

DCCC: 50 Years since *Roe v. Wade*, Derrick Van Orden seeks to further restrict reproductive freedoms

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Sunday marks 50 years since the Supreme Court's *Roe* decision guaranteed women had the right to reproductive freedom and abortion health care. However, Americans will not be celebrating this year because just 7 months ago, the Republican appointed Supreme Court overturned *Roe* and restricted women's bodily autonomy.

Derrick Van Orden shares the blame for the overturning of *Roe*, and unfazed by the consequences of Republicans' war on women, Van Orden wants to further limit reproductive freedom.

Reminder, Van Orden:

- Claims he's "[100% pro-life](#)" and compared abortion to "[genocide](#)."
- [Voted against](#) consideration of the Women's Health Protection Act which would have codified the reproductive freedoms *Roe v. Wade* guaranteed before the Supreme Court ripped them away.
- And in just the first three weeks of the 118th Congress, Van Orden has already voted for [anti-choice legislation](#) that would limit health care access and [potentially imprison doctors](#).

DCCC spokesperson Tommy Garcia:

"As Americans grapple with a less free world that Republicans made by ripping away reproductive freedom, Derrick Van Orden is working to make it worse. Instead of working to restore the freedom *Roe* once guaranteed, Van Orden is actively working with his fellow MAGA House Republicans to ban abortion nationwide."