



Legislative Issue Guide

Michigan 2022 ♦ House District 48

Below is a summary of your local candidates' positions on key issues that may be decided by the next legislature. We hope this guide helps you make an informed choice this election season.

1. Clean Water

Do the candidates support efforts to ensure clean water?

Jennifer Conlin (D)

Y

Jennifer Conlin will work to ensure access to safe, clean drinking water.

Source: <https://www.conlinforstaterep.com/environment>

Jason Woolford (R)

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Jason Woolford is backed by the party bosses who want to loosen regulations on polluters, allowing them to dump more toxic waste into our rivers and lakes.

Source: Michigan House Republicans, Members; Michigan Senate Republicans; Bridge Michigan, 4/27/22; Sierra Club, 5/5/22; Michigan LCV, HB 4443-4444, 2020-2021, 4/27/21

2. Public Schools

Do the candidates support our public schools and teachers?

Jennifer Conlin (D)

Y

Jennifer Conlin believes every child in the state should have access to a quality education. She'll fight to get more funding to help reduce class sizes.

Source: <https://www.conlinforstaterep.com/education>

Jason Woolford (R)

N

Jason Woolford is supported by the DeVos family and far-right school privatization groups. He supports taking taxpayer dollars that our public schools need and giving them to for-profit private schools.

Source: Jason Woolford for State Representative website; Michigan Campaign Finance Network, 2/21/19; Michigan Advance, 3/16/22; The Gander, 6/9/22

3. Women's Healthcare

Do the candidates support access to women's healthcare?

Jennifer Conlin (D)

Y

Jennifer Conlin will fight for reproductive freedom. She believes abortion should be a state-guaranteed right.

Source: Twitter @VoteChoice

Jason Woolford (R)

N

Jason Woolford applauded the Supreme Court's decision to overturn Roe v. Wade. Woolford would ban abortion even if a woman is the victim of rape or incest.

Source: Right to Life of Michigan; Michigan Department of State; Bridge Michigan, 6/7/22; Right to Life of Michigan, 6/24/22; Governor Gretchen Whitmer, 6/24/22

This guide is not an endorsement of either candidate. Different positions will appeal to different voters, but an informed electorate is important to all of us. Visit MyVoterInformation.org for voting information and please be sure to vote!