

2009 Municipal Candidate Questionnaire

Juneau Pro-Choice Coalition Political Action Committee

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Please answer all questions. If you would like a question clarified, please contact Karen Allen at 586-1557 or LaRae Jones at 586-1112. Space is provided at the end of the questionnaire for additional comments or clarifications of your responses. If we have questions based on your responses, we may invite you to join the JPCC-PAC board for a follow-up discussion. Thank you for your time and consideration.

QUESTIONNAIRES MUST BE RECEIVED BY SEPTEMBER 10, 2009

Mail to: Juneau Pro-Choice Coalition PAC P.O. Box 22860 Juneau, AK 99802

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- 1. Should abortion remain legal in the U.S.? Yes No
2. In Casey v. Planned Parenthood, the U.S. Supreme Court allowed states to impose restrictions on abortions. Would you support state legislation that would:
a. ban abortions except as necessary to save a woman's life? Yes No
b. ban abortions for victims of rape or incest? Yes No
c. establish a mandatory waiting period before a woman can have an abortion? Yes No
3. Which of the following statements reflect(s) your views on access to abortion services by minors under age 18?
a. I favor no restrictions Yes No
b. I favor requiring parental notification. Yes No
c. I favor requiring written parental consent Yes No
d. I favor requiring parental notification with judicial bypass provision.* Yes No
e. I favor requiring parental consent with judicial bypass provision.* Yes No
f. Other restrictions _____

*Judicial bypass means a minor has the option to appear before a judge to seek permission to "bypass" the parental consent or notification requirement.

4. Would you favor legislation that:
- a. requires husband/partner notification about an abortion? Yes No
 - b. requires a husband/partner's consent for an abortion? Yes No

5. Do you favor public funding of abortions for Medicaid-eligible women? Yes No

6. Would you favor a law or a constitutional amendment that allows a hospital administrator or board to refuse to allow legal abortions to be performed in a publicly funded hospital? Yes No

7. The U.S. Supreme Court ruled in Roe v. Wade that the constitutional right of privacy "is broad enough to encompass a woman's decision whether or not to terminate her pregnancy," and that governments may not interfere with her decision up to the time of fetal viability. Do you agree with this ruling? Yes No

8. As an elected official, will you publicly support efforts to improve local access to:
- a. family planning? Yes No
 - b. emergency contraception? Yes No
 - c. abortion services? Yes No
 - d. sexual/reproductive education for the community? Yes No

9. As an elected official, will you speak at local pro-choice rallies and other pro-choice events? *probably not, not good at it. I think* Yes No

10. As an elected official, will you publicly support the physician and/or clinic that provides safe, legal abortion services in Juneau? *these are private views & each person reaches their belief on their own.* Yes No

11. Briefly describe your past efforts, if any, to support and promote pro-choice issues (public statements, voting record, participation in events, organizational memberships, etc.):

Helped support Teen Health Center - was a part of the community planning & advocate group. I support you in having access to education re: sexual activity & supplies to keep them safe & prevent pregnancy.

QUESTIONS 12 - 14 ARE FOR SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATES ONLY

12. Do you support limiting the discussion of reproduction and birth control in the school health curriculum to abstinence only? Yes No

Why or why not? Not realistic or helpful to most youth.

13. Will you support providing family life/parenting and reproductive health education within the school district? Yes No

14. Should written parental consent be required before a student may receive services through the Teen Health Center**? Yes No

Why or why not? It should be available to all students - its not always practical for student's needs.

**Parental consent is not required for these services at state-run Public Health clinics.

QUESTIONS 15 - 18 ARE FOR ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES ONLY

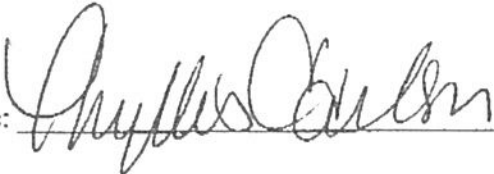
15. Will you support continued funding for the Teen Health Center in the Juneau area high schools? Yes No

16. Will you support providing family life/parenting and reproductive health education within the school district? Yes No

17. Would you favor appointment of an anti-choice individual to:
a. the Juneau Human Rights Commission? Yes No
b. the Board of Directors, Bartlett Memorial Hospital? Yes No

18. Will you ask candidates for the above boards their positions on choice? Yes No

Additional comments or clarifications (Continue on back of page):

Signature:  Date: 9/9/09