THE ARKANSAS ABORTION AMENDMENT OF 2024

The Arkansas Abortion Amendment is a proposed constitutional amendment <u>more extreme than</u> <u>Roe v. Wade.</u> The amendment prohibits the State of Arkansas from restricting, penalizing, prohibiting, or delaying abortion during the first 20 weeks of gestation or the first five months of pregnancy.

The amendment permits abortion at any time during all nine months of pregnancy if there may be risks to a woman's life or health or in cases of rape, incest, or a possibly-fatal fetal anomaly. If passed, the measure would enshrine abortion in the Arkansas Constitution. Since the U.S. Supreme Court overturned Roe v. Wade in June of 2022, abortion has been prohibited in Arkansas except to save the life of the mother in a medical emergency. The amendment automatically nullifies all laws and constitutional amendments that conflict with it.

Supporters of the amendment must gather over 90,000 petition signatures by July 5, 2024, in order to be eligible for the November General Election Ballot.

Who is Behind the Arkansas Abortion Amendment of 2024?

Arkansans for Limited Government is a Ballot Question Committee formed in conjunction with **For AR People** to work for the passage of the abortion amendment. **For AR People** are the same people who promote abortion, oppose educational choice, oppose the removal of obscene library books, support critical race theory, and oppose religious freedom protections. They favor affirmative action, support sexchange procedures on minors, promote drag queen story hours for our children, oppose requiring people to use the restroom of their biological sex, and oppose a monument on the state capitol grounds in memory of aborted babies.

How Arkansans Can Stop the Arkansas Abortion Amendment of 2024

- 1. Decline to sign the petition.
- 2. Record and report deceptive signature gathering or fraud to your local prosecutor and to the Arkansas Attorney General.
- 3. Distribute information in churches, to your neighbors, and on social media to educate people about the amendment and to encourage people not to sign the petition.
- 4. Send a generous donation to Family Council Action Committee to help with the anti-abortion campaign. **Donations are not tax-deductible**, **but they are well worth it.**

To volunteer, get free campaign flyers, or donate go to FamilyCouncilActionCommittee.com or call (501) 375-7000



What's Wrong With the Amendment?

- It's more extreme than Roe v. Wade, and it writes abortion into our state constitution.
- Legalizes abortion for the entire nine months of pregnancy.
- · Revokes parental consent with no notification to parents.
- It opens the door to free abortions at taxpayer expense.
- Allows mail-order abortions at home without a doctor.
- It fails to require vital health and safety standards that protect the lives of women.
- It's a law our elected representatives won't ever be allowed to fix or change.

Who Supports the Pro-Abortion Amendment?

The same people who want sex-change procedures on children, believe men should be in the women's restroom, teach critical race theory, think it is okay for kids to see obscene books in libraries and watch "drag-queen" shows. They're against protecting religious freedom, and they are trying to legalize abortion for the entire nine months of pregnancy.

Don't Be Deceived!

It's NOT about helping victims of rape or incest. The amendment won't stop rape or incest, and it can't stop the pain rape and incest cause. The main purpose of this amendment is to legalize as many abortions as possible for the entire nine months of pregnancy, and that's what it does. Any mention of helping victims of rape or incest is little more than a "bait and switch" to trick good people into supporting the most extreme abortion law in the history of Arkansas—much more extreme than the infamous Roe v. Wade abortion decision of 1973.

It's NOT about limiting government or keeping government out of healthcare. Enshrining abortion in our state constitution won't keep the government out of healthcare or limit the size of the government. Instead, this amendment sets us up for liberal judges to force big government to fund abortions at taxpayer expense.

It's NOT about expanding personal freedom. No civilized society should pass a law that allows healthy, fully-developed unborn children to be aborted in the name of "freedom." When they say that abortion is just between a woman and her doctor, they're ignoring someone: the unborn child whose life hangs in the balance.

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