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#### **Kansas 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment Group Endorses Candidates in General Election**

TOPEKA (September 19, 2016) – Today Chairman Moriah Day announced that the Kansas State Rifle Association Political Action Committee has released its list of legislative candidate endorsements for the 2016 general election cycle.

“Kansans overwhelmingly support the right to keep and bear arms. Kansas set a national record in 2010 by overwhelmingly supporting the individual right to keep and bear arms. Voters decided with a staggering 89% of votes cast, that the Kansas Constitution should be strengthened that year. Kansans have the opportunity to vote on a companion constitutional amendment on the ballot this fall to protect the right to hunt and fish. We’re confident gun owners will not stay home with such important issues at stake,” said Day.

“The Kansas Legislature has passed some of the strongest 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment protections in the nation over the past decade, and the KSRA is committed to continuing that tradition. This election year, our focus is on making sure Kansans hear each candidate’s real record so they can send committed pro-gun legislators to Topeka.”

“Anti-gun forces will almost certainly try to reopen the campus carry issue next year, despite clear direction from the people of Kansas. Anti-self-defense legislators from Lawrence and Wichita have tried repeatedly to undo the legislature’s move to allow law-abiding visitors, students, and professors to exercise their right to self-defense at our universities.”

Kansas campus carry laws are steadily being implemented despite the best efforts of outside groups, and policies are steadily moving in the direction the legislature and people of Kansas have directed. The Kansas State Rifle Association is confident pro-gun Kansans will come out to vote in November, and our members have an undisputed reputation for passionate activism throughout the legislative process.

As the Kansas affiliate of the National Rifle Association, the KSRA works closely with the NRA as it monitors legislative action, reviews candidate questionnaires, and examines voting records to rate candidates each election cycle. NRA ratings are available here: <https://www.nrapvf.org/grades/kansas/>

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### **2016 General Election Candidates Endorsed by the KSRA PAC:**

#### **US President / Vice President:**

Donald J. Trump (R) / Mike Pence (R)

#### **US Senate:**

Jerry Moran (R)

#### **US House:**

Roger Marshall (R-1), Lynn Jenkins (R-2), Kevin Yoder (R-3), Mike Pompeo (R-4)

#### **Kansas Senate:**

Dennis Pyle (R-1), Echo Van Meteren (R-3), David Haley (D-4), Steve Fitzgerald (R-5), Jim Denning (R-8), Julia Lynn (R-9), Mary Pilcher-Cook (R-10), Caryn Tyson (R-12), Jacob LaTurner (R-13), Dan Goddard (R-15), Ty Masterson (R-16), Dave Jackson (R-18), Robert Olson (R-23), Dan Kerschen (R-26), Gene Suellentrop (R-27), Mike Petersen (R-28), Susan Wagle (R-30), Carolyn McGinn (R-31), Larry Alley (R-32), Richard Wilborn (R-35), Elaine Bowers (R-36), Molly Baumgardner (R-37), Bud Estes (R-38), Richard Billinger (R-40)

#### **Kansas House:**

Michael Houser (R-1), Adam Lusker (D-2), Trevor Jacobs (R-4), Kevin Jones (R-5), Jene Vickrey (R-6), Richard Proehl (R-7), Kent Thompson (R-9), Jim Kelly (R-11), Doug Blex (R-12), Larry Hibbard (R-13), Keith Esau (R-14), Erin Davis (R-15), Amanda Grosserode (R-16), Eric Jenkins (R-18), Larry Campbell (R-26), Sean Tarwater (R-27), James Todd (R-29), Randy Powell (R-30), Tom Burroughs (D-33), Kevin Braun (R-36), Stan Frownfelter (D-37), Willie Dove (R-38), John Bradford (R-40), Tony Barton (R-41), Bill Sutton (R-43), Ronald Ellis (R-47), Marvin Kleeb (R-48), Scott Schwab (R-49), Fred Patton (R-50), Ronald Highland (R-51), Richard Kress (R-53), Ken Corbet (R-54), Lane Hemsley (R-56), John Alcalá (D-57), Blaine Finch (R-59), Francis Awerkamp (R-61), Randy Garber (R-62), Lonnie Clark (R-65), J.R. Claeys (R-69), John Barker (R-70), Marc Rhoades (R-72), Les Mason (R-73), Don Schroeder (R-74), Eric Smith (R-76), Kristey Williams (R-77), Ron Ryckman (R-78), Blake Carpenter (R-81), Pete DeGraaf (R-82), Chuck Weber (R-85), Joseph Scapa (R-88), Steve Huebert (R-90), Greg Lakin (R-91), John Whitmer (R-93), Leo Delperdang (R-94), Tom Sawyer (D-95), Brandon Whipple (D-96), Leslie Osterman (R-97), Steven Anthimides (R-98), Susan Humphries (R-99), Daniel Hawkins (R-100), Joe Seiwert (R-101), Janice Pauls (R-102), Steven Becker (R-104), Brenda Landwehr (R-105), Clay Aurand (R-106), Susan Concannon (R-107), Steven Johnson (R-108), Troy Waymaster (R-109), Ken Rahjes (R-110), Sue Boldra (R-111), Tory Arnberger (R-112), Jack Thimesch (R-114), Kyle Hoffman (R-116), Don Hineman (R-118), Adam Smith (R-120), Mike Kiegerl (R-121), J. Russell Jennings (R-122), John Wheeler (R-123), J. Stephen Alford (R-124), Shannon Francis (R-125).

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