

THE CLUB FOR
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2020

Florida State Legislative Scorecard

See how Members of Florida's Legislature are voting on economic growth issues.



Club for Growth Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization focused on educating the public about the value of free markets, pro-growth policies, and economic prosperity.

State Scorecards are created by the Club for Growth Foundation to educate the public about the voting records of the legislators who serve in state Legislatures. It is part of a larger scorecard project that the Club for Growth Foundation has created to educate the public about the economic positions taken by legislators in states across the country.

Our Mission

THE FOUNDATION
EDUCATES THE
PUBLIC ABOUT PRO-
GROWTH POLICIES.

THE FOUNDATION
CONDUCTS
COMPREHENSIVE
EXAMINATIONS OF
VOTING RECORDS.

THE FOUNDATION'S
GOAL IS TO INFORM
THE PUBLIC AND
BRING AWARENESS
TO LAWMAKERS.

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Club for Growth Foundation publishes the scorecard study so the public can monitor the actions and the voting behavior of Florida’s elected state lawmakers on economic growth issues.

The Foundation conducted a comprehensive examination of each lawmaker’s record on votes related to pro-growth policies and computed an Economic Growth Score on a scale of 0 to 100. A score of 100 indicates the highest support for pro-growth policies.

The Foundation examines legislative votes related to the Club’s immediate pro-economic growth policy goals, including:

- Reducing or eliminating tax rates and enacting tax reform
- Limited government through limited spending and budget reform
- Regulatory reform and deregulation
- Ending abusive lawsuits through medical malpractice and tort reform
- Expanding school choice
- Implementing term limits

Not all of these policy goals will come up for a vote in each legislative session.

The Foundation also examined votes on bills that would directly harm these goals.

This scorecard is based on selected votes of importance to the Foundation, and does not include the complete voting record of any legislator. There are inherent limitations in judging the overall qualifications of any legislator based on a selected voting record, and the Foundation does not endorse or oppose any legislator for public office.

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LEGISLATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED IN FLORIDA IN 2020

The Foundation’s study examined over 600 floor votes and, in the end, included 16 Florida House votes and 10 Florida Senate votes.

COMPUTATION

Scores are computed on a scale of 0 to 100. Each vote or action in the rating is assigned a certain number of points depending on its relative importance. If a lawmaker casts a correct vote, the scorecard will denote it with that number. If a lawmaker casts an incorrect vote, the scorecard will denote that vote with a hyphen (-). Absences are not counted – signified as an “X” on the scorecard – though the Foundation reserves the right to do so if, in its judgment, a lawmaker’s position was otherwise discernible. If a lawmaker was not officially sworn into office at the time of a vote, the scorecard will denote that vote with an “I”.

To provide some additional guidance concerning the scores, each lawmaker was ranked. Lawmakers with 0% scores are, by

default, ranked #120 in the House and #40 in the Senate. Scores and ranks cannot be directly compared between the House and Senate, as different votes were taken in each chamber. If applicable, the study also records a “Lifetime Score” for each lawmaker. This is a simple average of the scores from 2020 and all previous years where the lawmaker earned a score.

In some cases, a lawmaker was not present for enough votes for a meaningful score or ranking to be computed. In such cases “n.a.” for “not applicable” appears. In computing lifetime scores, years with “n.a.” listed instead of a score are not included. Comparing such scores to other members without “n.a.” years may be misleading.

ADDITIONAL FACTORS

A study of roll call votes on the floor of the Florida House and Florida Senate and legislative actions is just that. It cannot account for a lawmaker’s work in committee, advocacy in his party’s caucus meetings, and effectiveness as a leader in advocating pro-growth policies.

“Through the release of this series, the Club for Growth Foundation is looking at how state legislatures perform in terms of pro-growth policies. We believe that this scorecard will help inform citizens and entrepreneurs about who supports the policies that are good for economic prosperity.”

- DAVID McINTOSH
PRESIDENT, CLUB FOR GROWTH FOUNDATION

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40 MEMBERS

Florida Senate Snapshot

23 Republicans

17 Democrats

0 Vacancies

Average Republican Score: 72%

Average Democrat Score: 45%



HIGHEST-RATED REPUBLICAN

State Sen. Wilton Simpson (SD-10) | 81%



LOWEST-RATED REPUBLICAN

State Sen. Tom Lee (SD-20) | 59%



HIGHEST-RATED DEMOCRAT

State Sen. Oscar Braynon (SD-35) | 62%



LOWEST-RATED DEMOCRAT

State Sen. Bill Montford (SD-03) | 28%

State Sen. Annette Taddeo (SD-40) | 28%

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Name	District	Party	Score	Life-score	H0389	H0607	H0747	H1193	H7067	H7097	S0140	S0362	S1276	S1344	Rank
PRO-GROWTH POSITION					Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
POINTS					9	7	8	16	19	9	3	12	4	13	
Albritton, Ben	SD-26	R	76%	83%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Baxley, Dennis	SD-12	R	60%	75%	-	-	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	21
Bean, Aaron	SD-04	R	76%	76%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Benacquisto, Lizbeth	SD-27	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Berman, Lori	SD-31	D	41%	36%	-	-	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	13	34
Book, Lauren	SD-32	D	57%	57%	9	7	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	13	25
Bracy, Randolph	SD-11	D	57%	43%	9	7	-	X	X	X	3	-	-	13	25
Bradley, Rob	SD-05	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Brandes, Jeffrey	SD-24	R	79%	82%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	X	13	2
Braynon, Oscar	SD-35	D	62%	48%	9	7	X	16	-	9	3	-	-	13	19
Broxson, Douglas	SD-01	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Cruz, Janet	SD-18	D	35%	37%	-	-	-	16	X	9	3	-	-	-	36
Diaz, Manny	SD-36	R	76%	83%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Farmer, Gary	SD-34	D	51%	37%	-	-	-	16	X	9	3	-	-	13	29
Flores, Anitere	SD-39	R	70%	75%	9	7	-	16	X	9	3	-	-	13	17
Gainer, George	SD-02	R	62%	64%	-	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	X	19
Galvano, Bill	SD-21	R	70%	79%	9	7	-	X	19	9	X	-	-	13	17
Gibson, Audrey	SD-06	D	48%	45%	-	7	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	13	31
Gruters, Joe	SD-23	R	76%	84%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Harrell, Gayle	SD-25	R	60%	76%	-	-	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	21

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PRO-GROWTH POSITION					Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
POINTS					9	7	8	16	19	9	3	12	4	13	
Hooper, Ed	SD-16	R	60%	73%	-	-	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	21
Hutson, Travis	SD-07	R	76%	82%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Lee, Tom	SD-20	R	59%	70%	9	7	-	16	X	-	3	-	-	13	24
Mayfield, Debbie	SD-17	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Montford, Bill	SD-03	D	28%	50%	-	-	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	-	39
Passidomo, Kathleen	SD-28	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Perry, Keith	SD-08	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Pizzo, Jason	SD-38	D	54%	47%	9	-	X	16	-	9	3	-	-	13	28
Powell, Bobby	SD-30	D	40%	42%	-	7	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	X	35
Rader, Kevin	SD-29	D	35%	41%	9	7	-	16	-	-	3	-	-	-	36
Rodriguez, Jose	SD-37	D	44%	39%	9	7	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	-	32
Rouson, Darryl	SD-19	D	44%	46%	9	7	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	-	32
Simmons, David	SD-09	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Simpson, Wilton	SD-10	R	81%	83%	9	7	X	16	19	X	3	-	-	13	1
Stargel, Kelli	SD-22	R	76%	81%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3
Stewart, Linda	SD-13	D	57%	57%	9	7	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	13	25
Taddeo, Annette	SD-40	D	28%	38%	-	-	-	16	-	9	3	-	-	-	39
Thurston, Perry	SD-33	D	50%	40%	9	7	-	16	-	9	3	X	-	-	30
Torres, Victor	SD-15	D	32%	33%	-	-	-	16	-	9	3	X	-	-	38
Wright, Tommy	SD-14	R	76%	80%	9	7	-	16	19	9	3	-	-	13	3

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HB 389

EXPANDING MEDICAL FREEDOM

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill allows pharmacists to enter into agreements with physicians to treat patients with certain chronic illnesses. It also allows pharmacists to treat minor conditions like streptococcus or uncomplicated infections. Expanding options for patients and innovating ways to deliver care will help increase medical freedom and drive down costs. The Florida House passed this bill, 98-17, on March 11, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 28-12, on the same day. (Weight: 9)

HB 607

EXPANDING MEDICAL FREEDOM

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill allows qualified advanced nurse practitioners to independently operate primary care practices without the supervision of a physician. The bill includes a loan program that unnecessarily spends more taxpayers' money, but overall the bill is pro-growth. Expanding options for patients and innovating ways to deliver care

will help increase medical freedom and drive down costs. The Florida Senate passed the bill, 30-10, on March 11, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 107-8, on the same day. (Weight: 7)

HB 747

AIR AMBULANCE MANDATE

(CFGF OPPOSES)

This bill forces insurance companies to pay a "reasonable fee" for air ambulance services. In addition to the arbitrary language of "reasonable" and who gets to decide, this is a mandate on health insurance. Fees are almost always passed onto the consumer. That reduces healthcare freedom and it drives up the price of premiums. The Florida House passed this bill, 117-0, on February 20, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 37-0, on March 12, 2020. (Weight: 8)

HB 1193

OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING REFORM

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

Occupational licensure laws restrict innovation and job growth. It's also a prime example of

regulatory capture where industry controls its own competition through the political process. This bill enacts substantial pro-growth reforms by deregulating several occupational licenses like hair braiders, architects, and interior designers. It also reduces the number of hours needed to become a barber or nail specialist, and it more easily allows out-of-state professionals to get a license. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 38-0, on March 12, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 103-11, on the same day. (Weight: 16)

HB 7067

EXPANDING SCHOOL CHOICE

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

On the 2019 Florida scorecard, the Club for Growth Foundation positively scored passage of SB 7070, which established the Family Empowerment Scholarship (FES) program. This school choice program allows a certain number of low-income students to attend private schools. HB 7067 expands FES and other pro-growth school choice programs, taking power away from the government and giving families more

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choice and opportunity for their children. The Florida House passed this bill, 81-39, on March 9, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 21-14, on March 13, 2020. (Weight: 19)

HB 7097

TAX CUT PACKAGE

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill is a hodgepodge of various tax changes, some of which are pro-growth and anti-growth. However, the bill includes a large \$543 million corporate tax refund that Florida businesses were anticipating as a result of the passage of the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act from 2017. Florida is known for passing strong, pro-growth tax cut bills. This isn't it. But it at least returns millions of dollars back into the private sector. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 36-2, on March 13, 2020. The Florida House passed it on the same day, 104-8. (Weight: 9)

SB 140

DEREGULATING FIREWORKS

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

Current law prohibits the sale and use of fireworks by the public. This bill would exempt certain holidays, including the 4th of July. America has

a long history of using fireworks to celebrate its freedom and independence. While the government should not be in the business of regulating fireworks at all, this bill is a small step in the right direction. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 39-0, on March 9, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 82-34, on March 11, 2020. (Weight: 3)

SB 362

SAVING SLUSH FUND FROM REPEAL

(CFGF OPPOSES)

Visit Florida, which has a history of mismanagement and abuse, is a corporate welfare slush fund that uses tax dollars for tourism marketing. The program was scheduled for repeal on July 1, 2020, but this bill extends the scheduled repeal date to October 1, 2023. The Florida House passed this bill, 114-2, on March 11, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 38-0, on March 12, 2020. (Weight: 12)

SB 1276

CREATION OF NEW CRONYISM BOARD

(CFGF OPPOSES)

This bill creates the "Friends of Florida Citrus Program", which includes the creation of

an advisory council that assists and makes recommendations to the Florida Citrus Commission. While the bill does not involve more direct public spending, it creates another layer of bureaucracy that further ingratiate the private sector into the management of state government. This increases regulatory capture which gives private businesses the ability to regulate its competition using the force of government. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 39-0, on March 9, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 116-0, on March 11, 2020. (Weight: 4)

SB 1344

CERTIFICATE OF NEED EXEMPTION

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

Certificate of Need laws are a form of regulatory capture where health care providers can prevent competition from entering their area of operation. This bill would provide some exemptions to CON laws as they relate to intermediate care facilities for the developmentally disabled. This does not smash through and completely eliminate all CON laws in Florida, but it's a good step in the right direction. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 30-8, on March 9, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 79-36, on March 11, 2020. (Weight: 13)

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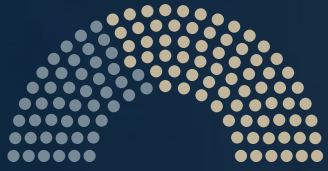
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120 MEMBERS

Florida House Snapshot

73 Republicans

47 Democrats

0 Vacancies

Average Republican Score: 86%

Average Democrat Score: 40%



HIGHEST-RATED REPUBLICANS

Rep. Mike Hill (HD-01) | 94%

Rep. Anthony Sabatini (HD-32) | 94%



LOWEST-RATED REPUBLICAN

Rep. Sam Killebrew (HD-41) | 76%



HIGHEST-RATED DEMOCRAT

Rep. Kimberly Daniels (HD-14) | 77%



LOWEST-RATED DEMOCRAT

Rep. Joy Goff-Marcil (HD-03) | 9%

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PRO-GROWTH POSITION					Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
POINTS					5	4	8	4	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	2	9	
Alexander, Ramon	HD-008	D	24%	29%	-	4	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	109
Aloupis, Vance	HD-115	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Altman, Thad	HD-052	R	77%	81%	5	4	X	-	6	X	12	1	14	6	-	7	3	-	-	9	72
Andrade, Alex	HD-002	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Antone, Bruce	HD-046	D	58%	44%	5	4	8	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	9	82
Ausley, Loranne	HD-009	D	37%	36%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	-	3	-	-	-	97
Avila, Bryan	HD-111	R	87%	88%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Bell, Melony	HD-056	R	80%	88%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	-	7	3	-	-	9	68
Beltran, Mike	HD-057	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Brannan, Chuck	HD-010	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Brown, Kamia	HD-045	D	25%	23%	-	4	-	-	6	X	-	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	108
Buchanan, James	HD-074	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Burton, Colleen	HD-040	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Bush, James	HD-109	D	71%	77%	5	4	8	-	6	-	12	1	14	X	7	7	3	-	-	-	77
Byrd, Cord	HD-011	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Caruso, Mike	HD-089	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Casello, Joe	HD-090	D	53%	59%	-	4	8	-	6	-	12	1	-	X	7	-	3	-	-	9	86
Clemons, Chuck	HD-021	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Cortes, John	HD-043	D	31%	30%	-	4	-	-	6	X	12	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	104
Cummings, W. Travis	HD-018	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5

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PRO-GROWTH POSITION					Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
POINTS					5	4	8	4	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	2	9	
Daley, Dan	HD-097	D	53%	53%	X	X	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	7	7	-	-	-	9	86
Daniels, Kimberly	HD-014	D	77%	75%	X	4	8	-	6	-	X	1	14	X	7	7	3	-	-	9	72
Davis, Tracie	HD-013	D	40%	30%	-	4	-	-	6	5	12	1	-	6	-	X	3	-	-	-	94
Diamond, Ben	HD-068	D	16%	30%	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	116
DiCeglie, Nick	HD-066	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Donalds, Byron	HD-080	R	90%	91%	5	4	8	X	6	5	12	1	14	6	X	7	3	-	-	9	3
Drake, Brad	HD-005	R	85%	90%	5	4	X	-	6	X	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	62
Driskell, Fentrice	HD-063	D	32%	28%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	X	103
DuBose, Bobby	HD-094	D	34%	32%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	101
Duggan, Wyman	HD-015	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Duran, Nicholas	HD-112	D	65%	55%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	-	-	6	-	7	3	-	-	9	78
Eagle, Dane	HD-077	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Eskamani, Anna	HD-047	D	31%	24%	5	4	-	-	X	-	12	1	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	104
Fernandez, Javier	HD-114	D	62%	59%	5	-	8	-	6	5	12	1	-	6	-	7	3	-	-	9	79
Fernandez-Barquin, Juan	HD-119	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Fetterhoff, Elizabeth	HD-026	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Fine, Randy	HD-053	R	84%	89%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	-	-	-	9	65
Fischer, Jason	HD-016	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Fitzenhagen, Heather	HD-078	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Geller, Joseph	HD-100	D	19%	25%	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	114
Goff-Marcil, Joy	HD-030	D	9%	19%	-	4	-	-	X	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	119

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PRO-GROWTH POSITION					Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
POINTS					5	4	8	4	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	2	9	
Good, Margaret	HD-072	D	26%	29%	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	107
Gottlieb, Michael	HD-098	D	14%	24%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	117
Grall, Erin	HD-054	R	78%	87%	-	-	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	69
Grant, James	HD-064	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Grant, Michael	HD-075	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Gregory, Tommy	HD-073	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Grieco, Michael	HD-113	D	74%	64%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	-	14	6	7	7	-	-	-	-	76
Hage, Brett	HD-033	R	81%	88%	5	4	8	-	-	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	67
Hart, Dianne	HD-061	D	49%	44%	5	4	8	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	88
Hattersley, Adam	HD-059	D	35%	36%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	100
Hill, Mike	HD-001	R	94%	95%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	-	9	1
Hogan Johnson, Delores	HD-084	D	41%	41%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	92
Ingoglia, Blaise	HD-035	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Jacobs, Kristin	HD-096	D	n/a	22%	X	X	X	X	6	X	X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Jacquet, Al	HD-088	D	62%	59%	5	4	X	-	X	X	X	1	14	6	-	X	3	-	-	X	79
Jenne, Evan	HD-099	D	43%	34%	-	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	7	7	-	-	-	-	90
Jones, Shevrin	HD-101	D	44%	45%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	X	-	7	3	X	-	-	89
Joseph, Dotie	HD-108	D	17%	37%	5	4	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	115
Killebrew, Sam	HD-041	R	76%	83%	5	4	-	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	-	-	-	9	74
La Rosa, Mike	HD-042	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
LaMarca, Chip	HD-093	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5

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PRO-GROWTH POSITION					Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
POINTS					5	4	8	4	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	2	9	
Latvala, Chris	HD-067	R	87%	89%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Leek, Tom	HD-025	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Magar, MaryLynn	HD-082	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Maggard, Randy	HD-038	R	87%	87%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Mariano, Amber	HD-036	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Massullo, Ralph	HD-034	R	78%	87%	-	-	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	69
McClain, Stan	HD-023	R	85%	89%	5	4	X	-	6	X	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	62
McClure, Lawrence	HD-058	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
McGhee, Kionne	HD-117	D	34%	34%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	101
Mercado, Amy	HD-048	D	13%	23%	X	X	-	-	6	-	X	1	-	X	-	-	X	X	X	X	118
Newton, Wengay	HD-070	D	75%	59%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	-	-	-	-	75
Oliva, Jose	HD-110	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Omphroy, Anika	HD-095	D	58%	41%	5	4	8	-	X	-	X	1	14	6	-	X	X	X	-	-	82
Overdorf, Toby	HD-083	R	89%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	X	9	4
Payne, Bobby	HD-019	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Perez, Daniel	HD-116	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	X	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Pigman, Cary	HD-055	R	85%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	X	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	62
Plakon, Scott	HD-029	R	87%	88%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Plasencia, Rene	HD-050	R	83%	85%	5	4	8	-	X	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	-	-	-	9	66
Polo, Cindy	HD-103	D	31%	30%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	104
Polsky, Tina	HD-081	D	39%	54%	X	X	X	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	96

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POINTS					5	4	8	4	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	2	9	
Ponder, Mel	HD-004	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Pritchett, Sharon	HD-102	D	40%	33%	-	4	8	-	X	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	94
Raschein, Holly	HD-120	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Renner, Paul	HD-024	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Roach, Spencer	HD-079	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Robinson, Will	HD-071	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Rodrigues, Ray	HD-076	R	87%	89%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Rodriguez, Ana	HD-105	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Rodriguez, Anthony	HD-118	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Rommel, Bob	HD-106	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Roth, Rick	HD-085	R	86%	88%	5	X	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	58
Sabatini, Anthony	HD-032	R	94%	95%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	-	9	1
Santiago, David	HD-027	R	87%	91%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Shoaf, Jason	HD-007	R	87%	87%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Silvers, David	HD-087	D	56%	52%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	-	-	6	-	7	3	-	-	-	84
Sirois, Tyler	HD-051	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Slosberg, Emily	HD-091	D	23%	23%	-	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	111
Smith, Carlos	HD-049	D	20%	29%	5	4	-	X	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	113
Smith, David	HD-028	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Sprowls, Chris	HD-065	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Stark, Richard	HD-104	D	41%	41%	-	-	8	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	X	-	92

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POINTS					5	4	8	4	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	7	2	9	
Stevenson, Cyndi	HD-017	R	86%	91%	5	4	8	-	X	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	58
Stone, Charlie	HD-022	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Sullivan, Jennifer	HD-031	R	86%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	-	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	58
Thompson, Geraldine	HD-044	D	36%	35%	5	4	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	6	7	7	-	-	-	-	98
Toledo, Jackie	HD-060	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Tomkow, Josie	HD-039	R	87%	92%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Trumbull, Jay	HD-006	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Valdes, Susan	HD-062	D	36%	42%	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	1	14	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	98
Watson, Barbara	HD-107	D	24%	26%	-	4	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	6	-	7	-	-	-	-	109
Watson, Clovis	HD-020	D	23%	24%	5	4	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	111
Webb, Jennifer	HD-069	D	43%	46%	5	4	-	-	6	-	12	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	9	90
Willhite, Matt	HD-086	D	60%	66%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	-	-	6	7	7	-	-	-	-	81
Williams, Patricia	HD-092	D	54%	53%	5	4	8	-	X	-	12	1	14	X	-	X	-	-	-	-	85
Williamson, Jayer	HD-003	R	87%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	5
Yarborough, Clay	HD-012	R	86%	90%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	-	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	9	58
Zika, Ardian	HD-037	R	78%	87%	5	4	8	-	6	5	12	1	14	6	7	7	3	-	-	-	69

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HB 389

EXPANDING MEDICAL FREEDOM THROUGH PHARMACIES

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill allows pharmacists to enter into agreements with physicians to treat patients with certain chronic illnesses. It also allows pharmacists to treat minor conditions like streptococcus or uncomplicated infections. Expanding options for patients and innovating ways to deliver care will help increase medical freedom and drive down costs. The Florida House passed this bill, 98-17, on March 11, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 28-12, on the same day. (Weight: 5)

HB 607

EXPANDING MEDICAL FREEDOM THROUGH NURSING

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill allows qualified advanced nurse practitioners to independently operate primary care practices without the supervision of a physician. The bill includes a loan program that unnecessarily spends more taxpayers' money, but

overall the bill is pro-growth. Expanding options for patients and innovating ways to deliver care will help increase medical freedom and drive down costs. The Florida Senate passed the bill, 30-10, on March 11, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 107-8, on the same day. (Weight: 4)

HB 707

SUNSET OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill schedules the repeal of over 100 licensing regimes for specific professions and occupations. The sunset dates will be staggered, beginning July 1, 2021, and ending July 1, 2024. The commonsense purpose of this bill is to routinely review the costs and benefits of occupational regulations to determine if they need to be extended or repealed. The Florida House passed this bill, 85-29, on February 26, 2020. The bill died in the Florida Senate. (Weight: 8)

HB 747

AIR AMBULANCE MANDATE

(CFGF OPPOSES)

This bill forces insurance companies to pay a “reasonable fee” for air ambulance services. In addition to the arbitrary language of “reasonable” and who gets to decide, this is a mandate on health insurance. Fees are almost always passed onto the consumer. That reduces healthcare freedom and it drives up the price of premiums. The Florida House passed this bill, 117-0, on February 20, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 37-0, on March 12, 2020. (Weight: 4)

HB 851

REQUIRE TWO-THIRDS VOTE FOR MORE DEBT

(CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill increases the number of votes required for a Community Development District board to issue more debt, going from a majority vote to a two-thirds vote of all board members. This is a commonsense check against the abuse of overspending tax dollars. The Florida House passed this bill, 106-6, on March 4, 2020. The bill died in the Florida Senate. (Weight: 6)

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HB 1149

TRANSPARENCY IN LOCAL GOVERNANCE (CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill creates more fiscal transparency at the local level by doing many things, including online disclosure of truth-in-millage notices and historical property tax rates. It also creates additional public notice requirements for tax increases and the issuance of more debt. The Florida House passed this bill, 77-36, on February 26, 2020. The bill died in the Florida Senate. (Weight: 5)

HB 1193

OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING REFORM (CFGF SUPPORTS)

Occupational licensure laws restrict innovation and job growth. It's also a prime example of regulatory capture where industry controls its own competition through the political process. This bill enacts substantial pro-growth reforms by deregulating several occupational licenses like hair braiders, architects, and interior designers. It also reduces the number of hours needed to become a barber or nail specialist, and it more easily allows out-of-state professionals to get a

license. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 38-0, on March 12, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 103-11, on the same day. (Weight: 12)

HB 6037

REPEAL WINE CONTAINER REGULATION (CFGF SUPPORTS)

With some exceptions, current law prohibits wine from being sold in any container that is more than one gallon in size. This bill would simply repeal that rule. While this deregulatory move might be relatively small, it reduces the power of government and creates more private sector freedom. The Florida House passed this bill, 112-6, on February 5, 2020. The bill died in the Florida Senate. (Weight: 1)

HB 7067

EXPANDING SCHOOL CHOICE (CFGF SUPPORTS)

On the 2019 Florida scorecard, the Club for Growth Foundation positively scored passage of SB 7070, which established the Family Empowerment Scholarship (FES) program. This school choice program allows a certain number of low-income students to attend private schools. HB 7067 expands FES and other pro-growth

school choice programs, taking power away from the government and giving families more choice and opportunity for their children. The Florida House passed this bill, 81-39, on March 9, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 21-14, on March 13, 2020. (Weight: 14)

HB 7097

TAX RELIEF PACKAGE (CFGF SUPPORTS)

This bill is a hodgepodge of various tax changes, some of which are pro-growth and anti-growth. However, the bill includes a large \$543 million corporate tax refund that Florida businesses were anticipating as a result of the passage of the federal Tax Cuts and Jobs Act from 2017. Florida is known for passing strong, pro-growth tax cut bills. This isn't it. But it at least returns millions of dollars back into the private sector. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 36-2, on March 13, 2020. The Florida House passed it on the same day, 104-8. (Weight: 6)

HJR 157

TERM LIMITS FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS (CFGF SUPPORTS)

This commonsense joint resolution would prohibit

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school board members from serving more than eight consecutive years. This resolution is similar to the term limits currently required of state elected officials. The Florida House passed this resolution, 79-39, on February 20, 2020. The resolution died in the Florida Senate. (Weight: 7)

HJR 1325

REPEAL OF PUBLIC CAMPAIGN FINANCING (CFGF SUPPORTS)

Public campaign financing allows candidates for state office to use tax dollars to fund their campaigns. But taxpayers shouldn't be forced to support candidates they do not support. This joint resolution would properly repeal the public campaign financing provisions in the State Constitution. The Florida House passed this bill, 100-15, on March 4, 2020. The resolution died in the Florida Senate. (Weight: 7)

SB 140

DEREGULATING FIREWORKS (CFGF SUPPORTS)

Current law prohibits the sale and use of fireworks by the public. This bill would exempt certain holidays, including the 4th of July. America has a long history of using fireworks to celebrate

its freedom and independence. While the government should not be in the business of regulating fireworks at all, this bill is a small step in the right direction. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 39-0, on March 9, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 82-34, on March 11, 2020. (Weight: 3)

SB 362

SAVING SLUSH FUND FROM REPEAL (CFGF OPPOSES)

Visit Florida, which has a history of mismanagement and abuse, is a corporate welfare slush fund that uses tax dollars for tourism marketing. The program was scheduled for repeal on July 1, 2020, but this bill extends the scheduled repeal date to October 1, 2023. The Florida House passed this bill, 114-2, on March 11, 2020. The Florida Senate passed it, 38-0, on March 12, 2020. (Weight: 7)

SB 1276

CREATION OF NEW CRONYISM BOARD (CFGF OPPOSES)

This bill creates the "Friends of Florida Citrus Program", which includes the creation of an advisory council that assists and makes

recommendations to the Florida Citrus Commission. While the bill does not involve more direct public spending, it creates another layer of bureaucracy that further ingratiates the private sector into the management of state government. This increases regulatory capture which gives private businesses the ability to regulate its competition using the force of government. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 39-0, on March 9, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 116-0, on March 11, 2020. (Weight: 2)

SB 1344

CERTIFICATE OF NEED EXEMPTION (CFGF SUPPORTS)

Certificate of Need laws are a form of regulatory capture where health care providers can prevent competition from entering their area of operation. This bill would provide some exemptions to CON laws as they relate to intermediate care facilities for the developmentally disabled. This does not smash through and completely eliminate all CON laws in Florida, but it's a good step in the right direction. The Florida Senate passed this bill, 30-8, on March 9, 2020. The Florida House passed it, 79-36, on March 11, 2020. (Weight: 9)

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