

Statement on the Murder of Dr. George Tiller

“The murder of Dr. George Tiller was a despicable act of horrible cruelty. My deepest sympathies go to Dr. Tiller’s family and friends. His killer should be subject to the maximum possible penalty under Kansas law. If I am elected Governor of Minnesota, I pledge that I will do everything in my power to ensure that a similar tragedy does not occur on my watch in our state. I will not only protect a woman’s constitutional right to make decisions regarding her body, I will also work vigilantly to protect doctors, clinic staff, and patients so that lawful medical procedures may be performed safely and without fear.”