The Issue of Abortion in America
“Moving Beyond the Picket Lines”

Pre Survey

ID number ____________

Instructions: Please respond to the following questions as honestly and completely as possible. We recognize that the Issue of Abortion in America is complicated and multi-faceted. Therefore, if you wish to provide additional information in response to any question, please feel free to write in the margins or at the end of the questionnaire.
1. **What is your age?** [ ]

2. **Please indicate your gender.**
   - Man
   - Woman
   - Transgender
   - Prefer Not to Answer

3. **Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin or descent?**
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know
   - Prefer Not to Answer

4. **Which of the following describe your race? (Please check all that apply.)**
   - African-American or Black
   - Caucasian or White
   - Asian
   - American Indian or Alaska native
   - Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
   - Other: ______________________
   - Don’t Know
   - Prefer Not to Answer

5. **Are you …**
   - Student
   - Faculty
   - Staff

6. **If you are a student, what is your year?**
   - Freshman
   - Sophomore
   - Junior
   - Senior
   - Graduate
   - Prefer Not to Answer

7. **Please select the field of major**
   - Business
   - Humanities
   - Pre-Law
   - Science
   - Nursing
   - Information Technology
   - Education
   - Other: ______________________
   - Prefer Not to Answer
8. Are you an active member of a religious organization?
   - [ ] Yes
   - [ ] No
   - [ ] Don’t Know
   - [ ] Prefer Not to Answer

9. What is your religious preference?
   - [ ] Catholic
   - [ ] Jewish
   - [ ] Muslim
   - [ ] Hindu
   - [ ] Protestant
   - [ ] Unitarian Universalist
   - [ ] Other Christian
   - [ ] Other: __________________
   - [ ] None (i.e., No Religion)
   - [ ] Don’t Know
   - [ ] Prefer Not to Answer

10. To what extent do religious beliefs play a role in your life?
    - [ ] Not at all
    - [ ] Some
    - [ ] A great deal
    - [ ] Prefer Not to Answer

11. Which of the following political parties do you most closely identify with?
    - [ ] Democratic Party
    - [ ] Republican Party
    - [ ] Libertarian Party
    - [ ] Green Party
    - [ ] No Party Affiliation (i.e., Independent)
    - [ ] Other: __________________
    - [ ] Prefer Not to Answer

12. When considering social issues, do you consider yourself to be:
    - [ ] Strongly conservative
    - [ ] Conservative
    - [ ] Moderate
    - [ ] Liberal
    - [ ] Strongly liberal
    - [ ] Prefer Not to Answer

13. To what extent do you support or oppose each of the following:

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<th>Strongly support</th>
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<td>The death penalty</td>
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14. How frequently do you:

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<td>b. Watch local television news</td>
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<td>c. Read national news magazines</td>
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<td>d. Watch major network television news</td>
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<td>e. Watch cable network news</td>
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<td>f. Read online news websites</td>
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<td>g. Listen to talk radio</td>
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<td>h. Read or participate in online blogs, Facebook, other social media</td>
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15. How frequently do you vote in the national elections?

- Always
- Often
- Sometimes
- Rarely
- Never
- Not Eligible
- Prefer Not to Answer

16. How frequently do you vote in the local elections?

- Always
- Often
- Sometimes
- Rarely
- Never
- Not Eligible
- Prefer Not to Answer

17. In regards to the abortion issue, do you consider yourself “pro-life” or “pro-choice”?

- Pro-life
- Pro-choice
- Don’t Know
- Prefer Not to Answer

18. Have you known someone who has terminated a pregnancy?

- Yes
- No
- Not sure
- Prefer Not to Answer

19. *During the first trimester* (12 weeks), do you personally believe that women should be allowed to have an abortion when they:

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<td>a. are not ready for a(nother) child/ the timing is wrong</td>
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b. can’t afford a baby

c. have completed her childbearing/have other people depending on her/children are grown

d. don’t want to be a single mother

e. are having relationship problems

f. don’t feel mature enough to raise a child/ feel too young

g. feel that it would interfere with education or career plans

h. the husband or partner wants the woman to have an abortion

i. the parents want the woman to have an abortion

j. don’t want others to know that the woman had/has sex or got pregnant

20. In cases where the health of the woman or fetus are affected or in cases of rape or incest, do you personally feel that women should be allowed to have an abortion when they:

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<td>b. have possible problems that would affect the health of the fetus</td>
<td>Allowable during first trimester</td>
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<td>c. are a victim of rape or incest</td>
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21. Where do you personally stand on

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<th>Decision</th>
<th>Strongly Support</th>
<th>Moderately Support</th>
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22. How important are these issues?

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<td>c. campus support on keeping or</td>
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23. Please provide any additional comments to clarify your answers or to raise additional issues concerning abortion in America.