Skarlatos says he’d vote to defund Planned Parenthood, despite the critical health care they provide, including birth control and cancer screenings. And Skarlatos is backed by extremists who support taking away women’s reproductive freedom, opposing a woman’s right to abortion even in cases of rape or incest.

**Skarlatos Supported Defunding Planned Parenthood.** “Abortion providers, including Planned Parenthood, should not receive taxpayer funds or grants from federal, state, or local governments. Strongly Agree.” [iVoterGuide, accessed 9/29/20]

Planned Parenthood Provided Health Care, Birth Control, And Cancer Screenings. “The vast majority of federal money that Planned Parenthood does receive goes toward preventive health care, birth control, pregnancy tests and other women’s health services. The group turned 100 in October. President-elect Donald Trump has expressed mixed views about the group, praising its ‘very good work for millions of women’ while maintaining his promise to cut off federal funding if it continues to offer abortion services […] This is how its services break down: […] Pap smears (cervical cancer screening): 270,000 per year.” [CNN, 8/1/17]

**Oregon Right To Life Supported Skarlatos.** [Oregon Right To Life, accessed 9/29/20]

Oregon Right To Life: “We Are Opposed To Abortion Under Any Circumstances Except Where The Life Of The Mother Is In Imminent Danger.” “Oregon Right to Life believes in the sanctity of all human life from the moment of conception to natural death. We are opposed to abortion under any circumstances except where the life of the mother is in imminent danger.” [Oregon Right to Life, 11/22/15]

Skarlatos Received $5,000 From The Eye Of The Tiger PAC. [FEC, accessed 9/29/20]

Eye Of The Tiger PAC Was Steve Scalise’s Leadership PAC. [Center for Responsive Politics, accessed 9/29/20]

Scalise Opposed Abortion In Cases Of Rape And Incest. “Minority Whip Steve Scalise, the second-highest ranking Republican in the House, bragged about his support for banning abortion without making exceptions for women or girls who become pregnant as a result of rape. During a Tuesday press conference, a reporter asked Scalise whether he supported Alabama’s new anti-choice law — an extreme piece of legislation that outlaws abortion at every stage of pregnancy, even in cases of rape or incest. Scalise began by saying that he was ‘proud’ to come from Louisiana because it is often rated as the ‘most pro-life state in the nation.’” [American Independent, 5/21/19]

Skarlatos Received $1,000 From Victory And Freedom PAC. [FEC, 8/5/20]

Freedom And Victory PAC Was Virginia Foxx’s Leadership PAC. [Center for Responsive Politics, accessed 9/29/20]
Foxx Voted For Criminalizing Abortion In Cases Of Rape In Incest. In July 2012, Foxx voted for “Rep. Trent Franks’ ‘District of Columbia Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act’ was considered under a procedure that requires two-thirds of the House to pass. […] The restriction would not apply in situations where the life of the mother was threatened but it would criminalize abortions after 20 weeks even in cases of rape, incest and fetal abnormalities. Doctors would face up to two years of jail time and fines for not complying with the law.” The bill failed 220 to 154. [Politico, 7/31/12; HR 3803, Vote #539, 7/31/12; CQ, 7/31/12]