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Reaction to Recent SCOTUS Decision

I am outraged by the decision handed down today by the U.S. Supreme Court in the Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization case. The recently installed Supreme Court Justices, who indicated they would not vote to overturn established precedent, have done just that. As a country, we deserve more integrity from the individuals appointed to the highest court in the land.

Women's legal right to make their own healthcare decisions should be preserved. With the issue of women's bodily autonomy now handed back to the states, it is more important than ever that progressive, pro-choice women candidates are elected to the Indiana legislature. This is one of the definitive decisions going into the November election, and with 6 in 10 U.S. adults saying that abortion should be legal in most or all cases, I call upon the Indiana legislature to wait until after the elections to determine Indiana's legislative reaction to today's decision.

Sincerely,
Penny Githens
Candidate for Indiana House District 62