

2018 LEGISLATIVE SCORECARD

Indiana Senate 2018 Legislative Session

SENATE	District	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Bassler	R	39	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Bray	R	37	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Brown	R	15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Buck	R	21	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Charbonneau	R	5	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Crane	R	24	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Crider	R	28	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Delph	R	29	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Doriot	R	12	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Eckerty	R	26	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Ford	R	38	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Freeman	R	32	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Head	R	18	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Holdman	R	19	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Houchin	R	47	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Koch	R	44	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Kruse	R	14	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Leising	R	42	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Long	R	16	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Merritt	R	31	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Messmer	R	48	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Mishler	R	9	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Neimeyer	R	6	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Raatz	R	27	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Sandlin	R	36	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Smith	R	45	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Spartz	R	20	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Tomes	R	49	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Walker	R	41	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Young	R	35	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Zakas	R	11	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Zay	R	17	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Glick*	R	13	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	95%
Ruckelshaus*	R	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	95%
Alting	R	22	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	83%
Bohacek	R	8	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	83%
Grooms	R	46	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	83%
Niezgodski	D	10	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	83%
Perfect	R	43	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	83%
Becker	R	50	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓	67%
Boots	R	23	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓	67%
Mrvan	D	1	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	67%
Lanane	D	25	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	33%
Breaux	D	34	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	17%
Melton	D	3	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	17%
Stoops	D	40	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	17%
Tallian	D	4	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	17%
Taylor	D	33	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	17%
Randolph	D	2	✗	✗	✗	E	E	0%

1. STRENGTHENING PARENTAL CONSENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SB 65 Kruse (R-14) House Sponsor Wesco (R-21) strengthens parental consent in public schools. We have seen increasing evidence that some public schools are promoting homosexuality, gender confusion and straying from the abstinence only sex education mandated by state law. This bill requires public schools to inform parents twice within a 31 day window before instructing on human sexuality, allowing the parent to opt their child out of the instruction and providing alternative instruction. In the process of informing the parents, they will be notified with a summary of the proposed instruction on human sexuality and reminded that they have a right to review and inspect all materials used to instruct their child. **IFI Supported.**
Yes (✓) = 37 No (✗) = 12 Excused(E) = 0 Not Voting(NV) = 0
Status: Signed by the Governor.

2. HOSTILE AMENDMENT TO SB 65

Senator Jean Breaux (D-34) offered Amendment #2 to SB 65. This hostile amendment would have encouraged activists to promote homosexuality and gender confusion within public schools. **IFI Opposed.**
Yes (✓) = 9 No (✗) = 40 Excused(E) = 0 Not Voting(NV) = 0
Status: Defeated.

3. PROTECTING THE HEALTH OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

SB 340 Brown (R-15) House Sponsor Mayfield (R-60) requires abortion providers who wish to open an abortion facility in Indiana to reveal violations of the law in other states as part of the application process. It also requires abortion clinics to more thoroughly report medical complications due to their abortion procedures, in order to better protect women from these complication in the future. Furthermore, it codifies the information abortion clinics must share with the State Department of Health, in order to hold abortion providers accountable when they violate state law. **IFI Supported.**
Yes (✓) = 38 No (✗) = 11 Excused(E) = 0 Not Voting(NV) = 0
Status: Signed by the Governor.

4. CRIMES AGAINST AN UNBORN CHILD

SB 203 Freeman (R-32) House Sponsor Speedy (R-90) allows a separate criminal charge to be filed against a criminal who attacks a pregnant woman and kills her unborn child, at any stage of development within the womb. Previous criminal law did not give protection to the unborn child before "viability" and did not allow for a separate criminal charge. Even though this law will not affect elective abortions, SB 203 recognizes that all human life, from conception forward, deserves protection. **IFI Supported.**
Yes (✓) = 42 No (✗) = 6 Excused(E) = 1 Not Voting(NV) = 0
Status: Signed by the Governor.

5. PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM CRIMES ON THE INTERNET

SB 68 Crider (R-28) would have encouraged law enforcement to direct more resources toward crimes against children on the internet. **IFI Supported.**
Yes (✓) = 48 No (✗) = 0 Excused(E) = 1 Not Voting(NV) = 0
Status: Passed the Senate, but did not get a hearing in the House and died.

6. PROTECTING HOUSES OF WORSHIP

SB 33 Sandlin (R-4) House Sponsor Speedy (90) would have closed a loophole in Indiana law regarding the security of churches. Currently in Indiana law, if a church has a school anywhere on the property, it is a felony for any citizen, other than a law enforcement officer, to possess a firearm on church property, even on Sundays when the school is empty. As violent crimes against people of faith at their house of worship has increased in recent years, many churches around the state provide security for their worship services on Sunday through trained volunteers. SB 33 would have treated all churches the same within state law and allowed them to provide security for their congregations as they see fit. **IFI Supported.**
Yes (✓) = 43 No (✗) = 5 Excused(E) = 1 Not Voting(NV) = 0
Status: Passed the Senate, but died in the House.

*Senators Glick and Ruckelshaus authored SB 418. This "Bias Crimes" bill would have politicized criminal sentencing and created special classes for "sexual orientation" and "gender identity." SB 418 was opposed by IFI, therefore Senator's Glick and Ruckelshaus cannot qualify for the 100% Club.

Review our 2018 Legislative Agenda at hoosierfamily.org for more details on the bills IFI tracked this legislative session.

Color Key		Chart Key	
100% CLUB	✓	✓	Voted with IFI's Position
FAMILY ADVOCATE	✗	✗	Voted against IFI's Position
AVERAGE	NV	NV	Did Not Vote
NEEDS IMPROVEMENT	E	E	Excused Absence
HOSTILE			

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Yes (✓) = 69 No (x) = 27 Excused(E) = 4 Not Voting(NV) = 0

Status: Signed by the Governor.

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Yes (✓) = 67 No (x) = 26 Excused(E) = 6 Not Voting(NV) = 1

Status: Signed by the Governor.

3. HOSTILE AMENDMENT TO SB 340

Terri Austin (D-36) introduced Amendment #4. This hostile amendment to SB 340 would have allowed abortion providers to hide the facts regarding the activities of their abortion doctors, making it impossible to hold these abortionists accountable when they endanger the lives of the women in their care. **IFI Opposed.**

Yes (x) = 35 No (✓) = 57 Excused(E) = 4 Not Voting(NV) = 4

Status: Defeated.

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Yes (✓) = 96 No (x) = 0 Excused(E) = 3 Not Voting(NV) = 1

Status: Signed by the Governor.

*Cannot qualify for 100% Club with multiple absences.

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100% CLUB	✓	✓	Voted with IFI's Position
FAMILY ADVOCATE	x	x	Voted against IFI's Position
AVERAGE	NV	NV	Did Not Vote
NEEDS IMPROVEMENT	E	E	Excused Absence
HOSTILE			

House	District	1	2	3	4		
Bacon	R	75	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Behning	R	91	✓	✓	E	✓	100%
Beumer	R	33	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Borders	R	45	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Bosma	R	88	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Brown, T.	R	41	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Burton	R	58	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Carbaugh	R	81	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Cherry	R	53	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Culver	R	49	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Davisson	R	73	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
DeVon	R	5	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Ellington	R	62	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Engleman	R	70	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Friend	R	23	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Frizzell	R	93	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Frye	R	67	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Gutwein	R	16	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Hamm	R	56	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Heaton	R	46	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Heine	R	85	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Huston	R	37	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Jordan	R	17	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Judy	R	83	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Karickhoff	R	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Lehe	R	25	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Lehman	R	79	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Lindauer	R	63	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Lucas	R	69	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
May	R	65	✓	✓	E	✓	100%
Mayfield	R	60	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
McNamara	R	76	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Miller	R	48	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Morris	R	84	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Negele	R	13	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Nisly	R	22	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Olthoff	R	19	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Pressel	R	20	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Schaibley	R	24	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Slager	R	15	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Smaltz	R	52	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Smith, M.	R	59	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Soliday	R	4	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Speedy	R	90	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Steuerwald	R	40	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Thompson	R	28	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Torr	R	39	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
VanNatter	R	38	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Washburne	R	64	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Wesco	R	21	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Wolkins	R	18	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Young, J.	R	47	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Zent	R	51	✓	✓	✓	✓	100%
Morrison*	R	42	E	E	✓	✓	95%
Richardson*	R	29	E	E	✓	✓	95%
Saunders*	R	54	✓	✓	E	E	95%
Aylesworth	R	11	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Bartels	R	74	x	✓	✓	✓	75%
Cook	R	32	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Eberhart	R	57	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Kirchhofer	R	89	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Leonard	R	50	x	✓	✓	✓	75%
Lyness	R	68	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Mahan	R	31	✓	✓	NV	✓	75%
Sullivan	R	78	✓	✓	NV	✓	75%
Taylor, J.	D	7	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Ziemke	R	55	✓	✓	x	✓	75%
Baird	R	44	✓	E	x	✓	67%
Austin	D	36	✓	x	x	✓	50%
Clere	R	72	x	✓	x	✓	50%
Dvorak	D	8	✓	x	x	✓	50%
Errington	D	34	✓	x	x	✓	50%
Klinker	D	27	x	✓	x	✓	50%
Lawson	D	1	E	E	x	✓	50%
Ober	R	82	x	x	✓	✓	50%
Shackelford	D	98	✓	x	x	✓	50%
Siegrist	R	26	x	x	✓	✓	50%
Wright	D	35	✓	x	x	✓	50%
Bartlett	D	95	x	x	E	✓	33%
Goodin	D	66	x	E	x	✓	33%
Brown, C.	D	3	x	x	x	✓	25%
DeLaney	D	86	x	x	x	✓	25%
Forestal	D	100	x	x	x	✓	25%
GiaQuinta	D	80	x	x	x	✓	25%
Hamilton	D	87	x	x	x	✓	25%
Harris	D	2	x	x	x	✓	25%
Hatfield	D	77	x	x	x	✓	25%
Kersey	D	43	x	x	x	✓	25%
Macer	D	92	x	x	NV	✓	25%
Moed	D	97	x	x	x	✓	25%
Moseley	D	10	x	x	x	✓	25%
Pelath	D	9	x	x	x	✓	25%
Pierce	D	61	x	x	x	✓	25%
Porter	D	96	x	x	x	✓	25%
Pryor	D	94	x	x	x	✓	25%
Smith, V.	D	14	x	x	x	✓	25%
Summers	D	99	x	x	x	✓	25%
Bauer	D	6	x	NV	NV	E	0%
Candelaria Reardon	D	12	x	x	x	NV	0%
Stemler	D	71	E	E	x	E	0%