

**SANCTUARY CITIES
FOR THE UNBORN**

**CITIES WHICH HAVE PASSED ORDINANCES
PROHIBITING ABORTION IN THE U.S. (12-18-23)**

	CITY	POP.	DATE		CITY	POP.	DATE
01.	Waskom, TX	2,190	06-11-19	26.	Lubbock, TX	264,000	05-01-21
02.	Omaha, TX *	1,021	09-09-19	27.	Abernathy, TX	2,839	05-10-21
03.	Naples, TX	1,378	09-09-19	28.	Poynor, TX	314	05-11-21
04.	Joaquin, TX	850	09-17-19	29.	Lebanon, OH	20,529	05-25-21
05.	Tenaha, TX	1,160	09-23-19	30.	Levelland, TX	14,582	06-07-21
06.	Gilmer, TX	5,216	09-24-19	31.	Sundown, TX	1,397	06-08-21
07.	Westbrook, TX	312	11-18-19	32.	Sterling City, TX	888	06-21-21
08.	Rusk, TX	5,618	01-09-20	33.	Centerville, TX	892	07-07-21
09.	Colorado City, TX	4,146	01-14-20	34.	Eastland, TX	3,970	08-04-21
10.	Gary, TX	311	01-16-20	35.	Leona, TX	175	08-09-21
11.	Big Spring, TX	28,862	01-28-20	36.	Crawford, TX	733	08-10-21
12.	Wells, TX	769	02-10-20	37.	Brownsboro, TX	1,036	08-16-21
13.	Whiteface, TX	449	03-12-20	38.	Impact, TX	20	09-11-21
14.	East Mountain, TX	797	07-20-20	39.	Nazareth, TX	311	10-05-21
15.	New Home, TX	320	09-29-20	40.	Cisco, TX	3,913	10-12-21
16.	Morton, TX	2,006	10-12-20	41.	Mason, OH *	34,792	10-25-21
17.	Ackerly, TX	251	12-01-20	42.	Anson, TX	2,556	11-08-21
18.	Grapeland, TX	1,489	01-25-21	43.	Slaton, TX	6,235	12-13-21
19.	Goldsmith, TX	257	02-10-21	44.	Jewett, TX	1,250	02-15-22
20.	Carbon, TX	348	02-22-21	45.	Shallowater, TX	2,613	03-22-22
21.	Gorman, TX	1,083	03-04-21	46.	Pollock, LA	473	03-23-22
22.	Murchison, TX	606	03-09-21	47.	Lindale, TX	6,730	03-24-22
23.	Latexo, TX	322	03-15-21	48.	Marquez, TX	313	04-20-22
24.	Hayes Center, NE	288	04-06-21	49.	Willey, IA	101	05-02-22
25.	Blue Hill, NE	941	04-13-21	50.	Normangee, TX	778	05-19-22

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	CITY	POP.	DATE		CITY	POP.	DATE
51.	Stapleton, NE	305	08-10-22	61.	Plainview, TX	22,343	11-08-22
52.	Hobbs, NM ^	41,604	11-07-22	62.	Odessa, TX	125,413	12-13-22
53.	Athens, TX	13,121	11-08-22	63.	Clovis, NM ^	38,567	01-05-23
54.	Abilene, TX	124,407	11-08-22	64.	Little River-Academy, TX	2,048	01-12-23
55.	Arnold, NE	597	11-08-22	65.	Eunice, NM ^	3,026	01-23-23
56.	Paxton, NE	523	11-08-22	66.	Edgewood, NM ^	6,154	04-26-23
57.	Brady, NE	428	11-08-22	67.	Danville, Illinois ^	28,787	05-02-23
58.	Hershey, NE	665	11-08-22				
59.	Wallace, NE	366	11-08-22				
60.	San Angelo, TX	101,612	11-08-22				

COUNTIES PROHIBITING ABORTION IN THE U.S. (12-18-23)

	COUNTY	POP.	DATE	COVERAGE	POP. COVERED
01.	Lea County, NM ^	76,432	12-08-22	Unincorporated	16,853
02.	Roosevelt County, NM ^	19,019	1-10-23	Unincorporated	6,550
03.	Mitchell County, TX	9,070	7-14-23	Unincorporated	3,766
04.	Goliad County, TX	7,012	8-28-23	Unincorporated	5,392
05.	Cochran County, TX	2,547	9-28-23	Unincorporated	42
06.	Lubbock County, TX	317,561	10-23-23	Unincorporated	30,127
07.	Dawson County, TX	12,130	12-18-23	Unincorporated	3,422

* Two cities recanted their ordinances: Omaha, TX and Mason, OH. Omaha's city council repealed their ordinance in exchange for a non-binding resolution on 10-14-19. They did so upon the advice of their city attorney after the ACLU filed an open records request. Omaha is the only city to have recanted their ordinance after being intimidated by the ACLU's open records request. Mason's city council repealed their ordinance on 12-13-21 after new leadership was elected to city council in the 11-02-21 election.

^ Five cities and three counties have passed "sanctuary cities for the unborn" ordinances which do not explicitly outlaw abortion, but are considered *de-facto* abortion bans since the ordinances result in the same effect. The ordinances arrive at this same effect by requiring compliance with federal laws on abortion, specifically 18 U.S.C. §§ 1461-1462. The enforcement date for all of the "de facto abortion ban" ordinances were immediate except for Danville, IL which contains a delayed enforcement date.

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