

Please answer the following questions for our Allegheny County Council voter guide.

Please return by May 10, 2019 by either mailing to AFA of PA, P.O. Box 1048, Franklin, PA 16323 or scanning and emailing to info@afaofpa.org

Name: Sue Means Position sought: County Council District #5

Are you an incumbent? Yes No Date: 5/2/2019 Signature: Sue Ann Means

- 1.) Do you believe Allegheny County should follow the lead of the City of Pittsburgh and pass an ordinance restricting the use of assault-style weapons? No. Under Pennsylvania law, it is illegal for any local government to regulate the use of firearms.
- 2.) Should Allegheny County Health Department be given the authority to mandate the blood lead level testing or the forced immunization of young children? No
Parents should direct the healthcare of their children.
- 3.) Would you support placing our national motto "In God We Trust" and a copy of the Bill of Rights in the Council Chambers in the Allegheny County Courthouse? Yes

4.) Do you support Bill # 11000-19 which would ban conversion or reparative therapy for minors? No
I oppose what is traditionally considered conversion therapy; however this ordinance would ban virtually all forms of counseling. It is an abridgement of free speech; if passed would ultimately be declared unconstitutional.

5.) Do you support the formation of a citizen police review board? No. Oversight of a local police ~~force~~ department is best provided by that municipality's elected officials, who are accountable to the residents of their community

6.) Why are you running for County Council and what are some of your priorities if elected?

I am seeking re-election to County Council because I want to continue my service as a watchdog, safeguarding the rights and property of the citizens of Allegheny County. I want to prevent tax increases, expose unethical practices and make County government more transparent.