

Where They Stand: Wisconsin

What Are Your Candidates' Positions?

Key Race: Wisconsin State Senate | **Your District:** Senate District 13

Where They Stand Wisconsin provides information about candidates to voters like you. There is an important election for the Wisconsin State Senate being held on November 6th. We want you to know where the candidates stand on important issues, so you can make an informed choice. It's up to voters like you to elect the best candidate to represent your community.

Issue	Democrat Michelle Zahn	Republican Scott Fitzgerald
Health Care	Michelle Zahn opposes allowing insurance companies to strip health care away from Wisconsin citizens with pre-existing conditions like cancer, asthma or heart disease.	After receiving over \$100,000 in donations from the insurance industry, Scott Fitzgerald blocked a vote on a bill to make insurance companies cover chemotherapy for Wisconsin cancer patients. He also blocked a bill to make them cover care for Wisconsin kids with Autism.
Schools	Michelle Zahn supports restoring funding to Wisconsin schools and believes education must be made a priority again.	Scott Fitzgerald voted to cut hundreds of millions of dollars from Wisconsin schools. This eliminated after school programs, increased class sizes, and cut resources like textbooks.
Budget Priorities	Michelle Zahn opposes new tax breaks for corporations or the most wealthy. Instead, she supports investments to fix Wisconsin's crumbling roads and bridges.	Scott Fitzgerald voted to give billions of dollars in tax breaks to a foreign corporation, eliminating funds that would have gone toward fixing Wisconsin's crumbling roads and bridges.
Who's Funding Them	Michelle Zahn's campaign has relied on small grassroots donors. She supports laws to stop corporations and lobbyists from influencing politicians.	Scott Fitzgerald took significant contributions from: insurance companies (\$105,030), lobbyists (\$53,278), oil companies (\$45,671) and telecom corporations (\$66,419), which laid off thousands of people across the Midwest this past year.
Corruption	Michelle Zahn supports measures to stop backdoor deals between legislators and lobbyists at the capitol.	After Walmart donated thousands of dollars to his campaign, Scott Fitzgerald blocked a bipartisan bill to close loopholes allowing the corporation to stiff Wisconsin taxpayers over \$700 million each year.

Sources: Michelle Zahn campaign website: ZahnForSenate.com, Scott Fitzgerald campaign website: VoteFitzGerald.com; Fox 6: bit.ly/2P0bVMA; Associated Press: bit.ly/2zFnow0; FollowTheMoney.org: bit.ly/2zWC4a4, Politifact: bit.ly/2xWJTU8, NPR: n.pr/2NOL5ud; Assembly Bill #1, 2017: bit.ly/2IAIn5Y, FollowTheMoney.org: bit.ly/2zWC4a4, Kenosha News: bit.ly/2Pftisl; Wisconsin State Journal: bit.ly/2IDjysyk; FollowTheMoney.org: bit.ly/2zWC4a4.

We have done our best to represent each candidate's position in a fair and reasonable way. For more detailed information, visit **YouShouldKnowWI.org** or the candidates' websites: **ZahnForSenate.com** and **VoteFitzGerald.com**. We hope this information is useful to you and that you will **vote on November 6th!**

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