

## 2014 Voting Scorecard

## Johnson County, KS

## How did your Legislators do in 2014?

We have rated Johnson County legislators on how closely their votes and statements match the moderate values Kansas voters traditionally hold. The following key legislative positions hold the line against extremist ideologies. For more detailed information, visit our website: **mainstreamcoalition.org/get\_informed** 

## **Key Legislative Positions**

Discrimination	Oppose the "Religious Freedom" bill that would have discriminated against people in same sex relationships in matters of business and employment
Public Education	<ol> <li>Oppose budget coercion, that forced legislators to choose between minimal education funding requirements in exchange for bad policy</li> <li>Oppose the elimination of teacher due process</li> <li>Oppose the creation of voucher-like "scholarships"</li> <li>Oppose the elimination of teacher licensure</li> </ol>
<b>Budget and Taxes</b>	3. Oppose the State Budgets (FY 2014-16) that cut services to meet low revenues
Judicial	<ol> <li>Oppose budget coercion, that forced legislators to choose between minimal court funding requirements in exchange for bad policy</li> <li>Oppose shifting Court funding to rely on user fees</li> <li>Oppose unbalancing of government by taking powers from the Chief Justice</li> <li>Oppose political appointment of judges to Court of Appeals in 2013</li> </ol>
Voting Rights	6. Oppose restrictions to voter party affiliation changes
Health Care	7. Oppose the Health Care Compact 8. Oppose restrictions to Medicaid expansion
Environment	9. Oppose repeal of wind and alternative energy requirements for utilities (RPS)
Safety	10. Oppose open carry gun law and the loss of local gun regulations

Johnson County Out of 3 🖈		Out of 3 🛨	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
House	21	Bollier, Barbara	***	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	20	Bruchman, Rob	*	_	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	26	Campbell, Larry	*	Х	✓	✓	✓	Х	✓	Х	Х	✓	Х
	19	Clayton, Stephanie	***	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	15	Davis/Montgomery	*	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	38	Dove, Willie	×	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	14	Esau, Keith	×	Х	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	16	Grosserode, Amanda	*	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х

<sup>√ =</sup> supported moderate positions x = did not — = did not vote
Mid-Term Changes: Erin Davis replaced Bob Montgomery

Johnson County cont. Out of 3 🛪		Out of 3 ★	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
House	17	Hildabrand, Brett	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	121	Kiegerl/Siegreid	*	Х	Х	✓	✓	_	_	Х	Х	✓	Х
	30	Kinzer, Lance	×	Х	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	48	Kleeb, Marvin	*	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	_	Х	Х	✓	Х
	28	Lunn, Jerry	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	22	Lusk, Nancy	***	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Х
	39	Macheers, Charles	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	8	McPherson, Craig	×	Х	Х	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	23	Meigs, Kelly	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	√	Х
	27	Merrick, Ray	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	24	Perry, Emily	***	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	25	Rooker, Melissa	***	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	18	Rubin, John	×	Х	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	78	Ryckman Jr., Ron	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	49	Schwab, Scott	×	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	√	Х
	43	Sutton, Bill	×	Х	_	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	29	Todd, James	×	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Senate	37	Baumgardner/Apple	×	n/a	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	8	Denning, Jim	×	n/a	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	9	Lynn, Julia	×	n/a	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	11	Melcher, Jeff	×	n/a	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	23	Olson, Robert	×	n/a	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	6	Pettey, Pat	***	n/a	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	10	Pilcher Cook, Mary	*	n/a	Х	✓	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	21	Smith, Greg	×	n/a	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	7	Wolf, Kay	**	n/a	✓	Х	✓	✓	✓	✓	Х	✓	✓

 $<sup>\</sup>checkmark$  = supported moderate positions x = did not - = did not vote n/a = the Senate declined to even hear the "Religious Freedom" bill Mid-Term Changes: Molly Baumgardner replaced Pat Apple / Mike Kiegerl replaced Arlen Siegreid