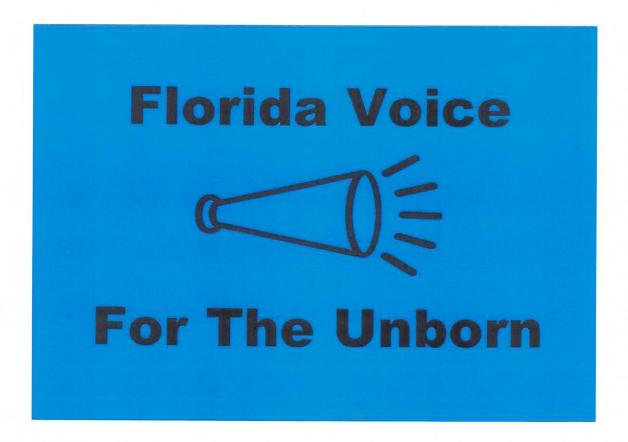
Help STOP Pro-Abort Tally City Resolution!

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Dear Tallahassee-Area Friend of the Unborn:

Have you heard the outrageous news? The liberal-dominated Tallahassee City Commission will be considering a resolution in support of abortion on demand at its upcoming meeting on **Wednesday**, **September 22**, **2021**.

Proposed Resolution No. 21-R-30 is entitled, "A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING LEGISLATIVE EFFORTS TO PROTECT AND STRENGTHEN FLORIDA CITIZENS' RIGHT TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTHCARE INCLUDING ABORTION." You may read the entire resolution HERE.

While this symbolic resolution is NOT an ordinance (meaning it is not a proposed local law), it is nevertheless designed to send a message that Florida's capital city supports abortion at a time when our state legislative leaders and pro-life Governor Ron DeSantis have indicated a willingness to consider a Texas-style Heartbeat Law here in Texas. In fact, pro-abortion groups approached Tallahassee City Commissioner Curtis Richardson and told him to put this resolution on the Commission's agenda. If Tallahassee adopts

this resolution, these same groups will approach other liberal-dominated city governments in areas all across the Sunshine State. We need to send a counter-message to blunt the pro-abort side from gaining any further momentum!

So here's the plan! I am asking all Tallahassee-area pro-lifers to e-mail and call all five (5) City Commission members, expressing your opposition to this pro-abortion resolution that disrespects human life. Their contact info is further below.

AND I am asking you to e-mail and call representatives of Gaines Street Pies in Tallahassee! Why? Because one of the City Commissioners – Tallahassee Mayor Pro-Tem Jeremy Matlow (Seat 3) – is a co-owner of Gaines Street Pies. I've spoken with Mr. Matlow's city-paid aide, Ryan Ray, telling him point-blank that if Mr. Matlow votes in favor of the pro-abortion resolution at this Wednesday's meeting, Florida Voice for the Unborn will be calling for a BOYCOTT of all three Gaines Street Pies locations, which will include visible pro-life demonstrations – letting the local community, state, and world know that that this pizza chain devalues the lives of children in the womb. Gaines Street Pies' contact info is also further below.

I will be speaking at Wednesday's Tallahassee City Commission meeting. There are two options. You can show-up in person (very limited spots due to COVID-19 protocols). The address is: City Hall, 300 S. Adams St., Tallahassee, FL 32301. The second option is to appear at the meeting "virtually." I've chosen the second option in order to guarantee my speaking spot. You may sign-up to speak virtually by CLICKING HERE. Please note that the deadline to sign-up for speaking virtually is 9 p.m. on Tuesday, September 21st. The meeting is scheduled to start at 3 p.m. and could last several hours. However, the more people who speak out against the proabortion resolution, the better!

Here are some suggested talking points when speaking at the meeting – and when contacting the Tallahassee City Commission members via email and phone:

- Proposed Resolution No. 21-R-30 is unnecessary and factually inaccurate.
- The texts of our federal and state constitutions say absolutely nothing about a "right" to accessing abortion.
- Abortion is not healthcare; it is homicide.
- Abortion is never safe for the infant in the womb who suffers a horrible death; abortion is also very often unsafe for women as well.
- Encouraging violence against helpless babies in the womb is unbecoming of elected city officials.
- Tallahassee should transform itself into a sanctuary city for the unborn, where every life is cherished.

Also, don't forget to tell them that you are a resident of Tallahassee and, therefore, one of their constituents!

Here are the e-mail addresses for all five (5) City Commissioners:

<u>mayor@talgov.com</u>; <u>jack.porter@talgov.com</u>; <u>jeremy.matlow@talgov.com</u>; <u>curtis.richardson@talgov.com</u>; <u>dianne.williams-cox@talgov.com</u>

You may "cut and paste" all five e-mail addresses into a new message, or to e-mail each individually just click on each address above. Either way, be sure to express your opposition to the proposed pro-abortion resolution.

Here are the phone numbers for all five (5) City Commissioners:

Mayor John Dailey (Seat 4): 850-891-2000

Mayor Pro-Tem Jeremy Matlow (Seat 3): 850-294-7164 [aide Ryan Ray] Comm. Jacqueline "Jack" Porter (Seat 1): 850-891-8191 [aide Kristellys Estangal

Comm. Curtis Richardson (Seat 2): 850-891-8240 [aide Akhenaton Thomas] Comm. Dianne Williams-Cox (Seat 5): 850-891-8502 [aide Towanda Davila-Davis]

Finally, here is the contact info for Mayor Pro-Tem Jeremy Matlow's Gaines Street Pies (remember, tell these managers that you are with Florida Voice for the Unborn and that you will NOT be patronizing this pizza business, if Mr. Matlow votes in favor of the pro-abortion resolution):

Co-Owner Ryan Smith: ryan@gainesstreetpies.com

Manager Kayla: <u>kayla@gainesstreetpies.com</u> & 850-765-9275 Manager Jen: <u>jen@gainesstreetpies.com</u> & 850-329-2141

Manager Michael: michael@gainesstreetpies.com & 850-765-4120

Again, if you'd like to e-mail all four at once just quickly "cut and paste" these addresses into a new message: ryan@gainesstreetpies.com; kayla@gainesstreetpies.com; jen@gainesstreetpies.com; michael@gainesstreetpies.com; michael@gainesstreetpies.com;

Thank you for taking the time to contact all of the officials/individuals above! Together, let's continue to be a LOUD voice for the voiceless unborn!

For Their Lives,



Andrew Shirvell, J.D. Founder & Executive Director

Florida Voice for the Unborn

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