



**2017 Pennsylvania Family Council
Voter's Guide Questionnaire for Judicial Candidates
Reply Requested by May 8, 2017**

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1. Which of the following U.S. presidents best represents your political philosophy?

- John F. Kennedy
- Ronald Reagan
- George Bush (former)
- Bill Clinton
- George W. Bush
- Barack Obama

2. Which one of the recent justices of the U.S. Supreme Court most reflects your judicial philosophy?

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| • Roberts | • Kagan | • <u>Scalia</u> |
| • Kennedy | • Thomas | • Sotomayor |
| • Ginsburg | • Breyer | • Alito |

3. Rate your judicial philosophy on a scale of 1-10 with "living document" approach being a "1" and "strict construction" or "originalist" being a "10."

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

4. Please list the five organizations in which you are most involved as a member, through contributions, and/or through volunteering.

1. SEEDS OF FAITH CHRISTIAN ACADEMY
2. UNITED WAY OF INDIANA COUNTY
3. AGING SERVICES, ELDER ABUSE TASK FORCE
4. INDIANA FOOTBALL BOOSTERS
5. YMCA

5. Do you believe that *Roe v. Wade*, 410 U.S. 113 (1973), insofar as it recognizes a "right to privacy" that includes abortion under the United States Constitution, was correctly or incorrectly decided? **(Circle One)**

- **Correctly Decided**
- **Incorrectly Decided**
- **Undecided**

• **Decline to answer (describe reason)**

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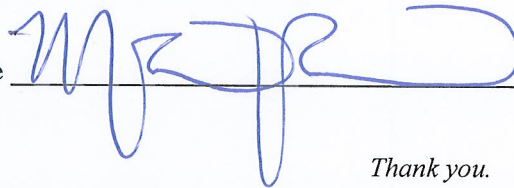
6. Do you believe that the Pennsylvania Constitution permits display of the Ten Commandments in courtrooms? **(Circle One)**

- **Yes**
- **No**
- **Undecided**

• **Decline to answer (describe reason)**

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Signature



Date

4/21/2017

Thank you.

Please Sign and Reply by May 8th via Fax 717-545-8107 or E-mail to ekreps@pafamily.org
Or mail to: Pennsylvania Family Council 23 N. Front St. Harrisburg PA 17101

Michael Clark, Judicial Candidate

Supplemental Answers to the Family Council Voters Guide.

Question #5. It is my personal view, that an unborn child is biologically human and alive. As such that child is entitled to be protected and have a right to life. However, as a Judge, any decisions that I may make will be based on the facts and the law and not any of my personal views. Accordingly, in order to not disqualify myself from important issues that may come before the court, I must decline to provide an opinion as to legality of the decision.

Question #6. I support the display of the Ten Commandments. However, as a Judge, any decisions that I may make will be based on the facts and the law and not any of my personal views. Accordingly, in order to not disqualify myself from important issues that may come before the court, I must decline to provide an opinion on how this issue is interpreted under the Pennsylvania Constitution.