



# Legislative Issue Guide

## Pennsylvania 2022 ♦ House District 144

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. Women's Health

#### *Do the candidates support access to women's healthcare?*

##### **Brian Munroe (D)**

**Y**

Brian Munroe will stand up for women's right to make their own decisions.

Source: <https://munroeforpa.com/issues/>

##### **F. Todd Polinchock (R)**

**N**

Todd Polinchock has consistently voted for restrictions on women's health care. He even voted against protecting access to abortion even in cases of rape and incest.

Source: SB106, 7/8/2022; HB1095 6/8/2021; Spotlight PA, 7/8/22, WHYY, 7/9/22

### 2. Elections

#### *Do the candidates support our election system and voters' rights?*

##### **Brian Munroe (D)**

**Y**

Brian Munroe will fight to protect every person's right to vote. He can be counted on to protect taxpayer dollars from conspiracy theories.

Source: <https://munroeforpa.com/issues/>

##### **F. Todd Polinchock (R)**

**N**

Todd Polinchock voted to make it easier to have our votes thrown out, and he even voted against making sure that people who stormed the Capitol are not allowed to hold public office.

Source: WITF, 2/15/22; HB2044, 12/13/2021; HB2044, 11/17/21; HB71, 12/14/21; Newsweek.com, 12/4/20

### 3. Public Schools

#### *Do the candidates support our public schools?*

##### **Brian Munroe (D)**

**Y**

Brian Munroe will fight to help lower property taxes while fully funding our schools. He also knows we need to support vocational/technical schools that train students in high-demand fields.

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##### **F. Todd Polinchock (R)**

**N**

Todd Polinchock has voted to drain over \$15 million from local public schools to fund unregulated religious and private schools.

Source: HB800, 5/7/19; HB1642, 10/5/21; HB355, 6/11/19; HB357, 6/11/19; HB358, 6/11/19; HB357, 6/12/19; HB1800, 11/20/19; HB1800 11/20/19; HB2169, 4/27/22; HCR0001, 4/27/22; Penn. Dept. of Education Data, 2020-21; Facebook, PA State Rep. Todd Polinchock, 10/18/21

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](http://MyVoterInformation.org) for voting information and please be sure to vote!