

Minnesota Family Council - 2009 Legislative Scorecard

Minnesota Senate

Senator Name	District	Party	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Score
Anderson, Ellen	66	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Bakk, Tom	06	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Berglin, Linda	61	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Betzold, Don	51	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Bonoff, Terri	43	D	?	-	?	-	?	?	-	0
Carlson, Jim	38	D	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	29
Chaudhary, Satveer	50	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	?	14
Clark, Tarryl	15	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Cohen, Richard	64	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Dahle, Kevin	25	R	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	14
Day, Dick	26	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Dibble, Scott	60	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Dille, Steve	18	R	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	86
Doll, John	40	D	-	?	+	-	-	+	-	29
Erickson Ropes, Sharon	31	D	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	14
Fischbach, Michelle L.	14	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Fobbe, Tina	16	D	+	?	+	+	-	-	+	57
Foley, Leo	47	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Frederickson, Dennis	21	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Gerlach, Chris	37	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Gimse, Joe	13	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Hann, David	42	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Higgins, Linda	58	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Ingebretsen, Bill	11	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Johnson, Debbie	49	R	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	57
Jungbauer, Michael	48	R	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	86
Kelash, Ken	63	D	-	-	-	-	?	+	-	14
Koch, Amy	19	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Koering, Paul	12	R	+	?	?	-	-	-	-	14
Kubly, Gary	20	D	+	+	-	+	-	-	-	43
Langseth, Keith	09	D	-	-	-	+	-	?	-	14
Latz, Ron	44	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Limmer, Warren	32	R	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	86
Lourey, Tony	08	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Lynch, Ann	30	D	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	57
Marty, John	54	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Metzen, James P.	39	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Michel, Geoff	41	R	-	+	+	-	+	-	+	57
Moua, Mee	67	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Murphy, Steve	28	D	-	?	-	-	?	?	-	0
Olseen, Rick	17	D	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	57
Olson, Gen	33	R	+	+	+	?	+	-	+	71
Olson, Mary	04	D	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	57
Ortman, Julianne	34	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	?	71
Pappas, Sandy	65	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Pariseau, Pat	36	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Pogemiller, Lawrence J.	59	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Prettner Solon, Yvonne	07	D	-	-	-	-	?	+	-	14
Rest, Ann	45	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Robling, Claire A.	35	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Rosen, Julie	24	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Rummel, Sandy	53	D	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	29
Saltzman, Kathy	56	D	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	29
Saxhaug, Tom	03	D	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	29
Scheid, Linda	46	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Senjem, David	29	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	86
Sheran, Kathy	23	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Sieben, Katie	57	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Skoe, Rod	02	D	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	29
Skogen, Dan	10	D	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	71
Sparks, Daniel	27	D	?	+	-	+	?	-	-	29
Stumpf, LeRoy A.	01	D	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	43
Tomassoni, David J.	05	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Torres Ray, Patricia	62	D	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	14
Vanderveer, Ray	52	R	+	?	+	-	+	+	+	71
Vickerman, Jim	22	D	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	71
Wiger, Charles W.	55	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Composite Senate Score			39	36	45	42	33	49	36	40

Description of Votes
1. Stop Taxpayer Funding of Abortion – Prohibit the use of Minnesota taxpayer monies to fund abortions which are part of state health care programs. SJ 3104, 4/27/09. The amendment was defeated 26 to 39. MFC supported this amendment.
2. Prohibit Promotion of Homosexuality in Schools – Prohibiting public schools from promoting acceptance of homosexual or bisexual behavior in the schools. SJ 2139, 4/16/09. The amendment was defeated 24 to 37. MFC supported this amendment.
3. \$2.2 Billion Income Tax Increase – Vote to raise income taxes, reduce corporate tax rate, reduce renter property tax refunds and eliminate mortgage deduction on second home. SJ 3430, 4/28/09. The amendment was adopted 35 to 30. MFC opposed this amendment.
4. Legalize Smoked Marijuana for Medical Purposes – Legalizes smoking of marijuana for medical purposes and authorizes persons 18 years and older to grow and distribute hundreds of pounds of marijuana to other persons for medical purposes. SJ 6388, 5/18/09. The bill passed 38 to 28. MFC opposed this bill.
5. Grant Special Recognition of Homosexuality in State Anti-Bullying Law – Inclusion of homosexuality, bisexuality, cross dressing, and transvestitism as a group receiving special recognition under state's anti-bullying law. SJ 6315, 5/18/09. The bill passed 40 to 22. MFC opposed this bill.
6. Legalize Video Gambling – Legalize video gambling in bars and restaurants across Minnesota for such games as poker, keno and pull-tabs. SJ 2289, 4/20/09. The amendment was defeated 29 to 33. MFC opposed this amendment.
7. Establish Domestic Partner Benefits – Authorize the creation of a marriage-like status for homosexual partners regarding disposal of remains and wrongful death actions. SF 3611, 5/4/09. The bill passed 41 to 24. MFC opposed this bill.

Key to Votes
+ = Pro-family Vote
- = Anti-family Vote
? = Absent/Did Not Vote

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- Sen. Chris Gerlach (R-Dist 37)
- Sen. David Hann (R-Dist 42)
- Sen. Amy Koch (R-Dist 19)