

## **AAUW of Virginia Voter Guide**

November 7, 2025, General Election

**Lieutenant Governor**

**Date: August 15, 2025**

<b>Candidate Gazela Hashmi [D]</b>	<b>AAUW-VA Public Policy Priority</b>	<b>Candidate John Reid [R]</b>
<b>Support</b>	<b>Supports women’s self-determination of health decisions, including reproductive rights and abortions</b>	<b>Oppose</b>
<b>Support</b>	<b>Support the efforts of higher education institutions to provide access to higher education for women and disadvantaged populations.</b>	<b>Oppose</b>
<b>Support</b>	<b>Promotes women’s economic equity, including making childcare affordable and accessible, and enacting paid family and medical leave and paid sick days.</b>	<b>Mixed</b>
<b>Support</b>	<b>Supports full access to voting rights</b>	<b>Oppose</b>
<b>Support</b>	<b>Supports adequate and equitable funding for quality K-12 public education and opposes diversion of public funds for nonpublic schools through vouchers or tax credits</b>	<b>Oppose</b>

**Support:** Candidate has explicitly stated their support for this policy position on the record with no ambiguity, through statements, co-sponsorship, and/or votes.

**Oppose:** Candidate has explicitly stated their opposition to this policy position on the record with no ambiguity, through statements and/or votes.

**Unknown:** The candidate has not explicitly stated their support or opposition to this policy position on the record.

**Mixed:** The candidate has made conflicting statements and/or has taken conflicting votes on this policy position.

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