

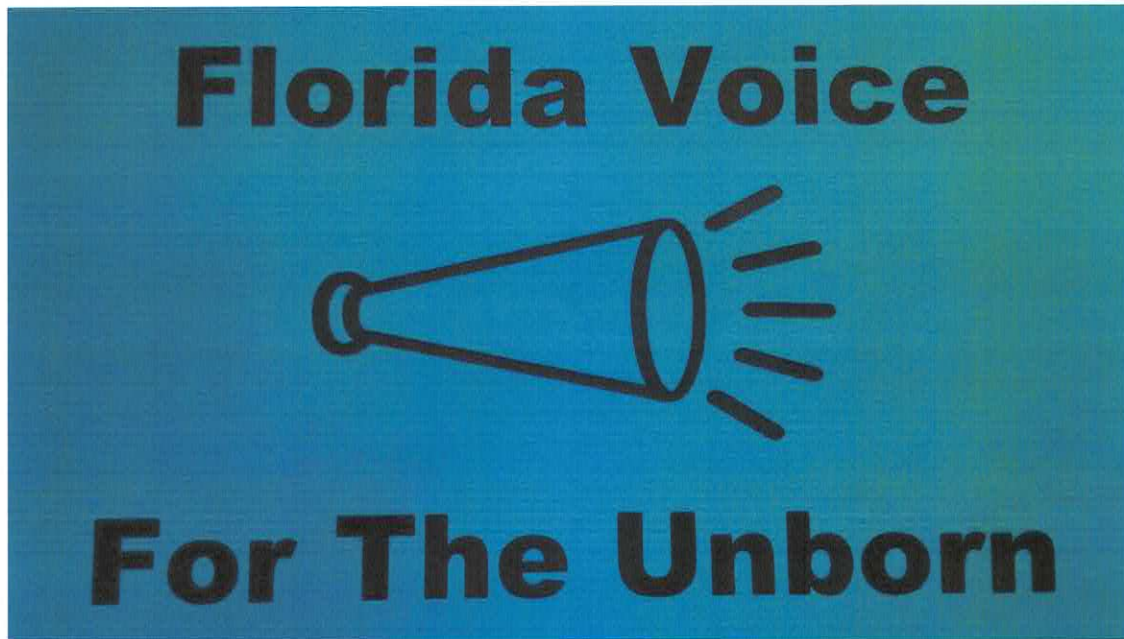
FL Senate Bill 698 Update

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Dear Friend of the Unborn:

During the 2020 Florida Legislative Session, Florida Voice for the Unborn led the charge against Senate Bill (SB) 698, which contains several provisions that do not respect the dignity of human life in its embryonic form. Many of our grassroots supporters contacted pro-life lawmakers at key points in the legislative process, pleading for the problematic provisions to be excised.

This week, I contributed an article for Sebastian's Point (a weekly pro-life column published on the website of the Society of St. Sebastian), which is entitled, "**Florida Senate Bill 698: A Trojan Horse.**" My article exposes the dirty legislative tricks that were utilized to pass this flawed bill in Florida's pro-life majority Legislature.

Here is an excerpt from my article:

"Two days after SB 698 sailed through the Judiciary Committee, it was placed on the agenda for the Criminal Justice Committee's final meeting on February 18th. Prior to the committee meeting, Senator [Lauren] Book filed what is

known as a 'delete all amendment' to SB 698, which essentially re-wrote the bill and also gave it the somewhat less nefarious title of, 'An act relating to reproductive health.' As executive director of Florida Voice for the Unborn, I decided it was time to publicly speak out against SB 698 before the Republican leadership let this trojan-horse bill get any further. At the February 18th committee hearing, I testified against both the amendment and the bill itself."

To read the entire article, please [CLICK HERE](#).

It is still not too late to stop SB 698 from becoming law. **This morning, one day after my article was published, Legislative leaders formally presented SB 698 to Governor DeSantis – after sitting on it for over two-and-a-half months.** Governor DeSantis must now decide whether he will sign it, veto it, or let it become law without his signature.

To send an e-mail directly to Governor DeSantis, respectfully requesting that he VETO SB 698, please [CLICK HERE](#).

Even if you have already sent an e-mail, please consider sending another message. We must strike while the iron is hot!

Thank you for continuing to stand up for the tiniest of our unborn brothers and sisters!

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