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# **2022 General Election Candidate Questionnaire**

# **McDowell County**

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## Introduction

Christian Perspective Representatives Inc. is a cooperative group of volunteers from churches who stand in unison for Biblical values and Constitutional rights, support and affirm human dignity, and value all people.

C.P.R., Inc. began in 2021 as a nonpartisan group to circumvent the loss of freedoms of our children, parents, and employees in public schools and institutions throughout our state and nation. Since we believe there is a potential for topics such as sexuality, gender identify, and extreme theories to be taught to our children in harmful and potentially damaging ways, we want to be part of the solution.

C.P.R, Inc. operates strictly on a volunteer basis. No one involved with C.P.R. receives any type of compensation.

C.P.R. does not endorse or oppose any candidates for public office or any political party. This questionnaire is being distributed electronically through our website, mainstream and social media, supporting churches, and other means. We have produced a questionnaire for: (1) ) McDowell County Board of Education and (2) McDowell County Commissioners.

The purpose of our questionnaire is to inform and educate voters of each candidate's position on a variety of general topics that are relevant to C.P.R.'s mission. As a faith-based organization, the questionnaire was designed to be distributed through Churches where the topics of the questions are of the utmost interest to a Christian voter.

## Questionnaire Information

The information received from the questionnaire came directly from the candidates themselves. C.P.R. asked the questions in a multiple choice format with the option to elaborate on the response with a limit of 920 characters. To ensure the integrity of the questionnaire, candidate answers are published verbatim. No edits for grammar, spelling, etc. were made to the candidate's answers. An attempt was made to contact each candidate inviting them to respond to the questionnaire. Candidate responses are presented by office and then alphabetical order by last name. If a response was not submitted the publication will state "Did Not Respond."

## McDowell County Board of Education Questionnaire

- 1.) Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.
- 2.) Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 3.) Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 4.) The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 5.) Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 6.) Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 7.) I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 8.) As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 9.) Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 10.) Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.

## McDowell County Commissioner Questionnaire

- 1.) Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.
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- 3.) The loss of local control in government is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 4.) As a representative, would you keep the local law enforcement funding the same, decrease funding, or increase funding? Remain the same, Decrease funding, Increase funding, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 5.) If elected, would supporting local law enforcement be a high priority for you? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 6.) Do you support the National School Board Association's characterization of parents who speak out at school board meetings as "domestic terrorists"? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 7.) Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 8.) Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.
- 9.) Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.

- 10.) Would you support local ordinances that would place restrictions on the 2nd Amendment rights as they are now enjoyed in the county? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.

## McDowell County Board of Education

### Glenwood District

#### Terry Frank

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**  
No.
- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. I am a Pro - Life candidate!
- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. Parents need to know the subjects and the contents of those subjects their children are taking. That way, they have to bear or at least share responsibility if they don't like the content of the course.
- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. The federal government is not familiar with our community or the way of life we enjoy. We have to make sure our concerns and our values remain a priority when it comes to education. Public schools could not operate without federal funds, but we need to keep them aware of community core values when conflicts arise. Sometimes you can't control some things, but you have to try to voice your concerns.
- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes. School Resource Officers serve multiple purposes at schools. They not only provide safety and act as a deterrent to unwanted intruders, they act as a friend to students. They talk with students about anything the student feels comfortable to share with them. This is so important in elementary education. I have witnessed the great interaction with students and SROs. In secondary education levels, they help as a listening ear for students with mental health issues as well as numerous other issues students have at this age level.
- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Parents. It takes all three to provide students with a quality education, but parents bear the ultimate responsibility for their child's education. If the parents don't get their children to the schools and support school staffs, their children are not going to get the quality education that children who's parents do support their children and school staffs do. It is a collaborative effort involving parents, teachers and school boards.
- 7.) **I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Disagree.

**8.) As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Do Not Support. The school system needs to develop its own policies when it comes to creating a safe, fair and equal opportunity education environment for all students regardless of race, religion or national origin.

**9.) Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No.

**10.) Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Yes. Though I do not like mandates such as closing of schools or the making of wearing masks mandatory, but there are times when you have to look at the safety of 6500 students as well as staff to protect these folks as well as the public.

## Lisa Morgan

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**  
No.
- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. I believe there could be certain circumstances, such as an irreversible medical conditions, that might promote abortion as a more human decision.
- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes. The only way to stop an armed intruder it with an armed/trained professional.
- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
School Boards. I believe no one body of people have the ultimate ability to make the decision for the education of our children. I believe that the parents and teachers should have the opportunity to provide their opinions and the board guides the direction on behalf of all involved.
- 7.) **I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Disagree. I believe gender provides certain natural advantages/disadvantages that would provide undue privilege.
- 8.) **As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Do Not Support.
- 9.) **Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
No. I understand the benefit of vaccination but I believe people should have a choice in being vaccinated. I believe other safeguards are available to help reduce expose.
- 10.) **Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes. Although I understand the potential need for masks, most masks worn were not N95 rated and no requirement of rate protection. Again I believe there are other safeguards available to help reduce exposure. Mask mandates and school closures would be one of the last options I would support.

**Michelle Price**  
**Did Not Respond**



## Marion District

### Angela Allen-Helms

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**

No.

- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. I most definitely believe that life begins at conception. As Christians, we are called to defend the defenseless. The unborn infant is certainly defenseless. However, there are certain situations, that warrant gut-wrenching decisions, in order to save the life of the mother. Those decisions are between the mother, her physician and her God. That right to decide, should not be taken away, The recent Supreme Court ruling gives individual states the power to set their own abortion laws. This has given the power back to the people. It is incumbent upon individuals to exercise their power, thru their vote, to dictate legislation that supports their individual beliefs & convictions.

- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. Our sons entered 6th grade at WMMS this year. We received a parental permission form, at the beginning of the year. This allowed us as parents, to give permission or opt out of sex education curriculum for our boys, in the classroom.

- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. The LEA, consisting of community leaders, parents & educators should have a better understanding of the educational course of studies best suited for our students. Local control of curriculum decisions should never be compromised, in exchange for federal dollars.

- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Yes. We must do everything in our power to ensure the safety of our children & teachers, whole at school. Having an armed officer, on site, is a tangible deterrent to anyone intending to cause harm, within the school setting.

- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Parents. Parents, teachers & school boards all share responsibility, in educating our children. Support of all three is vital for a healthy school system. However, as parents, we should have ultimate say so in whether our children receive instruction in objectionable or controversial subject matter.

- 7.) **I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Disagree.

**8.) As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Do Not Support. Again, it is important to maintain local control over curricula and classroom instruction. Unfortunately, racism continues to exist. Though we've made progress in race relations, we still have much work to do. However, any theorized curriculum that pits one race, sex or group against another, as either racist or oppressed, will only serve to propagate continued racial tension.

**9.) Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. The choice to vaccinate or not vaccinate should be a personal decision, made after discussion of medical benefits & risks with one's physician. Parents should maintain the right to make the decision to vaccinate (or not vaccinate) for themselves & their minor children.

**10.) Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. In the early days of the pandemic, we didn't understand what we were dealing with. We were right to err on the side of caution. However, we have made significant strides in what we know about the Covid virus, how it is transmitted and how it affects children. Mask mandates were largely ineffective due to improper mask fit, quality or application. Sadly, we are now seeing the detrimental ramifications of keeping our children out of school for so long. The prolonged absence of in-person instruction & socialization has adversely impacted educational success and overall mental health. Recent national test scores demonstrated significant declines in math & language scores. Mental health conditions have drastically increased, as well as suicide rates among youth. Based on what we have learned, I would not support mask mandates, in similar future circumstances.

## Greg Barksdale

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**

No.

- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. At conception a child has its own DNA distinct from the mother and father, meaning that it is a unique person. As the embryo grows, it develops a heartbeat 22 days after fertilization, its own circulatory system, and its own organs. From fertilization, it is a new life that is alive and will continue to grow and develop as long as nutrition is provided and its life is not ended through violence or illness.

- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. Sex education in the school system has its place at the appropriate age. There are a large number of students whose families do not teach their children about sex education and this can lead to sexually transmitted diseases and unintended pregnancies. I do not believe that any student should receive instruction on sexual preference and gender identity - related questions or other radical political theories that are attempting to indoctrinate our children. This is the role of the parents, churches or guardians. When I was teaching in McDowell County School System, if I had pushed these agendas I would have been fired.

- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. I am sure that we could count on our community for support to offset any losses due to federal mandates/constraints. We cannot lower our educational standards or risk the safety of our students in order to ensure federal funding. We cannot risk having our children indoctrinated.

- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Yes. McDowell schools have armed resource officers in each school.

- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Parents. What is the most accurate predictor of academic achievement? It's not socioeconomic status, nor how prestigious the school is that a child attends. The best predictor of student success is the extent to which families encourage learning at home and involve themselves in their child's education.

When parents are engaged in their children's school lives, students have the home support and the knowledge they need to complete their assignments. Parents should be encouraged to collaborate with teachers and advise and guide them through academic support of that child.

Parents should use caution when voting for a board member and make sure that the person who is running for a school board seat is not there for an ulterior motive.

- 7.) I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Disagree. Biological males are fundamentally different from biological females. Males have more muscle mass, strength and power than females who train the same amount. Not only is it not a fair competition, it is also dangerous for females to compete against males because of the high risk of injury due to overtraining and physical contact.

- 8.) As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Do Not Support. No student benefits from being taught that one group of people are oppressed and another group is the oppressor. We should foster a positive learning environment for all students where unification and collaboration are facilitated.

- 9.) Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. The science does not support mandating COVID vaccinations any more than it supports mandating flu vaccinations. We do not have enough information about the long-term effects of the vaccinations. This should be an individual decision.

- 10.) Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. Again, science does not support that surgical or fabric masks prevent the spread of COVID. The risk of COVID spread in schools is less detrimental to students than the effects of prolonged school closures on growth and development and mental health.

## Nebo District

### Chuck Abernathy

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**  
No.
- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. This is an issue that is very fundamental. An unborn child should have legal protection.
- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. Parents should have to give consent to participate and should have input into course content. I am of the opinion that it should not be taught at all in elementary grades.
- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree. Federal mandates comes with federal dollars. There are some federal requirements that are not controversial and are not in conflict with local views. There are issues that I would not compromise on in order to receive federal funds and mandates. As an example, the county was ordered to remove a Christmas Manger Scene several years ago and we stood up to the threat and did not comply.
- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes. Also, teachers that are retired law enforcement, military and perhaps trained might also be approved for being armed. You would not do this lightly or without discussion and input. But, the safety of our children would be a priority.
- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Parents. Complicated question to answer without elaborating. The ultimate responsibility begins with the parents and the family. The parents reflect community values and must have input. The input needs to be genuine....it must not be lip service. The School Board sets policy for the organization and also should reflect community and parental values. The role of the school board is often misunderstood. They are not a "micro-manager of the business of the school system. They are responsible for setting school system policy. The teachers obviously have a massive responsibility. The teacher ultimately is the point of contact with the student. All of us have a teacher that affected our lives that we remember. None of us had a school board member that affected our lives that we are aware of. The teachers need to be respected and supported by the School Board and the parents. Students need boundaries and support to perform their valuable service.
- 7.) **I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Disagree. I have strong feelings on this issue and am not sure why it has become such a controversy. It is not fair to allow biological boys to compete in female sports.

**8.) As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Do Not Support. I do not mind a hard and honest look at history. I do not agree with promoting radical political agendas in the classroom. I do not agree with diminishing any child based on their race. I love this country and of the opinion that the founders created the best system of government ever devised.

**9.) Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No.

**10.) Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No.

**Shannon Brackett**

**Did Not Respond**

## PG District

### Kevin Price

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No.
- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes.
- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Parents.
- 7.) **I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Disagree.
- 8.) **As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Do Not Support.
- 9.) **Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
No.
- 10.) **Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
No.

## Eddie Shuford

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**  
No.
- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 3.) **Before students are taught courses such as Comprehensive Sex Ed (CSE), they must opt-in with written parental permission. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 4.) **The loss of local control in education is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 5.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes.
- 6.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Parents.
- 7.) **I support allowing public school students to participate in athletic competition based on the gender with which they identify instead of biological sex. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Disagree.
- 8.) **As a representative, would you support CRT type curriculum being used in the public schools? Support, Do Not Support, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Refuse to Answer.
- 9.) **Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
No.
- 10.) **Would you support mask mandates or school closures again in similar circumstances we experienced in 2020 & 2021? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes.



## McDowell County Commissioner

**Tony Brown (R)**

**Did Not Respond**

**Lynn Greene (R)**

- 1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**  
No.
- 2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 3.) **The loss of local control in government is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Agree.
- 4.) **As a representative, would you keep the local law enforcement funding the same, decrease funding, or increase funding? Remain the same, Decrease funding, Increase funding, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Increase funding.
- 5.) **If elected, would supporting local law enforcement be a high priority for you? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Yes.
- 6.) **Do you support the National School Board Association's characterization of parents who speak out at school board meetings as "domestic terrorists"? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
No.
- 7.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**  
Parents. While I feel it's the parents responsibility to education their children, it's the legal responsibility of the local school board. That responsibility is ultimately shared by the parents and the local school board.
- 8.) **Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. The COVID virus is too new and not enough data to warrant a required vacation. There are a list of approximately twelve vaccines that are currently required for a child in the public school system. However the decision whether or not to take a COVID vaccine should be left to the individual child's parents.

9.) **Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Yes.

10.) **Would you support local ordinances that would place restrictions on the 2nd Amendment rights as they are now enjoyed in the county? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No.

## Phillip Price (D)

**Did Not Respond**

## David Walker (R)

1.) **Have you ever been convicted of a felony or been penalized in either civil or criminal court for sexual misconduct? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. If Yes, please explain.**

No.

2.) **Human life begins at conception and deserves legal protection at every stage until natural death. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree. God's word is clear on this issue. Life begins at Conception.

3.) **The loss of local control in government is too high a price to pay in exchange for federal dollars. Agree, Disagree, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Agree.

4.) **As a representative, would you keep the local law enforcement funding the same, decrease funding, or increase funding? Remain the same, Decrease funding, Increase funding, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Increase funding.

5.) **If elected, would supporting local law enforcement be a high priority for you? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Yes. I will always Support those who Protect and Serve

6.) **Do you support the National School Board Association's characterization of parents who speak out at school board meetings as "domestic terrorists"? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. Parents have every right give input on what is being taught in our Public Schools.

7.) **Who has the ultimate responsibility for the education of children in public schools? Parents, Teachers, School Boards, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Teachers.

8.) **Schools should be allowed to require COVID vaccinations? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. I am against Mandated Covid Vaccinations. That is a decision between a person and their family doctor.

**9.) Do you support schools having armed resource officers? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

Yes. As a County Commissioner I have made funding for School Resource Officers a top Priority. Our schools must have A trained officer on each Campus.

**10.) Would you support local ordinances that would place restrictions on the 2nd Amendment rights as they are now enjoyed in the county? Yes, No, Refuse to Answer. Optional Elaboration.**

No. As a County Commissioner I have voted to NOT restrict 2nd Amendment rights.

## **C.P.R. Inc. Board of Directors & Officers**

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