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of small business.

NOVEMBER 8, 2022

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Enacting pro-small business policy begins with electing pro-small business candidates. The upcoming election is your opportunity to use your voice to fight for small business policies across the nation.

How can you be the voice of Small Business?

IDENTIFY pro-small business candidates running for office. This member-exclusive Voter Guide featuring NFIB PAC-endorsed candidates can help.

ENGAGE with these campaigns and encourage your family, friends, and those in your professional networks to support small business champions.

VOTE on or before Election Day. As you decide who to elect, remember: small business is on the ballot.

Thank you for your membership and please Be the Voice of Small Business on Election Day.

YOUR VOTE COULD CHANGE THE DIRECTION OF THE COUNTRY

It is crucial to be informed on the issues important to small business and vote for those candidates who support small businesses. NFIB PACs have endorsed the following candidates because they are willing to be a voice for America's small business owners and protect the families, employees, and communities that depend on them.

Endorsements are current as of mailing date.



Governor
Darren Bailey*

U.S. House

- IL-12 **Mike Bost**
- IL-13 **Regan Deering**
- IL-15 **Mary Miller***
- IL-16 **Darin LaHood**
- IL-17 **Esther Joy King**

*Indicates Current NFIB Member

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State Senate

District 19	Patrick Sheehan	District 48	Sandy Hamilton
District 23	Dennis Reboletti	District 49	Stacey Keagle
District 24	Seth Lewis	District 50	Jil Tracy
District 26	Dan McConchie	District 51	Chapin Rose
District 27	Bill Robertson	District 53	Jason Barickman
District 31	Adam Solano	District 54	Steve McClure
District 32	Craig Wilcox	District 55	Jason Plummer
District 33	Don DeWitte	District 56	Erica Conway Harris
District 35	Dave Syverson	District 57	Wavey Lester
District 37	Win Stoller	District 58	Terri Bryant
District 38	Sue Rezin	District 59	Dale Fowler
District 43	Diane Harris		
District 44	Sally Turner		
District 45	Andrew Chesney		

State House of Representatives

District 13	Alper Turan	District 65	Dan Ugaste
District 15	Mark Albers	District 66	Connie Cain
District 18	Charles Hutchinson	District 69	Joe Sosnowski
District 20	Brad Stephens	District 70	Jeff Keicher
District 21	Matthew Schultz	District 71	Dan Swanson
District 30	Will Davis	District 72	Ryan Spain
District 32	Carl Kunz	District 74	Bradley Fritts
District 36	David Sheppard	District 75	Jed Davis
District 38	Tom Toolis	District 76	Jason Haskell
District 41	Rich Janor	District 79	Jackie Haas
District 42	Stephanie Hood	District 81	Paul Leong
District 44	Thomas Brouillette	District 82	Jim Durkin
District 45	Deanna Mazzochi	District 83	Keith Wheeler*
District 47	Amy Grant	District 86	Scott Greene
District 48	Amy Sanalidro	District 87	William Hauter
District 49	Kevin Wallace	District 88	Dan Caulkins
District 51	Chris Bos	District 89	Tony McCombie
District 52	Marty McLaughlin	District 90	John Cabello
District 53	Jack Vrett	District 91	Scott Preston
District 54	Michell Hunter	District 92	Benjamin Watt
District 55	Michael Lupo	District 93	Travis Weaver*
District 56	E. Dale Litney	District 94	Norraine Hammond
District 57	Rory Welch	District 95	Tim Butler
District 61	Peter Pettorini	District 96	Lisa Smith
District 62	Adam Shores	District 97	Michelle Smith*
District 63	Steven Reick	District 99	Randy Frese
District 64	Tom Weber		

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State House of Representatives

District 100	C.D. Davidsmeyer
District 102	Adam Niemerg
District 104	Mike Marron*
District 105	Dennis Tipsword
District 106	Tom Bennett
District 107	Brad Halbrook
District 108	Wayne Rosenthal
District 109	Charlie Meier
District 110	Blaine Wilhour*
District 111	Amy Elik
District 112	Jennifer Korte
District 113	Ashley Hunsaker
District 114	Kevin Schmidt
District 115	David Friess
District 116	David Severin
District 117	Patrick Windhorst
District 118	Paul Jacobs

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Ballots and Initiatives:

NFIB OPPOSES Constitutional Amendment 1.

Amendment 1 would create a state constitutional right, beyond the National Labor Relations Act, for employees to organize and bargain collectively over "wages, hours, and working conditions and to protect their economic welfare and safety at work." This would effectively prohibit the Illinois legislature from passing a state "Right to Work" law that would prohibit union membership as a condition of employment.

VOTE NO

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 1.

VOTE **NOVEMBER 8**

Visit **NFIB.com/Elections** to register to vote and find your candidates or polling place.

A Message from NFIB President

Brad Close

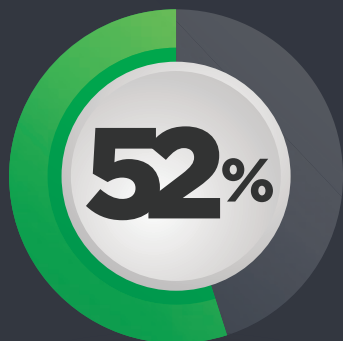


Small business owners are facing significant headwinds – inflation, supply chain disruptions, a lack of qualified job applicants, and elected officials in the states and Washington, D.C. that seem to think small businesses are the problem. Small businesses need strong advocates who fight for them in state legislatures, governor’s mansions, and Congress.



Brad Close | NFIB President

INFLATION AND WORKFORCE SHORTAGES TOP SMALL BUSINESS PROBLEMS



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of small business owners reported **inflation** or **workforce shortages** as their most important problem.
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SOURCE: NFIB’s Small Business Economic Trends Report, average monthly reading for January - June 2022

Registration Deadlines

October 11: Received by post office

October 23: Online

Grace period voter registration starts Oct. 12, 2022 and runs through Election Day.

Voting

Voting by mail is an option available to all voters.

September 29: In-person early voting begins.

November 3: Deadline to request a mail ballot.

November 7: In-person early voting ends.

November 8: Election Day and deadline to return absentee ballot by mail.

ID Requirements

Identification is not required to vote at the polls. However, valid ID is required for first time voters or if registration is incomplete.

Polling Place Details

Polling places are open from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Please contact your state elections officials with questions regarding your polling location or for additional election information.

State Elections Contact Information:

Website: www.elections.il.gov

Phone (Springfield office): (217) 782-4141

Phone (Chicago office): (312) 814-6440

Email: webmaster@elections.il.gov

Information is current as of mail date. Reminder: due to redistricting, your current representation may have changed. Contact your local elections official for more information.

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