

**Kentucky Candidate Information Survey**



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Shawn Thatcher, Billy Wesley & Billy Williams chose not to participate.



**91<sup>st</sup> HOUSE DISTRICT**



**Brent Duncil**

**Vote Kentucky!**

*The best way to prepare Kentucky students for the modern economy is a strong, content-rich, basic education for every child.*

**“STRONGLY AGREE.** All children deserve a quality education and they should have a positive education experience.”

*Leaders should make reforming Kentucky’s antiquated tax system a top priority.*

**Three candidates chose not to participate.**

**“STRONGLY AGREE.** Citizens need help and cutting some taxes is beneficial. Some taxes need reformed.”

*In Kentucky schools, women should compete against biological women (not biological men who identify as women) in athletic contests.*

**“STRONGLY AGREE.** That is like saying to make an apple pie, cut up oranges.”

*Kentucky should pass legislation raising the minimum wage.*

**“STRONGLY AGREE.** Everyone needs to make a “living wage” and minimum wage is too low.”

*The state should acknowledge global warming and work to limit Kentucky’s contribution to it.*

**“AGREE.** The environment is mankind’s responsibility.”

*The state should stop U of L’s partnership with Louisville’s oldest abortion clinic.*

**“STRONGLY AGREE.** Abortion is wrong!!! If you do not want the child, let someone adopt!”

*Public schools should allow students to use bathrooms and locker rooms in accordance with their chosen gender identity.*

**“STRONGLY DISAGREE.** Girls use the girls’ facilities and boys use the boys’ facilities.”

*A tuition tax-credit system should be established for needy students wanting to go to non-public schools.*

**“STRONGLY DISAGREE.** I am a teacher and children have a wonderful opportunity in public schools.”

*To reduce teen pregnancies, minors should have access to contraception without parental knowledge.*

**“STRONGLY DISAGREE.** Parents have control of their kids until they are of legal age. Parents have a right to know.”

*Kentucky should legalize recreational marijuana.*

**“AGREE.** It is no worse than drinking, but better than meth, opioids, or heroin.”

*The legislature should pass a statewide “Fairness Ordinance.”*

**“\_\_\_\_\_.** Cannot answer because I do not know what we are being fair about. Sex (gender), race, or religion, yes. Gay rights, no. We have civil rights.”

*Churches and religious groups must be protected from state discrimination on the basis of their beliefs about marriage and sexuality.*

**“STRONGLY AGREE.** Marriage is between a man and a woman.”

**About the Kentucky Candidate Information Survey (KCIS) . . .**

• The purpose of the **KCIS** is to reliably report candidates’ views to voters in order to improve:

- 1) voter knowledge of the candidates;
- 2) voter participation; and
- 3) the quality of the democratic process.

• The **KCIS** is designed to neutrally, yet concisely, report the candidates’ views in their own words on a broad range of issues. Each candidate was asked to respond to the assertions listed and was given 20 words to qualify his or her response. This issues-only, head-to-head approach avoids pushing a particular agenda, but at the same time, cuts through the political rhetoric often found in campaign literature.

• The **KCIS** is a non-partisan project of the Family Trust Foundation of Kentucky, a non-profit educational organization incorporated in order to encourage and strengthen families in our state. Encouraging responsible citizenship and increasing voter participation are two of its objectives.

• For more information on the **KCIS**, call (859) 255-5300 or for more information on the candidates, visit:

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**Be sure to take time to vote on Tuesday, June 23!**

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**91<sup>st</sup> HOUSE  
DISTRICT**



**Republican Candidates**

Breathitt, Estill, Lee, Madison (part) & Owsley County

Three candidates chose  
not to participate.

**Brent Duncil**  
**FB Brent Duncil for Sate Rep**

***The Decision is Yours!***

<p><i>To protect the poor, the state should act to curb exorbitant interest rates charged by payday lending companies.</i></p>		<p><b>"DISAGREE.</b> Go to work and make it like the rest of us."</p>
<p><i>Personal and creative service businesses should not be forced to produce goods or services that violate their rights of conscience.</i></p>	<p><b>Three candidates chose not to participate.</b></p>	<p><b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> That is your right guaranteed by the Bill of Rights."</p>
<p><i>Illegal immigrants should be prohibited from obtaining driver's licenses and other government documents.</i></p>		<p><b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> Not here legally, you have no rights because you are not a citizen."</p>
<p><i>Recent school shootings prove that we need more restrictive gun laws.</i></p>		<p><b>"STRONGLY DISAGREE.</b> Guns do not kill people! It that were true, my fork is making me fat!"</p>
<p><i>Because they leave children sterile for life, transgender surgeries and hormone treatments on minors should be banned.</i></p>		<p><b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> These decisions made an early age will affect them for the rest of their lives."</p>
<p><i>Schools should familiarize students with all sides of debates on issues like evolution and global warming.</i></p>		<p><b>"AGREE.</b> When some things are "stupid", we should not legally address them! We should not be forced to teach that the Holocaust did not happen."</p>
<p><i>Kentucky should pass expanded gambling legislation to fund state pensions.</i></p>		<p><b>"STRONGLY AGREE.</b> As long as educators are included."</p>
<p><i>University of Kentucky's tuition is now several times higher than in 2002. All state college tuition increases should be limited.</i></p>		<p><b>"UNDECIDED.</b> Many issues can come up with this type of legislation. That is an epic problem to tackle."</p>
<p><i>List your top three priorities should you be elected.</i></p>		<p>1. Christian values. 2. Abortion. 3. Gun rights."</p>

● On **Tuesday, June 23**, voters will go to the polls to vote in the Spring Primary Election. Ballots will include State House and Senate seats, Congressional seats, and a U.S Senate seat, as well as certain judicial races. Note: Not all districts have a contested race.

● For more information on your voter registration status or to find out what district you live in, please contact your county clerk or visit the Secretary of State's Voter Information Center:

[sos.ky.gov/elections](http://sos.ky.gov/elections)

***Special Thanks to the Candidates . . .***

We want to thank all the candidates who participated in the **Survey** and all those who considered our invitation but chose not to respond. We are grateful to everyone who stepped forward to offer their leadership by running for office in our great Commonwealth.

***To Kentucky citizens . . .***

We trust that you, as a citizen of Kentucky, have been served by this endeavor and that you will in turn serve your community by voting your conscience on **Tuesday, June 23**.

***The decision is yours . . .  
Make it wisely!***