



**STEVE
RUTHERFORD**
(DEMOCRAT)



FAITH & FREEDOM COALITION



**BRAD
OVERCASH**
(REPUBLICAN)

NORTH CAROLINA
SENATE 43

NO²	Voter ID	YES¹
NO RESPONSE⁴	Abortion on Demand	NO³
NO⁵	Parental Choice for Education	YES⁵
NO RESPONSE⁴	Supports Resources to Combat Human Trafficking	YES⁶
NO²	Supports Amendment to Reduce Income and Property Taxes	YES⁷
NO RESPONSE⁴	Boys Competing in Girls' Sports	NO⁸
NO RESPONSE⁴	Supports Religious Freedom	YES⁴

1. North Carolina General Assembly, Senate Bill 921, Const. Am./Require Photo ID For All Voters, Senate Roll Call #677, December 2, 2024.
2. Steve Rutherford, Gaston Business Association candidate questionnaire, published by The Election Hub: theelectionhub.org/mecklenburg-county/steve-rutherford/2026-general/gaston. 3. North Carolina General Assembly, Senate Bill 20, Care for Women, Children, and Families Act, Senate Roll Call #215, May 16, 2023. 4. NC Faith & Freedom Coalition candidate survey. 5. Gaston Gazette, October 1, 2026, candidate coverage for NC Senate District 43: gastongazette.com/story/news/politics/elections/2026/10/01/candidates-for-nc-senate-district-43-in-2026-election/91910863007. 6. North Carolina General Assembly, Senate Bill 257, 2026 Appropriations Act, Senate Roll Call #672, July 2, 2026. 7. Brad Overcash, Gaston Business Association candidate questionnaire, published by The Election Hub: theelectionhub.org/mecklenburg-county/brad-overcash/2026-general/gaston. 8. North Carolina General Assembly, House Bill 574, Fairness in Women's Sports Act, Senate Roll Call #432, August 16, 2023.

VOTE NOVEMBER 3

OR EARLY, OR BY MAIL OR IN-PERSON
EARLY VOTING **10/15/26 - 10/31/26**

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