

Candidate: Jeremy Ring

Office: CFO

Party: D

Constitutionally Limited Government: _____

2nd Amendment: TPM Score: 1

NRA: D (21% score)

<https://votesmart.org/candidate/evaluations/68182/jeremy-ring#.W5t4uehKhPY>

Pro-life: TPM Score: 0

Planned Parenthood – 100%

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Immigration: TPM Score: 1

No record found. Our vetting process gives the benefit of the doubt but keeps in mind the candidate's party's platform

<https://votesmart.org/candidate/evaluations/68182/jeremy-ring/40#.W5uGj-hKhPY>

Fiscal Responsibility: Taxes/Spending TPM Score: 2 _____

American Conservative Union lifetime average: 41%

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Free Market Solutions: _____

Educ choice: TPM Score: 5

Foundation For Florida's Future – 100% <https://votesmart.org/candidate/evaluations/68182/jeremy-ring#.W5t---hKhPY>

Healthcare: TPM Score: 2.5

Nothing found on healthcare or Obamacare

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Pro-Biz: TPM Score: 2

NFIB – 63%

Nearly a dozen of his donors have been convicted of crimes. That doesn't create a good business climate. <http://floridapolitics.com/archives/275533-website-jeremy-ring-donors>

Candidate's Top 3 Issues:

Protecting the Florida Retirement System (FRS); Keeping Insurance Rates Stable; Growing the Innovation Economy <https://jeremyring.com/jeremy-priorities/>

Total TPM Score: 13.5

Summary Comments:

Jimmy Patronis was a legislator before he became CFO and has a well-documented conservative voting record. The big news about Jeremy Ring is he hired Jake Wagman to steal Jimmy's identity

to obtain personal information, according to Florida Department of Law Enforcement's (FDLE) findings. <http://floridapolitics.com/archives/275533-website-jeremy-ring-donors>

Jeremy Ring is a former Yahoo executive. There is a slippery slope when the government starts paying innovative companies to innovate. Before you know it, our tax dollars are being laundered by the favorite few into the coffers of the politicians.

Ring's top priority is ensuring government unions' pensions are funded; and the unions show their support of him for that.

Jeremy Ring's strength is his mediocre score on Free Market Solutions; his weakness is his awful score on Constitutionally Limited Government. He is barely fiscally responsible and mildly pro-business. Not only that but this link names **nearly a dozen of his donors that have been convicted of crime**: <http://floridapolitics.com/archives/275533-website-jeremy-ring-donors>

Jimmy Patronis scores high in key areas: NRA, 100%; he's endorsed by Florida Right to Life the socialist union AFL-CIO gives him a 0%; and he is endorsed by the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB). In contrast, here are some ratings of Jeremy Ring: NRA, 21%; Planned Parenthood, 100%; and he has a poor score of 63% from the NFIB. **We strongly endorse Jimmy Patronis for Chief Financial Officer.**

Other Topics/ Actions/Positions held

John Stemberger's Florida Family Action gives Ring a 30% score. <https://votesmart.org/interest-group/2539/rating/9411#.W5vBN2TAgWA>

Supporters/Endorsements include:

SEIU

AFL-CIO

FEA

American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME)

Florida Police Benevolent Association

International Association of Firefighters