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## HOW TO PROTECT REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS IN MICHIGAN ALL THE WAY DOWN THE BALLOT

### We Must Pass the Reproductive Freedom for All Ballot Initiative

Michigan women banded together to take back our freedom to decide when and whether to grow our families, and collected more signatures than ever before in state history to put those freedoms on the ballot in November.

The Reproductive Freedom for All ballot initiative will protect our right to determine our own reproductive future — birth control, IVF, abortion and miscarriage management. Michigan families do not want the government controlling our pregnancies or a law from 1931 telling us what medical care we can receive.

### But we can't stop there.

#### 1. We must re-elect Gov. Whitmer, Attorney General Nessel and Secretary of State Benson. If they lose, extreme politicians will attempt to severely restrict our reproductive decisions, chipping away at our rights and freedoms.

- Governor Whitmer is running against Tudor Dixon — a media personality who believes that politicians should control our pregnancies, even in cases of rape and incest.
- Attorney General Nessel has said she won't force prosecutors to go after women who have abortions — her opponent Matthew DePerno will police our right to grow our families if he takes this office.
- Secretary Benson will face a conspiracy theorist and election denier who would use Michigan's election infrastructure to undermine the democratic will of the people.

#### 2. We must retain a pro-choice majority on the State Supreme Court. There's just one seat standing between Michigan families and the kind of chaos we're seeing in neighboring states. If out-of-touch politicians gain power, they will overturn the popular will and enable extreme abortion bans.

- We must re-elect Justice Richard Bernstein so that fundamental Michigan values are protected.
- We must also add to the court majority by electing State Rep. Kyra Harris Bolden, a new mother, a Black woman from Southfield, and exactly the kind of voice we need in the room where these decisions are being made.

#### 3. We must flip the Michigan state legislature.

If the current extreme Republican majority retains control, they will work to undermine Gov. Whitmer's pro-reproductive health agenda at every turn. If Gov. Whitmer loses, they will conspire with Tudor Dixon to undermine the will of the people and severely restrict reproductive rights, chipping away at our freedoms.

- Only three seats are needed to flip the State Senate, four to flip the State House.

#### 4. We must maintain a pro-choice majority in the U.S. House of Representatives. If extreme Republicans take control of Congress, they'll pass a national abortion ban and the ballot initiative in Michigan won't matter.

