

2024 First Sunday Plate Collection Donations Ballot Vote for 4

___ **Emma Goldman Clinic:** Empowers people of all gender and sexual identities in all life stages through the provision of quality reproductive health care that includes abortion services, gynecology services, safer sex promotion and education. The clinic is the closest abortion provider in southeastern Iowa.

___ **Iowa Abortion Access Fund:** The fund raises money for Iowa residents in need of financial assistance to obtain an abortion. A phone counselor does a needs assessment and makes grants to those with the greatest need. The need is expected to increase considerably if Iowans need to travel out of state for an abortion.

___ **Lavender Legal:** Provides a safe space for everyone in the local LGBTQ+ community to access legal representation and related advocacy. Lavender provides direct representation, advocacy, and referrals, with a priority for those with low income and our LGBTQ+ youth.

___ **LGBTQ+ Youth Center:** The Center, part of Tanager Place, provides a safe and confidential environment for LGBTQ+ youth, families, and allies. Services at the Center include support groups, special art offerings, mentoring programs, Pride Café, community services, health initiative classes, parent workshops, financial literacy, tutoring, and career exploration.

___ **Meskwaki Cultural Center & Museum:** The Meskwaki is the only federally recognized tribe in Iowa. They are located just 50 miles west of here. At the museum visitors are educated and receive insight into the history, tradition and culture of the Meskwaki. The museum displays artifacts, including arrowheads, cooking and eating utensils, pottery, tools, clothing, and jewelry.

___ **Meskwaki Settlement School:** The Meskawki Settlement School is a property of the Sac and Fox Tribe of the Mississippi. The school provides a comprehensive bilingual, bicultural, community-based educational environment. The school's curriculum is designed to incorporate the wisdom and culture of the Meskwaki culture with the knowledge of our technological society.

___ **One Iowa:** Works to preserve and advance the rights of LGBTQ+ Iowans through grassroots organizing, voter education and advocacy. Works to promote laws and policies that protect the civil rights, health and safety of LGBTQ+ Iowans.

___ **Trans Mutual Aid Fund:** Provides financial support for trans, nonbinary and gender diverse Iowans as they access gender affirming care. For youth this involves transportation costs to go out of state for care. Includes funding care such as transition-specific clothing, hormone treatment, psychological therapy and surgeries.