



## **RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT**

### **Resolution Committee Members:**

**Jim Quick**

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**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE IDENTIFICATION OF PARTY AFFILIATION FOR CANDIDATES FOR  
MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN CABARRUS COUNTY**

**WHEREAS**, elected members of the municipal governments of Concord, Harrisburg, Kannapolis, Midland, and Mount Pleasant are currently elected as nonpartisan candidates; and,

**WHEREAS**, identification of candidates' party and/or ideological affiliation will provide voters with more information on the policies and positions such candidates support; and,

**WHEREAS**, North Carolina General Statutes allow for the partisan municipal elections in § 163-291 of our general statutes,

**WHEREAS**, election clarity and transparency are of utmost importance to ensure voters a basis for their decisions;

**WHEREAS**, legislative approval is needed to alter the election method for Mayor and Town/Cities Councils in Concord, Harrisburg, Kannapolis, Midland, and Mount Pleasant;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Cabarrus County Republican Party as follows:

1. The Cabarrus County Republican Party requests the North Carolina General Assembly place a referendum on the November ballot to establish the party affiliation of candidates for Mayor and City Council for the City of Concord, Mayor and Town Council for Harrisburg, Mayor and City Council for the City of Kannapolis, Mayor and Town Council for the Town of Midland and Mayor and Board of Commissioners for the Town of Mount Pleasant on any/all primary and general election ballots;
3. Further, this change in the election of the municipal leaders shall not impact the terms of any current elected municipal leaders;
4. The Republican Party requests the Republican members of the Cabarrus County Delegation to the General Assembly enact a local bill authorizing these municipal referendums and;
7. A copy of this resolution be sent to the Republican elected leaders in each municipality and to Cabarrus County Members of the North Carolina General Assembly.

# Resolution to Abolish Abortion

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**Whereas**, Article 4.1 of the North Carolina Republican Party Platform states: *“We believe in the sanctity of **all** human life. Unborn children have constitutional rights to life and liberty and, the government must respect and protect **all** innocent human life from conception to natural death.”***[Emphasis added.]**<sup>1</sup>

**Whereas**, the value of human life is not based upon the circumstances of conception including children conceived in rape and incest, as ALL children have inherent worth as a reflection of their Creator and are included in the North Carolina Republican Party Platform’s category of “**all**” human life under Article 4.1.

**Whereas**, on June 24, 2022, the United States Supreme Court issued its decision in Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization, 597 U.S 215. Quoting from its decision: *“Abortion presents a profound moral question. **The Constitution does not prohibit the citizens of each State from regulating or prohibiting abortion.**”***[Emphasis added.]**<sup>2</sup>

**Whereas**, North Dakota, South Dakota, Idaho, Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky, Indiana, and West Virginia have completely banned and/or made abortions unavailable.<sup>3</sup>

**Whereas**, **ALL** unborn children in the State of North Carolina are vulnerable to abortion under the current “12 week ban,” as each child must pass through the first 12 weeks of human gestation to be protected from abortion.

**Whereas**, a medical separation procedure performed during a medical emergency **in order to save the life of the mother** is NOT an abortion (the intentional killing of the unborn child during the process of separation).

**Whereas**, dignified, humane treatment of an unborn child who does not survive a medical separation procedure is NOT an abortion.

**Whereas**, the North Carolina General Assembly has legal authority to abolish abortion within the borders of North Carolina.

**Whereas**, Article 4.12 of the North Carolina Republican Party Platform states: *“We oppose the sale, purchase, possession, or use of fetal tissue or body parts obtained from induced abortions.”*<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> [https://assets.nationbuilder.com/ncgop/mailings/5053/attachments/original/2022\\_NCGOP\\_Platform\\_-\\_Adopted.pdf?1691000625](https://assets.nationbuilder.com/ncgop/mailings/5053/attachments/original/2022_NCGOP_Platform_-_Adopted.pdf?1691000625)

<sup>2</sup> [https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/21pdf/19-1392\\_6j37.pdf](https://www.supremecourt.gov/opinions/21pdf/19-1392_6j37.pdf)

<sup>3</sup> <https://www.nbcnews.com/data-graphics/abortion-state-tracking-trigger-laws-bans-restrictions-rcna36199>

<sup>4</sup> [https://assets.nationbuilder.com/ncgop/mailings/5053/attachments/original/2022\\_NCGOP\\_Platform\\_-\\_Adopted.pdf?1691000625](https://assets.nationbuilder.com/ncgop/mailings/5053/attachments/original/2022_NCGOP_Platform_-_Adopted.pdf?1691000625)



**Whereas**, the use of tissue from aborted children in the development of vaccines and in medical research negates the value of all human life.<sup>5</sup>

**Whereas**, in April 2021, the National Institutes of Health reversed Trump era restrictions on research using tissue from aborted children,<sup>6</sup> such that aborted children have once again been made available for sale.<sup>7</sup>

**Whereas**, ALL North Carolina school children are required by law to receive multiple vaccines developed using cell lines of aborted children,<sup>8,9,10</sup> and therefore, the children of Pro-Life North Carolinians are required to participate in abortion, or assert a medical or religious exemption on their children's behalf.

**Whereas**, beginning in 2021, all North Carolinians were required to receive Covid-19 vaccines, all of which were developed using cell lines of aborted children (Pfizer and Moderna: HEK293) and (J&J: PER-C6),<sup>11</sup> thereby forcing Pro-Life North Carolinians to participate in abortion, assert a medical or religious exemption (often denied), and/or face discrimination, employment termination, or other life-changing consequences.

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the North Carolina Republican Party calls upon the North Carolina General Assembly to enact legislation, consistent with the Party Platform, to abolish abortion and subject providers who perform abortion to criminal penalties.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the North Carolina Republican Party calls upon the North Carolina General Assembly to enact legislation to end the use of cells, cell lines, tissues, organs, and any other body part of aborted children in research and scientific experimentation, and subject violators to criminal penalties.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the North Carolina Republican Party calls upon the North Carolina General Assembly to enact legislation to end the use of cells, cell lines, tissues, organs, and any other body part of aborted children in the development of vaccines, pharmaceuticals, medicines, cosmetics, and any other product for use, sale, manufacture, testing, or distribution in the State of North Carolina, and subject violators to criminal penalties.

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Lanny Lancaster, Chairman, Cabarrus County Republican Party

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<sup>5</sup> <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC6027112/>

<sup>6</sup> <https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-021-01035-6> Original archived at <https://web.archive.org/web/20210417004455/https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-021-01035-6>

<sup>7</sup> <https://www.seattletimes.com/nation-world/who-buys-sells-and-uses-fetal-tissue-acquired-from-abortion-clinics/>

<sup>8</sup> [https://bioethicsarchive.georgetown.edu/pcbe/transcripts/sept08/deisher\\_statement.pdf](https://bioethicsarchive.georgetown.edu/pcbe/transcripts/sept08/deisher_statement.pdf)

<sup>9</sup> <https://www.lumenfidei.ie/documents/dr-stanley-plotkin-testimony.pdf>  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DFTsd042M3o>

<sup>10</sup> <https://cogforlife.org/wp-content/uploads/Aborted-Fetal-Cell-Line-Chart.pdf>

<sup>11</sup> Id.

## **Resolution for Medical Freedom and Individual Liberty**

**Whereas**, in March of 2020, we the people of North Carolina were told that the COVID 19 virus presented a grave danger to all. We were then instructed, and in many cases mandated, to wear masks, accept experimental injections and socially distance.

**Whereas**, the government of North Carolina then took administrative and legislative actions which further eroded individual liberty:

Governor Cooper issued Executive Orders (EO) #116 and #117 which declared a state of emergency and gave him unprecedented authority he used to prohibit public gatherings, including worship services, and to close all K-12 public schools.

The North Carolina General Assembly (NCGA) passed bill H1043 which funded testing, tracking, and tracing of citizens. EO #147 mandated all people to wear masks in public or face civil or criminal penalties.

The NCGA repealed the anti-mask statute (GS14-12.11) to allow universal masking, and passed SB232 which also made private businesses the enforcement arm of the mask mandates.

Inaction by the NCGA allowed violations of personal liberty, privacy, and body autonomy. Had a version of H558 passed, administrative mandates for invasive procedures, such as COVID injections and testing, and for proof of vaccination to move about freely and, in many cases, to maintain employment, would be prohibited.

**Whereas**, unlike other state legislatures and the US Congress, the NCGA failed to conduct hearings to investigate alternative therapeutic protocols, including those based on medications such as ivermectin and hydroxychloroquine, which could have reduced fear, physical suffering, and death. Rather, the state government chose a hostile stance towards alternatives to government sanctioned COVID protocols including taking such actions as sending threatening communications to medical professionals.

**Whereas**, Covid treatment protocols from the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and guidance from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) were in many instances erroneous, ineffective and/or fraudulent. These agencies now admit that masks do not stop viral transmission, that COVID injections do not stop transmission or prevent infection, and that there was no data to support six feet distancing.

Government agencies, media, pharmaceutical companies, and other corporations and influencers continue to claim covid 19 injections are "safe and effective", while mounting evidence demonstrates alarming rates of disabling and deadly adverse events while effectiveness is increasingly suspect.

**Whereas**, COVID genetic therapy injection contents deposit widely throughout the tissues of body, are highly variable lot to lot in concentration of mRNA and of contaminants, and theoretical mechanisms exist by which they could alter human DNA.

**Whereas**, Article 4.1 of the North Carolina Republican Party Platform states: "We believe in the sanctity of all human life. Unborn children have constitutional rights to life and liberty and, the government must respect and protect all innocent human life from conception to natural death."

**Whereas**, Article 4.11 of the North Carolina Republican Party Platform states: "We oppose the sale, purchase, possession, or use of fetal tissue or body parts obtained from induced abortions.

**Whereas**, all C-19 vaccines in use today were developed using aborted fetal cell lines and therefore violate the Pro-Life conscience and the Party platform,

**Therefore, be it resolved**, that Republican Party of North Carolina (NCGOP) calls upon the state legislature to prohibit the sale and administration of mRNA, or other gene altering injections which are designed as immunizing agents against infecting pathogens.

**Be it further resolved**, that NCGOP calls for comprehensive open and unbiased biomedical research, open and uncensored discussion of preventive and therapeutic medical strategies, full disclosure of any potential conflicts of interest of researchers and authorities, and proper accountability for all entities whose fraudulent or negligent actions caused harm.

**Be it further resolved**, that NCGOP calls for the NCGA to pass legislation ending the use of aborted children in science and banning abortion developed or derived medical products.

**Be it further resolved**, that NCGOP rejects any attempt by state or federal government authority to violate our constitutional right to assemble, including for corporate worship.

**Be it further resolved**, that NCGOP opposes any attempt to reinstate unconstitutional invasions of privacy and personal liberty such as the proposed rules properly rejected by the NC Commissioner of Labor. Those rules would have established a system to force masking, distancing, tracking, tracing, testing, and other invasions, including injections.

**Be it further resolved**, that NCGOP rejects yielding any authority to unaccountable and unelected agencies, such as the World Health Organization, as a threat to state and national sovereignty, and to personal liberty.

**Be it further resolved**, that NCGOP recognizes that all North Carolinians are endowed by our Creator with inalienable rights which are affirmed by our founding documents, and mean that no government entity, whether executive, legislative, judicial, or administrative, nor any private entity, including but not limited to businesses, schools, and places of employment, shall ever have any authority to coerce or force upon any human being, born or unborn, any medical procedure or practice including but not limited to masking, testing, vaccination, medical experiments, pharmaceuticals, or any other medical product as a condition of citizenship, patronage, employment, education, worship, assembly, or movement.

*Originally submitted & reconciled: 1<sup>st</sup> Congressional District, 2<sup>nd</sup> Congressional District, 3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District, 4<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, 13<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, Buncombe County Republican Party, Carteret County Republican Party, Craven County Republican Party, Hoke County Republican Party, Richmond County Republican Party, and the Scotland County Republican Party. Also*

*included with a sense of fairness and reconciled are the original submissions received after the deadline that preceded their conventions of April 13, 2024: 8<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, 5<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, and 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District. Stokes County Republican Party, Iredell County Republican Party.*

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