

Ban the Ban



House District Scorecard

District 12A

Includes the Cities of Baxter, Brainerd, Crosby, Ironton, Nisswa, Riverton, Trommald, and parts of rural Crow Wing County

Incumbent



Name: John Ward
Party: Democratic-Farmer Labor
Terms in Office: 1
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Phone: (218) 838-7335
PCR Eligible: N/A

John has consistently voted in favor of the smoking ban, and his record indicates he will continue to support the smoking ban without any exemptions.

LIBERTY RATING

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The liberty rating ranges from 1-10, with a 10 being extremely supportive of private property rights and a 1 supporting strong government control of private property.

Challenger



Name: David Allan Pundt
Party: Republican
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PCR Eligible: Yes

David is on our side and tells us this:

"Our government pokes its nose into too many areas and I object when it tells private property owners what to do with their buildings and business... Perhaps enough businesses now realize the benefit of banning smoking on their own, to entice customers, that Minnesota government could get its fingers out of this pie. ... And one of the main reasons this country has climbed to the top of the heap is respect for private property. On that basis, I would vote to repeal the ban."

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