

Tom Barrett (R-MI-7)

BIOGRAPHY

Former state senator and veteran, Barrett is running to represent Michigan's 7th Congressional District

EDUCATION

BA, Western Michigan University, 2007

WORK HISTORY

Helicopter pilot, Michigan Army National Guard, Present; State Senator for Michigan's 24th District, 2019-2021; State Representative for Michigan's 71st District, 2015-2019



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POLICY POSITIONS



Advocates for parental control over education, opposes bureaucratic overreach

Criticizes the influence of teachers' unions and the education bureaucracy, believing they undermine parental authority;
 opposes the teaching of CRT, gender identity policies, and controversial pandemic measures in schools



Committed to securing the border and reforming immigration

Believes in the importance of America's immigrant history but sees the current immigration system as broken; strongly
criticizes the Biden administration's revocation of Title 42, which he believes exacerbated the border crisis



Strong antiabortion stance, opposes taxpayer-funded abortions

Supported restrictions on abortion as a state legislator; criticizes Rep. Elissa Slotkin (D-MI-7) for supporting what he views as extreme abortion policies, including no limits on abortion up to birth

DISTRICT PROFILE: MI-7

POPULATION

781,761

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME

\$78,247

RACE & ETHNICITY

80% White, 5.5% Black, 3.8% Asian, 6.0% Hispanic



DONATIONS

Total raised: \$2,818,295

TOP THREE INDUSTRIES

- Hospitals/Nursing Homes
- Leadership PACs
- Securities & Investment

ELECTION RESULTS Other 2024 GENERAL: Hertel (46.6%) CPR* RATING: Lean R