



# My Voter Information

## 2022 Legislative Elections, Minnesota House District 54A

My Voter Information researches local candidates' backgrounds, statements, and votes on key legislative issues and then provides that information to voters like you—so you can make an informed choice on Election Day. Below is information about your local candidates and their positions on important issues.

Issue	Erik Mortensen (R)	Brad Tabke (D)
<b>Gun Safety</b>	<p>Erik Mortensen supports allowing individuals to carry firearms without having to first undergo criminal background checks or basic weapons training. Additionally, he drafted legislation inspired by a Florida law that allowed the killer of an unarmed teenager to walk free.</p> <p>Source: Facebook, Rep. Erik Mortensen, 6/23/22; Erik Mortensen at Online Townhall, 1/13/21</p>	<p>Brad Tabke helped pass expanded background checks and red flag laws to keep guns out of the hands of violent criminals. Tabke also passed legislation to provide local police departments with bulletproof vests and safety equipment.</p> <p>Source: <a href="https://tabkeformn.com/issues/">https://tabkeformn.com/issues/</a></p>
<b>Women's Health</b>	<p>Erik Mortensen supports outlawing abortion and certain types of birth control and celebrated the Supreme Court ruling that overturned Roe v. Wade.</p> <p>Source: Facebook, Rep. Erik Mortensen, 1/22/20, 5/2/22</p>	<p>Brad Tabke is pro-choice. Tabke opposes efforts to criminalize abortion and birth control in Minnesota.</p> <p>Source: <a href="https://tabkeformn.com/issues/">https://tabkeformn.com/issues/</a></p>
<b>Elections</b>	<p>Erik Mortensen attended an event hosted by an election conspiracy theorist, signed a letter calling for Minnesota's 2020 election results to be overturned, and voted against a resolution that voiced support for free, fair, and democratic elections.</p> <p>Source: Facebook, Rep. Erik Mortensen, 8/10/21; Bring Me the News, 1/26/21</p>	<p>Brad Tabke says he wants to secure voting rights for all Minnesotans and advocates for additional government transparency.</p> <p>Source: <a href="https://tabkeformn.com/issues/">https://tabkeformn.com/issues/</a> and <a href="https://twitter.com/BradTabke">https://twitter.com/BradTabke</a></p>

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