



MINNESOTA
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2024 VOTER GUIDE

HONORING GOD WITH
YOUR VOTE IN 2024

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INTRODUCTION

We're called to exercise citizenship worthy of the gospel of Christ (Philippians 1:27a).

We live in a country where God has entrusted us with the responsibility of choosing our leaders, so part of "citizenship worthy of the gospel" is learning how the Bible informs our vote. We know that's what would honor God, but sorting through the noise is difficult. In our ultra-polarized culture, it's easy for Christians and churches to tune out, abstain from voting, or vote for one party because we always have, all while avoiding the dirty work of researching the people or issues on our ballot.

But is this approach to voting how we are called to engage during election season? Like all of us, every individual on our ballots is flawed. But skipping this election or blindly casting your vote is not the answer. **God has given us the incredible gift of choosing our leaders at every level of government - let's honor Him with it.** This guide will help you see where candidates stand on some of the issues most important to Christians in Minnesota so you can practice biblical citizenship. The answers aren't always simple, but our goal is to help you and your family honor God with your votes this fall. Working with churches across the state, we've concluded that the issues in the following pages, though certainly not the only ones at stake in this election, are essential for Christians to think through as we prayerfully prepare to make a decision this fall.

.....VOTING IS EASY! HERE'S HOW:.....

Register to vote / update registration

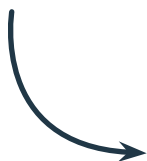
- A) Check your registration
- B) Register if you haven't or register if your name or address has changed:
 - Online by 11:59 pm, Oct 15
 - Mail-in/drop off a form to your local election office so it's received by 5pm, Oct. 15
 - In person at your polling place on Election Day, Nov. 5th (have an ID with your current address)

Learn more
about voter
registration!



Choose your voting method

- A) Request an early/absentee ballot well before Election Day, Nov. 5th, receive it in the mail, vote starting Sept. 20th either:
 - By mail: Mail it back to the county election office that sent it so it's received by Election Day
 - OR**
 - In-person: Deliver your ballot to your county election office or ballot drop box by 8pm on Election Day
- B) OR vote in-person on Election Day (7am - 8pm).
You can vote if you're in line by 8pm.
Find your polling location:



Research who and what is on your ballot

- A) Look at MFC's voter guide to see candidates in the state and federal races
- B) View a sample ballot to see other local races, judges, special elections, and questions



..... ISSUES FOR CANDIDATES

ABORTION & LIFE Christians believe God knew each person before He formed him or her in the womb (Jeremiah 1:5) and has numbered all the days of each life (Job 14:5). Accordingly, our survey asked state candidates their positions on abortion being legal up to the moment of birth, protections for babies born alive during an abortion, and the fact that nearly all regulations on abortion were repealed in the 2023 legislative session. Our survey asked federal candidates their position on taxpayer funding of abortions and state candidates their position on the legalization of commercial surrogacy.

GENDER AND MARRIAGE Christians believe that God created each person male or female (Genesis 5:2) and that no child is born in the wrong body. Our survey asked candidates for their position on protecting women and girls in athletics and private facilities. We asked federal candidates for their positions on taxpayer funding of so-called “gender-affirming care” and the so-called “Respect for Marriage Act” which recognized same-sex unions as marriage in federal law.

SCHOOL CHOICE Christians believe parents should have responsibility for their children’s education choices. Our survey asked candidates for their position on making this easier for all Minnesota families, for example, by making tuition tax credits available.

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM Christians believe protecting religious freedom is crucial. Our survey asked state candidates their position on protecting religious freedom so that Minnesotans of faith can “live peaceably with all” (Romans 12:18) and whether they would support or oppose laws that discriminate against Minnesotans based on their religious beliefs.

PARENTAL RIGHTS Christians believe parents have been entrusted by God to bring their children up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord (Ephesians 6:4). Our survey asked statewide candidates for their position on Minnesota’s new law which allows courts to take temporary emergency jurisdiction of a child if the child has been unable to obtain so-called “gender-affirming care.” We asked federal candidates for their position on a parent’s fundamental right to direct the upbringing of their children.

LOCAL AND JUDICIAL RACES PRIMER

In addition to candidates for state and federal office, you will have the chance to vote in local and judicial elections. Local elections for school board, city council, sheriff, county attorney, county commissioner, and other races are very important - do your research and find out which candidates best represent your values.

You will also have the opportunity to vote in judicial races for State Supreme Court, District Court, and Court of Appeals. Judicial elections in Minnesota are nonpartisan, and many judges will be running for reelection unopposed by another candidate. Use the **myballotmn.**

sos.state.mn.us website to find your sample ballot and see if there are any contested judicial races in your area. Then, research the candidates and find out which, if any, best represent your values. Remember, you can leave this section of your ballot blank if you believe there are no good options.

If you have questions about a particular judicial candidate, contact Minnesota Family Council at **family@mfc.org** for more information.



..... SOURCED POSITIONS

Minnesota Family Council sends out a candidate survey to every major-party candidate for the elected offices included in this guide. To ascertain the positions of candidates who have not completed our survey, we use a variety of sources to determine their positions including prior votes by incumbents, campaign websites, public statements, endorsements, and others. Minnesota Family Council stands by the reliability of these sourced positions, but it is always possible that a candidate’s position has not been accurately represented in the public sources available to us. If you have concerns about the answers given for any particular candidate, please contact the candidate directly.

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Yes/No Candidate response to our survey

Yes*/No* Candidate position inferred from vote, public statement, endorsement, party platform, or other source

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CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT



Donald Trump
Republican



Kamala Harris
Democrat

1	Do you support statutory protections of life-saving care for babies born alive after a failed abortion attempt?	YES*	NO*
2	Do you oppose taxpayer funding of abortion?	YES*	NO*
3	Do you oppose taxpayer funding of so-called "gender-affirming care"?	YES*	NO*
4	Do you support legislation that preserves girls' and women's athletics for females?	YES*	NO*
5	Do you support school choice legislation, such as tuition tax credits, that would enable parents to choose the school that best suits their child's needs?	YES*	NO*
6	Do you support parents' fundamental right to direct the upbringing of their children, including their education and identity?	YES*	NO*
7	In 2022, Congress passed and President Biden signed the "Respect for Marriage Act," which recognized same-sex unions as marriages in federal law. Do you oppose this law?	?	NO*

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CANDIDATES FOR U.S. SENATE



Royce White
Republican



Amy Klobuchar
Democrat

1	Do you support statutory protections of life-saving care for babies born alive after a failed abortion attempt?	YES	NO*
2	Do you oppose taxpayer funding of abortion?	YES	NO*
3	Do you oppose taxpayer funding of so-called "gender-affirming care"?	YES	NO*
4	Do you support legislation that preserves girls' and women's athletics for females?	YES	NO*
5	Do you support school choice legislation, such as tuition tax credits, that would enable parents to choose the school that best suits their child's needs?	YES	NO*
6	Do you support parents' fundamental right to direct the upbringing of their children, including their education and identity?	YES	NO*
7	In 2022, Congress passed and President Biden signed the "Respect for Marriage Act," which recognized same-sex unions as marriages in federal law. Do you oppose this law?	YES	NO*

QUESTIONS FOR CANDIDATES FOR US HOUSE

- 1 Do you support statutory protections of life-saving care for babies born alive after a failed abortion attempt?
- 2 Do you oppose taxpayer funding of abortion?
- 3 Do you oppose taxpayer funding of so-called "gender-affirming care"?
- 4 Do you support legislation that preserves girls' and women's athletics for females?
- 5 Do you support school choice legislation, such as tuition tax credits, that would enable parents to choose the school that best suits their child's needs?
- 6 Do you support parents' fundamental right to direct the upbringing of their children, including their education and identity?
- 7 In 2022, Congress passed and President Biden signed the "Respect for Marriage Act," which recognized same-sex unions as marriages in federal law. Do you oppose this law?

CANDIDATES

FOR U.S. HOUSE

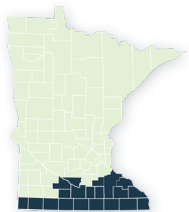


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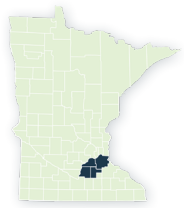
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Southern Minnesota

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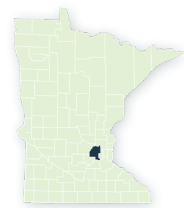
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 BRAD FINSTAD	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
 RACHEL BOHMAN	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



South Metro, SE Minnesota

DISTRICT 2

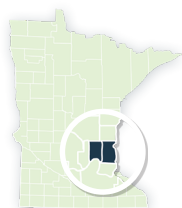
 JOE TEIRAB	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	NO
 ANGIE CRAIG	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



Greater Hennepin County

DISTRICT 3

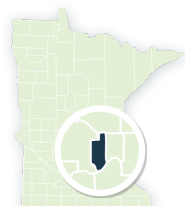
 TAD JUDE	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	?
 KELLY MORRISON	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



Ramsey County & Suburbs

DISTRICT 4

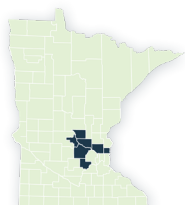
CANDIDATE	PARTY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7
 MAY LOR XIONG	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	?
 BETTY MCCOLLUM	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



Minneapolis & near Suburbs

DISTRICT 5

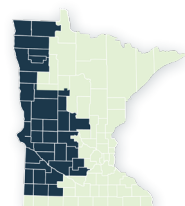
 DALIA AL-AQIDI	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	?
 ILHAN OMAR	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



North & West Metro, St. Cloud area

DISTRICT 6

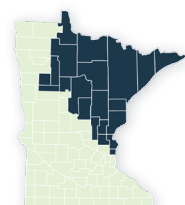
 TOM EMMER	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	NO*
 JEANNE HENDRICKS	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



Western Minnesota

DISTRICT 7

 MICHELLE FISCHBACH	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
 AJ PETERS	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



Northeastern Minnesota

DISTRICT 8

 PETE STAUBER	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
 JEN SCHULTZ	D	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*

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CANDIDATES FOR MINNESOTA SENATE



SENATE DISTRICT 45 SPECIAL ELECTION – MINNETONKA, EXCELSIOR, WAYZATA, MOUND

CANDIDATE	DISTRICT	PARTY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
Kathleen Fowke	45	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Ann Johnson Stewart	45	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*

QUESTIONS FOR MN HOUSE AND MN SENATE CANDIDATES

1 In Minnesota, abortion is currently legal to the moment of a baby's birth. Do you oppose this?

2 In 2023, nearly all health and safety regulations for abortion were removed from Minnesota laws. Do you oppose this?

3 Do you support restoring statutory protections requiring life-saving care for babies born alive after a failed abortion attempt?

4 Do you support the right for women and girls to have their own sports scholarships, sports teams, and private facilities such as locker rooms, restrooms, and prisons?

5 Do you support parents being involved when their children are considering making life-altering medical decisions regarding "gender identity"?

6 In 2023, the MN legislature passed a law which would allow courts to take temporary emergency jurisdiction of a child from his or her parents when the child has been unable to receive so-called "gender affirming care." Do you oppose this law?

7 In 2024, the Minnesota House of Representatives passed a bill which would legalize commercial surrogacy, the for-profit trade of children to unrelated "intended parent(s)". Do you oppose the legalization of commercial surrogacy?

8 Do you agree that religious belief and practice should be included in any state constitutional amendment protecting Minnesotans from discrimination?

9 Do you oppose laws that discriminate against traditional faith-based institutions because of their religious beliefs?

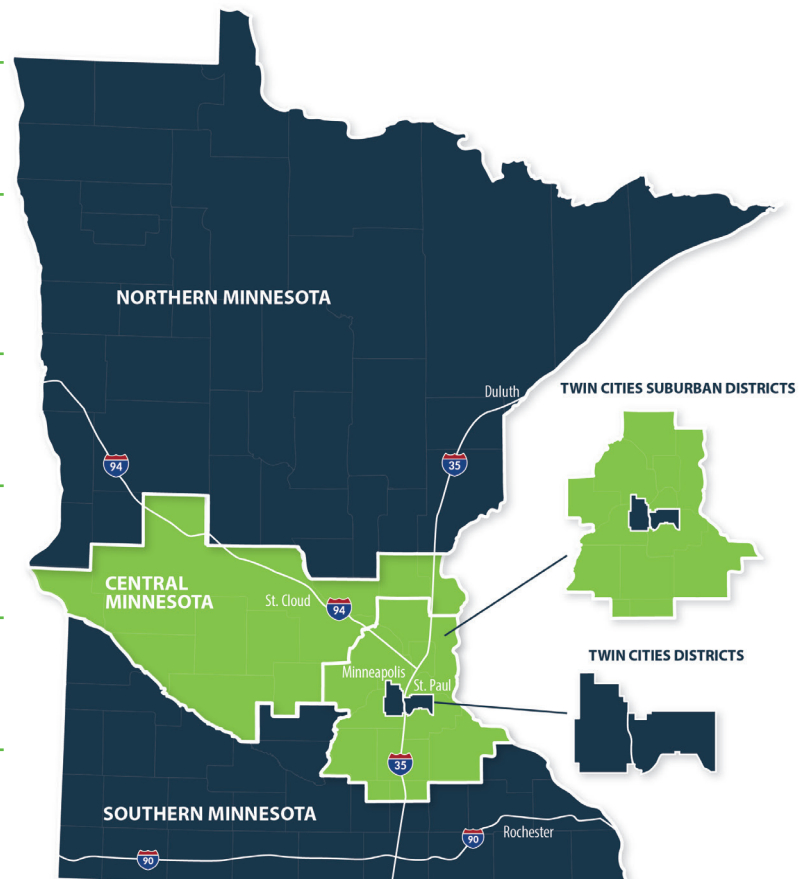
10 Do you support school choice legislation, such as tuition tax credits, that would enable parents to choose the school that best suits their child's needs?

CANDIDATES FOR MINNESOTA HOUSE



MINNESOTA LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS MAP

Find Your District Below or Enter Your
Address at mnfamilyvoter.com



Yes/No Candidate response to our survey

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CANDIDATES

FOR MINNESOTA HOUSE

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CANDIDATE	DISTRICT	PARTY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
NORTHERN MINNESOTA: Districts 1-11												
John Burkel	01A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
James Sceville	01A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Steve Gander	01B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Mike Christopherson	01B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Bidal Duran Jr.	02A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Reed Olson	02A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Matt Bliss	02B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Michael Reyes	02B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Roger Skraba	03A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Harley Droba	03A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Natalie Zeleznikar	03B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Mark Munger	03B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Joshua Zincke	04A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Heather Keeler	04A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Jim Joy	04B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Thaddeus Laugisch	04B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Krista Knudsen	05A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Brian Hobson	05A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Mike Wiener	05B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Gregg Hendrickson	05B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Ben Davis	06A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Earl Butenhoff	06A	DFL	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO
Josh Heintzeman	06B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Emily LeClaire	06B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Spencer Igo	07A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Aron Schnaser	07A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Cal Warwas	07B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Lorrie Janatopoulos	07B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Mark McGrew	08A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Peter Johnson	08A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Shawn Savelle	08B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Alicia (Liish) Kozlowski	08B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Jeff Backer	09A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Michael Ziomko	09A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Tom Murphy	09B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Jason Satter	09B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Ron Kresha	10A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Julia Samsal Hipp	10A	DFL	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES*
Isaac Schultz	10B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
JoEllen Burns	10B	DFL	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Jeff Dotseth	11A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Pete Radosevich	11A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Nathan Nelson	11B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Eric Olson	11B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
CENTRAL MINNESOTA: Districts 12-14, 16-17, 27-29												
Paul H. Anderson	12A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Becky Parker	12A	DFL	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Mary Franson	12B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Judd Hoff	12B	DFL	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Lisa Demuth	13A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Cindy Aho	13A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Tim O'Driscoll	13B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Dusty Bolstad	13B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Bernie Perryman	14A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Abdi Daisane	14A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Sue Ek	14B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Dan Wolgamott	14B	DFL	NO*	NO*	YES*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	YES*	NO*	NO*
Scott Van Binsbergen	16A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Kathy Hegstad	16A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Dave Baker	16B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Josiah Ampian	16B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Dawn Gillman	17A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Chad Tschimperle	17A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Bobbie Harder	17B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jennie Nuesse	17B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Shane Mekeland	27A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Kathryn Geary	27A	DFL	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Bryan Lawrence	27B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Andrew Scouten	27B	DFL	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	NO*

CANDIDATE	DISTRICT	PARTY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
James Gordon	28A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Tim Dummer	28A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Max Rymer	28B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Mary Murphy	28B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Joe McDonald	29A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Chris Brazelton	29A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Marion O'Neill Rarick	29B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Colton Kratky	29B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	YES*	YES*	NO*

SOUTHERN MINNESOTA: District 15, Districts 18-26

Chris Swedzinski	15A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Anthony Studemann	15A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Paul Torkelson	15B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Tom Kuster	15B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Erica Schwartz	18A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jeff Brand	18A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	YES*	NO*	NO*
Dar Vosburg	18B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Luke Frederick	18B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Keith Allen	19A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Jessica Navarro	19A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Thomas Sexton	19B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Edelgard Fernandez Mejia	19B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Pam Altendorf	20A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Heather Arndt	20A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Steven Jacob	20B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Michael Hutchinson	20B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Joe Shomacker	21A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Creedence Petroff	21A	I	YES*	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Marj Fogelman	21B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jon Wilson	21B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	YES*	YES*	NO*
Bjorn Olson	22A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Marisa Ulmen	22A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Terry Stier	22B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Sara Nett-Torgrimson	22B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Peggy Bennett	23A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Joe Staloch	23A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Patricia Mueller	23B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Joseph Pacovsky	23B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Duane Quam	24A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Heather Holmes	24A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Dan Sepeda	24B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Tina Liebling	24B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Ken Navitsky	25A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Kim Hicks	25A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Wes Lund	25B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Andy Smith	25B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Aaron Repinski	26A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Sarah Kruger	26A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Gregory Davids	26B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Allie Wolf	26B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*

TWIN CITIES SUBURBS: Districts 30-58

Walter Hudson	30A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Sonja Buckmeier	30A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Paul Novotny	30B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Paul Bolin	30B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Harry Niska	31A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Dara Gimmer	31A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Peggy Scott	31B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Gadisa Berkessa	31B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Nolan West	32A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Ashton Ramsammy	32A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Alex Moe	32B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Matt Norris	32B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Patti Anderson	33A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jake Ross	33A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Jessica Johnson	33B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Josiah Hill	33B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Danny Nadeau	34A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Brian Raines	34A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Scott Simmons	34B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Melissa Hortman	34B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Josh Jungling	35A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Zack Stephenson	35A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Steve Pape	35B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Kari Rehrauer	35B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Elliott Engen	36A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Janelle Calhoun	36A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Patty Bradway	36B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Brion Curran	36B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*

Yes/No Candidate response to our survey

Yes*/No* Candidate position inferred from vote, public statement, endorsement, party platform, or other source

? Candidate position cannot be determined through insufficient information

CANDIDATES

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CANDIDATE	DISTRICT	PARTY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
Kristin Robbins	37A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Laurie Wolfe	37A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
John Bristol	37B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Kristin Bahner	37B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Brad Olson	38A	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Huldah Hiltsley	38A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Robert (Bob) Marvin	38B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Samantha Vang	38B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Rod Sylvester	39A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Erin Koegel	39A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Kt Jacobs	39B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Sandra Feist	39B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Kelly Moller	40A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Paul Wikstrom	40B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Curtis Johnson	40B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Wayne Johnson	41A	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Lucia Wroblewski	41A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Tom Dippel	41B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jen Fox	41B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Kathy Burkett	42A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Ned Carroll	42A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Perry Nouis	42B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Ginny Klevorn	42B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Todd Hesemann	43A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Cedrick Frazier	43A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Steve Merriman	43B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Mike Freiberg	43B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Karla Nelson	44A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Peter Fischer	44A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Bill Dahn	44B	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Leon Lillie	44B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
TJ Hawthorne	44B	L	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES
Andrew Myers	45A	R	YES	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Tracey Breazeale	45A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Patty Acomb	45B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
John Nagel	46A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Larry Kraft	46A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Kim Rich	46B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Cheryl Youakim	46B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Teresa Whitson	47A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Amanda Hemmingsen-Jaeger	47A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Dwight Dorau	47B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Ethan Cha	47B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Jim Nash	48A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Nathan Kells	48A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Caleb Steffenhagen	48B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Lucy Rehm	48B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Stacy Bettison	49A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Alex Falconer	49A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
**Wendi Russo	49B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Carlie Kotyza-Witthuhn	49B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Owen Michaelson	50A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Julie Greene	50A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Bob Gust	50B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Steve Elkins	50B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Jeffery Thompson	51A	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Michael Howard	51A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Lion Dale Johnson	51B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Nathan Coulter	51B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Diane Anderson	52A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Liz Reyer	52A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Douglas Willetts	52B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Bianca Virnig	52B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Nathan Herschbach	53A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Mary Frances Clardy	53A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Aaron M. Brooksby	53B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Rick Hansen	53B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Aaron Paul	54A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Brad Tabke	54A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Ben Bakeberg	54B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jean Lee	54B	DFL	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES*

* See 2023 MFC Scorecard for more information: <https://web.charityengine.net/mfc-scorecard>

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Gabriela Kroetch	55A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Jessica Hanson	55A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Van Holston	55B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Kaela Berg	55B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Angela Zorn	56A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Robert Bierman	56A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Angeline Anderson	56B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
John Huot	56B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Jon Koznick	57A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Veda Kanitz	57A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Jeff Witte	57B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Brian Cohn	57B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Rita Hillmann Olson	58A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Kristi Pursell	58A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Drew Roach	58B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Ian English	58B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
TWIN CITIES: Districts 59-67												
Fue Lee	59A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Kenneth Smoron	59B	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Esther Agbaje	59B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?
Mary Holmberg	60A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Sydney Jordan	60A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Abigail Wolters	60B	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Mohamud Noor	60B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Katie Jones	61A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Bob "Again" Carney Jr.	61B	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Jamie Long	61B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Alexandra (Zaza) Hoffman Novick	62A	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Aisha Gomez	62A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Bob Sullentrop	62B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Anquam Mahamoud	62B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	?	?	NO*
Samantha Sencer-Mura	63A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Diane Napper	63B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Emma Greenman	63B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Dan Walsh	64A	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Kaohly Vang Her	64A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Peter Donahue	64B	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Dave Pinto	64B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Samakab Hussein	65A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Mike Hilborn	65B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Maria Isa Perez-Vega	65B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Fadil Jama	66A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Leigh Finke	66A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Greg Copeland	66B	R	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Athena Hollins	66B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Scott Hesselgrave	67A	R	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*	YES*
Liz Lee	67A	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*
Sharon Anderson	67B	R	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
Jay Xiong	67B	DFL	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*	NO*



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