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VALUE YOUR VOTE: Election 2023

As you prepare to vote in the upcoming General Election, this resource will help you vote for the politicians and parties that share your values and will speak up for them.

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ValueYourVote.nz



Family First NZ is pleased to present the 2023 *Value Your Vote* resource for families.



Welcome to **Value Your Vote 2023**. This is the sixth election for which we have provided this popular, family-focused voting resource.

We believe that the cost-of-living crisis, declining education standards and

health services, increasing levels of violent crime and lawlessness, and concerns about the economy are all significant.

But focusing on these issues whilst ignoring important societal and moral values will actually make society's present problems worse in the long term, not better.

Research overwhelmingly concludes that the strength of marriage and family, along with respect for life and the protection of our most vulnerable, has a major impact on the strength of a nation: lowering the rates of child poverty, domestic violence, child abuse, crime, imprisonment and the costs of welfare – and improving mental health and overall well-being, producing an ordered, civil society.

Legislative change

Over the past two decades, there have been a number of law changes voted on by our politicians which have specifically impacted the moral fabric of Aotearoa New Zealand.

Marriage has been increasingly devalued, along with the vital role of parents.

The respect for life – especially for our unborn children and vulnerable elderly – has never been more at risk.

A new cultural 'religion' is being forced on families, and the values which have underpinned our country for centuries are slowly but surely being eroded.

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We need a voice for social conservatives

Currently, apart from a handful of MPs, the House of Representatives fails to represent the voice of social conservatives. Parliament has gradually become more and more socially liberal – even amongst the so-called centre-right parties. A Parliament which *unanimously* votes to allow gender on a birth certificate to be based on self-identity proves just how liberal the institution has become.

Ironically, political leaders who can't even define what a woman is – a simple biological fact – then want to censor 'disinformation' and 'misinformation' online!

New Zealand desperately needs more social conservative voices. We need politicians in Parliament who will speak boldly and unapologetically for the unborn child; who will oppose radical sexuality and gender ideology, divisive critical theory, and climate alarmism targeted at young children; and protect vulnerable young people from the chemicalisation and castration of healthy bodies.

We need political leaders who will promote and protect the institution of marriage; who will respect the role of parents rather than attempt to exclude them from important issues such as abortion and gender dysphoria affecting their children; politicians who will protect the elderly and vulnerable from seeing assisted suicide as a solution.

We need political leaders who will seek to protect our communities from drug use and normalisation. We need political parties which will respect freedom of conscience for New Zealanders who oppose compulsory vaccination and other health-related

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mandates. We need parties which will protect freedom: religious freedom and free speech, amongst others.

The question to consider before you vote

Here's a fundamental point we believe you must consider as you prepare to vote:

If a political candidate will not recognise the inherent right to life of an unborn human being, and if they cannot accept the biological reality of a person's sex at birth, why would we trust them with the many other important issues on which they will have to make decisions affecting the nation?

We believe biological truth and the right to life are foundational issues. Every other issue – housing, poverty, cost of living, mental health, education, care of the elderly and vulnerable, etc – rests on being alive first of all, and on the reality of being created male and female.

We must elect leaders willing to protect life and truth.

This brochure (and the accompanying guide on our website ValueYourVote.nz) allows you to see how each current or past MP *seeking re-election* has voted on important social issues. Many of them are conscience votes, allowing an MP to vote according to his or her conscience rather than along party lines. However, in many cases, there seems to be a 'party conscience'.

Party leaders have also been sent a questionnaire asking

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for his or her opinion on a number of important social issues. In some cases, they have sadly refused to answer the survey and we have recorded their responses based on their voting record or public statements.

The greatest freedom and privilege

Voting according to our values is the greatest freedom and privilege we have. We should value it – and use it.

Please note that Family First New Zealand does not endorse or oppose candidates or parties for elective office. This record should not take the place of your own effort to evaluate parties and candidates. We would encourage all voters to make informed decisions on party policies across key issues important to you.

We are pleased to offer this guide as a helpful resource to aid you in making an informed decision when you vote this October.



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What have been the key family issues voted on?

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GENDER IDEOLOGY

BIRTH CERTIFICATES ("SELF I.D. LAW") 2021



The Births, Death, Marriages, and Relationships Registration Act 2021 now renders birth certificates effectively meaningless. The biological truth of your birth is now optional. You can change the sex on your birth certificate based on feelings – not biological fact. There is also no limit to the number of times it can be changed. A 16/17 year old can change their sex without parental consent. A birth certificate is a historical record based on fact – not a political tool to further an ideology. A government document should tell the truth. The effect of this new law is to insert a biological lie.



DOWNLOAD OUR FACT SHEET: <https://familyfirst.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/Birth-Certificates.pdf>

READ MORE: [BirthCertificates.nz](https://familyfirst.org.nz/birth-certificates)

'CONVERSION THERAPY' BAN 2022



If the term 'conversion therapy' means practices which are coercive, abusive or involuntary, then we can all agree such things are inhumane and must be condemned. These types of 'therapy' should not be part of any community, let alone a faith-based one. Therapy or counselling should never be forced on anyone. However, in passing the Conversion Practices Prohibition Legislation Act 2022, Parliament has effectively criminalised the discussion by parents, pastors, counsellors & medical professionals of alternatives to hormones, surgery and confusion for gender dysphoria – and more troublingly, they have criminalised self-determination of how a person wants to live their own life.



Six important amendments which Family First supported were proposed as the law was debated in Parliament. All proposed amendments were defeated.

- The law shouldn't criminalise any conversations between a child and their parent or legal guardian.
- The expression of any opinion is not a 'conversion practice'.
- A parent, or caregiver, withholding consent for medical intervention in relation to gender transition (e.g. puberty blockers, cross-sex hormones) for what they consider to be the child's best interests should not be a 'conversion practice'.
- A health practitioner frankly outlining the risks, consequences and merits of medical intervention in relation to gender transition should not be a 'conversion practice'.
- Remove "prayer based practice" as an example of a 'conversion practice'.
- A formal review of the law in three years and every five years after that.

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READ MORE: [FreeToLive.nz](https://familyfirst.org.nz/free-to-live)

ABORTION

LEGALISE ABORTION 2020



The new abortion law (Abortion Legislation Act 2020) championed by Jacinda Ardern during the 2017 election campaign and passed in 2020 – as New Zealand was preparing to go into 'lockdown' to protect vulnerable people from

COVID-19 – means that New Zealand now has one of the most extreme abortion laws in the world.



A number of proposed amendments designed to remove some of the extreme aspects of the law (and supported by Family First) were all rejected by a majority of MPs.

- Born alive: explicit requirement in the new law that a qualified health practitioner who performed an abortion that results in the birth of a child after an attempted abortion has a duty to provide the child with appropriate medical care and treatment, no different than the duty owed to provide medical care and treatment to any other child born.
- Sex selection: explicit ban on sex selection abortions which do happen both here and overseas
- Disability: explicit ban on disability discrimination abortions
- Parents: abortion for minors treated like other health procedures. (See further discussion under PARENTS)
- Foetal Pain: requirement for abortion procedures post-20 week to ensure that the foetus does not feel pain (as per the Animal Welfare Act 1999 which requires vets to ensure that animals don't feel pain!)
- Late Term: abortions post-20 weeks only for extreme and exceptional circumstances
- Conscience: keeping conscientious objection standards the same as they currently are (the new law weakens the protections)

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READ MORE: [ChooseLife.nz](https://familyfirst.org.nz/choose-life)

BAN ON PRAYER / COUNSELLING ('SAFE AREAS') 2022



The paradoxically named law (Contraception, Sterilisation and Abortion (Safe Areas) Amendment Act 2022) bans prayer vigils and offers of support and counselling to women near abortion facilities. But an abortion is not a 'safe area' for the unborn child. It's not a 'safe area' for many women who have had an abortion. Pro-abortion groups don't want any women who are considering an abortion to be prayed for or to receive any messaging which may say "there's a better option than killing your unborn child."



EUTHANASIA

LEGALISE ASSISTED SUICIDE/EUTHANASIA 2019



In 2019, a majority of MPs voted for a private members bill from ACT MP David Seymour (End of Life Choice Act 2019) which legalised euthanasia / assisted suicide. Many MPs had to 'hold their noses' and vote for a referendum to be held to approve this law change – despite opposing other referendums on important social issues – in order for the bill to be passed.



The referendum was held at the same time as the General Election in 2020. Sadly, 66% of New Zealanders voted for the new law to take effect. Amendments proposed to allow for full freedom of conscience provisions for health professionals, and a mandatory one-week cooling-off period, were both defeated. Previously, in 2003, a Death with Dignity Bill was defeated.

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READ MORE: [RejectAssistedSuicide.nz](https://familyfirst.org.nz/reject-assisted-suicide)

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DRUGS

LEGALISING CANNABIS FOR RECREATIONAL USE 2020



As part of the coalition agreement made between Labour and the Greens in 2017, a referendum on legalising cannabis for recreational use was held at the same time as the General Election in 2020. Fortunately, 51% voted against legalising the drug and only 48.8% voted for it.

We asked every MP at the time how they would vote in the cannabis referendum. For MPs who didn't respond, we also looked at public statements they may have made. These are noted with an asterisk.



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READ MORE: [SayNopeToDope.nz](https://www.saynoptodope.org.nz)

DECRIMINALISING ALL DRUGS 2019



The Misuse of Drugs Amendment Act 2019 introduced what the Law Society and the Police Association labelled 'a de-facto decriminalisation' of not just cannabis, but *all* illicit drugs. The NZ Police said that discretion was already being used by the Police on a daily basis, including "the use of alternative resolution options including pre-charge warnings, Te Pae Oranga, and referrals to health and other support services" and that their focus "continues to be on targeting the organised criminal networks who supply these harmful drugs to our communities. However, the possession and use of illicit drugs remains illegal and prosecution remains an option in order to prevent harm and keep people safe."

(Our record acknowledges that at the 11th hour NZ First was able to force the Government to tighten the discretion in favour of the 'public interest' when determining whether to prosecute.)



MEDICINAL MARIJUANA 2018



In 2018, Parliament passed the Misuse of Drugs (Medicinal Cannabis) Amendment Act 2018 to make medicinal cannabis products more accessible. Regulations to support that Bill came into force on 1 April 2020, meaning approved cannabis-based medicines can now be prescribed by any medical practitioner. National proposed an alternative bill, setting out a much more detailed regulatory regime which would allow patients to buy cannabis products from pharmacists, and would not allow for any loose-leaf smoking (our record acknowledges this).

Whilst Family First agreed with the concerns expressed by National around loose-leaf smoking, we do support the expansion of further quality research into the components of the marijuana plant for delivery via non-smoked forms. Medicinal marijuana should be tested and supervised (and funded) like any other medicine – but not used as a 'smokescreen' for recreational use by drug advocates. We should keep marijuana medical. If the current medicinal cannabis regime is falling short, we should fix that legislation, but that does not mean we should legalise it for recreational use.



In 2017, Green MP Chloe Swarbrick's (previously Julie Anne Genter's) private member's bill (Misuse of Drugs (Medicinal Cannabis and Other Matters) Amendment Bill) was introduced, and was effectively a grow-your-own-dope-medicine bill, with very little control or safeguards. It was rightly rejected by the majority of MPs.

READ MORE: [SayNopeToDope.org.nz/medicinal](https://www.saynoptodope.org.nz/medicinal)



DRUG TESTING 2021



In 2021, the Drug and Substance Checking Legislation Act (No 2) 2021 was passed which makes drug checking permanently legal in New Zealand. Allowing drug use and drug testing is flawed and dangerous, and is primarily being used by drug-friendly groups as a wedge to normalise drug use.

Drug testing also does not – and cannot – guarantee that the drug being taken will not cause any physical or mental harm or death to the individual consumer. It also cannot account for the individual's physiological response to each drug. Drug testing cannot test for use of other drugs.

Drug testing will be seen by many younger people especially as a clear endorsement of drug use. It sends a message that illicit drugs are acceptable and can be 'safe' and will worsen harmful drug use so that more lives will be put at risk with the belief that the drug they are taking is somehow 'safe'. Politicians should stop playing Russian roulette with drugs and with lives.



READ MORE: <https://familyfirst.org.nz/2021/03/04/family-matters-playing-russian-roulette-with-drug-testing/>

PARENTING

PARENTAL NOTIFICATION FOR TEEN ABORTIONS 2020



Currently, girls under the age of 16 can have an abortion without their parents being informed. During the debate on the new 2020 liberal abortion law (*referred to previously*), an amendment which would have seen abortion for minors treated like any other health procedure (which included appropriate parental consent) was again defeated. In all other health contexts, the health practitioner is required to assess the child's capacity prior to a medical procedure and, where capacity is lacking, obtain the consent of a parent or guardian. It is ironic that abortion advocates want abortion to be treated as a 'health issue' – but not when it involves a teenager seeking an abortion.



In 2004, a law-change proposed to prevent this was also defeated.

READ MORE: [ChooseLife.nz](https://www.chooselife.nz)

ANTI-SMACKING LAW 2007



Section 59 of the Crimes Act was amended in 2007, removing legal protection from parents who exercise discipline over their children in the form of reasonable physical punishment – despite the fact 87% New Zealanders opposed it in a subsequent referendum. Most social indicators around the welfare of children have continued to worsen since the law change, proving we are not tackling the real causes of child abuse. The amendment makes parents who engage in reasonable correction of their children liable for prosecution and unwarranted intervention by police and Oranga Tamariki. Despite promises that this wouldn't happen, legal analysis and evidence from families rebut the assurances that were given.

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READ MORE: [ProtectGoodParents.nz](https://www.protectgoodparents.nz)

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DECRIMINALISE NON-ABUSIVE SMACKING 2010



After 87% of New Zealanders voted overwhelmingly in a referendum to change the anti-smacking law, politicians had the opportunity to support a private members bill that would have decriminalised light and non-abusive smacking for the purpose of correction. This would have removed the fear and uncertainty around the anti-smacking law, which continues more than 16 years on.



MARRIAGE

SAME-SEX MARRIAGE 2013



For millions of people worldwide, marriage is a culturally-significant, historically-bound institution. But a majority of politicians chose to reject the obvious cultural and natural characteristics of marriage, and the subsequent creation and care of children, and made marriage just about partnership.

The Marriage (Definition of Marriage) Amendment Act 2013 was an act of cultural vandalism. The equality cause is not advanced by destroying institutions. Equality should respect difference, not destroy it. One of the outcomes of redefining marriage is that same-sex couples are able to adopt non-related babies and children. Two men might individually be good fathers, but neither can be a mum. Two women might individually be good mothers, but neither can be a dad. While a compassionate society should always come to the aid of motherless and fatherless families, a wise and loving society should never intentionally create fatherless or motherless families. Deliberately depriving a child of a loving mum or a dad is not in the child's best interests.

As predicted, there are now calls for the law to recognise polygamy and group marriage.



DOWNLOAD OUR FACT SHEET: <https://familyfirst.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Marriage-Fact-Sheet.pdf>

READ MORE: [ProtectMarriage.nz](https://familyfirst.org.nz/protect-marriage)

SAME-SEX MARRIAGE – FREEDOM OF CONSCIENCE 2013



Under the same-sex marriage legislation, it is unlawful for churches, mosques and synagogues to refuse to host same-sex marriages if the building is normally made available to the public. While the bill was being debated, a majority of MPs voted down an amendment which would uphold the right of individual celebrants and registrars to refuse to marry a same-sex couple.

Since the law change, some wedding facilities have been pressured to change their policies, or have stopped making their facilities available to the public, to avoid possible prosecution. Some marriage celebrant applicants have been turned down due to their personal convictions on the definition of marriage, despite assurances from politicians that this would not happen. Some service providers such as wedding cake makers have come under pressure for following their conscience on this issue.



MARRIAGE DEFINITION 2005



In 2005, the Marriage (Gender Clarification) Amendment Bill attempted to clearly define and confirm marriage as a union between one man and one woman, in accordance with the common law understanding of marriage. The bill was defeated.



OTHER SOCIAL ISSUES

HATE SPEECH LAW 2022



Despite the country's horror at the terrorist act in Christchurch and the grotesque ideology behind it, the government does not have the support of New Zealanders for a radical transformation and expansion of so-called 'hate speech' laws.

The Government recently withdrew their proposed hate speech law (Human Rights (Incitement on Ground of Religious Belief) Amendment Bill) after it had gone through its 1st reading and was before a Select Committee.

The previous Minister of Justice Kiri Allen then asked the Law Commission to look at the laws (despite the Ministry of Justice already doing a significant investigation).

Political activists, special interest groups and the state will miss the important distinction between hate-speech and merely speech they hate, and end up using such laws as tools of political intimidation to punish opponents and shut down debate in the marketplace of ideas. Such groups will claim to believe in free speech, just as long as it's speech they approve of. Hate speech laws must be rejected for the sake of a fair, open and democratic society.



DOWNLOAD OUR FACT SHEET: <https://familyfirst.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Hate-Speech-Fact-Sheet.pdf>

READ MORE: [HateSpeech.nz](https://familyfirst.org.nz/hate-speech)

EASTER TRADING 2022



After a number of attempts to change the law, the Shop Trading Hours Amendment Act was passed in 2016, which enabled local districts to decide whether retailers could open on Easter Sunday.

In 2022, the Repeal of Good Friday and Easter Sunday as Restricted Trading Days (Shop Trading and Sale of Alcohol) Amendment Bill introduced by ACT MP Chris Baillie was defeated at 1st Reading. It attempted to remove all restrictions on trading and selling alcohol on Good Friday and Easter Sunday nationwide.

Economic improvement needs to be finely balanced with family and community time. Anzac Day, Easter, and Christmas remain as the few times when the whole country stops and takes a break. This is not an issue about choice as has also been argued. For many workers, they don't have the luxury of choice as to whether they work or not. Coercion to work will be a very real threat. Based on the arguments used by its proponents, Good Friday, Anzac Day and Christmas Day will continue to be at risk of being taken from workers.



REPEAL OF THREE STRIKES LAW 2022



In 2022, Parliament passed the Three Strikes Legislation Repeal Act 2022 which *removed* the mandatory sentencing regime commonly known as the "Three Strikes Law". The "Three Strikes Law" covers 40 qualifying offences, comprising all major violent and sexual offences with a maximum penalty of seven years or greater imprisonment.

These are serious crimes - sexual violation, murder, attempted murder, manslaughter, wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm, and more. Three Strikes operates on two angles - to those it can deter, it deters.

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To those it can't deter, it incapacitates for longer periods to protect the public. Scrapping the Three Strikes Law will do nothing to protect families and communities from worsening levels of family harm, violent crimes and gun violence. The Three Strikes Law reinforces that we take victimisation seriously.



READ MORE: ThreeStrikesLaw.nz

DECRIMINALISING PROSTITUTION 2003

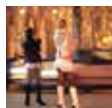


Prostitution was made legal in New Zealand in 2003. The new law enabled small brothels to operate in residential areas next to family homes, and failed to protect communities and families from the effects of street prostitution. It also failed to deliver on the stated aim of the law, which was to significantly improve the health, safety and welfare for prostitutes. What it has achieved is an improvement in working conditions for pimps and brothel owners. Ultimately, the new law legalised the sexual exploitation of vulnerable people.



READ OUR ANALYSIS OF THE LAW: <https://familyfirst.org.nz/2021/12/06/research-prostitution-law-review/>

BAN STREET PROSTITUTION 2015



The Manukau City Council (Regulation of Prostitution in Specified Places) Bill, which was defeated in 2015, would have enabled prostitutes to be moved out of residential and family shopping areas.

A number of communities around New Zealand have been trying to deal with the problems created by street prostitution: intimidation, noise, litter, and criminal behaviour. The 2003 prostitution law (*see above*) failed to give local councils the ability to deal with the nuisance and harm caused to both prostitutes (many of whom are under-age) and families.



RAISE DRINKING (PURCHASE) AGE 2012



Medical evidence on accident probability, disease, and brain development clearly supports delaying the age at which young people have easy access to alcohol. Raising the drinking age would reduce the level of damage to young people and to families, and would contribute to future health and well-being. The 2012 proposal to increase the drinking purchase age (as part of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012) would have undone some of the harm which resulted from the previous lowering of the age, but it was defeated.

(This is just one of the 5+ Solutions for reducing alcohol harm which Family First supports – raise price, raise purchase age, reduce accessibility, reduce advertising & sponsorship, target drink-driving (plus increase treatment availability & health warnings on bottles/cans).



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MARRIAGE

Define marriage as one man and one woman	Oppose *	Oppose *	Oppose	No response
Freedom of conscience for belief in traditional marriage e.g. service providers	Oppose *	No response	Oppose	No response
Redefine marriage to allow polygamy, group marriage	No response	No response	Neutral	No response
Policies promoting marriage	No response	No response	Oppose	No response
Same sex adoption by non-biological adults	Support *	Support *	Support	No response

ABORTION

Decriminalisation of abortion	Support *	Oppose, but won't amend law *	Support *	Support *
SOP Ban on sex selection abortions	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
SOP Foetal pain provision for late term abortions	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
SOP Ban on disability discrimination abortions	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
SOP Late term abortions only for exceptional circumstances	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
SOP Born-Alive law (care of children who survive abortion)	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
SOP Full conscientious objection for health practitioners	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
Ban on prayer and counselling outside abortion centers	Support *	Support *	Support *	Support *

ASSISTED SUICIDE / EUTHANASIA

Decriminalisation of euthanasia / assisted suicide	Support *	Oppose *	Support *	Oppose *
Full freedom of conscience for medical professionals	Oppose *	No response	Oppose *	No response
1-week cooling off period	Oppose *	No response	Oppose *	No response
Expansion of the law e.g. non-terminal, mental, minors	No response	No response	Oppose	No response

ANTI-SMACKING LAW

Decriminalise non-abusive smacking	Oppose *	No response	Oppose	No response
Independent Oranga Tamariki (OT) Complaints Authority	Support *	Oppose *	Support	Oppose *

DEMOCRACY

Binding Citizens' Initiated Referenda	No response	No response	Oppose	No response
Hate speech laws	Support *	Oppose *	Support *	Support *

PARENTING AND FAMILY

SOP Parental notification for teen abortions	Oppose *	Won't touch current law *	Oppose *	No response
Ban on surrogacy and sperm donors	Oppose *	No response	Oppose	No response
Expert Panel to investigate harms of pornography	No response	No response	Support	No response

GENDER IDENTITY / CRITICAL THEORY

Gender ideology i.e. gender identity is separate from biological sex	Support *	Support *	Support *	Support *
Birth certificates can be based on gender identity, not biological sex	Support *	Support *	Support *	Support *
Ban on critical theory (including critical race theory) being taught in schools?	Oppose *	No response	Oppose	Oppose *









CONVERSION THERAPY

Support or oppose the current 'conversion therapy ban' law	Support *	Support *	Support *	Support *
Counselling Ban for youth with gender confusion unless affirming gender identity	Support *	Support *	Support *	Support *
Counselling ban on gender / sexuality for adults - even if consent is given	Support *	Didn't vote *	Support *	Support *
Ban on chemicalisation/surgery for minors (under 18) for 'gender transitioning'	No response	No response	Oppose	No response
Legal protection for parents to discuss gender/sexuality issues with their children	Oppose *	Didn't vote *	Oppose *	Oppose *
Ban on prayer for issues related to sexuality / gender	Support *	Didn't vote *	Support *	Support *

DRUGS

Legalisation of cannabis for recreational use	No response	Oppose *	Support	No response
Decriminalisation of ALL drugs	Support *	Oppose *	Support *	Support *
Legalisation of ALL drugs	No response	Oppose *	Partial Support	No response
Medicinal marijuana	Support *	Support *	Support *	No response
Drug 'testing' of illegal drugs at events	Support *	Oppose *	Support *	Support *

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(Both leaders shown due to differing views)

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Support *	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support
Support *	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose

Support	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose
Oppose *	Support * ²	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose
Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose
Didn't vote *	Support *	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support
Support *	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Oppose	Support *	No position

Where do party leaders stand on key family issues?



■ = Consistent with Family First position ■ = Not consistent with Family First position

* based on recorded vote in Parliament, or public statements

	Chris HIPKINS	Christopher LUXON	Marama DAVIDSON	Rawiri WAITITI
	Labour	National	Green	Te Pati Māori
PROSTITUTION				
Repeal of current prostitution law – prosecute buyer (Nordic model)	No response	No response	Oppose	No response
Ban on brothels in residential areas	No response	No response	Oppose	No response
Ban on street prostitution	Oppose *	No response	Oppose	No response
ALCOHOL				
Raise drinking and purchase age to 20	Oppose *	No response	Oppose	No response
Alcohol law reform (5+ Solution) ⁴	No response	No response	Partial Support	No response
TAXATION OF FAMILIES				
Income splitting for parents	No response	No response	Oppose	No response
Paid parental leave (6 months)	Support *	Support *	Support *	Support *
OTHER ISSUES				
Three Strikes legislation (for repeat violent offenders)	Oppose *	Support *	Oppose *	Oppose *
Liberalise Easter Trading laws	Oppose *	Support *	Oppose *	Didn't vote *

1. Supported on the basis of also holding a public referendum
2. NZ First supported this bill, but did force Labour / Greens to accept amendment which helped maintain the ability for legal sanction - rather than full decriminalisation as intended by Labour / Greens
3. National support medicinal marijuana, but opposed the current law because "smoking is not medicine", a concern that Family First shares.
4. Raise price, raise purchase age, reduce accessibility, reduce advertising & sponsorship, target drink-driving (plus increase treatment availability and health warning labels on products)
5. Read more: [CriticalTheory.nz](https://criticaltheory.nz)

LEADERS: What is a woman?

"Um... to be honest that question has come slightly out of left field for me. The.... well.... biology, sex, gender.... um.... People define themselves, people define their own genders."

[When asked again] - "As I think I've just indicated, I wasn't expecting that question, so it's not something I've formulated... pre-formulated an answer on. But in terms of gender identity, I think people define their gender identity for themselves."



Chris Hipkins (Labour) – 3 April 2023

"Pretty simple: adult human female...."

[When asked who gets to define this] – "[There is a] very small number of people who identify with a gender that's difference from the sex they had at birth. They need to



be respected as well. And so you know, that's pretty straightforward for me to think about."

Christopher Luxon (National) – 7 April 2023

"For centuries, women have been defined by either reproductive ability or social roles that we didn't get to choose for ourselves. I'm proud of all the women who have fought for the freedom to define themselves and their own lives. We don't need tightly defined categories around womanhood, we need a society where everyone, regardless of gender, has the freedom to choose their own path in life."



Marama Davidson (Green)
(correspondence with Family First NZ)



"....."

Rawiri Waititi (Te Pāti Māori) – No response











"Adult human female"

David Seymour (ACT)
(correspondence with Family First NZ)



"Adult human female. My late mother was one."

Winston Peters (NZ First)
(correspondence with Family First NZ)

							
David SEYMOUR	Winston PETERS	Alfred NGARO	Helen HOUGHTON	Brian TAMAKI	Sue GREY	Matt KING	Leighton BAKER
ACT	NZ First	NewZeal	New Conservatives	Freedoms NZ	DemocracyNZ	DemocracyNZ	Leighton Baker

(Both leaders shown due to differing views)

Oppose	Support ¹	Support	Support	Support	Oppose	Support
Oppose	Support	Support	Support	Support	Oppose	Support
Oppose *	Support	Oppose *	Support	Support	Oppose	Support

Oppose	Support *	Support	Support	Support	No Position	Oppose	Support
Partial Support	Partial Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support

No Position	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support
Oppose	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Oppose	Support

Support *	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support
Support *	Oppose *	Support *	Oppose	Oppose	Support	Support	Oppose

"Didn't vote" = was a current MP but either abstained or didn't show up for the vote

Labour leader Chris Hipkins, National leader Christopher Luxon and the Maori Party refused to respond to our questionnaire. Where possible, we have recorded a response based on their voting records and/or public statements. The Opportunities Party also refused to respond to our questionnaire. Liz Gunn (New Zealand Loyal) did not return the questionnaire at time of going to print.

Where a leader's response to an issue in this year's questionnaire is different to their previous voting record on the same issue, we have defaulted to showing their voting record, as this is the official vote recorded in Hansard. However, we have used a lighter green and a grey to indicate to the reader that their position / view is different to when they voted on the issue when in Parliament.

SOP = Supplementary Order Paper. These are proposed amendments to a bill when being debated by the MPs in Parliament.



"Adult human female"

Alfred Ngaro (NewZeal)

(correspondence with Family First NZ)



"Adult human female."

Helen Houghton (New Conservative)

(correspondence with Family First NZ)



"A biological human female, the gender that is given by the creator at birth."

Brian Tamaki (Freedoms NZ)

(correspondence with Family First NZ)



"An adult human female."

Matt King (Democracy NZ)

(correspondence with Family First NZ)



"Adult female human."

Leighton Baker (Leighton Baker)

(correspondence with Family First NZ)



What is a woman?

What is your mum?

whatisawoman.nz



How did MPs vote on the key family issues?

We have only included MPs seeking re-election. Refer to pages 4-7 for explanations of these issue headings.

SURNAME	FIRST NAME	ELECTORATE	PARTY	BIRTH CERTIFICATES 2021	CONVERSION THERAPY BAN 2022	SOP PARENT CHILD TALKS ALLOWED	SOP OPINION ALLOWED	SOP PARENT CONSENT	SOP HEALTH PRACTITIONER ADVICE	SOP PRAYER ALLOWED	SOP 3.5 YEAR REVIEWS	ABORTION LEGISLATION 2020	SOP BORN ALIVE PROVISIONS	SOP SEX SELECTION BAN	SOP DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION BAN	SOP FETAL PAIN PROVISION	SOP LATE TERM LIMITS	SOP CONSCIENCE PROVISIONS	SAFE ZONES 2022
		(# = List MP)		GENDER IDEOLOGY								ABORTION							
ANDERSEN	Virginia	Hutt South	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
BELICH	Camilla	#Epsom	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
BENNETT	Glen	New Plymouth	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
BOYACK	Rachel	Nelson	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
BROOKING	Rachel	#Dunedin	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
CHEN	Naisi	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
COFFEY	Tamati	#EastCoast	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
CRAIG	Liz	#Invercargill	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
DAVIS	Kelvin	Te Tai Tokerau	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
EDMONDS	Barbara	Mana	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
HALBERT	Shanan	Northcote	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
HENARE	Peeni	Tamaki Makaurau	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
HIPKINS	Chris	Remutaka	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
JACKSON	Willie	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
KANONGATA/SUISUIKI	Anahila	#Papakura	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
LEARY	Ingrid	Tairā	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
LEAVASA	Anae Neru	Takanini	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE
LEWIS	Stephanie	Whanganui	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
LITTLE	Andrew	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
LORCK	Anna	Tukituki	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
LUXTON	Jo	#Rangitata	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
MCANULTY	Kieran	Wairarapa	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
MAHUTA	Nanaia	Hauraki-Waikato	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
MCLELLAN	Tracey	Banks Peninsula	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
NGOBI	Terisa	Ōtaki	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
O'CONNOR	Damien	West Coast-Tasman	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
O'CONNOR	Greg	Ōhāriu	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
OMER	Ibrahim	#Wellington Central	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
PALLET	Sarah	Itam	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
PARKER	David	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
PEKE-MASON	Soraya	#Te Tai Hauāuru	Labour	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip
PRIME	Willow-Jean	Northland	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
RADHAKRISHNAN	Priyanka	Maungakiekie	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	NO VOTE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
ROBERTS	Angela	#Tairāki-King Country	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
ROBERTSON	Grant	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
RURAWHE	Adrian	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
RUSSELL	Deborah	New Lynn	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
SALESA	Jenny	Pānuire - Ōtāhuhu	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
SEPULONI	Carmel	Kelston	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
SOSENE	Lemauga Lydia	#Māngere	Labour	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip
TINETTI	Jan	#Tauranga	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
TIRIKATENE	Rino	Te Tai Tonga	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
TWYFORD	Phil	Te Atātū	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
UTIKERE	Tangi	Palmerston North	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
VERRALL	Ayesha	#List only	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WALTERS	Vanushi	Upper Harbour	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WARREN-CLARK	Angie	#Whāngarei	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
WEBB	Duncan	Christchurch Central	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
WHITE	Helen	#Mt Albert	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WILLIAMS	Arena	Manurewa	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WOOD	Michael	Mt Roskill	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT
WOODS	Megan	Wigram	Labour	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
NGAREWA-PACKER	Debbie	#Te Tai Hauāuru	Te Pāti Māori	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	No Vote	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WAIITITI	Rawiri	Waikato	Te Pāti Māori	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	No Vote	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WHAITIRI	Meka	Ikaroa-Rāwhiti	Te Pāti Māori	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT

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= Consistent with Family First position = Not consistent with Family First position nip = Not in Parliament

	EUTHANASIA 2019	SOP CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTION	SOP COILING OFF PERIOD	CANNABIS REFERENDUM 2020	DECRIMINALISE DRUGS 2019	MEDICINAL (Greens) 2017	MEDICINAL (Govt) 2018	DRUG TESTING 2021	SOP PARENT INVOLVEMENT FOR ABUSING (2020)	ANTI-SMOKING LAW 2007	DECRIMINALISE LIGHT SMOKING 2009	SAME-SEX MARRIAGE 2013	SOP MARRIAGE CONSCIENCE	MARRIAGE DEFN 2005	HATE SPEECH 2022	EASTER TRADING 2022	EASTER TRADING 2016	REFUGEE STRIKES 2022	DECRIMINALISE PROSTITUTION 2003	BANK STREET PROSTITUTION 2015	RAISE ALCOHOL AGE 2012
SURNAME	EUTHANASIA			DRUGS					PARENTING			MARRIAGE			OTHER						
ANDERSEN	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
BELICH	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
BENNETT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
BOYACK	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
BROOKING	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
CHEN	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
COFFEY	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
CRAIG	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
DAVIS	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	nip
EDMONDS	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
HALBERT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
HENARE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO*	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	nip
HIPKINS	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
JACKSON	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO*	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
KANONGATA'A-SUISUKI	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	NO	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
LEARY	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
LEAVASA	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
LEWIS	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
LITTLE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
LORCK	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
LUXTON	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
MCANULTY	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
MAHUTA	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
MCLELLAN	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
NGOBI	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
O'CONNOR	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
O'CONNOR	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
OMER	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
PALLET	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
PARKER	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
PEKE-MASON	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip
PRIME	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
RADHAKRISHNAN	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
ROBERTS	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
ROBERTSON	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
RURAWHE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	YES	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	nip
RUSSELL	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO*	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
SALESA	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	nip
SEPULONI	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	nip
SOSENE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
TINETTI	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
TIRIKATENE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	NO RESPONSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
TWYFORD	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
UTIKERE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
VERRALL	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WALTERS	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WARREN-CLARK	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WEBB	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WHITE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WILLIAMS	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WOOD	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	NO VOTE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
WOODS	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	YES *	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
NGAREWA-PACKER	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	NO VOTE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip
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How did MPs vote on the key family issues?

We have only included MPs seeking re-election. Refer to pages 4-7 for explanations of these issue headings.

SURNAME	FIRST NAME	ELECTORATE	PARTY	BIRTH CERTIFICATES 2021	CONVERSION THERAPY BAN 2022	SOP PARENT CHILD TALKS ALLOWED	SOP OPINION ALLOWED	SOP PARENT CONSENT	SOP HEALTH PRACTICER ADVICE	SOP PRAYER ALLOWED	SOP 35 YEAR REVIEWS	ABORTION LEGISLATION 2020	SOP BORN ALIVE PROVISIONS	SOP SEX SELECTION BAN	SOP DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION BAN	SOP FOETAL PAIN PROVISION	SOP LATE TERM LIMITS	SOP CONSCIENCE PROVISIONS	SAFE ZONES 2022
		(# = List MP)		GENDER IDEOLOGY								ABORTION							
DAVIDSON	Marama	#List only	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
GENTER	Julie Anne	#Rongotai	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
GHAHRAMAN	Golriz	#Kelston	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
MARCH	Ricardo	#Mt Albert	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
SHAW	James	#List only	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
SWARBRICK	Chloe	Auckland Central	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
TUONO	Teana	#Palmerston North	Green	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
BAYLY	Andrew	Port Waikato	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT
BISHOP	Chris	#Hutt South	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	No Vote	SUPPORT
BROWN	Simeon	Pakuranga	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
BROWNLEE	Gerry	#List only	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT
COLLINS	Judith	Papakura	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	SUPPORT	NO VOTE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO VOTE	NO VOTE	NO VOTE	SUPPORT
DOOCEY	Matt	Waimakariri	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
GOLDSMITH	Paul	#Epsom	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT
GRIGG	Nicola	Selwyn	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
HIPANGO	Harete	#Te Tai Hauāuru	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
KURIGER	Barbara	Taranaki-King Country	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	Abstain	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
LEE	Melissa	#Mt Albert	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
LUXON	Christopher	Botany	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
MCCLAY	Todd	Rotorua	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT
MITCHELL	Mark	Whangaparāoia	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT
MOONEY	Joseph	Southland	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
O'CONNOR	Simon	Tāmaki	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
PENK	Chris	Kaipara ki Mahurangi	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
POTAKA	Tama	Hamilton West	National	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip
PUGH	Maureen	#West Coast-Tasman	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
RETI	Shane	#Whangarei	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	No Vote	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
SIMMONDS	Penny	Invercargill	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE
SIMPSON	Scott	Coromandel	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
SMITH	Stuart	Kaikoura	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	No Vote	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
STANFORD	Erica	East Coast Bays	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	No Vote	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
UFFINDEL	Sam	Tauranga	National	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip
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VAN DE MOLEN	Timothy	Waikato	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
WATTS	Simon	North Shore	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	No Vote	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
WILLIS	Nicola	#Ōhāriu	National	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
WOODHOUSE	Michael	#Dunedin	National	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE
BAILLIE	Chris	#Nelson	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
CAMERON	Mark	#Northland	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
CHHOOR	Karen	#Upper Harbour	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
COURT	Simon	#Te Atatu	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
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SEVERIN	Toni	#Christchurch East	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
SEYMOUR	David	Epsom	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	SUPPORT
VAN VELDEN	Brooke	#Tāmaki	ACT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT
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BALL	Darroch		NZ First	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip
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MARCROFT	Jennifer	#Kaipara ki Mahurangi	NZ First	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip
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NGARO	Alfred		New Zealand	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip
KING	Matt	#Northland	Democracy NZ	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	nip
GARCIA	Paulo	#New Lynn	National	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip
BIDOIS	Dan	#Northcote	National	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip
PARMAR	Parmjeet	#Pakuranga	ACT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	OPPOSE	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	SUPPORT	nip

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= Consistent with Family First position = Not consistent with Family First position nip = Not in Parliament

SURNAME	EUTHANASIA 2019	SOP CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTION	SOP COOLING OFF PERIOD	CANNABIS REFERENDUM 2020	DECRIMINALISE ALL DRUGS 2019	MEDICAL (Greens) 2017	MEDICAL (Govd) 2018	DRUG TESTING 2021	SOP PARENT INVOLVEMENT FOR ABORTIONS (2020)	ANTI-SMOKING LAW 2007	DECRIMINALISE LIGHT SMOKING 2009	SAME-SEX MARRIAGE 2013	SOP MARRIAGE CONSCIENCE	MARRIAGE DEFN 2005	HATE SPEECH 2022	EASTER TRADING 2022	EASTER TRADING 2016	REPEAL 3 STRIKES 2022	DECRIMINALISE PROSTITUTION 2003	BON STREET PROSTITUTION 2015	ROSEALCHOL AGE 2012
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KING	SUPPORT	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	NO *	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	OPPOSE	nip	SUPPORT	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip	nip
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Learn how to protect your family

News & Media




Is the Government forcing Rainbow Youth onto your school board?

April 05, 2022 News & Stories

The Government is strongly pushing for schools to accept, adopt and indoctrinate radical and extreme sexuality and gender ideology (as well as critical theory and climate activism) into all aspects of the curriculum and school life.

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MEDIA RELEASE: "What is a woman?" Campaign Launched

July 19, 2022 Media & Stories

A nationwide campaign asking the question "What is a woman?" has been launched today. An accompanying petition calls for "woman" to be defined as "an adult human female in all our laws, public policies and regulations."

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Government still targeting Bethlehem College!

June 1, 2022 News & Stories

At a time when most New Zealanders believe that the Ministry of Education and Minister Jan Tinetti should be focusing on concerns over educational standards the Education Review Office has decided to use their time to scrutinise... Bethlehem College. Again!

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Fact Sheets



Gender & Sexuality Education

Parents - be warned. The Government declared at the beginning of 2022 that they were launching a new offensive to push radical sexuality and gender ideology at your children. When you see the full programme, you won't be too comfortable with it.

[Fact Sheet](#)



Hate Speech

In a free and open society, distasteful opinions are met with open inquiry, civil dialogue and debate. If I don't like what you say, even if I find it offensive, I leave your ideas with my own in an attempt to discover something approaching the truth. But this is all about to change, with potentially devastating consequences.

[Fact Sheet](#)

Family First TV



McBLOG: Social conservatives are happier & healthier

August 5, 2021 Blogging

New surveys in the USA show that high school boys are becoming more socially liberal. However, that all changes as they get older. We check out the latest social trends and its effect on mental health. Because progressivism or liberalism is secular, it's also depressing.

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FAMILY MATTERS: Solving the crime wave begins at home

October 10, 2022 Family Matters

Tune into New Zealand's news channels, and you'll be confronted with images and stories of youth offending involving rape, robbery, violent attacks, and assault...

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FAMILY MATTERS: Exposed! Radical Sexuality & Gender Indoctrination in NZ Schools

April 14, 2022 Family Matters & News & Stories

If you're a parent or guardian of a young child, this could be one of the most important episodes of Family Matters that you watch...

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Conversion Therapy

In passing the Conversion Practices Prohibition Legislation Act 2022, Parliament has effectively criminalised the discussion and practice of alternatives to hormones, surgery and confusion for gender dysphoria - and more troubling, they have criminalised self-determination of how a person wants to live their own life.

[Fact Sheet](#)



Anti-Smacking

At this stage it would appear that the Anti-Smacking Law is failing. Not only has the law failed to reduce the harm perpetrated against children, but it has increased the harm inflicted by children.

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Research & Issues



PARENT GUIDE: The Battle For Your Child's Innocence

As children prepare to return to the classroom, Family First has just released a Parent Guide - on how to protect your children from the state's radical sexuality and gender ideologies in schools.

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RESEARCH - Measuring Father Absence in NZ

Thousands of New Zealand children struggle with having no father in their lives. A new report measures Father Absence.

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REPORT: The value of family, and the cost of family breakdown

A new report estimates that the fiscal cost to the taxpayer of family breakdown and decreasing marriage rates has been estimated at around \$3 billion (around \$520 per taxpayer) in 2020-2025.

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Transgender

An epidemic of "childhood gender dysphoria" is sweeping the Western world. Having exploded from rarely less than a decade ago, there is now an exponential increase in the number of children being presented to specially created units in children's hospitals with the complaint "they have been born in the wrong body" and "belong" in that of the opposite sex.

[Fact Sheet](#)



Critical Theory

The term **Critical Theory** refers to a way of seeing and thinking about the world around us in a "critical" way: that is to look critically for ways in which people are being unjustly oppressed. It wants to deconstruct all traditional systems, structures and institutions, particularly when they are being used to impose social, political or economic power by one group over another.

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