs abortions?
- 8) There is currently an aggressive drive underway to legalize euthanasia and assisted suicide across the United States. Causing the starvation or dehydration deaths of persons with disabilities and of incompetent patients who are deemed to be a burden on others or to have a diminished "quality of life" is the euthanasia movement's interim goal while they seek eventual public acceptance of killing by lethal injection or by lethal overdose of controlled substances/dangerous drugs. Oklahoma's Hydration and Nutrition for Incompetent Patients Act protects incompetent persons who have not directed that they be deprived of food and water so they will not be victims of death by starvation or dehydration. Will you oppose any attempt to repeal or weaken this protective law?
- 9) Oklahoma law protects against the involuntary denial of life-saving medical treatment by requiring that if a health-care provider's refusal to comply with a decision made by or on behalf of a patient to receive life-saving medical treatment would, in reasonable medical judgment, be likely to result in the patient's death, then the health-care provider must provide

the life-saving treatment pending transfer of the patient to a willing provider. Will you oppose any attempt to repeal or weaken this protective law?

- 10) Will you oppose the legalization of lethal prescriptions or lethal injections to intentionally kill an innocent person or to "assist" someone in committing suicide ("active euthanasia")?
- 11) Oklahoma's advance directive (living will) law recognizes the particular importance of food and water. In order to ensure truly informed consent, our law requires a separately-initialed paragraph in an advance directive in order for artificial administration of food and water to be rejected. Some proposals have been made that would, instead, combine food and water with "medical treatment" such as respirators or surgery, so that choosing to forego life-sustaining medical treatment would be assumed to mean the individual wanted to die by starvation and dehydration. In order to avoid confusion and protect individuals who expect to die from their underlying illness or injury, not from starvation or dehydration, will you vote against any bill that would repeal or weaken the existing requirement for a separately-initialed provision in an advance directive to indicate the rejection of food and water?
- 12) Will you vote for a bill to establish an advance directive (living will) registry on the Department of Health website so that a patient's instructions could be more easily accessed by a health-care provider?

Oklahoma Statewide Candidates

Question numbers 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

CORPORATION COMMISSIONER (FULL TERM)

Jeff Cloud R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Charles Gray D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

CORPORATION COMMISSIONER (SHORT TERM)

Rob Johnson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Dana Murphy R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Jim Roth D Survey not returned to us

Oklahoma State Senate Candidates

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Question numbers 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

DISTRICT 1 - *Craig, Delaware, Ottawa

Charles Wyrick D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 3 - Adair, Cherokee, *Sequoyah

Jim Wilson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 5 - *Atoka, Choctaw, McCurtain, Pushmataha

Patrick K. Miller R Survey not returned to us
Jerry Ellis D YES yes yes - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Steve Young D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 7 - Haskell, Latimer, Pittsburg, *Sequoyah

Kenny Sherrill R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes -
Richard C. Lerblance D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 9 - Muskogee, *Wagoner

Earl Garrison D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 11 - *Osage, *Tulsa

Judy Eason McIntyre D Survey not returned to us
Prophet-Kelly L. D Survey not returned to us
Clark, Sr.

DISTRICT 13 - *Coal, *Garvin, Hughes, Pontotoc

Susan Paddock D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 15 - *Cleveland, *McClain

Jonathan Nichols R - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Diane M. Drum D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 17 – *Cleveland, *Oklahoma, *Pottawatomie
 Donald Rominger, Jr R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Charlie Laster D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 19 – *Garfield, *Kingfisher, *Logan
 Patrick Anderson R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 21 – *Lincoln, *Logan, *Pavne
 Jim Halligan R - yes yes yes yes - yes yes yes yes
 Bob Murphy D Survey not returned to us
 Gregory M Wilson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 23 – *Blaine, *Caddo, *Canadian, *Grady
 Ron Justice R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 25- *Tulsa
 Mike Mazzei R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 27 – Beaver, *Blaine, Cimarron, Harper, Major, Texas, Woods, Woodward
 Bryce Marlatt R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Kevin Evans R Survey not returned to us
 Bowdy E Peach D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 29 – *Craig, Nowata, Washington
 John Ford R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 31 – *Comanche, Cotton, *Grady, Jefferson, *Stephens
 Don Barrington R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Keith Erwin D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 33 – *Tulsa
 Gary A. Casey R Survey not returned to us
 Tom Adelson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 35 – *Tulsa
 Gary Stanislawski R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Jeff Applekamp R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Cason Carter R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Janet K. Sullivan R YES - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Keith Eisenberger R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 37 - *Tulsa
 Dan Newberry R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 *Jan Megee R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Nancy C. Riley D NO yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 39 – *Tulsa
 Brian A. Crain R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 41 – *Logan, *Oklahoma
 Clark Jolley R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 David Taylor D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 43 – *Cleveland, *Oklahoma
 Jim Reynolds R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 *David Boren D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 45 – *Canadian, *Cleveland, *Oklahoma
 Steve Russell R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Kyle D. Loveless R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Melinda Daugherty R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Marty Gormley R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes -
 Jerry W Foshee R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 47 – *Oklahoma
 Todd Lamb R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

Oklahoma State House of Representatives Candidates

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Question numbers 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

DISTRICT 1 - *McCurtain
 Rusty Farley R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Dennis R. Bailey D - yes yes - yes yes - yes yes - -
 Hank Austin D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 2 - *Sequovah
 Lawrence J. Mann R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes -
 Glen Bud Smithson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 3 - *LeFlore
 Neil Brannon D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 4 - *Cherokee
 Mike Brown D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 5 - *Delaware, *Maves
 Doug Cox R Survey not returned to us
 *Kelly Kerr D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 6 – Craig, *Maves, *Rogers
 Chuck Hoskin D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 7 - *Delaware, Ottawa
 Larry Glenn D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 8 - *Maves, *Rogers, *Wagoner
 Ben Sherrer D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 9 - *Rogers
 Tad M. Jones R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Bill Snyder D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 10 – Nowata, *Osage, *Washington
 Steve Martin R - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Eric Epperson D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 11 - *Tulsa, *Washington
 Earl Sears R YES yes yes - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 12 - *Rogers, *Wagoner
 Wade Rousselot D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 13 - *Muskogee, *Wagoner
 Debbie Lienhart R Survey not returned to us
 Jerry McPeak D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 14 - *Cherokee, *Muskogee
 George Faught R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 Eugene Blankenship D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 15 - *Haskell, *LeFlore, *McIntosh, *Muskogee, *Sequovah
 Ed Cannaday D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 16 - *Muskogee, *Okmulgee, *Wagoner
 Jerry Shoemake D - - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
 James Bo Delso D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 17 - *Haskell, Latimer, *LeFlore, *Pittsburg
 Brian Renegar D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 18 - *McIntosh, *Pittsburg
 Terry Harrison, Jr D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 19 – Choctaw, *LeFlore, *McCurtain, Pushmataha
 R.C. Pruett D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 20 – Atoka, *Brvan, Coal, Johnston, *Pontotoc
 Paul D. Roan D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 21 - *Brvan
 John Wayne Carey D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 22 - *Cleveland, *Garvin, *McClain, Murray, *Pontotoc
 Wes Hilliard D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 23 - *Tulsa

Sue Tibbs R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Pamela Ashby D Survey not returned to us
Connie Dodson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 24 - *Creek, *Hughes, *Okfuskee, *Okmulgee

Steve Kouplen D Survey not returned to us
Kathi Mask D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 25 - *Hughes, *McClain, *Pontotoc, *Pottawatomie

Todd Thomsen R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Gary Starns D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Darrell E. Nemecek D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 26 - *Pottawatomie

Kris Steele R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 27 - *Cleveland, *Pottawatomie

Shane Jett R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Cole Koszara D YES yes yes no yes no yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 28 - *Lincoln, *Okfuskee, *Pottawatomie, Seminole

Ronald G. Sheppard R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Ryan Dean Kiesel D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 29 - *Creek, *Tulsa

Skye McNiel R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 30 - *Creek, *Tulsa

Mark E. McCullough R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Joe Crowder D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 31 - *Logan, *Oklahoma

Jason W. Murphey R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Jennifer Sherrill D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 32 - *Creek, *Lincoln

Danny Morgan D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 33 - *Logan, *Pavne

Lee R. Denney R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Mike Pierson D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 34 - *Pavne

Aaron Carlson R YES yes yes yes yes - yes yes yes yes
Ruth Anne Kennedy D Survey not returned to us
Cory T. Williams D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 35 - *Noble, *Osage, Pawnee, *Pavne

Rex Duncan R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Rodger Ensign D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 36 - *Osage, *Tulsa

Kevin Sean Roberts R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Eddie Fields R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Haskell Garrett R NO yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Scott N. BigHorse D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 37 - *Kav, *Osage

Brent Colle R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Ken Luttrell D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 38 - *Garfield, *Grant, *Kav, *Noble, *Osage

Dale R. DeWitt R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 39 - *Oklahoma

Marian Cooksey R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Graham Guhl D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Richard Prawdzienski I Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 40 - *Garfield

Mike Jackson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Pierce Jones D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 41 - *Canadian, *Garfield, *Kingfisher, *Oklahoma

John Enns R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Dwain Jindra R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Scott Cooper I NO yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 42 - *Cleveland, *Garvin, *Grady, *McClain

Lisa J. Billy R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Brad Perry D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Richard Smalley D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 43 - *Canadian

Colby Schwartz R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 44 - *Cleveland

Tod J. Barrett R Survey not returned to us
Bill Nations D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 45 - *Cleveland

Aaron Stiles R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
David Hopper R YES yes yes - - yes yes yes yes yes yes
Ron Hendersen R Survey not returned to us
Les White R Survey not returned to us
Wallace Collins D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 46 - *Cleveland, *McClain

Scott Martin R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Miranda Norman D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 47 - *Canadian, *Grady

Leslie Osborn R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
John Paul Jordan R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Jane McNeff R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Harold Jackson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 48 - *Carter

Pat Ownbey R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Matt Cunningham R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
John L. Moore D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes no yes no

DISTRICT 49 - *Carter, Love, Marshall

Sean Oliver R Survey not returned to us
Terry M. Hyman D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 50 - *Comanche, *Cotton, *Stephens

Dennis Johnson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Daisy Lawler D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 51 - *Cotton, *Grady, Jefferson, *McClain, *Stephens

Corey Holland R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Tommy Cosgrove D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 52 - *Greer, Jackson, *Kiowa

Charles L. Ortega R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Dan McMahan D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 53 - *Cleveland

Randy Terrill R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Curtis Bruehl R Survey not returned to us
Troy Green D Survey not returned to us
Charles Barnes D YES yes yes yes - yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 54 - *Cleveland

Paul Wesselhoft R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Dustin McGowen R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 55 - *Caddo, *Canadian, *Kiowa, Washita

Ryan McMullen D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 56 - *Caddo, *Canadian, *Grady

Phil Richardson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 57 - *Blaine, *Canadian, Custer

Lynn Norman R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Warren Goldmann R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Lyle Miller R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Harold Wright R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Perry Adams D Survey not returned to us
Jared Deck D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 58 - Alfalfa, *Grant, *Major, Woods, *Woodward

Jeff Hickman R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 59 - *Blaine*Canadian,Dewey*Kingfisher,*Major, *Woodward

Tim R. Riddle R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Mike Sanders R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Chris Cameron R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes -
Donald Edward Russell D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 60 – Beckham,*Ellis,*Greer, Harmon, Roger Mills

Dan Gambill R - - yes yes yes yes - - - -
Purcy D. Walker D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 61 – Beaver, Cimarron,*Ellis, Harper, Texas,*Woodward

Gus Blackwell R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Jordan Shearer D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 62 - *Comanche

T.W. Shannon R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Randy Warren D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 63 - *Comanche, Tillman

Don Armes R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 64 - *Comanche

Ann Coody R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 65 - *Caddo,*Comanche,*Grady

Joe Dorman D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 66 - *Tulsa

Jay K. Ramey R YES yes yes no - - yes yes yes no yes no
Lucky Lamons D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 67 - *Tulsa

Pam Peterson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Sebastian Lantos D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 68 - *Creek,*Tulsa

Chris Benge R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Brian Jackson R Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 69 - *Tulsa

Fred Jordan R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 70 - *Tulsa

Ron Peters R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 71 - *Tulsa

Daniel S. Sullivan R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
George Bullock D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 72 - *Tulsa

Christie Breedlove D Survey not returned to us
John Slater D Survey not returned to us
Elvarez Allen D Survey not returned to us
Seneca Scott D Survey not returned to us
Monroe Nichols IV D Survey not returned to us
Lawrence Kirkpatrick I Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 73 - *Osage,*Tulsa

Jabar Shumate D Survey not returned to us
Kevin Matthews D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 74 - *Rogers,*Tulsa

David Derby R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Bob Batterbee R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
*Robert Jerome R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 75 - *Tulsa

Dan Kirby R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Dennis K. McIntire R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Greg Chapman R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes no yes yes

DISTRICT 76 - *Tulsa

John A. Wright R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 77 - *Rogers,*Tulsa

Eric Proctor D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 78 - *Tulsa

Jay Matlock R YES yes yes - yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Jeannie McDaniel D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 79 - *Tulsa

Weldon Watson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Chad Hawkins D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 80 - *Tulsa

Mike Ritze R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Maryanne Flippo R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 81 - *Oklahoma

Ken Miller R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes -

DISTRICT 82 - *Oklahoma

Guy Liebmann R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Jane Anderson D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 83 - *Oklahoma

Randy McDaniel R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Edward K Holzberger D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 84 - *Oklahoma

Sally Kern R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Ron Marlett D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 85 - *Oklahoma

David Dank R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Chris Oliver R Survey not returned to us
Bart Jay Robey D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 86 - Adair,*Cherokee,*Delaware

John Auffet D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 87 - *Oklahoma

Jason Nelson R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Andrew Winningham R YES yes yes yes yes yes no yes no
Dana Orwig D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 88 - *Oklahoma

Al McAffrey D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 89 - *Oklahoma

Rebecca Hamilton D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 90 - *Oklahoma

Charles Key R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Linda James D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 91 - *Cleveland,*Oklahoma

Mike Reynolds R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
*Jon Echols R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 92 - *Oklahoma

Richard Daniel D Survey not returned to us
Morrissette

DISTRICT 93 - *Oklahoma

Mike Christian R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
David Castillo D Survey not returned to us
Wil Rivera D Survey not returned to us
Jack Cherry I Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 94 - *Oklahoma

Kyle E. Coulter R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Scott Inman D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

DISTRICT 95 - *Oklahoma

Charlie Joyner R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Lee Roy Tucker D YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Michael A. Walker D Survey not returned to us

DISTRICT 96 - *Oklahoma

Mike Idleman R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
*Lewis H. Moore R YES yes yes yes yes yes yes yes yes
Dianne Hunter D Survey not returned to us
Jon-Paul Ammirata D Survey not returned to us

Pro-Life John McCain vs. Pro-Abortion Barack Obama In Presidential Race

U.S. Senator John McCain has compiled a strong pro-life voting record during his long and distinguished career in Congress. He has consistently opposed abortion on scores of roll-call votes through his decades of service.

Senator Barack Obama, by contrast, has compiled a pro-abortion voting record during his years in public life. He voted against legislation prohibiting taxpayer funds from being used to pay for abortions. He voted to block a bill that would have required an abortionist to notify one parent before performing an abortion on a minor girl from another state. He voted against a bill that would have provided protection for babies who survive abortions.

Barack Obama has pledged absolute support for abortion: "I have consistently advocated for reproductive choice and will make preserving women's rights under *Roe v. Wade* a priority as President."

DISTRICT 97 - *Oklahoma

Joe Lott	R	Survey not returned to us
Mike Shelton	D	Survey not returned to us
Lorenzo Allen	D	Survey not returned to us
Thompson, Sr.		

DISTRICT 98 - *Tulsa, *Wagoner

John Trebilcock	R	YES	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
John P. Newhouse	R	YES	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
Greg Frederick	D	Survey not returned to us																		

DISTRICT 99 - *Oklahoma

Willard Linzy	R	Survey not returned to us																		
Anastasia A. Pittman	D	Survey not returned to us																		
*Jeremiah Elix	D	-	-	yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes

DISTRICT 100 - *Oklahoma

Mike Thompson	R	YES	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
James Baggett	D	Survey not returned to us																		

DISTRICT 101 - *Cleveland, *Oklahoma

Gary Banz	R	YES	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes
Jerry L. Nowell	R	Survey not returned to us																		
Donnie Lewis	D	Survey not returned to us																		

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