



Legislative Issue Guide

Pennsylvania 2022 ♦ House District 33

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?

Mandy Steele (D)

Y

Mandy Steele believes that women should be able to make decisions about their bodies.

Source: <https://steeleforpa.com/about-us/issues/>

Theodore Tomson (R)

N

Theodore Tomson would ban abortion even in cases of rape and incest.

Source: LifePAC Southwestern Pennsylvania, accessed 9/19/22

2. Taxes

Can we trust the candidates with our tax dollars?

Mandy Steele (D)

Y

As Fox Chapel Councilor, Mandy Steele voted to hold tax rates flat two years in a row and pushed through investments in solar energy that will save taxpayers' dollars.

Source: Apple Podcasts, Just a Couple Kids, 2/28/22

Theodore Tomson (R)

N

Theodore Tomson had multiple tax liens placed on his businesses for unpaid taxes. Tomson repeatedly sued to get out of paying the taxes his business owed.

Source: Personal Financial Disclosure, 2021; PA Department of State, accessed 9/15/22; Allegheny County Department of Court Records, accessed 9/15/22

3. Public Schools

Do the candidates support our public schools?

Mandy Steele (D)

Y

Mandy Steele will fight to fully fund our schools and work to expand job training programs.

Source: <https://steeleforpa.com/about-us/issues/>

Theodore Tomson (R)

N

Theodore Tomson is standing with those who to want to divert public school money and send it to charter schools.

Source: HB 1642, 10/5/21; Pennsylvania House of Representatives, 4/21/21

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 for voting information and please be sure to vote!