

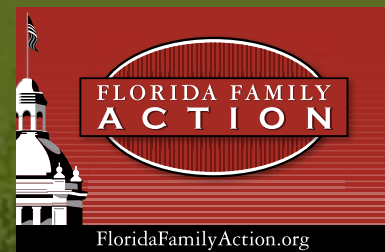
2015 & 2016 FLORIDA
Legislative Sessions



FLORIDA FAMILY ACTION

Legislative Scorecard

On Life, Family & Religious Liberty Issues



Florida Family Action is the
legislative arm of the Florida
Family Policy Council



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Dear Friend:

We are pleased to present for the first time our Florida Family Action Legislative Scorecard for the 2015 and 2016 Legislative Sessions. As an organization, we see a real and increased need to hold our elected officials accountable. We believe the most objective and accurate way to evaluate an elected official's performance, regarding positions on important issues, is to track their voting record.

This scorecard provides a unique and quality analysis of social issues that no other state organization provides. We have researched and scored each member of the Florida Legislature on the issues of life, family, religious liberty and related matters.

With this Legislative Scorecard, we are arming you as voters, activists, and concerned citizens with a tool to further learn and discern which legislators are truly champions of our values, those who are opponents of our values, and those who are trying to straddle the fence.

Having personally observed the legislative process and walked the halls of the Capitol for over 30 years, I have watched many elected officials come and go. Some good, some bad and some really exceptional. Here at Florida Family Action, we are working to expand our role to identify and help candidates and elected officials get elected who will not be just reliable votes, but who will be leaders and become champions on the issues that matter most.

Thanks for your continued support. Your participation in the process of electing those who govern us and make public policy is needed now more than ever.

I remain... faithful until the end.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Stemberger". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name.

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› During the 2015 and 2016 Florida legislative sessions, Florida Family Action (FFA) tracked and advocated for/against dozens of bills that relate to our mission of fighting for life, marriage, family and liberty. Not all of the bills that were monitored by our team were voted on or received a hearing by the Legislature. Therefore, in many cases, we did not have formal positions for a majority of the legislators on an issue. The bills we have chosen to include in this scorecard were issues where FFA took a formal position and the Legislature debated and/or a full House or Senate vote occurred in order to give us a fair representation of each member’s position on each issue.

WORST BILL IN THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE

› We did, however, make exceptions. For example, the Florida Competitive Workforce Act (FCWA) (HB 45/SB 120) in 2016 was included in the scorecard, though there was never a full House or Senate vote. Oppressive and dangerous laws such as FCWA have been used around the country to punish Christians and to threaten the privacy, safety and security of women in showers, locker rooms and bathrooms. The FCWA will continue to remain Florida Family Action’s top priority to ensure the legislation remains “dead on arrival” in the Florida Legislature.

Most striking in 2016 is that a small number of Republican lawmakers, in both the House and Senate, chose to co-sponsor this dangerous piece of legislation. *For the very first time in nearly 10 years*, it was heard and voted on by a Senate committee. While this anti-liberty legislation was defeated in a 5-5 tie vote, it will continue to be pushed in the upcoming years with increasing vigor and funding. Many Florida businesses and corporations are being bullied into signing on to support FCWA and/or the LGBT agenda. Others have bought in to the propaganda that claims this is a pro-business piece of legislation; it is not.

We all must remain vigilant and do our part to hold lawmakers accountable to conservative principles and oppose this dangerous policy.

GRADING:

The following grading system was used in our FFA Legislative Scorecard:

- FFA included only votes where legislators took a roll call vote. No voice votes were included.
- Every vote on a piece of legislation was tallied. Legislators earned a point when their vote agreed with FFA’s formal position on a bill. No point is given where the vote is in opposition to our position.
- Half-credit was awarded in cases where a legislator voted one way during the official vote, but then later changed their vote on the official record. If a legislator changed their vote to a favorable position, ½ credit was given. For a negative change, ½ credit was deducted from their original favorable vote.
- If a legislator was absent during the official vote, but added a vote to the official record after the end of the voting period it counted the same as if they were there, i.e. Rep. Narain on HB 835 (2016).
- For sponsoring or co-sponsoring a piece of legislation, another point was calculated into the total number of points. For legislation we supported, 1 point is awarded, i.e. Sen. Flores on HB 633 (2015). For legislation that we opposed, 1 point was deducted, i.e. Sen. Latvala on SB 120 (2016). For House bills that were passed in the Senate, the sponsors/co-sponsors on the Senate version were included and vice-versa.
- For sponsoring a good amendment which **significantly changed** a bill on a core issue, an additional point was given. However, if the change was negative, i.e. HB 7013 (2015) when Rep. Gaetz introduced an amendment which included removing Florida’s prohibition on homosexual couples adopting from state statute, no points were deducted but no credit was given. Rep. Gaetz’s amendment fundamentally changed the bill on one of our core issues and we advocated strongly against it.
- Ineligible (I) to vote means that a representative was not yet in office and could not vote on the issue, i.e. Rep. Grant.

GRADING SCALE:

100%	A+
90 – 99%	A
80 – 89%	B
70 – 79%	C
60 – 69%	D
0 – 59%	F

Rep. Janet Adkins
Sen. Thad Altman
Rep. Bryan Avila
Sen. Aaron Bean
Sen. Lizbeth Benacquisto
Rep. Michael Bileca
Sen. Rob Bradley
Rep. Doug Broxson
Rep. Danny Burgess
Rep. Neil Combee
Rep. Richard Corcoran
Rep. Fred Costello
Rep. W. Travis Cummings
Rep. Manny Diaz
Rep. Brad Drake
Rep. Dane Eagle
Rep. Eric Eisnaugle
Rep. Jay Fant
Sen. Anitere Flores
Rep. Jamie Grant
Sen. Denise Grimsley
Sen. Alan Hays
Rep. Mike Hill
Sen. Dorothy Hukill

Rep. Blaise Ingolia
Rep. Clay Ingram
Sen. Tom Lee
Rep. Debbie Mayfield
Rep. Larry Metz
Rep. George Moraitis
Sen. Joe Negron
Rep. Jeanette Nuñez
Rep. W. Keith Perry
Rep. Scott Plakon
Rep. Jake Raburn
Rep. Lake Ray
Rep. Paul Renner
Rep. Ray Rodrigues
Rep. Jimmie T. Smith
Rep. Ross Spano
Rep. Chris Sprowls
Sen. Kelli Stargel
Rep. Greg Steube
Rep. Cyndi Stevenson
Rep. Jennifer Sullivan
Rep. Carlos Trujillo
Rep. Jay Trumbull
Rep. Charles Van Zant



Champions of the Family

Certain legislators have earned the title of “Champion of the Family.” This designation is the gold standard for legislators who have acted in the interest of life, faith, family and freedom during the 2015 and 2016 legislative sessions.

In order to receive this designation, legislators must have scored an A+ on the 2016 FFA Legislative Scorecard. This means that the legislator had a perfect voting record on our priority issues and sponsored good legislation on these issues.

Florida Senate Scorecard | 2015 & 2016 Legislative Sessions

HB 7013 (2015)

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HB 7111 (2015)

Conscience Protection for Faith-Based Adoption Agencies

HB 633 (2015)

24-Hr Waiting Period for Abortion

HB 465 (2015)

Human Trafficking

HB 1411 (2016)

Defunding Planned Parenthood

HB 43 (2016)

Pastor Protection Act

HB 545 (2016)

Human Trafficking

SB 86 (2016)

Support for Israel

SB 120 (2016)

Florida Competitive Workforce Act

Grading Scale:

100	A+
90-99	A
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Last Name (Party)	HB 7013	HB 7111	HB 633	HB 465	HB 1411	HB 43	HB 545	SB 86	SB 120	Percentage	Grade
Abruzzo (D)	-	NV	-	+	-§	-	+	(+)	SP	30%	F
Altman (R)	NV	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Bean (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	100%	A+
Benacquisto (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	100%	A+
Bradley (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Brandes (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	89%	B
Braynon (D)	-	NV	-	+	-§	-	+	(+)	NV	44%	F
Bullard (D)	NV	NV	-	+	-§	-	+	(+)	SP	33%	F
Clemens (D)	-	NV	-§	+	-§	-§	+	(+)	SP	25%	F
Dean (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	88%	B
Detert (R)	-	NV	+	+	-	+	+	(+)	NV	75%	C
Diaz de la Portilla (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	-	78%	C
Evers (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	NV	89%	B
Flores (R)	+	NV	(+)	(+)	+	+	(+)	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Gaetz (R)	-	NV	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	NV	90%	A
Galvano (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	88%	B
Garcia (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	-	+	(+)	NV	75%	C
Gardiner (R)	-	NV	+	+*	+	+	+	(+)	NV	88%	B
Gibson (D)	-	§	-§	+	-§	-	+	(+)	SP	25%	F
Grimsley (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Hays (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Hukill (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	SP	NV	100%	A+
Hutson (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	SP	80%	B
Joyner (D)	-	NV	-	+	-	-	+	(+)	-	44%	F
Latvala (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	NV	+	(+)	SP	63%	D
Lee (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	NV	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Legg (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	NV	NV	83%	B
Margolis (D)	-	NV	-	NV	-	-	+	(+)	SP	25%	F
Montford (D)	-	NV	NV	+	-	-	+	(+)	NV	57%	F
Negron (R)	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Richter (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	88%	B

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Ring (D)	-	NV	-	+	-	-	+	(+)	(-)	30%	F
Sachs (D)	-	NV	-§	+	-§	-	(+)	(+)	NV	45%	F
Simmons (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	-	78%	C
Simpson (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	89%	B
Smith (D)	-	NV	-	+	-	-§	NV	(+)	NV	38%	F
Sobel (D)	-	NV	-§	+	-§	-	+	(+)	SP	27%	F
Soto (D)	-	§	-	+	-§	-§	+	(+)	(-)	23%	F
Stargel (R)	+Δ	NV	+	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	100%	A+
Thompson (D)	-	NV	-	+	-§	-	+	(+)	SP	30%	F

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<http://www.myfloridahouse.gov/Sections/Representatives/myrepresentative.aspx>.

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Adkins (R)	+	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Ahern (R)	+v	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	96%	A
Albritton (R)	-	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	NV	94%	A
Antone (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	NV	50%	F
Artiles (R)	-	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	NV	93%	A
Avila (R)	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Baxley (R)	+v	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	NV	97%	A
Berman (D)	+	-§	-	+	-	-	(+)	+	+*	-*	SP	38%	F
Beshears (R)	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	NV	70%	C
Bileca (R)	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Boyd (R)	-	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	NV	92%	A
Bracy (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	40%	F
Brodeur (R)	-	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	91%	A
Broxson (R)	+	(+)	+	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Burgess (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Burton (R)	-	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	92%	A
Caldwell (R)	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	NV	80%	B
Campbell (D)	+	+	+	(+)*	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	-	NV	92%	A
Clarke-Reed (D)	+	-	-	(+)	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	55%	F
Combee (R)	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+*	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Corcoran (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Cortes, B. (R)	-	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	92%	A
Cortes, J. (D)	-	-v	-	+	-	-	+	-	+	-	SP	23%	F
Costello (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Crisafulli (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	90%	A
Cruz (D)	-	-§*	-	+	-*	-	(+)	+	+	-	NV	42%	F
Cummings (R)	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Diaz, J. (R)	-	+*	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	NV	91%	A
Diaz, M. (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Drake (R)	+	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
DuBose (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	40%	F

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Dudley (D)	-	-	-	(+)	-	-	+	+	+	-	SP	33%	F
Eagle (R)	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Edwards (D)	-	-	-§	(+)	-*	-	(+)	(+)	+*	+	SP	47%	F
Eisnagle (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	NV	100%	A+
Fant (R)	+	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Fitzenhagen (R)	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	SP	55%	F
Fresen (R)	-	+	+	NV	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	89%	B
Fullwood (D)	-	-	-	+*	-	-	+	+	+	-	SP	27%	F
Gaetz (R)	-§	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	NV	85%	B
Geller (D)	+	-	-	+	-	-	(+)	(+)	+	-	SP	46%	F
Gonzalez (R)	-	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	92%	A
Goodson (R)	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	SP	36%	F
Grant (R)			+		+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Hager (R)	-	-	-	(+)	-	-	(+)	(+)	+	+	SP	50%	F
Harrell (R)	-	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	91%	A
Harrison (R)	-	+	+	+*	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	91%	A
Hill (R)	+	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	NV	100%	A+
Hudson (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	90%	A
Ingoglia (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Ingram (R)	+*	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Jacobs (D)	-	-	-*	+	-	-	+	+	+*	-	SP	27%	F
Jenne (D)	-	-§	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	36%	F
M. Jones (D)	+	-*	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	50%	F
S. Jones (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	40%	F
Kerner (D)	+	-§*	-§	(+)	-	-	(+)	(+)	+	-	SP	44%	F
La Rosa (R)	-	+	(+)	+	(+)*	+	+	+	+	+	NV	92%	A
Latvala (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	SP	75%	C
Lee (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	40%	F
Magar (R)	-	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	NV	91%	A
Mayfield (R)	+	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
McBurney (R)	+v	+	+	+	(+)	+	+*	+*	+	+	NV	95%	A

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McGhee (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	40%	F
Metz (R)	+	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Miller (R)	-	+	+	+	-	+	(+)	+	+	+	SP	67%	D
Moraitis (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Moskowitz (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	(+)	+	-	SP	33%	F
Murphy (D)	-	-§	-	(+)	-	-	(+)	+	+	+v	SP	39%	F
Narain (D)	-	-	-	+*	-	-	+	+	+*	-*	SP	27%	F
Nuñez (R)	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Oliva (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	90%	A
O'Toole (R)	-	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	NV	91%	A
Pafford (D)	+	-§	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	SP	33%	F
Passidomo (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	NV	92%	A
Perry (R)	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Peters (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	SP	75%	C
Pigman (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+*	+*	NV	90%	A
Pilon (R)	-	+	-	(+)	-	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	SP	64%	D
Plakon (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Plasencia (R)	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	NV	NV	NV	SP	38%	F
Porter (R)	-	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	NV	92%	A
Powell (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+*	+*	+	-	SP	27%	F
Pritchett (D)	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	50%	F
Raburn (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Rader (D)	+	-§	-	+	-	-	+	(+)	+	-	SP	38%	F
Raschein (R)	-	-	-	+	-	-	(+)	+	+	+	SP	42%	F
Raulerson (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	90%	A
Ray (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Rehwinkel Vasilinda (D)	-	-	-§	(+)	-*	+	(+)	+*	+	+*	SP	50%	F
Renner (R)	l	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Richardson (D)	-§	-§	-	+	-	-§	+	(+)	+	-	SP	27%	F
Roberson (R)	-	NV	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	89%	B

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Rodrigues (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Rodríguez (D)	+	-§	-*	+	-	-§	+	+	+	-	SP	31%	F
Rogers (D)	+	NV	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	NV	67%	D
Rooney (R)	-	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	SP	79%	C
Rouson (D)	-	-§	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	SP	25%	F
Santiago (R)	-	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	+	+	NV	92%	A
Slosberg (D)	+	-	-	+	-	-	NV	(NV)	+	-	NV	44%	F
Smith (R)	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Spano (R)	+	+	+	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Sprolws (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	NV	100%	A+
Stafford (D)	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	50%	F
Stark (D)	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	(+)	+	-	SP	33%	F
Steube (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Stevenson (R)		+	(+)	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Stone (R)	-	+	(+)	+	+	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	NV	92%	A
Sullivan (R)	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Taylor (D)	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	NV	50%	F
Tobia (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+*	-*	NV	80%	B
Torres (D)	-	-	-	(+)	-	-	+	+	+	-	SP	33%	F
Trujillo (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Trumbull (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Van Zant (R)	+	+	(+)	+*	(+)	(+)	(+)	+	+	+	NV	100%	A+
Watson, B. (D)	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	NV	50%	F
Watson, C. (D)	-	-	-	(+)	-	-	(+)	(+)	+	-	SP	43%	F
Williams (D)	-	-	-	(+)	-	-	(+)	+	NV	NV	NV	50%	F
Wood (R)	-	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	(+)	+	+	NV	92%	A
Workman (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	(+)	+	+	NV	91%	A
Young (R)	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	NV	90%	A

Key:

- + voted with FFA's formal position
- voted against FFA's formal position
- NV absent/no vote
- * voted after roll call
- +v changed vote to agree with FFA's position after roll call
- v changed position to disagree with FFA's position after roll call
- | ineligible to vote
- () sponsored or co-sponsored legislation
- SP sponsored or co-sponsored legislation, but did not vote on it
- § introduced a negative amendment which significantly changed the legislation on a core issue)
- Δ introduced a positive amendment on a core issue which significantly changed the legislation a core issue

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HB 7013 (2015)

Adoption and Foster Care/Repealing Homosexual Adoption Prohibition

BY REP. JASON BRODEUR (SENATE VERSION: SB 320 BY SEN. DON GAETZ)

› Created incentives to adopt children with special needs in Florida. However, an amendment was introduced by Rep. Matt Gaetz to repeal of the Florida Statute prohibiting homosexuals from adopting in Florida. Once amended, FFA opposed the bill as children do best when placed in loving homes with a married mother and father. The original bill sponsors and co-sponsors were not deducted for their sponsorship as this was not a bill FFA opposed until it was amended. HB 7013 passed the House on March 11, 2015, by a vote of 68-50 and the Senate on April 14, 2015, by a vote of 27-11. The bill was signed by the Governor on June 11, 2015.

HB 7111 (2015)

Conscience Protection for Faith-Based Foster & Adoption Agencies

BY REP. JASON BRODEUR (NO SENATE VERSION)

› Introduced as a response to the passage of HB 7013 in order to protect at-risk private adoption and foster care agencies. These agencies could be forced to violate their sincerely-held moral and religious beliefs when providing foster and adoption services if they operate in areas with non-discrimination ordinances which include sexual orientation and gender identity. Religious freedom is a fundamental right for all Americans, and should be protected. HB 7111 passed the House on April 9, 2015, by a vote of 75-38. The bill was picked up for a hearing by the Senate Rules Committee at the end of the 2015 session, but died when it was tabled without a vote.

HB 633 (2015)

24-Hour Waiting Period for Abortion

(SENATE VERSION: SB 724 BY SEN. ANITERE FLORES)

› HB 633 empowers women to make fully informed choices by allowing them time (24-hour period) to reflect and consider the medical information given to them by the doctor who will perform their abortion before making a final decision. HB 633 passed the House on April 22, 2015, by a vote of 77-41 and the Senate on April 24, 2015, by a vote of 26-13. The bill was signed by the Governor June 10, 2015.

HB 465 (2015)

Enhanced Criminal Penalties for Sex Traffickers

BY REP. ROSS SPANO AND REP. DAVE KERNER (SENATE VERSION: SB 1106 BY SEN. ANITERE FLORES)

› Increases criminal penalties for sex traffickers in Florida and provides additional protection for victims of human trafficking through improved security and privacy measures. HB 465 passed the House on April 16, 2015, by a vote of 113-0 and the Senate on April 23, 2015, by a vote of 38-0. The bill was signed by the Governor June 11, 2015.

HB 1411 (2016)

Termination of Pregnancies/Defund Planned Parenthood

BY REP. COLLEEN BURTON (SENATE VERSION: SB 1722 BY SEN. KELLI STARGEL)

› Prohibits Florida's managed care providers and local governments from entering into contracts with abortion providers who provide elective abortions (including Planned Parenthood). It also increases the number of required state inspections of abortion clinics, brings abortion clinic regulations into conformity with other ambulatory surgical centers, and regulates the disposal of fetal remains. HB 1411 was passed by the House on March 9, 2016 by a vote of 76-40, and the Senate on March 9, 2016 by a vote of 25-15. The bill was signed by the Governor March 25, 2016.

HB 43 (2016)**Pastor Protection Act**

BY REP. SCOTT PLAKON AND BOB CORTES (SENATE VERSION: SB 110 BY SEN. AARON BEAN)

› The bill is designed be an additional layer of protection, or a shield, for pastors to ensure the free exercise of their religion. HB 43 passed the House on March 2, 2016 by a vote of 82-37 and the Senate on March 3, 2016 by a vote of 23-15. The bill was signed by the Governor March 10, 2016.

HB 545 (2016)**Human Trafficking Penalties**

BY REP. ROSS SPANO (SENATE VERSION: SB 784 BY SEN. ANITERE FLORES)

› Increases criminal penalties for traffickers and massage establishments who participate in human trafficking and instructs that victims under 18 should not be charged with prostitution. HB 545 was substituted for SB 784, which passed the House on February 24, 2016 by a vote of 117-0 and the Senate on February 24, 2016 by a vote of 39-0. The bill was signed by the Governor March 8, 2016.

SB 86 (2016)**Invest Only in Companies Friendly to Israel**

BY SEN. JOE NEGRON (HOUSE VERSION: HB 527 BY REPS. RITCH WORKMAN, JARED MOSKOWITZ, AND KEVIN RADER)

› Prohibits state and local government entities from investing in or awarding contracts to companies that boycott Israel. SB 86 was passed by the Senate on January 21, 2016 by a vote of 37-0, and the House on February 24, 2016 by a vote of 112-2. The bill was signed by the Governor March 10, 2016.

HB 835 (2016)**Parental Rights Protection for Homeschooled Students**

BY REP. ERIC EISNAUGLE (SENATE VERSION: SB 1522 BY SEN. KELLI STARGEL)

› Protects the right of parents to educate their child in a manner they deem is in the best interest of their child, without fear of government overreach or intrusion. It removes financial and educational barriers that exist for homeschooled students participating in dual enrollment programs. HB 835 passed the House on February 18, 2016 by a vote of 112-0, but was never heard in the Senate.

HB 669 (2016)**Expanding School Choice Options for Public School Students**

BY REP. CHRIS SPROWLS (NO SENATE VERSION)

› Increased educational opportunities for Florida's public school students by allowing students to attend any public school anywhere in the state, provided the school is not at full capacity. HB 669 passed the House on February 18, 2016 by a vote of 79-34, but was not heard in the Senate. A measure to expand school choice was incorporated into HB 7029 which passed both Houses and was signed by the Governor.

HB 45 / SB 120 (2016)**Florida Competitive Workforce**

Act BY REP. HOLLY RASCHEIN/ SEN. JOE ABRUZZO

› Adds sexual orientation and gender identity or expression to Florida's Civil Rights Act of 1992 as impermissible grounds for discrimination. This bill creates a new cause of action to sue employers and small businesses for discrimination by those in the LGBT community. These types of laws have been used all across the country to violate Christians' religious liberty and punish them for simply living out their faith. This also creates the "bathroom" issue which would allow men to use girl's showers, locker rooms, and bathrooms.

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