



2010 House District 42: Waipahu, Honouliuli, West Loch, Ewa

	Tom Berg(R) 	Rida Cabanilla Arakawa(D) 
Faith	ALL ⁱ	Catholic ⁱⁱ
Marriage	Would oppose HB444 ⁱⁱⁱ Supports Traditional Marriage ^{iv}	Voted for HB444 . ^v "I saw it as a civil contract between two people and not necessarily of the same sex. It is not marriage." ^{vi}
Fiscal Responsibility	"Our state needs \$4 billion in roadwork improvements but has laws against letting the private sector build the very roads government cannot afford to build" ^{vii} "Tom will work to lower gas, energy prices, and the cost of shipping goods." ^{viii}	In 2009, voted for SB1111 which increases transient tax by 2% (aka Hotel tax) ^x Voted for HB 1907 , which limits contributions you can make to churches . ^x Voted for HB2421 , "Barrel tax" increase that raises electricity costs and gas prices from \$0.05 to \$1.05 ^{xi} Voted for SB2159 , which increases the fee for a traffic abstract from \$7 to \$20, and increases the amount of the fee deposited into the general fund from \$5 to 18! ^{xii}
Abortion	Against physician-assisted suicide ^{xiii} Against forcing religious hospitals offering emergency contraceptives to sexually assaulted victims. ^{xiv}	In 2006, voted against HB1242 , which expands the definition of abortion to include 2 nd and 3 rd trimester abortion ^{xv} In 2006, voted for SB2166 which allows minor under certain circumstances to consent to provision of medical care and services (including abortion) ^{xvi} In 2009, voted for HB423 , which forces religious hospitals to provide information, and emergency contraception, if requested. ^{xvii}
Endorsements	Hawaii Christian Coalition - a pro-family organization ^{xviii} Aloha Family Alliance - a pro-family organization ^{xix}	Progressive Democrats of Hawaii -who are pro civil unions and pro abortion ^{xx} Gay Lesbian Bisexual Transgender Caucus ^{xxi}

Based on information available as of 9/21/2010

ⁱ http://votesmart.org/bio.php?can_id=109621

ⁱⁱ http://votesmart.org/bio.php?can_id=32326

ⁱⁱⁱ <http://elections.staradvertiser.com/cifw/election10/main/index/candidate/C2KEAQ>

^{iv} <http://elections.staradvertiser.com/cifw/election10/main/index/candidate/C2KEAQ>

^v http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2010/lists/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=444

^{vi} <http://elections.staradvertiser.com/cifw/election10/main/index/candidate/PM9UBJ>

^{vii} <http://elections.staradvertiser.com/cifw/election10/main/index/candidate/C2KEAQ>

^{viii} http://www.bergforhouse.com/lower_cost_of_living.html

^{ix} http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2009/lists/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=1111

^x http://capitol.hawaii.gov/session2010/lists/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=%201907

^{xi} http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2010/lists/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=2421

^{xii} http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2010/lists/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2159

^{xiii} <http://www.hawaiifamilyforum.org/documents/candidatesprimary2010lettersize.pdf>

^{xiv} <http://www.hawaiifamilyforum.org/documents/candidatesprimary2010lettersize.pdf>

^{xv} <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2006/status/HB1242.asp>

^{xvi} <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2006/status/SB2166.asp>

^{xvii} http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2009/lists/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=423

^{xviii} http://www.hi-christian.com/about_us.html

^{xix} <http://www.afa-pac.com/endorsements2010.html>

^{xx} <http://pd-hawaii.com/blog/?p=643#more-643>

^{xxi} <http://blogs.starbulletin.com/inpolitics/444rd/>