

**2006 General Election Voter Guide enclosed.  
Make your vote count!**

- To find your district, check your voter registration card or call your County Clerk.
- To get an absentee ballot, you must submit the request in writing to the City or Township Clerk. Check your local phone book for listings.
- To find your polling location and see a copy of your ballot, go to the Secretary of State's Michigan Voter Information Center at <http://www.michigan.gov/vote>.

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# Voter Guide

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Tuesday, November 7, 2006, is a critical election day in Michigan. You have the opportunity to vote for the Governor and Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, U.S. Senator, U.S. Congressperson, Michigan Senator, Michigan House of Representatives, and State Board of Education, as well as many others. **You can change the face of politics in Michigan with your vote!**

This voter guide provides you with our endorsements based on the candidates' position on family planning, sexuality education, and access to safe, legal abortions. We mailed questionnaires to all candidates. **You can see candidates' responses at [www.miplannedparenthood.org](http://www.miplannedparenthood.org).**

**You can make a difference this election by:**

- Voting.
- Taking 10 of your friends to vote and letting them know who the pro-choice candidates are.
- Volunteering your time to work for pro-choice candidates in your district.
- Contributing to pro-choice candidates.
- Contributing to Planned Parenthood Advocates of Michigan's Political Action Committee (PAC).

**Make your voice heard on November 7!**

**Make your vote count!**

The difference is clear...

## Planned Parenthood Advocates Jennifer Granholm because she

Jennifer Granholm believes women and families should decide when and whether to have children and that women who wish to avoid unintended pregnancy should have access to birth control.

### Dick DeVos doesn't reflect Michigan mainstream values

#### Dick DeVos wants to make private medical decisions for women

From 2001–2004, the Dick and Betsy DeVos' Foundation gave hundreds of thousands of dollars to extreme right-wing organizations like Right to Life of Michigan, Pregnancy Center of Grand Rapids, Focus on the Family, and Baptists for Life. These organizations will stop at nothing to move their agenda, including lying to women about medical risks. All of these organization claim that "[women] who abort their first pregnancies...greatly increase their risk of developing breast cancer." This claim was refuted in 2003 by a panel of researchers convened by the National Cancer Institute. However, you can go on any of their websites and easily find this false breast cancer claim and many more lies. [Dick and Betsy DeVos Foundation 990 IRS Forms, 2001–2004, [www.rtl.org](http://www.rtl.org), [www.prcforlife.org](http://www.prcforlife.org), [www.family.org](http://www.family.org), [www.bfl.org](http://www.bfl.org)]

#### Dick DeVos is against abortion, even in the case of rape and incest

DeVos is against a woman's right to decide if, when, and under what circumstances she will have a child. DeVos is against the right to choose abortion even in instances of rape, incest, and the health of the mother. [Detroit News, 7/22/06]

## of Michigan endorses supports reproductive rights.

### Reelect Governor Jennifer Granholm

In the four years Governor Granholm has been in office, she has wielded her veto pen to reject legislation that would ban safe and legal abortions and would have created insurmountable roadblocks for minors to access reproductive health care services. She has also unveiled an aggressive and proactive women's agenda that advances contraceptive equity legislation, comprehensive sexuality education for our children, and expanded access to family planning services.

We saw the impact of having an ardently anti-choice governor throughout the Nineties. During Governor Engler's time in office, Michigan enacted most of its restrictions to reproductive health care services. We cannot go back to that time.

*We need a leader who will allow women to make medical decisions, not play politics with women's health.*



On November 7, join Planned Parenthood in supporting **Jennifer Granholm for Governor**

# Don't Roll Back Progress **NO** on **2**

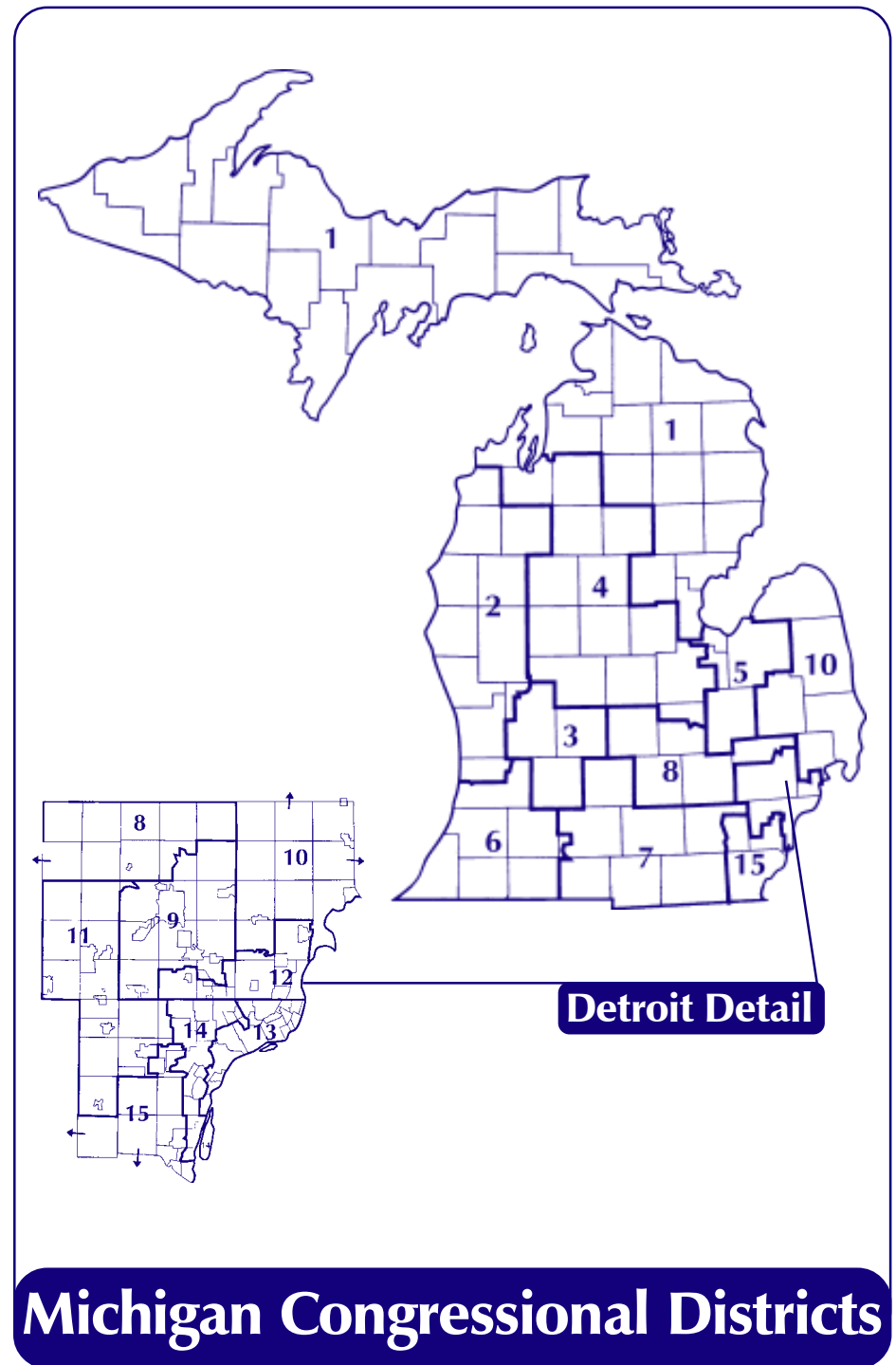
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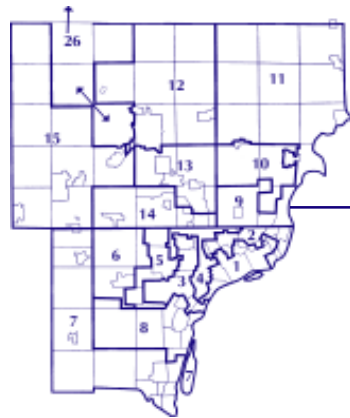
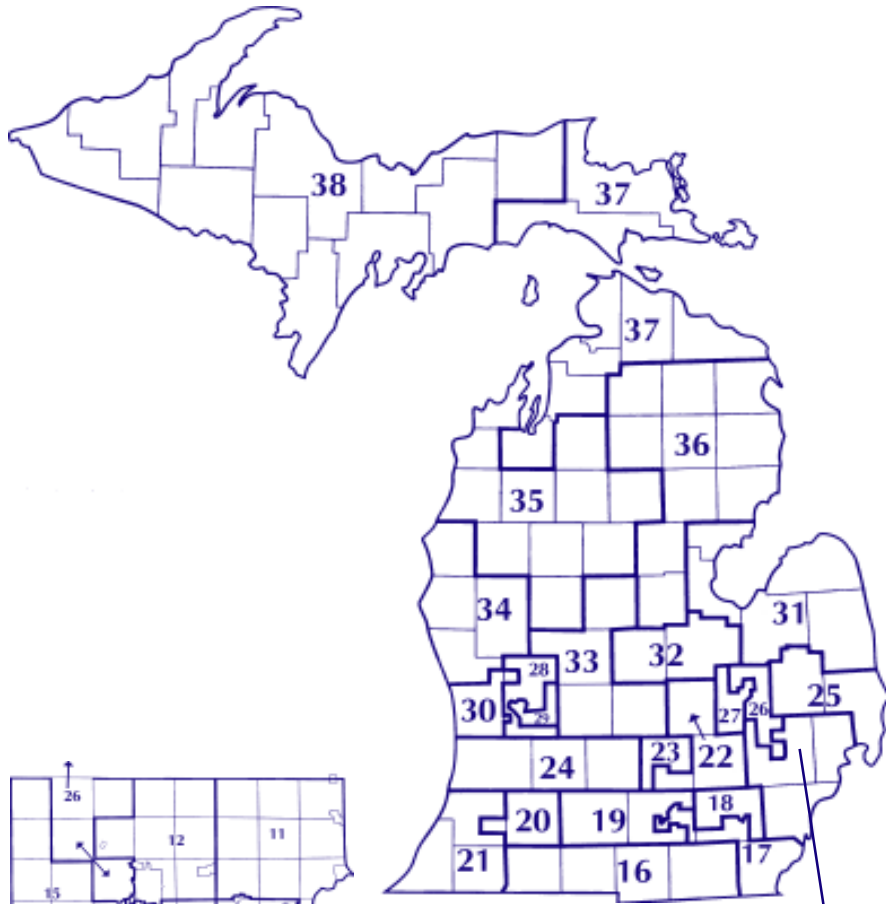
It will immediately eliminate opportunities for women and minorities to have equal access to jobs, education and contracts in Michigan. It is a huge step backward that will roll back progress made by women and minorities and thousands of Michigan families.

## What will happen if affirmative action is eliminated in Michigan?

- **In other states that have eliminated affirmative action, lawsuits threaten the ability of the state to provide gender-specific health services such as breast, cervical or prostate cancer screening.**
- Gender- and minority-based representation on boards and commissions, **including advisory boards dealing with public health**, corrections, and education will end.
- Programs to encourage men to become teachers or nurses, where they are under-represented and needed, will be eliminated.
- Outreach programs that encourage minorities and women to enter fields such as police, fire fighting, and engineering or to attend college will be ended.
- Programs to encourage women and minorities to stay in school and prepare for good-paying jobs in engineering, science, or even construction and law enforcement will be eliminated.
- Affirmative action goals for contracting or hiring in state and local governments will be eliminated, and there will be fewer opportunities for minority and women-owned firms to compete with big business.

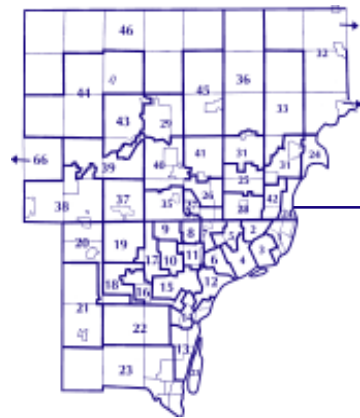
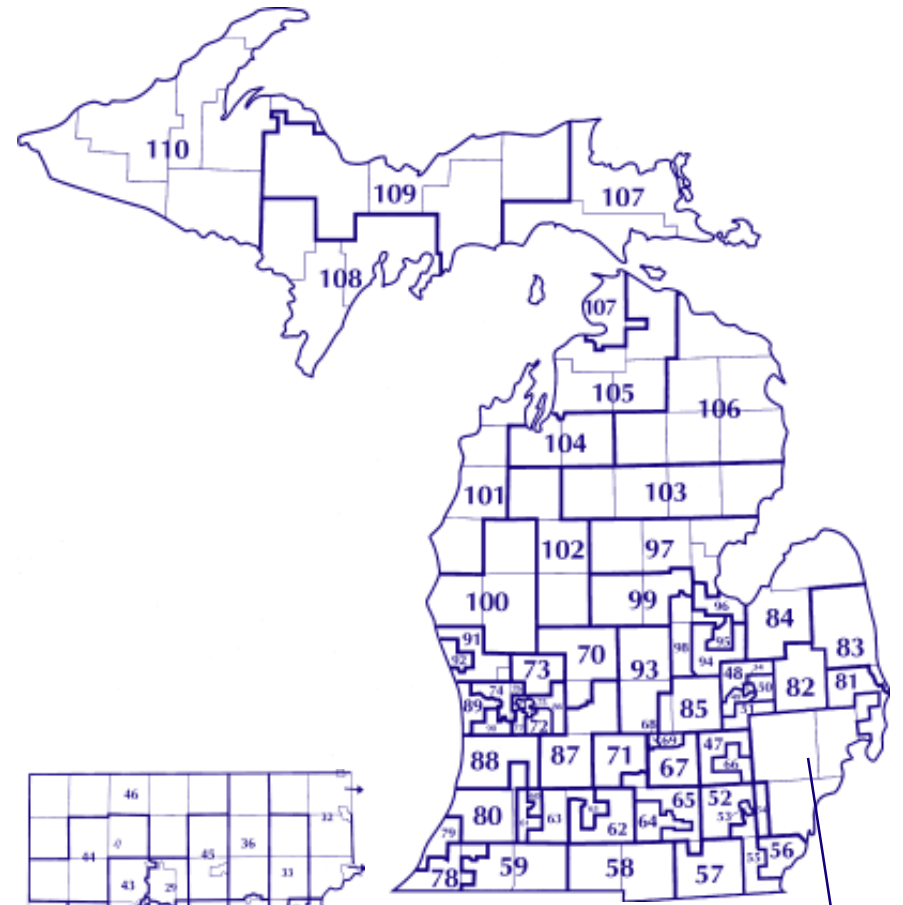
**Planned Parenthood Advocates of Michigan has joined the One United Michigan coalition. We urge you to Vote NO on Proposal 2 on November 7.**





**Detroit Detail**

**Michigan Senate Districts**



**Detroit Detail**

**Michigan House Districts**

## How to use this guide:

Use the map on page 5 to locate your Congressional district. The endorsements for your area are listed by Congressional district in the pages that follow.

We mailed questionnaires to all candidates for Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, State Board of Education, State Senate, and State Representative. You can see how your candidates' responded online at [www.miplannedparenthood.org](http://www.miplannedparenthood.org).

## 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Alcona, Alger, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Baraga, Bay (part), Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Chippewa, Crawford, Delta, Dickinson, Emmet, Gladwin, Gogebic, Houghton, Iosco, Iron, Keweenaw, Luce, Mackinac, Marquette, Menominee, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Ontonagon, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, and Schoolcraft.

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
**U.S. Congress Candidates** Don Hooper (R) **Bart Stupak** — 0% (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	31 <i>None</i>	96 <i>None</i>
<b>Attorney General</b> Amos Williams (D)	36 <i>None</i> 37 <i>None</i>	97 <i>None</i> 103 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b> Casandra Ulbrich (D)	38 <b>Michael Prusi</b> (D)	105 <i>None</i> 106 <b>Matt Gillard</b> (D) 107 <i>None</i> 108 <i>None</i> 109 Steven Lindberg (D) 110 <i>None</i>

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Allegan (part), Benzie, Kent (part), Lake, Manistee, Mason, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana, Ottawa, and Wexford.

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Peter Hoekstra** — 0% (R) Kimon Kotos (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	24 Suzzette M. Royston (D) 28 Albert S. Abbasse (D)	73 Joseph R. Marckini (D) 74 Steven B. Kauffman (D)
<b>Attorney General</b> Amos Williams (D)	30 <i>None</i> 34 Julie Dennis (D)	88 <i>None</i> 89 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b> Casandra Ulbrich (D)	35 Antoinette Schippers (D)	90 <i>None</i> 91 Mary Valentine (D) 92 <b>Doug Bennett</b> (D) 100 Bill Richards (D) 101 Daniel Collins Scripps (D) 102 Nate Heffron (D)

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Barry, Ionia, and Kent (part).

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Vernon Ehlers** — 9% (R) James R. Rinck (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	24 Suzzette M. Royston (D) 28 Albert S. Abbasse (D)	70 Christopher Mahar (D) 72 <i>None</i>
<b>Attorney General</b> Amos Williams (D)	29 <i>None</i> 30 <i>None</i>	73 Joseph R. Marckini (D) 74 Steven B. Kauffman (D)
<b>State Board of Education</b> Casandra Ulbrich (D)	33 <i>None</i>	75 <i>None</i> 76 <i>None</i> 77 <i>None</i> 86 Melissa M. Casalina (D) 87 Doug Kalnbach (D)

## 4<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** *Clare, Grand Traverse, Gratiot, Isabella, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Mecosta, Midland, Missaukee, Montcalm, Osceola, Roscommon, Saginaw (part), and Shiawassee (part).*

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Dave Camp** — 0% (R) Mike Huckleberry (D)

*Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.*

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	22 <i>None</i>	70 Christopher Mahar (D)
	32 Carl M. Williams (D)	85 <i>None</i>
<b>Attorney General</b>	33 <i>None</i>	93 <i>None</i>
Amos Williams (D)	35 Antoinette Schippers (D)	94 <i>None</i>
	36 <i>None</i>	95 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b>	37 <i>None</i>	97 <i>None</i>
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		98 Jan Taylor Sutherland (D)
		99 <i>None</i>
		101 Daniel Collins Scripps (D)
		102 Nate Heffron (D)
		103 <i>None</i>
		104 <i>None</i>

## 5<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** *Bay (part), Genesee, Saginaw (part), and Tuscola.*

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Dale E. Kildee** — 0% (D) Eric J. Klammer (R)

*Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.*

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	26 <b>Deb Cherry</b> (D)	34 <b>Brenda Clack</b> (D)
	27 <i>None</i>	48 Richard E. Hammel (D)
<b>Attorney General</b>	31 <i>None</i>	49 <b>Lee Gonzales</b> (D)
Amos Williams (D)	32 Carl M. Williams (D)	50 Ted Hammon (D)
		51 Fred Starzyk (D)
<b>State Board of Education</b>		84 <i>None</i>
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		94 <i>None</i>
		95 <i>None</i>
		96 <i>None</i>
		98 Jan Taylor Sutherland (D)

## 6<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** *Allegan (part), Berrien, Calhoun (part), Cass, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, and Van Buren.*

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Fred Upton** — 36% (R) Kim Clark (D)

*Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.*

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	16 Timothy Christner (D)	59 <i>None</i>
	19 <b>Mark Schauer</b> (D)	60 Robert B. Jones (D)
<b>Attorney General</b>	20 Alexander C. Lipsey (D)	61 Julie M. Rogers (D)
Amos Williams (D)	21 <i>None</i>	62 Lynne Haley (D)
	24 Suzzette M. Royston (D)	63 Phyllis A. Smith (D)
<b>State Board of Education</b>		78 Judy Truesdell (D)
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		79 <i>None</i>
		80 Jessie N. Olson (D)
		88 <i>None</i>

## 7<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** *Branch, Calhoun (part), Eaton, Hillsdale, Jackson, Lenawee, and Washtenaw (part).*

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** Tim Walberg (R) Sharon Marie Renier (D)

*Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.*

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	16 Timothy Christner (D)	52 <b>Pam Byrnes</b> (D)
	17 <i>None</i>	54 <b>Alma Wheeler Smith</b> (D)
<b>Attorney General</b>	18 <b>Liz Brater</b> (D)	55 <i>None</i>
Amos Williams (D)	19 <b>Mark Schauer</b> (D)	57 <i>None</i>
	24 Suzzette M. Royston (D)	58 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b>		62 Lynne Haley (D)
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		63 Phyllis A. Smith (D)
		64 <i>None</i>
		65 <i>None</i>
		71 Victor Braatz (D)

## 8<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Clinton, Ingham, Livingston, Oakland (part), and Shiawassee (part).

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Mike Rogers** — 0% (R) Jim Marcinkowski (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	12 <i>None</i>	44 Mark Venie (D)
	15 <i>None</i>	46 <i>None</i>
<b>Attorney General</b>	22 <i>None</i>	47 Mary Andersson (D)
Amos Williams (D)	23 <b>Gretchen Whitmer</b> (D)	66 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b>	26 <b>Deb Cherry</b> (D)	67 Barb Byrum (D)
Casandra Ulbrich (D)	33 <i>None</i>	68 Joan Bauer (D)
		69 Mark S. Meadows (D)
		85 <i>None</i>
		93 <i>None</i>

## 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Oakland (part).

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Joe Knollenberg** — 0% (R) Nancy Skinner (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	12 <i>None</i>	26 <b>Marie Donigan</b> (D)
	13 Andy Levin (D)	27 <b>Andy Meisner</b> (D)
<b>Attorney General</b>	14 <b>Gilda Jacobs</b> (D)	29 Tim Melton (D)
Amos Williams (D)	15 <i>None</i>	37 <b>Aldo Vagnozzi</b> (D)
<b>State Board of Education</b>	26 <b>Deb Cherry</b> (D)	39 Lisa Brown (D)
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		40 <i>None</i>
		41 Eric Gregory (D)
		43 <i>None</i>
		45 Thomas L. Werth (D)
		46 <i>None</i>

## 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Huron, Lapeer, Macomb (part), Sanilac, and St. Clair.

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Candice Miller** — 0% (R) Robert Denison (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	10 <b>Michael Switalski</b> (D)	24 <i>None</i>
	11 Kenneth Paul Jenkins (D)	25 <i>None</i>
<b>Attorney General</b>	25 <i>None</i>	30 <i>None</i>
Amos Williams (D)	31 <i>None</i>	32 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b>		33 <i>None</i>
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		36 <i>None</i>
		81 <i>None</i>
		82 <i>None</i>
		83 <i>None</i>
		84 <i>None</i>

## 11<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

**Counties:** Oakland (part) and Wayne (part).

**U.S. Senate Candidates** Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)

**U.S. Congress Candidates** **Thaddeus G. McCotter** — 0% (R) Tony Trupiano (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	5 Tupac A. Hunter (D)	16 <i>None</i>
	6 Glenn S. Anderson (D)	17 <i>None</i>
<b>Attorney General</b>	7 Mark Slavens (D)	18 Sam Durante (R)
Amos Williams (D)	8 <i>None</i>	19 <i>None</i>
<b>State Board of Education</b>	15 <i>None</i>	20 <i>None</i>
Casandra Ulbrich (D)	26 <b>Deb Cherry</b> (D)	21 <i>None</i>
		38 <i>None</i>
		39 Lisa Brown (D)
		43 <i>None</i>
		44 Mark Venie (D)
		66 <i>None</i>

## 12<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

Counties: Macomb (part) and Oakland (part).

U.S. Senate Candidates Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
 U.S. Congress Candidates Randell J. Shafer (R) **Sander Levin** — 100% (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	9 None	24 None
	10 <b>Michael Switalski</b> (D)	25 None
Attorney General	11 Kenneth Paul Jenkins (D)	26 <b>Marie Donigan</b> (D)
Amos Williams (D)	13 Andy Levin (D)	27 <b>Andy Meisner</b> (D)
State Board of Education	14 <b>Gilda Jacobs</b> (D)	28 None
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		30 None
		31 <b>Fred Miller</b> (D)
		33 None
		35 <b>Paul Condino</b> (D)
		42 <b>Frank Accavitti</b> (D)

## 13<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

Counties: Wayne (part).

U.S. Senate Candidates Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
 U.S. Congress Candidates **Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick** — 100% (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	1 <b>Hansen Clarke</b> (D)	1 Timothy Bledsoe (D)
	2 <b>Martha Scott</b> (D)	2 <b>Lamar Lemmons, Jr.</b> (D)
Attorney General	3 <b>Irma Clark-Coleman</b> (D)	3 None
Amos Williams (D)	4 <b>Buzz Thomas</b> (D)	4 Coleman A. Young (D)
State Board of Education	8 None	5 Bert Johnson (D)
Casandra Ulbrich (D)		6 <b>Marsha G. Cheeks</b> (D)
		7 <b>Virgil Smith</b> (D)
		11 <b>Morris W. Hood</b> (D)
		12 <b>Steve Tobocman</b> (D)
		13 <b>Barbara Farrah</b> (D)
		14 None

## 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

Counties: Wayne.

U.S. Senate Candidates Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
 U.S. Congress Candidates Chad Miles (R) **John Conyers, Jr.** — 100% (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	2 <b>Martha Scott</b> (D)	5 Bert Johnson (D)
	3 <b>Irma Clark-Coleman</b> (D)	6 <b>Marsha G. Cheeks</b> (D)
Attorney General	4 <b>Buzz Thomas</b> (D)	7 <b>Virgil Smith</b> (D)
Amos Williams (D)	5 Tupac A. Hunter (D)	8 <b>George Cushingberry</b> (D)
State Board of Education	7 Mark Slavens (D)	9 None
Casandra Ulbrich (D)	8 None	10 <b>Gabe Leland</b> (D)
		11 <b>Morris Hood</b> (D)
		13 <b>Barbara Farrah</b> (D)
		14 None
		15 <b>Gino H. Polidori</b> (D)
		16 None
		23 <b>Kathleen Law</b> (D)

## 15<sup>th</sup> Congressional District

Counties: Monroe, Washtenaw and Wayne.

U.S. Senate Candidates Michael Bouchard (R) **Debbie Stabenow** — 100% (D)  
 U.S. Congress Candidates **John D. Dingell** — 91% (D)

Candidate's voting record is indicated after his or her name where available.

### Endorsements

Governor	Michigan Senate	Michigan House
<b>Jennifer Granholm</b> (D)	3 <b>Irma Clark-Coleman</b> (D)	15 <b>Gino H. Polidori</b> (D)
	5 Tupac A. Hunter (D)	16 None
Attorney General	7 Mark Slavens (D)	17 None
Amos Williams (D)	8 None	22 <b>Hoon-Yung Hopgood</b> (D)
State Board of Education	17 None	23 <b>Kathleen Law</b> (D)
Casandra Ulbrich (D)	18 <b>Liz Brater</b> (D)	52 <b>Pam Byrnes</b> (D)
		53 Rebekah Warren (D)
		54 <b>Alma Wheeler Smith</b> (D)
		55 None
		56 None