

Q&A with the Candidates

Texas House District 118

Many voters are wondering where their candidates stand on key issues. Below, we've gathered select answers so you can make an informed choice.



Frank Ramirez (D)



John Lujan (R)

<p>Where do the candidates stand on funding for public schools and local control?</p>	<p>Frank Ramirez will fight to fully fund our public education system. This means better teacher pay so we can recruit and retain the best and brightest young people into our classrooms.</p> <p><i>Source: Frank for Texas, accessed 8/3/22</i></p>	<p>John Lujan supports taking money from our local public schools and sending it to unaccountable private schools.</p> <p><i>Source: San Antonio Express-News, 1/19/16; Public School Review, 9/19/19</i></p>
<p>Where do the candidates stand on women's health and abortion access?</p>	<p>Frank Ramirez wants to restore Roe v. Wade and will fight extremists who want to outlaw birth control.</p> <p><i>Source: FrankForTexas on Twitter, 8/2/22</i></p>	<p>John Lujan stands with Republicans who support criminalizing all abortions, even in cases of rape and incest and when the health of the mother is at risk. Lujan has failed to speak out as his political allies discuss banning birth control.</p> <p><i>Source: San Antonio Express News, Editorial, 9/22/21</i></p>
<p>Where do the candidates stand on gun safety?</p>	<p>Frank Ramirez supports increased school security, and he will push for policies such as universal background checks to keep guns out of the hands of dangerous criminals.</p> <p><i>Source: FrankForTexas on Facebook, 5/28/22; San Antonio Express News, 9/22/21</i></p>	<p>John Lujan supports allowing almost anyone to carry a handgun in public without safety training or a background check.</p> <p><i>Source: San Antonio Express News, 9/22/21</i></p>

We encourage you to look at the candidates' websites and reputable news outlets for more information on these and other issues. Visit MyVoterInformation.org for information on early voting. The last day to vote is Election Day, Tuesday, November 8. We hope this information is useful to you and that you will be sure to vote!