



Date of Birth: **July 13, 1951**

Year Elected to Seat: **2003**

Education: **University of Utah**

Committees Assignments:

- **Natural Resources**
- **Armed Services**

Notes:

Representative Rob Bishop (R-UT-1)

A public school teacher turned public servant, Rob Bishop represents Utah's First Congressional District in the U.S. Congress.

Rob Bishop is a life-long resident of the First District, with the exception of two years he spent in Germany while serving a mission for the LDS Church. He was born and raised in Kaysville, Utah, where he graduated from Davis High School with High Honors. He later graduated magna cum laude from the University of Utah with a degree in Political Science. He has been a resident of Brigham City since 1974.

Rob is married to Jeralynn Hansen, a former Miss Brigham City. They have five children: Shule, Jarom, Zenock, Maren, and Jashon. They have six grandchildren- three boys and three girls.

Before coming to Congress, Rob was active in community theater, which is how he met his wife many years ago. As an avid baseball fan, Rob is a season ticket holder to the Salt Lake Bees and has coached in multiple leagues.

On January 7, 2003, Rob Bishop was sworn in as the new Congressman from Utah's First Congressional District, replacing the retiring Representative Jim Hansen. For his first term, he was appointed to serve on his top three choices for House Committees - the Armed Services Committee, the Resources Committee, and the Science Committee - all three of which handle critical issues for Utah's First District. In January 2005, Rob was sworn into a second term. He was subsequently appointed by the Speaker to serve on the powerful House Rules Committee, the legislative "gatekeeper" for all bills coming to the House floor. During the 111th Congress, Rob was instrumental in founding the 10th Amendment Task Force- a coalition of House Members committed to working toward disbursing power in Washington back to the people and states.



Date of Birth: **July 15, 1960**

Year Elected to Seat: **2013**

Education: **University of Utah**

Committees Assignments:

- **Appropriations**
- **Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence**
- **Budget**

Notes:

Representative Chris Stewart (R-UT-2)

Chris Stewart is the Congressman from Utah's Second Congressional District. He is a No. 1 New York Times best-selling and national award-winning author, world-record-setting Air Force pilot, and the former owner/CEO of a small business.

Chris is one of ten children and grew up on a dairy farm in Cache Valley. He graduated from Utah State University, where he earned his degree in economics. Upon graduation, Chris joined the United States Air Force where he was the Distinguished Graduate (top of his class) in both Officer Training School and Undergraduate Pilot Training. He served for fourteen years as a pilot in the Air Force, flying both rescue helicopters and the B-1B bomber. He holds three world speed records, including the world's record for the fastest non-stop flight around the world.

Chris is a prolific author having written 17 books, several of which have become national best-sellers, and have been published in six different countries.

Before being elected to Congress, Chris served as president and CEO of the Shipley Group, a nationally recognized firm for consulting expertise in energy and the environment. He and his wife, Evie, are the parents of six children.

Chris now serves as a member of House Appropriations Committee and the House Intelligence Committee.



Date of Birth: **May 10, 1960**

Year Elected to Seat: **2017**

Education: **Brigham Young University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Foreign Affairs**
- **Natural Resources**

Representative John R. Curtis (R-UT-3)

John R. Curtis proudly represents Utah's 3rd Congressional District, serving on the House Natural Resources and Foreign Affairs Committees. After being elected to Congress on November 13, 2017, John sponsored 12 bills in his first year in office. Four of these bills passed through the House and three were signed into law: The POPPY Study Act to combat the opioid crisis, the Public-Private Partnership Advisory Council to End Human Trafficking Act, and the Small Business ACE Act.

The Congressman cares deeply about hearing the diverse perspectives and feedback from his constituents: he held over 100 town halls in 2018. Utah's third district is the youngest in the country, with an average age of 26 years old. John is also sensitive to the many constituents that live in rural Utah, and has focused on legislation that can fit needs of both demographics such as student loans, rural broadband access, and more.

John has been committed to helping Utah's growing tech scene flourish, and was recognized by Silicon Slopes as their first Community Hero Award recipient. Other personal awards comprise of Civic Innovator of the Year by Utah Valley University, Thayne Robson Award for Leadership in Economic Development, and Outstanding Citizen Award from the Office of Civic Engagement Leadership by Brigham Young University.

Prior to coming to Washington, John was the 45th mayor of Provo City, serving two terms. Known for his personal approach to city government, Mayor Curtis prioritized his outreach to residents of Provo by utilizing various channels including his popular blog. He was named the #1 Top Elected Official on Social Media 2015 by the Government Social Media group and has been recognized by Forbes for his commitment to citizen engagement. Curtis was re-elected for a second four-year term as mayor in 2013 with 86.49% of the vote. As mayor, he averaged an approval rating of 93%.

During his terms in office, the city of Provo ranked #1 in the nation for Business and Careers by Forbes as well as #1 for Well-Being by Gallup. Other recent awards include national recognition for the quality of life, family environment, a booming tech and entrepreneur culture and a successful revitalization of downtown. With the help of the City Council, employees and residents, Mayor Curtis' administration brought Google Fiber to Provo, regularly scheduled air service at the airport, expanded parks, trails, and completed Provo's state-of-the-art recreation center.

Before becoming mayor, John was a small business owner in Provo, working with his partners to build their business "Action Target," where he led sales and operations strategy.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **December 5, 1974**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **Columbia University, Columbia Law School**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**
- **Science, Space, and Technology**

Representative Ben McAdams (D-UT-4)

Ben McAdams is the twice-elected mayor of Salt Lake County and a seventh generation Utahn who was raised in a family of eight. That's where he learned hard work, honesty, and duty to the community.

As mayor, he brought Republicans and Democrats together to get things done like addressing homelessness, forming partnerships with the private sector to create jobs and improve education — all while managing a balanced budget. Ben will take these Utah values to Washington and work with parties on both sides of the aisle to support opportunities for all Utahns and find solutions to the nation's challenges.

Ben graduated from the University of Utah and Columbia Law School. He practiced law in New York and Utah. Ben was elected to the Utah State Senate in 2008, representing Salt Lake City, South Salt Lake, and West Valley City. He and his wife, fellow Columbia Law graduate, Julie, and their four kids live in Salt Lake City, where they enjoy hiking, soccer, baseball and the many cultural activities offered throughout the Beehive State.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **February 3, 1959**

Year Elected to Seat: **2007**

Education: **Virginia Tech, University of North Carolina, Virginia Commonwealth University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Natural Resources**
- **Armed Services**

Notes:

Representative Rob Wittman (R-VA-1)

Rob Wittman was first elected to serve the First Congressional District of Virginia - America's First District - in December of 2007. He was re-elected for his sixth full term in the House of Representatives in November 2018. For more than 20 years, Rob has served in several levels of government, from Montross Town Council to United States Congress. Rob won his first campaign for public office in 1986 when he was elected to the Montross Town Council, where he served for 10 years, four of them as Mayor. In 1995, Rob was elected to the Westmoreland County Board of Supervisors and was elected its Chairman in 2003. In 2005, voters in the 99th Legislative District elected Rob to the Virginia House of Delegates, where he served until he was elected to the United States House of Representatives in 2007.

In the U.S. Congress, Rob serves on the House Armed Services Committee and the Committee on Natural Resources, where he is well-positioned to represent the needs of Virginia's First District. He has quickly earned a reputation for being an advocate for our men and women in uniform and for being a champion of the Chesapeake Bay.

On the Armed Services Committee, Rob serves as Ranking Member of the Seapower and Projection Forces Subcommittee. In addition, as Co-Chair of the Congressional Shipbuilding Caucus, he is a staunch advocate for a robust Naval fleet and a healthy domestic shipbuilding industry. Rob has served as Chairman of the U.S. Naval Academy's Board of Visitors since 2010.

As a member of the House Committee on Natural Resources, Rob brings his professional expertise in water quality, fisheries, and other natural resource issues. He is a champion of the Chesapeake Bay -- for its environmental and economic attributes -- and has introduced legislation that will increase the accountability and effectiveness of cleaning up the Bay. He serves as co-chair of the Chesapeake Bay Watershed Caucus, which brings Bay issues into focus for Members of Congress.

Prior to his election to Congress, Rob spent 26 years working in state government, most recently as Field Director for the Virginia Health Department's Division of Shellfish Sanitation. Earlier, he worked for many years as an environmental health specialist for local health departments in Virginia's Northern Neck and Middle Peninsula regions.

He holds a Ph.D. in Public Policy and Administration from Virginia Commonwealth University, a Master of Public Health degree in Health Policy and Administration from the University of North Carolina, and a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology from Virginia Tech.



Representative Elaine Luria (D-VA-2)

U.S. Rep. Elaine Luria represents Virginia's Second Congressional District. Prior to her election in 2018, Rep. Luria served 20 years in the Navy, retiring at the rank of Commander. Rep. Luria served at sea on six ships as a nuclear-trained Surface Warfare Officer, deployed to the Middle East and Western Pacific, and culminated her Navy career by commanding a combat-ready unit of 400 sailors. A member of the House Armed Services Committee and the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Rep. Luria was one of the first women in the Navy's nuclear power program and among the first women to serve the entirety of her career in combatant ships. She leads the House Veterans' Affairs Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs. Rep. Luria graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy and received a master's in engineering management from Old Dominion University.

Date of Birth: **August 15, 1975**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **United States Naval Academy,
Old Dominion University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Armed Services**
- **Veterans Affairs**

Notes:



Date of Birth: **April 30, 1947**

Year Elected to Seat: **1993**

Education: **Harvard University, Boston College Law School**

Committees Assignments:

- **Education and Labor, Chairman**
- **Budget**

Notes:

Representative Bobby Scott (D-VA-3)

Congressman Robert C. "Bobby" Scott has represented Virginia's third congressional district in the U.S. House of Representatives since 1993. Prior to his service in Congress, he served in the Virginia House of Delegates from 1978 to 1983 and in the Senate of Virginia from 1983 to 1993.

During his tenure in the Virginia General Assembly, Congressman Scott successfully sponsored laws critical to Virginians in education, employment, health care, social services, economic development, crime prevention and consumer protection. His legislative successes in the state legislature included laws that increased Virginia's minimum wage, created the Governor's Employment and Training Council and improved health care benefits for women, infants and children.

Congressman Scott has the distinction of being the first African-American elected to Congress from the Commonwealth of Virginia since Reconstruction and only the second African-American elected to Congress in Virginia's history. Having a maternal grandfather of Filipino ancestry also gives him the distinction of being the first American with Filipino ancestry to serve as a voting member of Congress.

Congressman Scott was born on April 30, 1947 in Washington, D.C. and grew up in Newport News, Virginia. He is a graduate of Harvard College and Boston College Law School. After graduating from law school, he returned home to Newport News and practiced law from 1973 to 1991. As a young attorney, he founded the Peninsula Legal Aid Center to assist those who could not afford legal representation. He received an honorable discharge for his service in the Massachusetts National Guard and the United States Army Reserve.

Congressman Scott is a member of St. Augustine's Episcopal Church in Newport News and is a member of many professional, community, and civic boards and organizations.



Date of Birth: **October 10, 1961**

Year Elected to Seat: **2017**

Education: **American University, University of Virginia, Virginia Union University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Energy and Commerce**
- **Natural Resources**

Notes:

Representative A. Donald McEachin (D-VA-4)

The son of an Army veteran and a public school teacher, state Sen. Donald McEachin grew up in Richmond. He returned home after law school, and has been working to lift his community ever since. He has spent his career fighting for the underdog — as both an attorney and a public servant.

Donald has been a citizen legislator in Virginia’s General Assembly for most of the last twenty years, serving first as a delegate and currently as a senator. Throughout that time, he has fought to protect our most vulnerable citizens — and to defend the rights of all Virginians. Donald has worked to create jobs, improve public schools, and expand access to health care. He has been a progressive champion, leading efforts to promote equality, curb gun violence, and protect our environment. His commitment to helping working families has never wavered.

As Chair of the Senate Democratic Caucus, Donald has partnered with leaders from both parties to move Virginia forward. Since 2014, he has worked closely with Gov. Terry McAuliffe, seeking to expand Medicaid, rebuild our economy, and swiftly restore former offenders’ right to vote. Donald’s legislative work has earned praise from across the political spectrum; he has won awards from groups as diverse as the Virginia Sheriffs’ Association, the Virginia Education Association, and the UFCW Minority Coalition.

Donald is also a successful small businessman. With his partner, he has built a local law firm — McEachin & Gee — that has branches across Southside and the Richmond area. For 26 years, their firm has helped secure just outcomes for countless Virginians, ensuring they receive the resources they need to recover from accident or injury. The firm has also given out hundreds of scholarships to local students.

When not in the court room or Capitol, Donald participates in many civic and community groups. He is a member of Ebenezer Baptist Church in Hanover, the NAACP, and the Virginia Trial Lawyers Association; he is also a lifetime member of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity. He has served on numerous boards and commissions, including the VCU Health System Board of Directors.

Donald is a graduate of American University and the University Of Virginia School Of Law. In 2008, he received his Master of Divinity degree from the Samuel DeWitt Proctor School of Theology at Virginia Union University.

Donald and his wife, Colette, are the parents of three wonderful children. They have been married for 28 years.



Date of Birth: **March 17, 1970**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **University of Virginia**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**

Representative Denver Riggleman (R-VA-5)

Denver Lee Riggleman III was born in Virginia and grew up in Manassas. Denver graduated from Stonewall Jackson High school in 1988, where he played football. In 1989, he married his wife, Christine, who attended high school at Osbourn High School, also in Manassas.

Denver earned an A.A. from Burlington County College in 1996, an A.A.S. degree in Avionics Systems from the Community College of the Air force in 1996, a BA (with Distinction) in Foreign Affairs from the University of Virginia in 1998. Denver and Christine live in Nelson County and have three children, Lauren, Abigail, and Lillian.

Between 1992 and 1996, Denver served in the United States Air Force (USAF) as a C-141 Starlifter enlisted avionics technician at McGuire AFB, New Jersey. Denver was awarded a scholarship to the University of Virginia in 1996. He graduated in 1998 and then subsequently served as a commissioned officer with the 366th Fighter Wing and 34th Bomb Squadron at Mountain Home AFB, Idaho and in the National Security Agency (NSA) at Fort Meade, Maryland.

Denver Riggleman and his wife, Christine, dreamed for years of starting their own distillery, and in 2013 built, and now operate, Silverback Distillery in Afton, Virginia. Denver and his wife currently distill and distribute Gin, Vodka and Whiskeys. Denver has also been CEO of several defense contracting companies specializing in counterterrorism, analytic services, rapid technology development, critical infrastructure studies, C4ISR, cyber processes and support to “follow the money” organizations.

Denver was first elected to Congress in 2018 and is honored to represent the 5th district of Virginia.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **February 29, 1972**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **Bates College, University of Richmond School of Law**

Committees Assignments:

- **Education and Labor**
- **Judiciary**

Notes:

Representative Ben Cline (R-VA-6)

Ben Cline's values were shaped growing up in the Shenandoah Valley. He graduated from Lexington High School in 1990, and earned a law degree from the University of Richmond. Introduced by mutual friends, Ben and his wife Elizabeth met in 2004, and are raising their daughters in Rockbridge County.

Ben's made a name for himself taking on the status quo in Richmond – never failing to champion common sense, conservative legislation that challenged the establishment of both the Republican and Democratic parties. As Chairman of the Conservative Caucus in the House of Delegates, Ben was at the forefront of protecting our economic freedom. From helping to stop massive tax hikes to crafting budget cuts to Virginia's bloated bureaucracy, Ben was at the center of the resistance against the push for bigger and unaccountable government.

Ben has never shied away from standing up to his own party leadership when he felt they pushed unprincipled policies. He's forged a path in the General Assembly as a leading conservative fighter holding those in power accountable and fighting to clean up bureaucratic waste and the political cronyism that grips our system. Ben successfully pushed the first significant tax relief since the car tax passage, while also sponsoring legislation that would ban sanctuary cities.

While serving in the House of Delegates, Ben is also an attorney in private practice and previously prosecuted as an Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney. Prior to that, Ben owned his own small business providing marketing assistance to rural internet and high-tech companies. Upon graduating from college, he served as an aide to Congressman Bob Goodlatte, where he eventually became Chief of Staff.

Ben and his family attend St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Lexington. He is a member of the Kerrs Creek Ruritan Club and the Lexington Lion's Club.



Date of Birth: **August 7, 1979**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **University of Virginia, Purdue University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Agriculture**
- **Foreign Affairs**

Notes:

Representative Abigail Spanberger (D-VA-7)

Abigail Spanberger has always served her country and community. Abigail took an oath to protect and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic. That oath didn't come with an expiration date. When she saw partisan politics threatening the country she has worked so hard to protect, she knew it was her time to stand up for the people in the 7th District.

Abigail began her career of public service as a federal law enforcement officer working narcotics and money laundering cases with the US Postal Inspection Service. Following her love of country, public service, and languages, Abigail joined the CIA as an Operations Officer. She traveled and lived abroad collecting intelligence, managing assets, and overseeing high-profile programs in service to the United States. In 2014, Abigail left government service to begin a career in the private sector and bring her and her family back home to Virginia. Working at EAB – Royall & Company, Abigail helped colleges and universities to create diverse student bodies, increase graduation rates, and break down financial barriers to higher education.

Abigail grew up in Short Pump, in Henrico County. She attended J.R. Tucker High School's Spanish immersion program, served as a Senate Page for US Senator Chuck Robb (D-VA), and graduated from the University of Virginia. After college, Abigail moved to Germany and earned her MBA from a dual-degree German-American program between the GISMA business school and Purdue University.

Abigail and her husband, Adam, live with their children in Glen Allen.



Date of Birth: **June 20, 1950**

Year Elected to Seat: **2015**

Education: **Williams College**

Committees Assignments:

- **Ways and Means**
- **Science, Space, and Technology**

Representative Don Beyer (D-VA-8)

Congressman Don Beyer is serving his third term as the U.S. Representative from Virginia's 8th District, representing Arlington, Alexandria, Falls Church, and parts of Fairfax County. He serves on the House Committees on Ways and Means and Science Space and Technology, and is a member of the New Democrat Coalition. He was the Lieutenant Governor of Virginia from 1990 to 1998, and was Ambassador to Switzerland and Liechtenstein under President Obama.

Rep. Beyer's signature work as lieutenant governor included advocacy for Virginians with disabilities and ensuring protections for Virginia's most vulnerable populations as the Commonwealth reformed its welfare system in the mid-1990s. Rep. Beyer was Virginia's Democratic nominee for governor in 1997.

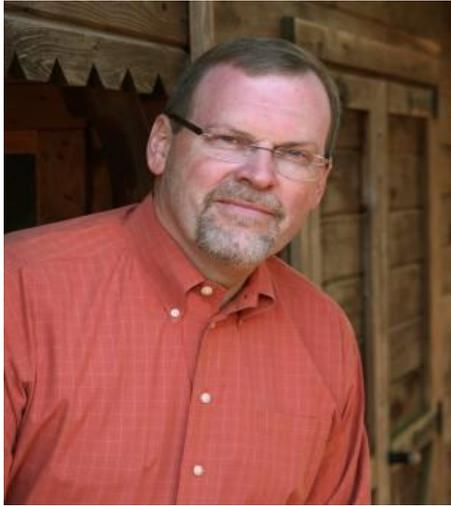
After leaving office, Rep. Beyer spent fourteen years as Chair of Jobs for Virginia Graduates, a highly successful high school dropout prevention program, and was active for a decade on the board of the D.C. Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy. As Chair of the Virginia Economic Recovery Commission, he helped pass permanent pro-business reforms and was co-founder of the Northern Virginia Technology Council.

President Obama nominated Rep. Beyer to serve as Ambassador to Switzerland and Liechtenstein in 2009. He used his position to advocate for stricter sanctions to compel Iran to begin nuclear disarmament discussions. As Ambassador, Rep. Beyer was integral to US Department of Justice efforts to halt the abuses of Swiss bank secrecy by wealthy Americans.

Rep. Beyer has spent four decades building his family business in Northern Virginia after a summer job at a car dealership in 1974. He is a graduate of Williams College and Gonzaga College High School in Washington, DC. He was named a Presidential Scholar by President Lyndon Johnson.

Rep. Beyer has four children and two grandchildren. He and his wife Megan live in Alexandria, Virginia.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **March 15, 1958**

Year Elected to Seat: **2011**

Education: **Emory and Henry College B.A.,
Washington and Lee University School of
Law**

Committees Assignments:

- **Energy and Commerce**

Notes:

Representative Morgan Griffith (R-VA-9)

Morgan Griffith was first elected to represent the Ninth Congressional District of Virginia in the U.S. House of Representatives on November 2, 2010, and is currently serving his fourth term. Morgan is a member of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, which has jurisdiction over some of the most important issues facing Virginia's Ninth District including public health and federal regulations.

For the 115th Congress, Morgan was named Vice Chairman of the Energy and Commerce Committee's Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations. In addition, Morgan serves on its Subcommittee on Health and the Subcommittee on Energy.

Prior to his election to the U.S. House of Representatives, Morgan served as a member of the Virginia House of Delegates from 1994 to 2011, where he represented the Eighth District. In 2000, Morgan was elected House Majority Leader, the first Republican in Virginia history to hold that position.

Morgan is a graduate of Salem's Andrew Lewis High School and an honors graduate of Emory & Henry College. After completing studies at the Washington and Lee University School of Law, Morgan returned to Southwest Virginia where he practiced law for nearly three decades.

Morgan is married to Hilary, and together they have three children.



Date of Birth: **May 27, 1968**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **William & Mary Law School,
University of Maryland**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**
- **Science, Space, and Technology**

Notes:

Representative Jennifer Wexton (D-VA-10)

Senator Jennifer Wexton served the people of Northern Virginia for almost two decades, as a prosecutor, an advocate for children, and as a legislator focusing on issues of concern to families. From 2001 to 2005, Jennifer served as an Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney for Loudoun County, prosecuting felony and misdemeanor criminal and traffic cases in all of the Loudoun Courts. She successfully prosecuted hundreds of trials, including the prosecution of criminals who committed domestic violence or sexual offenses. Among them were a number of high-profile cases, including the 2002 murder trial Commonwealth v. Clara Jane Schwartz.

Jennifer went into private practice after her second son was born, but remained committed to public service. She did a significant amount of court-appointed guardian ad litem work, representing the interests of children who have been abused or neglected. In 2007, she received the Harry L. Carrico Award for her pro bono legal work. She also was the President of the Loudoun County Bar Association for the 2010-2011 term.

Jennifer gained a strong interest in mental health issues as a result of her legal work. She served as a court-appointed attorney, and a special justice, in mental health commitment hearings. This work led her to serve for two years as a member of the Loudoun Community Services Board, an advisory policy board that oversees the Loudoun County Department of Mental Health, Substance Abuse and Developmental Services.

In 2010, Jennifer was selected by the Chief Judge of the Loudoun Circuit Court to serve as a Substitute Judge in the District Court. This appointment confirmed her professional standing in Loudoun and served as a strong endorsement of Jennifer's intelligence, temperament and good judgment.

Jennifer was elected to the Virginia Senate in January 2014, in a special election to take the 33rd district seat of the newly-elected Attorney General, Mark Herring. Jennifer earned over 53 percent of the vote in a three-way race, winning 44 of 47 precincts. She was sworn in as a Senator on January 24th, 2014. Jennifer was re-elected in 2015 with more than 56 percent of the vote and a 13-point margin of victory.

She has taken her passion for protecting others to the state Senate and has supported legislation that makes our children safer, combats the heroin and opioid epidemic, increases access to healthcare, prepares our children for jobs of the future, eases traffic congestion, and brings more businesses and jobs to Northern Virginia. During her four-year tenure, she has passed over 40 bills, all with bipartisan support.

A native of the Washington area, Jennifer graduated with honors from the University of Maryland in College Park, and earned her law degree in 1995 from the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg. She lives in Leesburg with her husband, Andrew, sons Matthew (age 15) and Jamie (13), and two rescued labrador retrievers, a mother-daughter duo named Wanda and Lady Bear.



Date of Birth: **March 30, 1950**

Year Elected to Seat: **2009**

Education: **Maryknoll College, Harvard University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Foreign Affairs**
- **Oversight and Reform**

Representative Gerry Connolly (D-VA-11)

Congressman Gerald E. “Gerry” Connolly is serving his sixth term in the U.S. House of Representatives from Virginia’s 11th District, which includes Fairfax County, Prince William County, and the City of Fairfax in Northern Virginia. Prior to his election to Congress, he served 14 years on the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors, including five years as Chairman. Throughout his career, protecting and growing Northern Virginia’s economy has been his top priority.

In Congress, he has played a key role in securing federal dollars for transportation improvements in Northern Virginia, including completion of the Fairfax County Parkway, widening the Prince William County Parkway, providing ongoing support for Rail to Dulles, and securing the annual federal commitment of \$150 million for the regional Metro system.

In addition to his Committee assignments, Congressman Connolly is a member of the New Democrat Coalition, chair of the Smart Contracting Caucus, co-chair of the Sustainable Energy and Environment Caucus, co-chair of the Congressional Caucus on U.S.-Turkey Relations and Turkish Americans, co-chair of the Congressional Caucus on Korea, co-chair of the Congressional Caucus on Georgia and co-chair of the Congressional Caucus on Taiwan.

Prior to his election to Congress, Congressman Connolly served as Chairman of the Board of Supervisors in Fairfax County, the largest jurisdiction in the Washington, D.C. metro area with more than 1.1 million residents. He earned a reputation as a pragmatic leader for his initiatives to expand affordable housing opportunities, reduce gang violence, promote reusable energy, and advance critical transportation improvements. During his tenure on the Board, Fairfax was recognized as a Best Managed County.

Congressman Connolly received an M.A. in Public Administration from Harvard University in 1979. He received a B.A. in Literature from Maryknoll College in Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

Congressman Connolly has worked in the non-profit sector, primarily advocating for hunger aid and international assistance. He also has strong ties to the business community having spent two decades working for organizations and companies involved in international trade, regulatory matters, technology, and research.

He resides in Fairfax with his wife Smitty and has a daughter Caitlin.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **May 13, 1966**

Year Elected to Seat: **2015**

Education: **Georgetown University,
American University School of Law**

Committees Assignments:

- **Oversight and Government Reform**
- **Agriculture**
- **Transportation and Infrastructure**

Notes:

Representative Stacey Plaskett (D-VI-At Large)

Congresswoman Stacey E. Plaskett represents the United States Virgin Islands' at-large Congressional District in the United States House of Representatives. Stacey currently serves on the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee and the House Committee on Agriculture. She is also a member of the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, where she serves as Ranking Member on the Subcommittee on the Interior, Energy, and Environment.

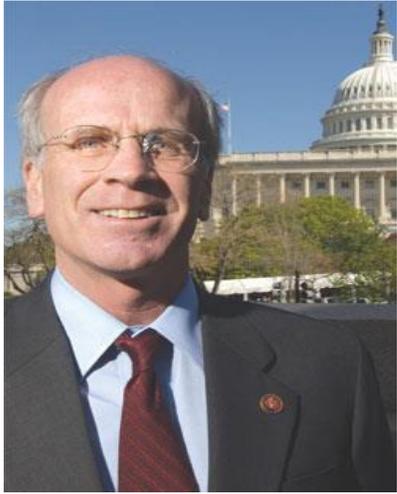
She is also a member of the Congressional Black Caucus, the New Democrat Coalition, and the Congressional Caribbean Caucus.

As a member of the Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, Stacey pushes for improvements to critical infrastructure in the U.S. Virgin Islands and the insular areas, as well as the development of economically depressed rural and urban areas. On the committee, Stacey also works to ensure the federal government is responsive to the needs of Americans in disaster-stricken areas.

As a member of the Committee on Agriculture, Stacey works to ensure the Virgin Islands and other rural communities receive adequate funding for necessary programs aimed at rural development and programs that provide needed supplemental assistance to hardworking families.

As a member of the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Stacey employs her skills as a former prosecutor to ensure accountability and transparency both within government and private sector entities whose operations impact the Virgin Islands community and communities across America.

Plaskett is a staunch advocate for poverty reduction and equal voting rights and is well versed in Caribbean economic development and public-private partnerships for growing the economies of developing areas. She is a graduate of Choate Rosemary Hall, earned her undergraduate degree from Georgetown University, and her Juris Doctorate from American University's Washington College of Law.



Date of Birth: **May 2, 1947**

Year Elected to Seat: **2007**

Education: **College of the Holy Cross,
University of California School of Law**

Committees Assignments:

- **Energy and Commerce**
- **Oversight and Reform**
- **Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence**

Notes:

Representative Peter Welch (D-VT-At Large)

Peter Welch has been a champion for working Vermonters throughout his distinguished career as a state legislator and Member of Congress. Since his election to Congress in 2006, he has been widely recognized in Washington as a skillful and effective legislator.

Peter was born in Springfield, Massachusetts in 1947. He graduated magna cum laude from the College of the Holy Cross in 1969. After working for a year in Chicago fighting housing discrimination as one of the first Robert F. Kennedy Fellows, Peter enrolled in law school at the University of California, Berkeley and graduated in 1973. Peter settled in White River Junction, Vermont and worked as a public defender before founding a small law practice. He was first elected to represent Windsor County in the Vermont Senate in 1980. In 1985, he was unanimously elected by his colleagues to lead the chamber, becoming the first Democrat in Vermont history to hold the position of President Pro Tempore.

After a break from electoral politics during the 1990s, Peter returned to the Vermont Senate in 2002 when he was appointed by Governor Howard Dean to fill an open seat. He was quickly selected by his colleagues to once again lead the Senate as President Pro Tempore. In 2006, Peter was elected to Vermont's sole seat in the United States House of Representatives. The 2006 campaign gained nationwide attention for being the only contested congressional race in the country where both candidates agreed not to run negative ads. Peter was re-elected by wide margins in 2008 and 2010. In 2011, Peter was appointed to serve as a Chief Deputy Whip of the House Democratic Caucus.

Peter is married to Margaret Cheney, a Vermont state representative. They share a home in Norwich, Vermont.



Date of Birth: **February 17, 1962**

Year Elected to Seat: **2012**

Education: **Reed College, University of Washington**

Committees Assignments:

- **Ways and Means**

Representative Suzan DelBene (D-WA-1)

Congresswoman Suzan DelBene represents Washington's 1st Congressional District, which spans from northeast King County to the Canadian border, and includes parts of King, Snohomish, Skagit, and Whatcom counties.

First sworn into the House of Representatives on November 13, 2012, DelBene brings a unique voice to the nation's capital, with over two decades of experience as a successful technology entrepreneur and business leader in the private sector. Her depth of experience and focus on achieving concrete results allows DelBene to break through Congressional gridlock and get things done, earning her praise from the Everett Herald, who called her "the most prolific, effective member of her freshman class."

DelBene's mix of real world experience in the private and public sector gives her a deep understanding of how to build successful businesses and create jobs, implement real fiscal accountability, and adopt policies that provide individuals with access to opportunity. She knows what it will take to ensure that our nation and this region lead in creating high-wage 21st century jobs—great educational opportunities for our children and ongoing training for adults; a financial system that is fair, strong, and transparent; incentives that foster research, innovation, and entrepreneurship; and a health care system that works for everyone. She will continue fighting for these priorities in the other Washington.

DelBene was named a Champion of Main Street Businesses by the Washington Retail Foundation, and received the 2014 Distinguished Community Health Advocate Award from the National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC) for her work to expand access to care for our nation's most vulnerable communities. She was also awarded the President's Award from the NAACP for her work on behalf of veterans and their families.

Suzan and her husband, Kurt DelBene, have two children, Becca and Zach, and a golden retriever, Pluto.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **June 15, 1965**

Year Elected to Seat: **2001**

Education: **Pacific Lutheran University,
University of Minnesota**

Committees Assignments:

- **Armed Services**
- **Transportation and Infrastructure**

Representative Rick Larsen (D-WA-2)

Rick represents the Second Congressional District of Washington state, which includes portions of Snohomish, Skagit and Whatcom counties and all of Island and San Juan counties.

Rick serves on the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee and the House Armed Services Committee. These committees enable Rick to focus on creating jobs and opportunity to meet the local needs of Northwest Washington.

As a member of the Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, Rick is committed to investing in transportation to drive job growth and keep the economy moving. Rick will continue to fight for strong investments in roads, bridges, highways and transit to build a foundation for future economic growth. Rail safety is another priority issue for Rick, and he has worked hard to push for better safety standards for crude oil traveling by rail.

Rick also co-founded the Congressional Arctic Working Group, a bipartisan group to help bring more focus to U.S. policy issues related to the Arctic. Rick is a leader on this issue because he recognizes that other countries are rapidly building their capacity to traverse icy Arctic waters with commercial, research and tourism vessels. As the U.S. prepares to take the chairmanship of the Arctic Council in 2015, Rick is committed to making sure our country lives up to its environmental, economic and strategic commitments as an Arctic nation.

The Larsen family has been building a legacy in the Second Congressional District for more than a century. Rick and his wife, Tiia, are the proud parents of two sons, Robert and Per (pronounced "Pair"), who represent the fifth generation of Larsens in the district.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **November 3, 1978**

Year Elected to Seat: **2011**

Education: **University of Washington**

Committees Assignments:

- **Appropriations**

Representative Jaime Herrera-Beutler (R-WA-3)

Jaime Herrera Beutler was first elected to Congress at the age of 31 to represent Southwest Washington's 3rd District. Jaime was raised in Southwest Washington and brings legislative experience, an independent voice and a desire to serve her home community to Washington, DC.

Jaime is one of the youngest women currently serving in the U.S. Congress. National Journal included her on their list of "The Top 25 Most Influential Washington Women Under 35." She is the first Hispanic in history to represent Washington state in the U.S. House of Representatives, and was named to MSNBC's "Top 10 Latino Politicians to Watch."

Growing up, Jaime graduated from Prairie High School and was member of the Prairie's women's basketball team. She also participated in activities like 4-H, fishing at Battle Ground Lake on opening day and swimming in the Lewis River. Jaime has a deep appreciation for what makes Southwest Washington special.

Jaime attended the University of Washington, earning her Bachelor of Arts degree in Communications. During that time she held temporary positions in both the Washington State Senate and in Washington, D.C. at the White House Office of Political Affairs. Those opportunities sparked her interest in government and serving the people of Washington through public office.

From 2005-07 Jaime worked in Washington D.C. as a Senior Legislative Aide for Congresswoman Cathy McMorris Rodgers (R-Spokane). Jaime served as the Congresswoman's lead advisor on health care policy, education, veterans' and women's issues. In 2007, she was appointed to serve as a State Representative to Washington state's 18th Legislative District by Democrat and Republican County Commissioners from Clark and Cowlitz Counties. She was reelected by 60% of the voters in 2008, and served in that position until being elected to Congress in 2010.

Jaime has developed a record of working productively with both Republicans and Democrats on important issues. As a member of the House Appropriations Committee, Jaime has successfully addressed local issues including maintenance of the Columbia River, dredging for small ports along the west coast, and securing resources for salmon recovery.

Jaime also spearheaded a bipartisan effort to protect Southwest Washington manufacturing and forest-product industry jobs from a costly government regulation known as the "Forest Roads Rule."

Jaime, her husband Daniel Beutler, and her children Abigail and Ethan, reside in Battle Ground.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **July 10, 1955**

Year Elected to Seat: **2015**

Education: **Washington State University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Appropriations**

Representative Dan Newhouse (R-WA-4)

Representative Dan Newhouse is a lifelong resident of Central Washington and is honored to represent the 4th District in Congress. A third-generation Yakima Valley farmer, Dan brings real-world experience to Congress as a businessman and former state legislator ready to work hard in support of conservative solutions that encourage job creation and economic opportunity in Central Washington. Dan understands that looking out for taxpayers means that Congress must stay on budget and make the government work efficiently to fulfill its responsibilities.

Dan serves on the Appropriations Committees, which exercises jurisdiction on critical legislative issues for the 4th District.

Dan served four terms as a legislator in the Washington State House of Representatives, representing the 15th Legislative District from 2003 to 2009. In the Legislature, Dan earned a reputation as a principled conservative willing to work with colleagues to support policies that foster economic growth.

From 2009 to 2013, Dan served as Director of Washington State's Department of Agriculture, where he listened to the concerns of Washington farmers and promoted the state's agricultural resources.

Dan attended Washington State University, where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural Economics. Dan is also a graduate of the Washington Agriculture and Forestry Leadership Program.

Dan lives in Sunnyside with his wife, Joan. He has two adult children: Jensena, Devon and his wife Halley. The Newhouse family continues to operate a 750-acre farm where they grow hops, tree fruit and grapes.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **May 22, 1969**

Year Elected to Seat: **2005**

Education: **Pensacola Christian College,
University of Washington**

Committees Assignments:

- **Energy and Commerce**

Representative Cathy McMorris Rodgers (R-WA-5)

Cathy McMorris Rodgers is Eastern Washington’s chief advocate in Congress and a rising star in American politics. Since first being elected to the House in 2004, she has earned the trust of her constituents and praise on Capitol Hill for her hard work, conservative principles, bipartisan outreach, and leadership to get results for Eastern Washington. As someone who grew up on an orchard and fruit stand in Kettle Falls, Washington, worked at her family’s small business, and later became a wife and working mom of three, Cathy has lived the American Dream, and she works every day to rebuild that Dream for our children and grandchildren.

Cathy served as Chair of the House Republican Conference from 2012 to 2018. Cathy was the 200th woman ever elected to serve in the U.S. House of Representatives and the only woman to give birth three times while in office.

Since being elected to Congress in 2004, Cathy has focused on moving legislation based on the priorities she hears in conversations with the people of Eastern Washington. Her mission is to restore trust and confidence in representative government and the rule of law, and lead as a trust-builder, ability-advocate, and unifying force to get results for hardworking men and women in Eastern Washington.

In 2006, Cathy married Brian Rodgers, a Spokane native and retired 26-year Navy Commander. In 2007, she gave birth to Cole Rodgers. Cole was born with Trisomy 21 and inspired Cathy to become a leader in the disabilities community. She has since welcomed two daughters into the world – Grace Blossom (December 2010) and Brynn Catherine (November 2013). She is the only Member of Congress in history to give birth three times while in office.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **January 1, 1974**

Year Elected to Seat: **2013**

Education: **Princeton University, University of Oxford**

Committees Assignments:

- **Appropriations**

Representative Derek Kilmer (D-WA-6)

Derek Kilmer serves as the United States Representative of Washington's 6th Congressional District.

With over a decade of experience working in economic development in the Puget Sound region, Derek Kilmer is focused on getting our economy and our Congress back to work. Derek has a strong record as a problem solver for Washington families and he's been recognized by veterans organizations for his support of our troops, their families, and those who have served. As the dad of two little girls, he is working to make sure all our children receive a quality education. He is committed to honoring our promises to seniors by protecting Social Security and Medicare. Derek grew up on the Olympic Peninsula and has worked to promote local economic development and to be responsible stewards of our natural resources.

Derek has learned that addressing the challenges facing our nation will require an end to political brinksmanship and a focus on finding common sense, practical solutions. He's a member of organizations like the Bipartisan Working Group and the Problem Solvers Caucus, which work to bring Democrats and Republicans together to forge greater consensus on a wide variety of issues.

In his short time in Congress, Derek has already been recognized by a wide variety of groups for his effectiveness and advocacy. He's been named a Hero of Main Street by the National Retail Foundation, an Outstanding New Member by the Voices for National Service, and a Humane Champion by the Humane Society.

Derek and his wife Jennifer live in Gig Harbor with their daughters Sophie and Tess and their Australian Shepard Truman.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **September 21, 1965**

Year Elected to Seat: **2017**

Education: **Georgetown University,
Northwestern University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Judiciary**
- **Budget**
- **Education and Labor**

Notes:

Representative Pramila Jayapal (D-WA-7)

Congresswoman Pramila Jayapal represents Washington's 7th District, which encompasses most of Seattle and surrounding areas including Shoreline, Vashon Island, Lake Forest Park, Edmonds and parts of Burien and Normandy Park.

Congresswoman Jayapal is committed to ensuring that every resident of the district has economic opportunity; fairness and equity; and safe and healthy communities. She is proud of the district's role in leading the country on issues like the minimum wage, racial equity and innovation, and will work to support that work and lift it up as a model for the rest of the country.

Her focus is on ensuring income equality; access to education, from early learning to higher education, including debt-free college; expanding Social Security and Medicare; protecting our environment for our next generation; and ensuring immigrant, civil and human rights for all.

Jayapal was elected to the Washington State Senate in 2014, becoming the first South Asian American ever elected to the State Legislature and the only woman of color in the Washington State Senate. As a Washington State Senator, serving in a Republican majority Senate, Jayapal fought for gender equity, expanded access to contraceptives for all women, including those on Medicaid, and introduced legislation to increase the statewide minimum wage and provide free community college. She stood up to members of her own party against giveaways to predatory payday lenders, and secured \$5.25 million into transportation pre-apprenticeship programs for women and people of color. She played a leading role in the push to pass the Washington State Voting Rights Act – blocked, unfortunately, by the Republican majority in the State Senate. She received a Champion award from the Children's Alliance for her work on ensuring equity as the state invested millions into early learning.

Jayapal was born in Chennai, India and her parents still reside in India. Jayapal lives in Seattle with her husband Steve. She is the proud mother of a son and step-son, Janak and Michael, and their 65-pound labradoodle, Otis.



Date of Birth: **August 23, 1968**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **University of California Berkeley, University of California Davis**

Committees Assignments:

- **Armed Services**

Representative Kim Schrier (D-WA-8)

Congresswoman Kim Schrier represents Washington's 8th Congressional District, which includes much of King, Pierce, Kittitas, and Chelan Counties, and portions of Douglas County.

Prior to being elected to Congress on November 6, 2018, Kim spent her career as a pediatrician in Issaquah, working with children across the Puget Sound region and helping families navigate the health care system. In Congress, Kim uses this expertise to inform her work on issues that improve the lives, health, and wellbeing of children.

As the only woman doctor in Congress, Kim brings a critical voice to issues related to health care. Through her own experience as a patient living with Type 1 diabetes, Kim understands the very real fear of health care costs and access for people living with pre-existing conditions. And as a physician who has worked in a broken health care system, Kim understands what changes need to be made to make it work better for both patients and providers.

Kim grew up the daughter of a public school teacher and an engineer. Her father, an engineer, instilled in Kim a love for science, a passion that led Kim to a degree in Astrophysics at U.C. Berkeley and then to medical school. Her mother taught her the value of education and teachers, and the importance of unions and collective bargaining. As a child, Kim watched her mother's union successfully negotiate for increased school funding, smaller class size, and improved benefits.

The product of public education from elementary through medical school, Kim is passionate about helping every child thrive in school. After graduating from U.C. Berkeley Phi Beta Kappa, Kim spent a year working at the EPA before attending medical school at U.C. Davis School of Medicine. She completed her residency at the Lucile Packard Children's Hospital at Stanford University. In 2013, Kim was named Best Pediatrician in the Greater Seattle Area by Parents Map Magazine.

Kim's experience as a pediatrician gives her a unique understanding of the needs and struggles facing 8th District families. She lives in Sammamish with her husband, David, and son, Sam.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **June 15, 1965**

Year Elected to Seat: **1997**

Education: **Fordham University, University of Washington**

Committees Assignments:

- **Armed Services, Chairman**

Representative Adam Smith (D-WA-9)

Adam Smith was born on June 15, 1965, in Washington, D.C. Adam was raised in SeaTac, Washington where his father, Ben, worked as a ramp serviceman at SeaTac Airport and was active in the local Machinists' Union. His mother, Leila, stayed at home, raising Adam and his two brothers. Adam attended Bow Lake Elementary, Chinook Middle School, and Tyee High School, graduating from Tyee in 1983.

After a year at Western Washington University, Adam transferred to Fordham University, where he worked his way through college loading trucks for United Parcel Service and graduated in 1987 with a degree in Political Science. Following his graduation, Adam attended the University Of Washington School Of Law, and earned his law degree in 1990. He later worked in both private and public practice, first as a lawyer at Cromwell, Mendoza and Belur in 1992, and then as a prosecutor for the City of Seattle from 1993-1995. As a prosecutor, Adam focused on drunk driving and domestic violence cases, and in 1996, went on to work as a judge pro tempore.

During his final year at UW, Adam decided to run for the State Senate in the 33rd Legislative District, where he grew up. He campaigned door to door, eventually doorbelling the entire district twice and defeating the 16 year incumbent in the 1990 election. When he took office in January 1991, Adam was 25 years old and the youngest State Senator in the country. While in the State Senate, Adam served on the Education and Law and Justice Committees, and served as Chair of the Law and Justice Committee from 1993-1997. Despite the strong Republican tide in 1994, Adam was re-elected to the State Senate in 1994 and his victory helped the Democrats retain control of the State Senate by one seat. During his time in the State Senate, Adam developed a reputation for having a thoughtful and common sense approach to governance.

In 1993, Adam married Spokane native, Sara Bickle-Eldridge, a graduate of the University of Washington and Seattle University School of Law. Their daughter, Kendall Charlotte, was born in July 2000, followed by their son, Jack Evers, in June 2003. The Smiths live in Bellevue, with Kendall attending the University of Washington and Jack attending Issaquah High School. Both Adam and Sara are involved in their community and their children's schools, with their highlights being Adam's stint as a recreational soccer coach and Sara's two terms as PTA President.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **July 29, 1952**

Year Elected to Seat: **2013**

Education: **Evergreen State College**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**
- **Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence**

Representative Dennis "Denny" Heck (D-WA-10)

On November 6th, 2012, the residents of Washington's new 10th Congressional District elected Denny Heck to be the district's first member of the United States House of Representatives. Since taking office, Congressman Heck's top priorities have been creating jobs, growing our economy and keeping the American Dream alive for the middle class and those working to get into it. He has been a vocal advocate for military families and veterans as well as for the health and natural beauty of the Puget Sound's environment. Congressman Heck at JBLM

Congressman Heck serves on the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, the committee in charge of oversight of the seventeen elements of the U.S. Government's Intelligence Community and the Military Intelligence Program.

Congressman Heck is the only Member of Congress from the Pacific Northwest that serves on the House Financial Services Committee. He is a member of the Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit Subcommittee, and the Monetary Policy and Trade Subcommittee.

In the decade prior to his election to Congress, Congressman Heck successfully grew several small businesses in Washington State. One of those small businesses, which specializes in workplace education, was started in Olympia with only two employees. Today it employs more than 300 people throughout the United States and has continued to grow in recent years. Congressman Heck was also an original investor in Real Networks, the digital entertainment company that pioneered streaming media on the Internet.

A strong advocate of open government, in 1993 Congressman Heck co-founded TVW to provide the people of Washington State greater accessibility to their state government. TVW has grown into the nation's preeminent statewide public affairs network. While at TVW, the Congressman hosted the renowned public affairs program Inside Olympia and won an Emmy for a documentary he wrote and produced.

Congressman Heck served his community in the State House of Representatives for nearly a decade. He was chosen by his colleagues to serve as Majority Leader before retiring in 1986. While in the State House, Congressman Heck was one of the prime authors of the state's historic Basic Education Act. After his time in the Legislature, he served as Chief of Staff to Governor Booth Gardner during his second term.

Congressman Heck is a native Washingtonian and graduated from The Evergreen State College in 1973. He has been married for 40 years to Paula Fruci Heck, an educator who began her career as a teacher and retired as principal at Jefferson Middle School in Olympia. He and Paula have lived in Olympia for 30 years. They have two sons, Bob and Trey, and are grandparents of Maleah.

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Date of Birth: **March 3, 1981**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **University of Wisconsin**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**

Representative Bryan Steil (R-WI-1)

First elected in 2018, Congressman Bryan Steil represents Wisconsin's First Congressional District in the U.S. House of Representatives.

Prior to being elected to Congress, Bryan spent a decade working in the manufacturing industry where he saw firsthand how burdensome federal regulations and red tape can hinder economic growth and job creation in Southeastern Wisconsin.

In 2016, Bryan was appointed and unanimously confirmed to serve on the University of Wisconsin Board of Regents. As a Regent, he addressed the needs of students while overseeing the 26 UW system campuses, their 170,000 students, and a six billion dollar budget. Bryan supported initiatives that froze tuition and increased access to quality, affordable education.

Bryan received a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Georgetown University and a Juris Doctorate from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Bryan serves on the House Financial Services Committee. He sits on the Subcommittee on Housing, Community Development, and Insurance, the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, and the Subcommittee on Diversity and Inclusion.

Born and raised in Janesville, Bryan graduated from Craig High School and is a member of St. John Vianney Parish in Janesville.

Wisconsin's First District encompasses all of Walworth, Kenosha, and Racine Counties, and extends west to include portions of Rock County and extends north to include parts of southern Waukesha and Milwaukee Counties. The First District is home to a vibrant, diverse economy and continues to attract new companies and industries to the I-94 corridor.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **August 14, 1964**

Year Elected to Seat: **2013**

Education: **University of Wisconsin-Madison**

Committees Assignments:

- **Appropriations**

Representative Mark Pocan (D-WI-2)

Congressman Mark Pocan was sworn in as the U.S. Representative for Wisconsin's second congressional district in 2013 following 14 years in the Wisconsin State Assembly. A small business owner, union member, and lifelong advocate for progressive causes, Rep. Pocan is committed to using his experience from both the private and public sectors to fight for policies that promote economic and social justice and support the families of south central Wisconsin.

In the 115th Congress, he serves on the House Appropriations Committee where he sits on the Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services and Education, and the Subcommittee on Agriculture. He previously served on the Budget Committee and the Committee on Education and the Workforce. Rep. Pocan is also the Co-Chair of the Congressional Progressive Caucus (CPC), the largest values based caucus in the Democratic Party, where he is a strong voice for progressive values in Congress.

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Date of Birth: **March 16, 1963**

Year Elected to Seat: **1997**

Education: **Harvard University, London School of Economics, University of Minnesota Law School**

Committees Assignments:

- **Ways and Means**

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Representative Ron Kind (D-WI-3)

A native of La Crosse, Wisconsin, Ron Kind has represented Wisconsin's Third Congressional District since 1997.

Ron is a member of the Ways and Means Committee, which has jurisdiction over tax policy, Medicare, Social Security, and international trade. He serves on the Subcommittee on Health, and since becoming a member in 2007, Ron has focused his work primarily on that of issues relating to small business, specifically their health care challenges. Ron also serves on the Subcommittee on Trade.

Ron served as a member of the Natural Resources Committee from 1996-2010. His work on the committee allowed him to focus on a tremendously important issue to western Wisconsin – the Mississippi River. As a committee member and the co-chair of the Upper Mississippi Caucus, Ron worked hard to restore the river, combat invasive species, and ensure it remains a thriving resource for recreation and transportation. Though he is no longer serving on the committee, his work to protect and preserve our natural resources continues.

In addition to his committee work, Ron has focused on the issue of agriculture reform, receiving national recognition in 2007 for his work to move the farm bill away from cash-crop subsidies for wealthy agribusinesses and toward increased conservation to help more farmers in more regions of the country. Ron is also the Chair-Emeritus of the centrist “New Democrat Coalition” and co-chairs the Congressional Fitness Caucus, the Congressional Organic Caucus, the National Parks Caucus, and the Upper Mississippi River Basin Task Force. He is also the former co-chair of the Congressional Sportsmen's Caucus.

Ron is a graduate of La Crosse Logan High School. His success in academics and football there brought him to Harvard University where he earned a Bachelor's degree. Later, Ron earned a Master's degree from the London School of Economics and a Law Degree from the University of Minnesota.

Washington is still a weekly commute for Ron, he and his wife Tawni still live in La Crosse. They have two college-aged sons, Johnny (1996) and Matthew (1998).



Date of Birth: **April 18, 1951**

Year Elected to Seat: **2005**

Education: **Marquette University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Ways and Means**

Representative Gwen Moore (D-WI-4)

Congresswoman Gwen Moore was elected to represent Wisconsin's 4th Congressional District in 2004, making her the first African American elected to Congress from the State of Wisconsin. She is a member of the esteemed House Ways and Means Committee, which is the oldest committee in the United States Congress and has jurisdiction over the Social Security system, Medicare, the Foster Care System, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, Unemployment Insurance, and all taxation, tariffs, and revenue-raising measures. She serves on the Oversight, Select Revenue Measures, and Worker and Family Support Subcommittees.

Born in Racine, Wisconsin, in 1951, Congresswoman Moore was raised in Milwaukee. The eighth of nine children, Congresswoman Moore's father was a union factory worker and her mother was a public school teacher. Congresswoman Moore attended North Division High School in Milwaukee, where she served as Student Council President. After graduation, she started college at Marquette University as a single, expectant mother on welfare who could only complete her education with the help of TRIO. Congresswoman Moore earned a B.A. in Political Science from Marquette, and went on to serve as a community leader spearheading the start-up of a community credit union as a VISTA volunteer for which she earned the national "VISTA Volunteer of the Decade" award from 1976-1986. She was also a member of the Wisconsin State Assembly and Senate before serving in Congress.

She served in the Wisconsin State Senate from 1993-2004. Prior to her election to the Senate, Congresswoman Moore served two consecutive terms in the Wisconsin State Assembly from 1989-1992. In 2000, Congresswoman Moore earned a Harvard University Certificate for Senior Executives in State and Local Government. As a state legislator, Congresswoman Moore was a champion for progressive and social issues and has continued to stand up as a voice for each and every constituent and region across the city. She applied her career expertise to help create jobs and build communities. She made a positive impact in critical issues related to welfare, education, and criminal justice. A tireless advocate for women's rights and civil rights, Congresswoman Moore led the fight against racial profiling, domestic abuse, and voting rights violations.

She is the mother of Jesselynne, Ade, and Sowande "Supreme" and is a proud great-grandmother.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **June 14, 1943**

Year Elected to Seat: **1979**

Education: **Stanford University, University of Wisconsin**

Committees Assignments:

- **Judiciary**
- **Foreign Affairs**

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Representative Jim Sensenbrenner, Jr. (R-WI-5)

F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr. (Jim) represents the Fifth Congressional District of Wisconsin, which includes parts of Milwaukee, Dodge, and Waukesha counties, and all of Washington and Jefferson counties.

Jim was born in Chicago and later moved to Wisconsin with his family. He graduated from the Milwaukee County Day School and did his undergraduate studies at Stanford University, where he majored in political science. He later earned his law degree at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

After serving ten years in the Wisconsin State Legislature, Jim ran for the United States House of Representatives and was elected in November, 1978.

Throughout his tenure in Congress, Jim has fought to protect the gains made during the Civil Rights Movement. As Judiciary Committee chairman, he introduced the reauthorization of the Voting Rights Act (VRA), the Fannie Lou Hamer, Rosa Parks, and Coretta Scott King Voting Rights Act Reauthorization and Amendments Act of 2006. After approximately 20 hearings, the measure passed with overwhelming bipartisan support. However, the Supreme Court struck down a key provision of this law. After, Jim introduced the Voting Rights Amendment Act of 2014, a bipartisan, bicameral modernization of the original 1965 law that ensures Americans' most sacred right is protected.

In 1977, Jim married Cheryl Warren of Green Bay, Wisconsin – a staunch advocate for the rights of the disabled. Together, they have two adult children, Frank and Bob, and one grandson, Kevin. In his free time, Jim enjoys watching the Green Bay Packers and reading.



Date of Birth: **July 3, 1955**

Year Elected to Seat: **2015**

Education: **University of Wisconsin,
University of Wisconsin Law School**

Committees Assignments:

- **Education and Labor**
- **Oversight and Government Reform**

Notes:

Representative Glenn Grothman (R-WI-6)

Glenn Grothman is the congressman for Wisconsin's 6th Congressional District. Grothman is currently serving his third term in Congress, having been elected in 2014.

Grothman serves on the House Education and the Workforce and Oversight and Government Reform Committees. Grothman's time in office has been marked by his passionate advocacy for manufacturing, tax reform, welfare reform, education reform, immigration reform and pro-life causes.

Before serving in Congress, Grothman served as the Assistant Majority Leader in the Wisconsin State Senate where he worked for economic growth legislation and tax reform. Prior to his election to the state senate, Grothman served as a representative to the Wisconsin State Assembly from 1993 through 2003. He was also a practicing attorney in the areas of estate planning and probate and worked as a tax preparer. Grothman earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in accounting and Juris Doctor from the University of Wisconsin - Madison. He graduated from Homestead High School in his home town of Thiensville, Wisconsin.

Grothman, 62, lives in the Town of Glenbeulah in Sheboygan County.



Date of Birth: **October 3, 1971**

Year Elected to Seat: **2011**

Education: **St. Mary's University, William Mitchell College of Law**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**

Representative Sean Duffy (R-WI-7)

Congressman Sean Duffy was born and raised in Hayward, Wisconsin. His great, great grandfather was one of the state's early pioneers and a laborer for the Northwestern Lumber Company. His great grandfather, one of Hayward's founding settlers, was a sawyer for 27 years.

Congressman Duffy has never strayed far from his roots, becoming a nationally recognized professional lumberjack athlete. He is a two-time world champion in the 90-foot speed climb, three-time champion in the 60-foot and an accomplished log-roller. Sean has been a color commentator for ESPN's Great Outdoor Games, as well as a Badger State Games Honorary Athlete and takes pride in bringing national attention to a sport with vital roots in Wisconsin's proud history.

The tenth of eleven siblings, Congressman Duffy worked his way through law school by performing in lumberjack shows and exhibitions across the state of Wisconsin and around the country. After graduating from law school he practiced law for two years in Hayward before becoming a special prosecutor in Ashland, Wisconsin. Shortly thereafter, he became the acting assistant D.A. and later the District Attorney of Ashland County. He is most proud of his dedication to prosecuting child sex crimes. Working together with law enforcement, Congressman Duffy helped make Ashland County one of the first counties in the state to investigate and prosecute child Internet sex crimes.

Congressman Duffy met his wife Rachel Campos-Duffy, an Arizona native, through the MTV show, "The Real World." Together, they are the proud parents of seven children: Evita, Jack, Lucia-Belen, John-Paul, Paloma, MariaVictoria and Margarita.

Notes:



Date of Birth: **March 3, 1984**

Year Elected to Seat: **2017**

Education: **Princeton University,
Georgetown University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Armed Services**
- **Transportation and Infrastructure**

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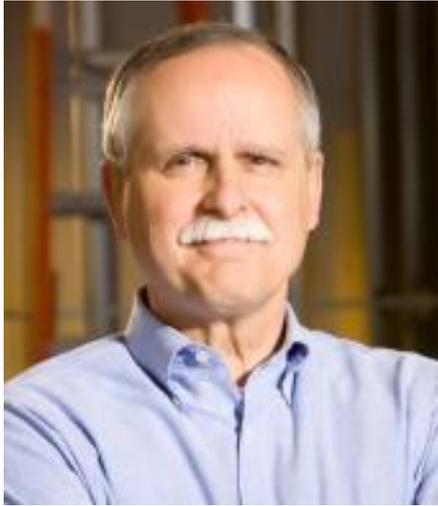
Representative Mike Gallagher (R-WI-8)

First elected in 2016, Congressman Mike Gallagher represents Wisconsin's 8th District in the U.S. House of Representatives. Mike is a 7th generation Wisconsin native, born and raised in Green Bay.

Mike joined the United States Marine Corps the day he graduated from college and served for seven years on active duty as a Counterintelligence/Human Intelligence Officer and Regional Affairs Officer for the Middle East/North Africa, eventually earning the rank of Captain. He deployed twice to Al Anbar Province, Iraq as a commander of intelligence teams, served on General Petraeus's Central Command Assessment Team in the Middle East, and worked for three years in the intelligence community, including tours at the National Counterterrorism Center and the Drug Enforcement Agency. Mike also served as the lead Republican staffer for Middle East, North Africa and Counterterrorism on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Prior to taking office, Mike worked in the private sector at a global energy and supply chain management company in Green Bay.

After earning his bachelor's degree from Princeton University, Mike went on to earn a master's degree in Security Studies from Georgetown University, a second in Strategic Intelligence from National Intelligence University, and his PhD in International Relations from Georgetown.

Mike currently serves on the House Armed Services, and Transportation and Infrastructure Committees.



Date of Birth: **March 28, 1947**

Year Elected to Seat: **2011**

Education: **Purdue University**

Committees Assignments:

- **Energy and Commerce**

Representative David McKinley (R-WV-1)

David B. McKinley, P.E. began his tenure in Congress on January 3, 2011, when he was sworn in to represent the First District of West Virginia.

David is a proud, seventh generation West Virginian and a native of Wheeling. After graduating from Purdue University's civil engineering school, he worked in the construction industry as a professional engineer.

As a successful former small businessman, David established McKinley and Associates — an architectural and engineering firm — that includes offices in Wheeling and Charleston, W.Va. and Washington, PA. Over the 44 years that David owned his business, he created hundreds of jobs and understands the vital role small businesses plays in creating private sector jobs and strengthening the economy. He was recognized, twice, by West Virginia Executive Magazine as one of the 50 most influential people in West Virginia.

David was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives from the First District of West Virginia in 2010. As one of two professional engineers in Congress, he has a seat on the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

David is married to the former Mary Gerkin from New Martinsville, West Virginia and they are the proud parents of four children and six grandchildren.

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Date of Birth: **June 7, 1971**

Year Elected to Seat: **2015**

Education: **Dartmouth College**

Committees Assignments:

- **Financial Services**

Representative Alex Mooney (R-WV-2)

Congressman Alex Mooney and his wife live in Charles Town in Jefferson County with their three children. Their third child, Gabrielle, was recently born in October 2014. The son of a Cuban refugee and Vietnam veteran, Alex grew up with a deep sense of appreciation for the American ideals of individual freedom and personal responsibility.

Alex's mother, Lala, was born and raised in Fidel Castro's Cuba, where she and other members of her family were thrown into jail for seven weeks for opposing Castro's communist regime. When she was 21, Lala escaped Cuba and fled to America with barely a penny to her name. Alex's father, Vincent, was sent to Vietnam when his wife was expecting their first child. He served as an Engineering Captain and was awarded the Bronze Star. Listening to his parents' inspiring stories, Alex knew from a young age that he wanted to spend his life fighting for the American ideals set forth by our Founding Fathers.

Alex played football and rugby at Dartmouth College, where he graduated in 1993. A passionate defender of pro-life values, Alex also served as the president of the Dartmouth Coalition for Life during his junior and senior years. As a state senator from 1999-2010, Alex consistently fought for conservative fiscal and social values, including lower taxes, less government spending, protecting our Second Amendment rights, pro-life legislation, job creation and protection for our seniors. Congressman Alex Mooney was elected in November 2014 to represent West Virginia's second congressional district. In Congress Alex is fighting to protect our West Virginia values and make sure West Virginia continues to be a great place to raise a family.

Alex believes that West Virginia is poised to be a leader in defending and promoting the all-American values of hard work, faith and freedom that have made our country great. With a proven record of fighting for conservative values, Alex is defending West Virginia from President Obama's disastrous policies and fighting to encourage the job creation and prosperity West Virginia deserves.

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Date of Birth: **November 4, 1950**

Year Elected to Seat: **2019**

Education: **Columbia College**

Committees Assignments:

- **Transportation and Infrastructure**
- **Oversight and Reform**

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Representative Carol Miller (R-WV-3)

Carol Devine Miller is an American politician who is the representative-elect in West Virginia's 3rd congressional district. She previously served as a member of the West Virginia House of Delegates for the 16th district from 2013 through January 2019. A member of the Republican Party, she previously served from 2007 until 2013 in the 15th district seat.

The daughter of U.S. Representative Samuel L. Devine, Miller was elected as the Republican nominee in the 2018 United States House of Representatives election in West Virginia's 3rd congressional district.

Miller earned a bachelor's degree in history and political science from Columbia College.



Date of Birth: **July 28, 1966**

Year Elected to Seat: **2017**

Education: **Colorado College, University of Chicago**

Committees Assignments:

- **Armed Services**
- **Natural Resources**

Representative Liz Cheney (R-WY-At Large)

Liz Cheney serves as Wyoming's lone Member of Congress in the U.S. House of Representatives. She was elected in 2016, running a campaign focused on conservative ideas to help create jobs, cut taxes and regulation, expand America's energy, mining and ag industries, protect the Constitution and restore the strength and power of America.

Liz is a proud constitutional conservative and an advocate for a strong America. As a Fox News contributor, Liz has been a prominent national voice defending our constitutional rights and standing up against President Obama's devastating policies. She is the co-founder of the Alliance for a Strong America, a non-profit organization based in Wyoming and focused on educating voters about the importance of American leadership and strength. She is the co-author, along with Vice President Cheney, of *Exceptional: Why The World Needs A Strong America*, published in 2015.

Liz has practiced law and served in the State Department, including as the second-ranking official responsible for U.S. Policy in the Middle East. From 2009-2013, she was the chairman of Keep America Safe, a non-profit organization that was instrumental in preventing President Obama from transferring terrorists detained at Guantanamo—including the mastermind of 9/11, Khaled Sheikh Mohamed—into the United States. She is a member of the International Board of Advisors at the University of Wyoming and previously served on the board of Rivers of Recovery, a Wyoming-based organization that provides rehabilitation for military veterans through fly-fishing.

Liz's family has called Wyoming home for four generations, and she and her husband Phil Perry are blessed to be raising the fifth generation in Wilson, Wyoming.

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