



Right to Life of Greater Cincinnati, Inc.
FEDERAL CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE 2010

A candidate's position on life issues is important to pro-life voters. Whether sponsoring legislation, setting policy, or making public statements, the candidates we elect are crucial for promoting the sanctity of life. Please identify your positions on the following issues.

Please Print

Candidate Name Eric W. Deaton **Phone** _____

Candidate Signature Eric W. Deaton **Email** _____

Position/District Sought U.S. Senate **Fax number** _____

The 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decisions in *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton* did more than just "legalize" abortion-on-demand; they prohibited virtually any federal, state or local laws from protecting pre-born children from death by abortion throughout all nine months of pregnancy.

1. Will you support reversal of *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*?

YES NO

Comments:

2. Will you support federal legislation to ban abortion-on-demand from fertilization to birth?

YES Yes, with exceptions (please explain) NO

Comments:

To save the life of the mother only, such as ectopic / tubal pregnancy.

3. Will you support legislation prohibiting use of tax money for organizations that promote or perform abortions domestically and in foreign countries?

YES NO

Comments:

4. Will you oppose abortion being funded, subsidized, or otherwise promoted in government programs or education?

YES NO

Comments:

5. Will you oppose any legislation that promotes or encourages healthcare rationing for the elderly and other vulnerable people?

YES NO

Comments:

Rationing should only take place in times of limited medical resources such as natural disasters, war, epidemics, etc.

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6. Will you support conscience protection legislation for healthcare workers who do not want to participate in abortions or other immoral practices?

YES NO

Comments:

irrelevant if abortion is banned

7. Will you support legislation prohibiting the killing of human embryos used for scientific research?

YES NO

Comments:

8. Will you support legislation prohibiting all cloning of human beings?

YES NO

Comments:

9. Will you support legislation prohibiting assisted suicide?

YES NO

Comments:

I'm not opposed to natural methods of death by not eating, drinking or taking medication when terminal and the patient wants to let go.

10. Will you vote for leadership in the House/Senate who upholds pro-life principles?

YES NO

Comments:

11. List all organizations to which you have contributed time or money in the past four years.

Time / Cub Scouts of America (Boy Scouts) for Pack 161 and Troop 66.
Time / Steward at Bear Creek Church of the Brethren.
Financial Support to University of Dayton, American Heart Ass.,
American Cancer Society, March of Dimes, Boy Scouts of America.



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Abortion

Abortion is a divisive issue, but it is certainly an important one that needs to be dealt with once and for all. For a country that values life as set forth in the second paragraph of the Declaration of Independence and the teachings of every major religion, it is amazing that we have let this get to the point it is now.

I feel strongly that life begins at conception when a fertilized egg attaches itself to the uterine wall. To address those that will argue for all different times at which a baby is a human life worthy of protection under the laws of our land I offer the following: There is obviously life when the fertilized egg has attached itself in the womb. At any time after that the life form is genetically human and soon bears the resemblance of a human as it grows in their mother's womb. How can one pick the time at which this child is to be protected without making a random guess using random criteria? The only black and white answer would be that life begins at conception. All other answers are simply in a gray area, are subjective and lead to infanticide.

I know that my wife has been pregnant three times and we have three children. Ending any of our pregnancies short of childbirth was never even a consideration. Most parents find they love their children and wouldn't give them up for anything after holding their precious lives in their arms.

Let's work together to resolve this issue once and for all so that we may sleep comfortably knowing that we are right with our God. Encourage your legislators to pass legislation simply stating that life begins at conception and take the issue out of the courts hands once and for all.

"We should always strive to protect the innocent and who can be more innocent than a baby in their mother's womb?"

Eric Deaton

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eric Deaton". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "E" and "D".