



OUR STAKE IN THIS ELECTION COULD NOT BE CLEARER!

Issue	Obama	McCain
Hate Crimes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports the inclusive Matthew Shepard Hate Crimes Act to protect the entire GLBT community against bias-motivated violence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voted Against the Matthew Shepard Hates Crimes Act three times
ENDA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports ENDA (including protection based on gender identity) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposes ENDA and cast the deciding vote against it in the United States Senate
Don't Ask, Don't Tell	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strongly supports repealing "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" banning the service of openly gay and lesbian people 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposes ending the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" ban
Relationship Recognition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports equal benefits for same-sex couples at every level of government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposes relationship recognition of any kind for same-sex couples
HIV/AIDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports a fully funded Ryan White CARE Act and access for early treatment of HIV under Medicaid (ETHA) • Supports comprehensive sex education aimed at preventing disease 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Has never co-sponsored Ryan White or ETHA, and voted for a Jesse Helms strategy to remove funding aimed at protecting the community from HIV/AIDS • Supports abstinence-only education that leaves out GLBT people and has been proven to be ineffective in combating the spread of HIV
Adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports the right of same-sex couples to adopt 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposes the right of same-sex couples to adopt
Judges	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposed President Bush's anti-GLBT judicial nominees and he has pledged to appoint fair-minded judges to the Supreme Court and the federal bench 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voted to confirm President Bush's anti-GLBT judicial and pledged to appoint ultra conservative judges like Samuel Alito to the Supreme Court and federal bench
Immigration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports the Uniting American Families Act, which would allow an American citizen to petition for immigration sponsorship for a same-sex partner 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposes the Uniting American Families Act, which would allow an American citizen to petition for immigration sponsorship for a same-sex partner
Constitutional Amendments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opposes All Divisive And Discriminatory Constitutional Amendments, State Or Federal. That Includes The Proposed Amendments In California And Florida. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports discriminatory state constitutional amendments defining marriage as the union of one man and one woman, including the proposed amendments in California, Florida and Arizona

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