



Candidate Platform Review

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A full version of the RPT Platform can be found at www.TexasGOP.org**

Rule No. 43 – Candidate Platform Review: The Republican Party of Texas shall make an electronic copy of the most recent Platform available on its website. The County or State Chairman shall distribute a copy of the Platform to each candidate along with all other candidate application papers. The County or State Chairman shall request each non-judicial candidate to indicate whether the candidate agrees, disagrees, or is undecided for each bullet point item of the Party Principles included in the Preamble of the Platform and may include comments if desired. The County or State Chairman shall also request that each non-judicial candidate read the entire Platform and indicate at least ten (10) line items from the Platform that the candidate strongly supports. All candidates for non-judicial offices should file the completed Platform Review containing the candidate’s responses at the time of filing for office. Candidates’ responses shall be collected and recorded by the filing entity and may be published on the filing entity’s website prior to the primary. If the filing entity has no website, a copy of the candidate’s responses may be received from the filing entity. At the discretion of the Executive Committee of the filing entity, a candidate’s response may be excluded from posting to the website of the filing entity.

Rule No. 43A: The Platform Committee of the biennial State Convention shall prepare a list of no less than ten (10) and no more than twenty (20) principles included in the Preamble of the Platform of the Republican Party of Texas which clearly defines the Party’s values, with the knowledge and purpose that they be used to identify candidate values as stated in Rule No. 43. A candidate must return the candidate’s completed Platform Review and the completed Candidate Resource Committee (CRC) funding application to be eligible to receive funds from the CRC of the SREC.

Principles

1. “The laws of nature and nature’s God,” and we support the strict adherence to the original language and intent of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitutions of the United States and of Texas.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided
2. The sanctity of innocent human life, created in the image of God, which should be equally protected from fertilization to natural death.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided
3. Preserving individual, Texan, and American sovereignty and freedom.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided
4. Limiting government power to those items enumerated in the United States and Texas Constitutions.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided
5. Personal accountability and responsibility.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided
6. Self-sufficient families, founded on the traditional marriage of a natural man and a natural woman.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided
7. Having an educated population, with parents having the freedom of choice for the education of their children.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	<input type="checkbox"/> Disagree	<input type="checkbox"/> Undecided

COLLIER

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, HOUSE DISTRICT 5

CONSTITUTIONAL PRIORITIES

- Enforcement of the Constitution Article 4 Section 4 (RPT Platform #15)
- Repeal and replace Texas Code 418 (RPT Platform 21.a.)
- Ban mass lockdowns of people, businesses, or churches (RPT Platform 21.b.)
- Constitutional Amendment requiring the Legislature to come to session following a declared emergency lasting 30 days or more in five or more counties (RPT Platform 21.d)
- Affirm Parental Rights with the passage of a Parental Rights amendment to be added to the Texas Constitution (RPT Platform 30)
- Repeal and/or nullify the National Firearms Act of 1934 and the Gun Control Act of 1968 (RPT Platform 32.a)
- Pass unrestricted Constitutional Carry by amending Article 1, Section 23, of the Texas Constitution by removing, “but the Legislature shall have power, by law, to regulate the wearing of arms, with a view to prevent crime” (RPT Platform 32.b)
- Texas retains the right to secede from the United States, and the Texas Legislature should be called upon to pass a referendum consistent thereto (RPT Platform 33, 225)
- Create an electoral college consisting of electors selected by the popular votes cast within each individual state senatorial district, who shall then elect all statewide office holders (RPT Platform 34)
- Defend human life and abolish abortion from the moment of fertilization (RPT Platform 36, 218, 219)

BUSINESS & FINANCIAL PRIORITIES

- Freeze the state budget, reduce spending, repeal taxes, affirm cash (RPT Platform 75-100)
- Review all Texas Department of Licenses and Regulations (TDLR), business/professional licensing programs, and associated licensing for the purpose of abolishing or removing as many as reasonably possible and repealing those laws, rules, and regulations (RPT Platform 39)
- Reduce Business Regulations to minimal levels (RPT Platform 41)
 - Eliminate Blue laws
 - Eliminate the three-tier alcohol system (production, distribution, and retail)
 - Business and professional licensing
 - Purchase of edible products from small farms

- Protect workers from Woke Initiatives, such as prohibiting ESG training for any students at any level or for any employee (State, public, or private) in Texas and corporate violation of their rights in the Great Reset/Environmental, Social, Governance (ESG) scheme (RPT Platform 46)
- No DEI training for State Employees
- No employer can mandate DEI training as a requirement for employment and refusal to participate in such training cannot be used to refuse hours or promotions.
- Codify in law that nobody shall be compelled to refer to someone as their preferred gender or be forced to use preferred pronouns under threat of penalty by employer or by a local government.
- Nobody can be forced use pronouns in their bio under threat of loss of employment or other retaliation.
- Pass legislation to harden the Texas Electric Grid, and encourage greater energy production throughout Texas (RPT Platform 54, 55, 56, 57)
- Reduce vehicle registration costs, and reform toll road legislation (RPT Platform 65)
- Adopt legislation that protects businesses from COVID-19 liabilities, recognizes all businesses and jobs are essential and a fundamental right, and restrict government from requiring a business to act as an enforcement arm of the state (RPT Platform 67, 68, 69)

FAMILY, EDUCATION, & MEDICAL, PRIORITIES

I PLEDGE TO PRIORITIZE THE ENTIRETY OF PLATFORM PLANKS 101-172

- Codify what a natural man and natural woman is into Texas law (RPT Platform 207)
- Affirm and protect natural marriage (RPT Platform 208, 210-214)
- Protect sex-segregated spaces and organizations that are single-sex (RPT Platform 207, 216)
- Protect Parental Rights at odds with "Gender ID"
- No changing Texas ID, Texas DL, birth certificates, historical records, educational records, medical records, vital statistics, or any other legal record to reflect sex or "gender-identity" that is inconsistent with a person's sex as determined at or near birth (RPT Platform 207)
- Remove LGBTQ Sexual Ethics from schools (RPT Platform 209)
- Gender modification should be labeled as child abuse (RPT Platform 209)
- Correct the Texas Code where it allows for health and mental health providers to keep secrets from parents. This code is too broad and open to loose interpretation.
- End Texas Child Mental Health Care Consortium (TCMHCC) and the Texas Child Health Access Through Telemedicine (TCHATT).
- End Whole Community Whole Child initiatives in public education. These initiatives include SEL and programs that although seem to have good intentions undermine the role of parents and have a deleterious effect on family values.
- No curriculum, resources, or training, provided by NGOs like Planned Parenthood, Trevor Project, GSA, GLSEN, New Literacy Project, etcetera (RPT Platform 209, 274)

- End “Media Literacy” in schools.
 - End the affirmative defense for exposing children to obscene materials (RPT Platform 209)
 - End sex clubs for kids (RPT Platform 209)
 - No PRIDE celebrations in public schools (RPT Platform 209)
 - Remove Sex Education (RPT Platform 209)
 - Stop pervasively sexual materials in schools (HB 900 was helpful, much more is needed) (RPT Platform 209)
 - End taxpayer funding for promotion of LGBTQ Sexual Ethics (RPT Platform 209)
 - End Gender ID professionals training school personnel.
 - No drag shows for kids. This is marketing of adult entertainment to kids (RPT Platform 209)
 - No withholding information from parents about a child's use of a different name or pronouns to refer to themselves at school.
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- Stop providing state funds to Universities teaching “Gender Affirming Care.”
 - No DEI training for College Students (partially completed in 88th, but we need to expand, they only ended DEI departments).
 - Defund any university or medical school that violates conscience rights of medical students or doctors by requiring them to provide or receive procedures they are not in agreement with.
 - End compelled courses of study or rotation in Gender Medicine for Medical Students.
 - Defund any university or hospital system doing research on children or animals for the purpose of furthering pediatric gender modification. Texas A&M and UTSW still have doctors who are part of studies.
 - No compelled course of study or rotation in Gender Medicine for Medical Students.
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- End insurance coverage for “transition” procedures, including insurance programs offered through state universities.
 - Disallow insurance coverage for “transition” procedures, including insurance programs offered through state universities.
 - No taxpayer funding for promoting LGBTQ Sexual Ethics.

CRIMINAL & CIVIL JUSTICE

- Transwidow Protections: such as nullification of marriage and freezing of assets
- Pass legislation to allow detransitioners who were sterilized or physically altered by "gender-affirming procedures" to sue doctors and therapists beyond the current 2 year statute of limitations (RPT Platform 207)
- Pass legislation granting the Texas Attorney General full concurrent jurisdiction over multi-jurisdictional cases, to be limited specifically to those cases involving human trafficking (RPT Platform 187)

- Legislation to allow an independent prosecutorial authority to prosecute crimes that maintain order (such as sedition, riot, official oppression, election integrity, etc.) to be delegated to a statewide officer such as the Attorney General (RPT Platform 188)

ELECTION INTEGRITY & GOVERNMENT

- Enact legislation removing foreign enemies who currently own land in the State of Texas and also preventing future ownership of land by our foreign enemies
- House Rules that would require the House Calendar Committee to vote on a bill within 14 days of receipt, or it is automatically put on the calendar (RPT Platform 236)
- House Rules that would automatically set a bill on the calendar within seven days if it is cosponsored by three-fifths of the House members (RPT Platform 236)
- Legislation that would require proof of legal residency for obtaining a Texas driver license and enrolling in public school shall require proof of citizenship for obtaining voter registration and public benefits (RPT Platform 250)
- Legislation that would require all employers to screen new hires through E-Verify (RPT Platform 250)
- Eliminate tax dollars being provided for social or educational programs for illegal aliens, rescinding all laws that provide in-state tuition and nonemergency medical care (RPT Platform 250)
- Invoke Article 1, Section 10, Clause 3 of the US Constitution, also known as the “state self-defense clause,” which asserts that under an active invasion (as defined or declared by the Governor of the State or Texas Legislature), the sovereign state of Texas has the authority and duty to defend Texas citizens against “imminent Danger,” not admitting delay, by any and all appropriate measures the sovereign state defines as necessary to defend from such assaults (RPT Platform 257)
- Equip the Texas Military with the necessary tools and authority to serve and protect Texas State territories and citizens (RPT Platform 257)