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Name\*: Judge Craig Baldwin

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Position and District Sought\*: Justice, Ohio Supreme Court

Are you an incumbent for this office?: NO

Have you previously held an elected position?: YES

: Sixth Ward, Newark City Council, 1998-2001  
Judge, Licking County Common Pleas Court, Domestic Relations Division, 2005-2013  
Judge, Ohio Court of Appeals, Fifth District 2013 to present

: Received-Ohio State Medical Association, Ohio Manufacturers Association, Ohio Republican Party.  
Applied for- Buckeye Firearms Association, Ohio Chamber of Commerce, Ohio Right to Life, National Federation of Independent Business.

: Fair and well reasoned decisions with no legislating from the bench

1. Which former U.S. president's political philosophy best matches your own?: Ronald Reagan

Comments - Question 1:

2. Which U.S. Supreme Court Justice's legal philosophy best matches your own?: the late Justice Scalia

Comments - Question 2:

3. Rate your judicial philosophy regarding the U.S. Constitution on a scale of 1-10 with "living/evolving document" being 1 and "strict constructionist" being a 10:: 10

Comments - Question 3:

4. In Roe v. Wade, 410 U.S. 113 (1973), the U.S. Supreme Court recognized a "right to privacy" under the Constitution that includes abortion. The Constitution does not include this right.: Agree

Comments - Question 4: This is my personal opinion. As a Judge I cannot comment on any case or controversy that may come before me, also as a Judge I will rule on every case based on the evidence, facts and law before me. Please consider this comment to apply to questions 4 through 12.

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5. Judges should refrain from legislating from the bench. The translation of public policy into law and the creation, extension, modification or limitation of citizens' rights (and governmental authority) are properly within the province of the legislative, not judicial, branch of government.: Agree

Comments - Question 5:

6. An unborn child is biologically human at every stage of his or her biological development, beginning at fertilization.: Agree

Comments - Question 6: This is my personal opinion.

7. The law should be applied to pro-life demonstrators in the same manner as is applied to environmental, anti-war and labor demonstrators.: Agree

Comments - Question 7: This is my personal opinion.

8. There is no provision in the current Ohio Constitution intended to require the use of public funds for abortion.: Agree

Comments - Question 8: This is my personal opinion.

9. The judiciary does not possess the authority to expand the definition of marriage to include anything but one man and one woman.: Agree

Comments - Question 9: This is my personal opinion.

10. The law protects individuals' and organizations' rights of conscience from being forced to participate in abortion or other practices contrary to their moral or religious convictions.: Agree

Comments - Question 10: This is my personal opinion.

11. Laws, regulations, or ordinances that restrict individuals' and organizations' rights of conscience are unconstitutional.: Agree

Comments - Question 11: This is my personal opinion.

12. Laws that require businesses or religious organizations to work for or provide services to gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender persons despite these entities' religious or moral objections are unconstitutional.: Agree

Comments - Question 12: This is my personal opinion.

13. List all organizations to which you have contributed time or money in the past four years.: Licking Memorial Hospital-Board Member.  
Licking County Family YMCA-Board Member, volunteer.  
First Presbyterian Church of Granville, Clerk of Session  
Newark/Heath Rotary  
NRA  
Buckeye Firearms

