

Each election cycle, Pro-Choice Washington works to elect reproductive freedom champions who will protect and promote access to abortion and the full range of reproductive options in Washington state.

We prioritize endorsing candidates in districts where the most gains can be made for abortion access by:

- Increasing capacity to win in the most competitive swing districts where reproductive freedom champions face tough races against antiabortion opponents.
- Building power in districts where constituents face the biggest barriers to abortion access, like long travel times to an abortion provider, a high prevalence of fake clinics, and an increase in anti-abortion and white nationalist activity.
- Creating a representative and inclusive movement for reproductive freedom by investing in candidates of color who have lived experience with healthcare barriers.

# 2022 Voters' Guide

Pro-Choice Washington endorses candidates at the state and local levels who support expanding access to abortion and reproductive freedom for all.

We are proud to announce our endorsements for Washington's 2022 primary election. This guide will be updated as our endorsement process continues through to the general election. So, check back regularly and join our <u>Electoral Action Team</u> to help get out the vote for reproductive freedom champions across Washington!

Important Links:

- Get out the vote with Pro-Choice Washington
- Find your legislative district
- <u>Register to vote</u>. Deadline to register for primary elections online is July 25 and in-person is August 2.
- Locate a drop box near you. Ballots are due 8 PM on August 2.

## **State Senators**



Emily Randall 26th LD



<u>Yasmin Trudeau</u> 27th LD



<u>Claire Wilson</u> 30th LD



Chri<u>s Vance</u>

31th LD



Jesse Salomon 32nd LD



Karen Keiser 33rd LD





Pro-Choice Washington endorses as many races as we can, based on our capacity and funding. We endorse candidates on a rolling basis, from the primary to general election.

Our endorsement process begins by inviting candidates from districts where we can make the biggest strategic impact, as well as previouslyendorsed reproductive freedom champions, to apply for Pro-Choice Washington endorsement.

Candidates respond to a questionnaire that evaluates their position on abortion access, policies that support the full range of reproductive health options, and issues that allow our communities to thrive, such as progressive tax reform, voting rights, and police accountability.

Candidates whose responses align with our values are interviewed by members of our Political Action Committee (PAC) board. Based on these interviews, our PAC board recommends the candidates to endorse. And, finally, the PAC recommendations are voted on by our 501(c)4 board, Pro-Choice Washington's political advocacy arm.

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#### **State Senators, continued**



<u>Joe Nguyen</u> 34th LD

Sharon Shewmake 42nd LD



<u>John Lovick</u> 44th LD



Patty Kuderer 48th LD

## **State Representatives**



Marcus Riccelli 3rd LD, Position 1



<u>Timm Ormsby</u> 3rd LD, Position 2



<u>Lisa Callan</u> 5th LD, Position 2



<u>Clyde Shavers</u> 10th LD, Position 1



Dave Paul 10th LD, Position 2



<u>Terri Niles</u> 17th LD, Position 1

#### **State Representatives, continued**



Lillian Ortiz-Self 21st LD, Position 2



<u>Jessica Bateman</u> 22nd LD, Position 2



Tarra Simmons 23rd LD



<u>Steve Tharinger</u> 24th LD, Position 2



Adison Richards 26th LD, Position 1



<u>Matt Macklin</u> 26th LD, Position 2



Laurie Jinkins 27th LD, Position 1



Jake Fey 27th LD, Position 2



<u>Mari Leavitt</u> 28th LD, Position 1



Dan Bronoske 28th LD, Position 2



<u>Sharlett Mena</u> 29th LD, Position 2



<u>Jamila Taylor</u> 30th LD, Position 1



<u>Tina Orwall</u> 33rd LD, Position 1



<u>Leah Griffin</u> 34th LD, Position 1



<u>Joe Fitzgibbon</u> 34th LD, Position 2



James DeHart 35th LD, Position 1



## **State Representatives, continued**



<u>Liz Berry</u> 36th LD, Position 2



<u>Jessica Wadhams</u> 39th LD, Position 2



Debra Lekanoff 40th LD, Position 1



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<u>Alex Ramel</u> 40th LD, Position 2



<u>Tana Senn</u> 41st LD, Position 1



<u>My-Linh Thai</u> 41st LD, Position 2



<u>Alicia Rule</u> 42nd LD, Position 1



<u>Joe Timmons</u> 42nd LD, Position 2



<u>Nicole Macri</u> 43rd LD, Position 1



Larry Springer 45th LD, Position 2



Frank Chopp 43rd LD, Position 2



<u>Shukri Olow</u> 47th LD, Position 2



Brandy Donaghy 44th LD, Position 1



Vandana Slatter 48th LD, Position 1



<u>April Berg</u> 44th LD, Position 2



<u>Amy Walen</u> 48th LD, Position 2



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