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Republican State Auditor candidate supports abortion ban after six weeks

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ST. PAUL, Minn. — Republican state auditor candidate Ryan Wilson supports a ban on abortion around six weeks, according to a Minnesota Family Council (MFC) questionnaire.

The questionnaire asked candidates nine questions; for example, if they support a ban on abortion around six weeks and oppose all taxpayer funding of abortion.

Wilson was the *only* statewide candidate to directly answer yes to every question, without any qualification, according to the response legend. The MFC recently [removed](#) the questionnaire from their website; however, the [link](#) was recovered.

While all of Wilson’s answers are problematic, his anti-abortion stances can have a particular impact on the state auditor’s office.

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