

## Weiser Campaign Launches Reproductive Rights-Focused Ad Campaign

Campaign's first ad emphasizes need for an AG who will protect our fundamental rights

SEPTEMBER 19, 2022—Attorney General Phil Weiser's campaign launched its first ads of the election cycle today to remind voters that abortion rights are on the ballot and that Weiser is the only candidate for Attorney General who will vigorously defend a woman's right to choose.

The <u>30-second</u> and <u>15-second</u> ads, titled "Choice is on the Ballot," emphasize Weiser's outspoken commitment to defending Coloradans' abortion rights and protecting healthcare providers.

Weiser strongly opposed the *Dobbs* decision that overturned *Roe v. Wade* and has pushed back against criminalizing women who seek abortion care and the doctors who provide it. He has not only committed to defending Colorado's Reproductive Health Equity Act, the law that guarantees abortion access in our state, but has also committed to protecting healthcare providers and those who travel to Colorado to seek an abortion. Weiser will also challenge any local ordinances that attempt to restrict or limit abortion access in contradiction to state law, and opposes a federal abortion ban.

By contrast, John Kellner, the Republican nominee for Attorney General, <u>won't support a woman's right</u> to choose and <u>supports the Supreme Court's *Dobbs* decision</u> that ended the constitutional right to abortion.

"Following the *Dobbs* decision, defending access to critical abortion care and protecting providers is more important than ever," said Attorney General Phil Weiser. "Coloradans deserve an Attorney General who will fight for and believes in the rights of women to have control over their own bodies and can make their own health care decisions without interference from the government."

"Choice is on the Ballot"

"Phil has been an outspoken proponent of abortion care rights." (Adrienne Mansanares, CEO Planned Parenthood Votes Colorado)

"Knowing that we have someone who's going to protect us legally, protect our patients, and protect providers—it's essential." (Dr. Eliza Buyers, MD)

"He's listened to advocates, he's listened to patients. I know that, because I've been in a room where all of us were assembled, and he listened." (Dani Newsum, Director of Strategic Partnerships at Cobalt, Mother)

"I'm the only candidate for Attorney General who believes in a woman's right to choose. The right to choose is on the ballot." (Attorney General Phil Weiser)

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