

# Special Election Voter's Guide

## for State Senate District 41



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1. Should the state prohibit abortion after 20 weeks gestation?	No <sup>†</sup>	Yes
2. Should marijuana be legalized for recreational use?	Yes <sup>†</sup>	Undecided
3. Should Pennsylvania raise the minimum wage?	Did not respond	No*
4. Should parents be eligible for direct grants for their children to attend the school of their choice, including non-public schools?	Did not respond	Yes
5. Should wedding service providers be required to participate in a same-sex wedding that they object to on religious grounds? <sup>1</sup>	Did not respond	No
6. Should organizations, such as Planned Parenthood, that provide abortions be prohibited from receiving state funds?	Did not respond	Yes
7. Should schools and other public institutions collect direct payroll deductions for union dues?	Did not respond	No
8. Should Pennsylvania public schools and other public facilities be required to open up restrooms and locker rooms regardless of biological sex? <sup>2</sup>	Did not respond	No
9. Should the state stop paying for sex-change surgeries for children?	Did not respond	Yes
10. Should Pennsylvania withhold state funding to "Sanctuary Cities" that do not comply with federal immigration laws?	Did not respond	Yes
11. Should school property taxes be eliminated?	Did not respond	Yes

<sup>†</sup> Candidate did not respond—answer based on publicly available information (view citations on pafamilyvoter.com)

\* Candidate comment (available at [www.PAFamilyVoter.com](http://www.PAFamilyVoter.com))

<sup>1</sup> HB 1410 and SB 613 were introduced in the Pennsylvania General Assembly in 2017. Similar laws were used in other states to require wedding service providers to participate in same-sex weddings or face fines and penalties.

<sup>2</sup> HB 1410 and SB 613 were introduced in the Pennsylvania General Assembly in 2017. Similar laws were used in other states to require schools and other public facilities to allow men and women who self-identified as the opposite sex, to use the restrooms or locker rooms of their choice, regardless of biology.

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