

# 2022 SOUTH CAROLINA SENATE ELECTION GUIDE

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## SOFT-ON-CRIME POLICIES ARE FUELING RECORD CRIME

Soft-on-crime policies, such as refusal to enforce laws, soft sentencing, and early release, are fueling violent crime.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>1</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>2</sup>

## INFLATION: REIN IN GOVERNMENT SPENDING

Massive government spending and printing money has caused record inflation. Cut spending to control inflation.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>3</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>4</sup>

## ENERGY POLICIES ARE DRIVING UP PRICES

Rushing the transition to fossil fuels—e.g., canceling the Keystone XL pipeline and forcing energy providers to buy excess, costly solar energy—is driving up prices.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>5</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>6</sup>

## SANCTUARY OR ANMESTY FOR ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS

Shield illegal immigrants from deportation and enforcement of federal immigration laws.

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>7</sup>

**A**  
AGREES<sup>8</sup>

## PARENTS RIGHTS: EDUCATIONAL CONTENT

Promoting political ideologies and gender theory is not the role of schools or teachers. Remove politics from the classroom, and protect parents' right to direct the education of their children.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>9</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>10</sup>

## MALES IN FEMALE SPORTS

Biological males identifying as females are entitled to participate in female-only sports and enter intimate spaces such as women's locker rooms and shelters.

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>11</sup>

**A**  
AGREES<sup>12</sup>

## PARENTS' RIGHTS: SCHOOL CHOICE

Children should not be forced to stay in schools that do not meet their educational needs. Empower parents to choose the school that is the best fit.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>13</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>14</sup>

## SCHOOLS: BAN CRITICAL RACE THEORY

CRT, based in Marxism, rejects God, family, and equality and classifies people based on skin color, reversing decades of civil rights progress.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>15</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>16</sup>

## LATE-TERM ABORTION

Allow abortion up to the moment before birth, based on broad factors, including psychological, emotional and familial health.

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>17</sup>

**A**  
AGREES<sup>18</sup>

## ELECTION INTEGRITY: VOTER ID

Require photo ID to ensure fair and secure elections.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>19</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>20</sup>

## SELF-DEFENSE: GUN RIGHTS

It is dangerous to empower a government agency to disarm law-abiding citizens without due process ("red flag laws"). Gun laws target law-abiding owners, not criminals.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>21</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>22</sup>

## BORDER POLICY HAS CAUSED A CRISIS

Open-border policies have fueled a drug and human trafficking crisis and a surge in violent crime. Take decisive action to secure the border.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>23</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>24</sup>

## THE CHURCH

Government abuses its constitutional authority by closing churches.

**A**  
AGREES<sup>25</sup>

**D**  
DISAGREES<sup>26</sup>



# CHANGE POLICY. CHANGE YOUR WORLD.

JOIN IN THE MISSION TO EQUIP AND EMPOWER THE FAITH COMMUNITY WITH INFORMATION NEEDED TO SPEAK UP.

USE YOUR VOICE TODAY

- 1) Scott Senate Page Press Release: <https://www.scott.senate.gov/media-center/press-releases/scott-slams-democrats-soft-on-crime-policies>
- 2) SC Senate Record: <https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=19427>
- 3) Scott Senate Page Press Release: <https://www.scott.senate.gov/media-center/press-releases/scott-statement-on-democrats-latest-spending-spree>
- 4) Newsweek: <https://www.newsweek.com/krystle-matthews-tim-scott-challenger-south-carolina-1605494>
- 5) Breitbart: <https://www.breitbart.com/clips/2022/06/21/tim-scott-price-reduction-from-gas-tax-holiday-would-be-eliminated-in-about-12-days/>
- 6) SC Senate Record: <https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=15706>
- 7) Scott Senate Page Press Release: <https://www.scott.senate.gov/media-center/press-releases/scott-votes-to-stop-sanctuary-cities-supports-ef-foia-to-keep-americans-safe>  
<https://www.scott.senate.gov/media-center/press-releases/senator-scott-joins-amicus-brief-challenging-obama-administrations-executive-action-on-immigration>
- 8) Matthew for Senate: <https://www.matthewsforsenate.com/about>
- 9) Scott Senate Page Press Release: <https://www.scott.senate.gov/media-center/press-releases/scott-introduces-bill-to-protect-parental-rights-combat-indoctrination-in-schools->
- 10) South Carolina Legislature: <https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=20956>
- 11) Senate Record: [https://www.senate.gov/legislative/LIS/roll\\_call\\_votes/vote1171/vote\\_117\\_1\\_00097.htm](https://www.senate.gov/legislative/LIS/roll_call_votes/vote1171/vote_117_1_00097.htm)
- 12) CBS News/South Carolina Legislature: <https://www.cbsnews.com/news/south-carolina-transgender-sports-ban-passes-house/>  
<https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=20790>
- 13) Fox News Op-Ed: <https://www.foxnews.com/opinion/covid-lesson-school-choice-sen-tim-scott>
- 14) South Carolina Legislature: <https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=21282>  
<https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=18162>
- 15) Denny Burk: <https://www.dennyburk.com/senator-tim-scott-targets-crt-head-on/>
- 16) South Carolina Legislature: <https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=20956>
- 17) Scott Senate Page Press Release: <https://www.scott.senate.gov/media-center/press-releases/scott-47-senators-will-vote-to-block-taxpayer-funding-for-abortion>  
<https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/92/cosponsors>
- 18) ABC News 4/South Carolina Legislature: <https://abcnews4.com/news/local/south-carolina-political-leaders-scotus-roe-wade-abortion-politics-republican-democrat-heartbeat-health-healthcare-care-lowcountry-wciv>  
<https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=18384>
- 19) Twitter: <https://mobile.twitter.com/votetimscott/status/1428474353314713605>
- 20) Our Democracy 22: <https://ourdemocracy2022.org/people/krystle-matthews/>
- 21) PBS News Hour/Senate Record: <https://www.pbs.org/newshour/politics/senate-passes-bipartisan-gun-violence-bill-setting-up-final-approval>  
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- 22) Charleston City Paper: <https://charlestoncitypaper.com/some-lowcountry-lawmakers-candidates-commit-to-action-on-gun-violence-most-dont/>
- 23) Twitter: [https://twitter.com/SenatorTimScott/status/1009128593639792640?ref\\_src=twsrc%5Etfw%7Ctwcamp%5Etweetembed%7Cwtterm%5E1009128593639792640%7Ctwgr%5E75eeb1f357aeebeaed27daf2b34d7566395f9ca3%7Ctwcon%5Es1\\_&ref\\_url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.postandcourier.com%2Fpolitics%2Fflindsey-graham-tim-scott-speaking-out-on-mexico-border-separation-policy%2Farticle\\_25b73340-73e3-11e8-b950-233bfb4ecd81.html](https://twitter.com/SenatorTimScott/status/1009128593639792640?ref_src=twsrc%5Etfw%7Ctwcamp%5Etweetembed%7Cwtterm%5E1009128593639792640%7Ctwgr%5E75eeb1f357aeebeaed27daf2b34d7566395f9ca3%7Ctwcon%5Es1_&ref_url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.postandcourier.com%2Fpolitics%2Fflindsey-graham-tim-scott-speaking-out-on-mexico-border-separation-policy%2Farticle_25b73340-73e3-11e8-b950-233bfb4ecd81.html)
- 24) Matthew for Senate: <https://www.matthewsforsenate.com/about>
- 25) YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RzOfR5Rp5bc&t=168s>
- 26) South Carolina Legislature: <https://www.scstatehouse.gov/votehistory.php?KEY=18672>