

## Right to Life of Michigan PAC Endorsements for the August 4, 2026 Michigan Primary

The Right to Life of Michigan Political Action Committee has released its 2026 endorsements for the August 4 Primary. To succeed the very pro-abortion Governor Gretchen Whitmer, the endorsed pro-life candidates for governor are: former State Attorney General **Mike Cox**, current Congressman from the Detroit area **John James**, and businessman **Perry Johnson**. All three met the endorsement qualification criteria. When all the candidates are solidly pro-life, RLM encourages voters to make their choice. The Democratic candidate for governor will be an ideologically driven pro-abortion politician so any one of the three endorsed candidates is acceptable.

For the 4th Congressional race, RLM-PAC has endorsed incumbent **Bill Huizenga**. Again, the choice is clear since his opponent is very pro-abortion.

In Michigan State Senate races, the endorsed incumbent in the 18th District is **Thomas Albert** (all of Barry County, Climax and Wakeshma townships in Kalamazoo County, about a third of Allegan County, just over half of Calhoun County, and small portions of Kent and Ionia counties); in the 20th District, RLM-PAC has endorsed both Republican candidates **Kenny Clevenger** and **Chris Moraitis**. The current senator, Aric Nesbitt, ran for governor but dropped out of the race.

There are several State House races to highlight. **Steve Carra** is the endorsed incumbent in the 36th District (all of St. Joseph County and part of Cass County); **Steve Frisbie** is the endorsed incumbent in the 44th District (the northern portion of Calhoun County and Battle Creek); **Sarah Lightner** is the endorsed incumbent in the 45th District (Charleston Twp., Climax Twp., and Wakeshma Twp. in Kalamazoo County, about two-thirds of Calhoun County, and the western half of Jackson County); **Pauline Wendzel** is the endorsed incumbent in the 39th District (all of Van Buren County, a small portion of Berrien County, and southern portion in Allegan County).

It is imperative that these pro-life candidates WIN in November.

**As RLM president Amber Roseboom wrote in her July letter to all members, “When pro-life voices go unheard at the ballot box, life loses ground. Our mission will face another setback, and most importantly, lives will be lost.”**

## What is on the pro-life bucket list for 2026-2028?

1. Secure pro-life majorities in Congress this November. Though Trump argues that abortion is no longer a federal issue, the Democrats think otherwise. They thirst for the chance to pass a federal law to codify abortion rights.

2. In Michigan, the answer is simple: elect a pro-life governor, elect pro-life majorities in the Michigan House and Senate. Try to undue the damage Gov. Whitmer did. Pass pro-life legislation starting with requiring abortion clinic reporting and inspections.

3. Defund Planned Parenthood...permanently. This can only happen if pro-lifers control the House and Senate and White House. The obstacle remains a probable Democrat senate filibuster to block any defunding bill.

4. Severely limit the abortion drugs mifepristone and misoprostol. The FDA is conducting a new study to determine if the drugs are dangerous for use in the first trimester.

5. If #4 is not possible, we need to see legislatures and the courts step in and REQUIRE in-person medical exams for women seeking a chemical abortion. No more long distance examinations. No more mail order prescriptions.

6. Expand the abortion pill reversal (APR) method, making it available at most or all pregnancy care centers. APR works and is vital for women who change their minds on this abortion method. Lives are being saved. More lives can be saved if this method is employed on a greater scale.

7. Prepare for the 2028 presidential election. We must plant good seeds in order to get the harvest we desire. If we fail to elect a pro-life president, and if we lose Congress in 2028, the pro-abortion Democrats will have an open door. A. get rid of the Senate filibuster that would set the stage for greater damage; B. expand the Supreme Court with pro-abortion judges; C. allow this expanded Court to revisit abortion and reverse the *Dobbs* decision; D. add 4 new senators when Puerto Rico and Washington, DC become states.

## Are Democrats moving more to the left?

I think we have all observed that the Democratic party is becoming, not just the party of abortion for any reason through all nine months of pregnancy, but the party of radical progressivism and socialism. Regarding the latter, Democratic Socialists of America ran three new candidates for US Congress in the New York Primary. They ran against liberal, experienced, mainstream incumbent Democrat congressmen. The socialists won all three races. These are strong liberal districts and the three socialists will soon be in Congress. A socialist candidate won in Colorado. The mayor of Seattle is a socialist. The next mayor of Washington, D.C. will be a socialist. The current mayor of New York is a socialist.

Is this disturbing trend or an anomaly? I think it's too early to assume the worst. These wins have taken place in very liberal enclaves. They are decidedly anti-semitic and anti-Israel which fits into the general pro-Hamas sentiment among many young college students in California, New York, Oregon, Washington and other elite universities. These are the same people who defend males competing in women's sports. What else is on their agenda: universal health care, tax the rich, limits on police and abolish ICE, increase government handouts, and regulations, government

control over religious freedoms, unlimited abortion rights, and LGBT rights. Democrats want to fix what they perceive as threats to democracy (code: anything with the name Trump). If Democrats take control of the Senate in 2026 they will abolish the filibuster, try to expand the Supreme Court to 13 members so that liberals can retake control. That bill will be vetoed by Trump. If Dems take the White House in 2028 AND control Congress they WILL expand the Supreme Court. They will pass legislation making Puerto Rico and Washington, D.C. new states and see four new Democratic senators join their ranks giving them an almost permanent majority in the upper chamber.

The good news: socialism has never worked anywhere in the world. What makes them think that it can work here?

