



Trust Women Statement on the Nomination of Judge Amy Coney Barrett to the Supreme Court

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WICHITA – Julie Burkhart, founder & CEO of Trust Women, made the following statement regarding President Donald Trump’s nomination of Judge Amy Coney Barrett to the Supreme Court.

“The president and his allies have waged a relentless battle to reshape the judiciary in a way that would deny people’s right to their own bodily autonomy, take away their health care, and criminalize abortion. While the decision to rush through a nomination on the eve of an election is fundamentally anti-democratic and brazenly political, it is no surprise that the president has chosen a nominee who will carry out this extreme and harmful agenda. Judge Amy Coney Barrett’s nomination is an existential threat to the right to legal abortion, and must not be confirmed by the Senate.

“This nomination is part of a concerted, nationwide effort to put politicians in charge of people’s personal medical decisions, repeal the Affordable Care Act, and turn back the clock on reproductive rights. Make no mistake, the overwhelming majority of Americans want to keep abortion legal and they will hold their senators accountable at the ballot box. We urge members of the Senate to listen to their constituents, uphold Justice Ginsburg’s legacy, and reject this dangerous nomination.

“No matter what, Trust Women will be here, caring for our patients and fighting to protect their right to make their own medical decisions and control their own lives.”

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[Trust Women](#) opens clinics that provide abortion services in underserved communities so that all women can make their own decisions about their health care.

