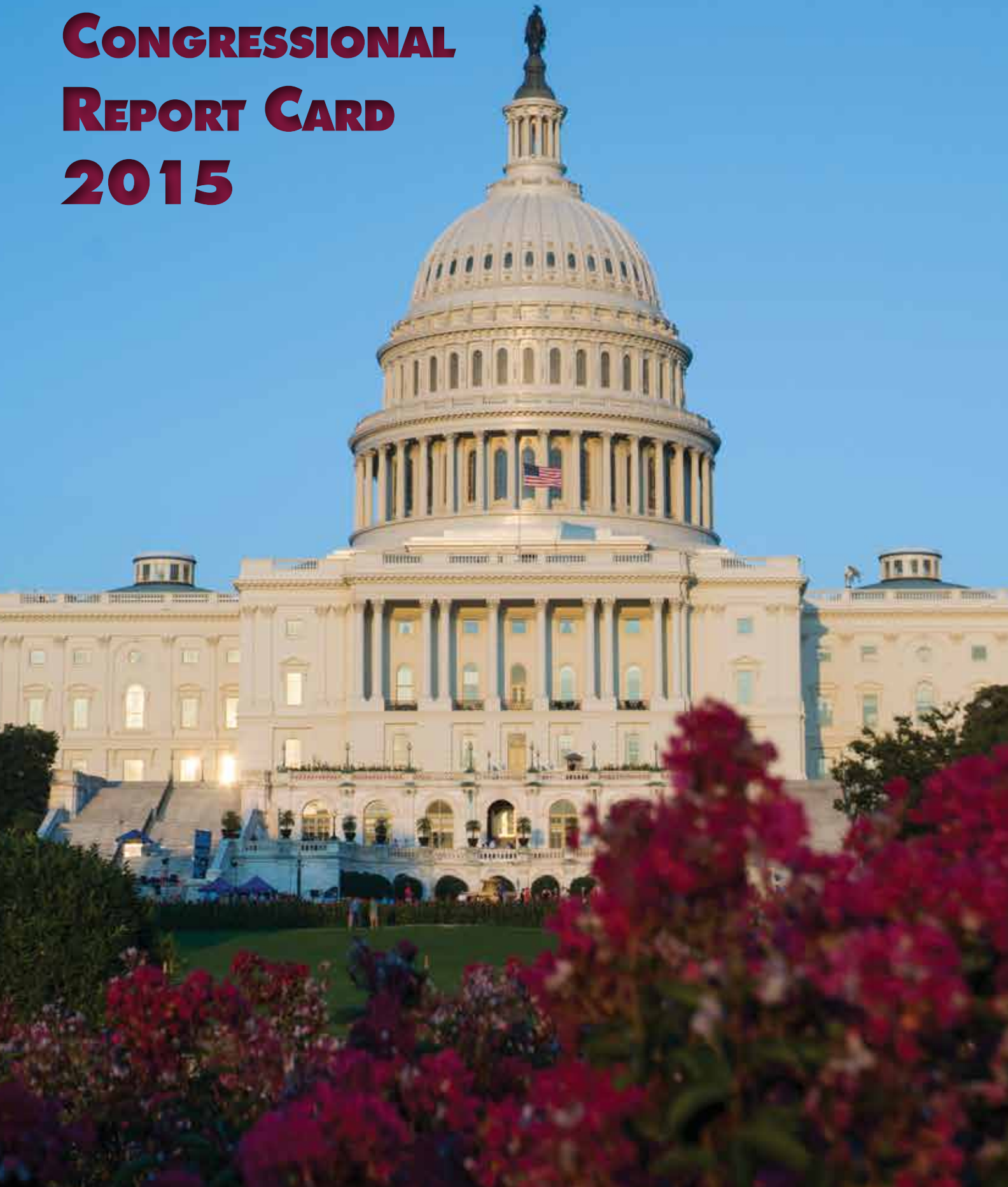


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President's Note

Congress is a miserable mess. Only stalwart efforts by our Senate friends and by President Obama have prevented disaster. Gerrymandering thrust control of the House into right-wing hands.

Consider Pennsylvania's 7th congressional district (pictured below). A *Washington Post* reader aptly described this misshapen suburban Philadelphia Gerrymander as "Goofy Kicking Donald Duck."



A Disneyesque gargoyle, the 7th is represented by staunchly anti-choice United States Rep. Pat Meehan. Prior to being transformed into a bizarre Etch-A-Sketch drawing, at times it elected legislators who supported family planning, reproductive rights, and other positive programs.

Gerrymandering is an affront to democracy. Even so, an examination of 2008 election returns based on current congressional district boundaries shows that Obama carried 236 districts that year—including Pennsylvania's 7th. That's 18 more than are needed to secure majority control of the House. A shift of just 1 percent would have handed him a victory again in 2012 in that district. Gerrymandering is terrible, but not insurmountable. There is a big difference between "hard" and "hopeless."

Elections matter. When Obama took office, we secured a 40-percent increase in international family planning funding. It was a remarkable achievement in the midst of the worst economic downturn since the Great Depression. Thanks to Obamacare, the number of women able to obtain birth control pills without fees or copays increased from 12 percent to 67 percent. Yet the Apocalunatics in the House have voted more than 50 times to repeal Obamacare. And they show no sign of ending their cruel crusade.

We founded the Population Connection Action Fund in 2013 to help change Congress. We are determined to elect women and men who want to shape a better future—and to defeat those who vote against proven programs that reduce rapid population growth.

Right now, we're focused on New Hampshire and Iowa. We're going to make sure that presidential candidates are asked where they stand on the rights of women and the fate of our planet. The early primary season is one time when voters can ask the next occupant of the White House what she or he will do.

Early next year, we'll turn our attention to hard-fought congressional battles. As always, the political landscape will be littered with prognosticating pessimists, most of whom know far less than they claim. So, we'll do our best to let voters in even the most tortuously drawn districts know they can cast their votes for a better, safer, less-crowded world.

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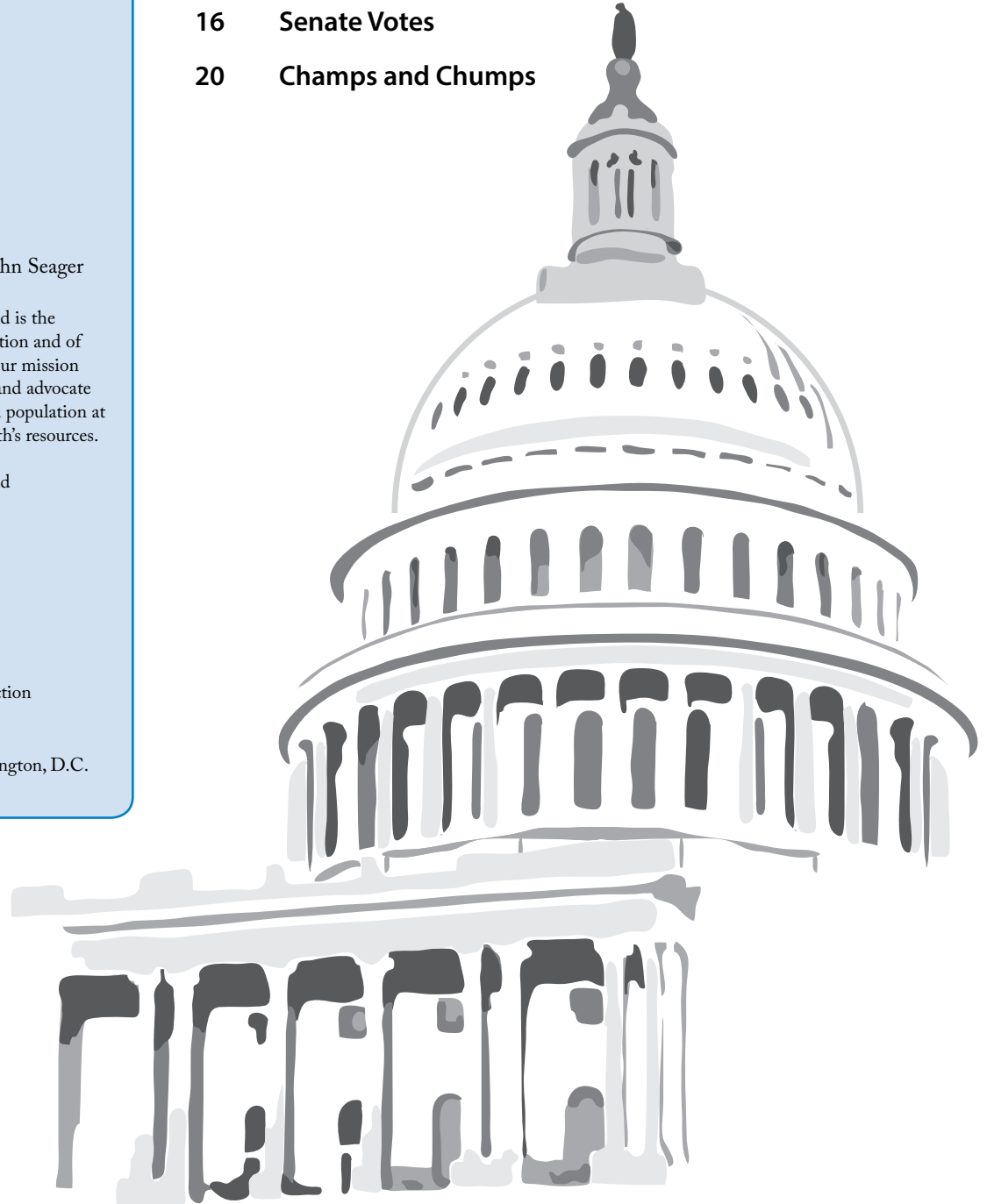
The U.S. Capitol building in Washington, D.C.
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We hear it all the time: “Voting isn’t important,” and, “It doesn’t matter who’s elected, they’re all the same anyway.”

To them, we say take a look at what’s happening in Congress and in state governments. If there’s one lesson, it is this: Elections. Have. Consequences.

In the 2014 elections, the U.S. Senate changed from having a majority of supporters of family planning, reproductive health and rights, and women’s empowerment to being controlled by opponents of all those things. The results have been as predictable as they are distressing. They include:

- Multiple votes to deny some three million women the choice to use the Planned Parenthood clinics they rely on for basic health care;
- The promotion of legislation to slash funding for programs providing contraceptives to the poorest women in the world;
- A bill to gut the domestic family planning program that allows low-income American families to prevent unintended pregnancies.

In the House the situation is even more dire. The real decisions seem to be

dictated by the most hard core, extreme voices on the right. They took down one Speaker of the House, prevented the logical successor from getting that job, and have now drawn significant concessions from Rep. Paul Ryan (R-WI)—the current favorite.

That cabal is threatening to shut down the government if Planned Parenthood is allowed federal reimbursement for services provided to people on Medicaid. They’re demanding even more votes to strip health insurance coverage from the millions of Americans who’ve gained it through the Affordable Care Act. And they demand that women be forced to carry their rapists’ babies to term.

Looking at the votes from the past year, it’s hard not to notice a couple of things. First, this Congress is incredibly hostile toward reproductive rights. They will take any opening provided, and if there’s no obvious angle, they’ll make one up. Second, it’s clear that what used to be a bipartisan issue has devolved into one of the starkest divides on the political landscape.

Not too long ago, there were about forty Republicans in the House alone who supported family planning aid. Today, on a good day, there are four.

We’re still nearly a year away from getting the chance to reshape the Congress, but it’s already clear how high the stakes are going to be. An appalling number of current members aren’t just embracing anti-family planning and anti-choice stances. They are taking every opportunity to trumpet those beliefs. They are making the calculation that these positions will win them more support than they will lose.

We think they’re wrong.

We publish the *Congressional Report Card* to help make sure that politicians have to answer for their records. We hope you’ll use it to hold public officials accountable for their statements and their actions. There are literally millions of women and families, both here in the United States and around the world, whose lives will be impacted by the decisions made by our elected officials.

Let’s demand that those decisions help, rather than harm, the most vulnerable.

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First Session Votes

Ban on Abortion Coverage

January 22, 2015, House Roll Call 45, H.R. 7

Our Position: Oppose

Passed: 242-179, 12 Not Voting

The misleadingly named “No Taxpayer Coverage for Abortion Act” would attempt to eliminate coverage for abortion services by private health insurance plans. It would impose significant tax penalties on those who seek coverage through their plans or attempt to pay for abortion care with their Health Savings Accounts. It would also prohibit any insurance carrier from offering abortion coverage under any plan available through the health exchanges of the Affordable Care Act.

D.C. Reproductive Health Act

April 30, 2015, House Roll Call 194, H.J. Res 43

Our Position: Oppose

Passed: 228-192, 11 Not Voting

In December 2014, the D.C. City Council unanimously approved the “Reproductive Health Nondiscrimination Act,” which would prohibit employers from discriminating against employees because of their reproductive decision-making. All D.C. laws are subject to congressional review. The House of Representatives voted on a resolution to disapprove the measure.

20-Week Abortion Ban

May 13, 2015, House Roll Call 223, H.R. 36

Our Position: Oppose

Passed: 242-184, 5 Not Voting

The dubiously named “Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act” is based on the medically disputed theory that by 20 weeks a fetus can feel pain. The bill imposes mandatory waiting periods even for rape and incest survivors, and has no exception for extreme fetal malformations or to protect women’s health.

Defund Planned Parenthood

September 18, 2015, House Roll Call 505, H.R. 3134

Our Position: Oppose

Passed: 241-187, 5 Not Voting

After a similar vote in the Senate, right-wing members of the House introduced a bill that would prohibit U.S. government funding for Planned Parenthood.

You can find the electronic version of this year’s votes in Congress on our website: www.populationconnectionaction.org/votes

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State and District	Representative	H.R. 7	H.J. Res 43	H.R. 36	H.R. 3134	Score (%)
Alabama	1 Bradley Byrne	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Martha Roby	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Mike Rogers	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Robert Aderholt	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Mo Brooks	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Gary Palmer	x	x	x	x	0
	7 <i>Terri Sewell</i>	√	√	√	√	100
Alaska	Don Young	x	x	x	x	0
Arizona	1 <i>Ann Kirkpatrick</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Martha McSally	x	√	x	x	25
	3 <i>Raul Grijalva</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 Paul Gosar	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Matt Salmon	x	x	x	x	0
	6 David Schweikert	x	x	x	x	0
	7 <i>Reuben Gallego</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	8 Trent Franks	x	x	x	x	0
	9 <i>Kyrsten Sinema</i>	√	√	√	√	100
Arkansas	1 Rick Crawford	x	x	x	x	0
	2 French Hill	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Steve Womack	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Bruce Westerman	x	x	x	x	0
California	1 Doug LaMalfa	x	x	x	x	0
	2 <i>Jared Huffman</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 <i>John Garamendi</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 Tom McClintock	x	x	x	x	0
	5 <i>Mike Thompson</i>	√	√	√	–	100
	6 <i>Doris Matsui</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	7 <i>Ami Bera</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	8 Paul Cook	x	x	x	x	0
	9 <i>Jerry McNerney</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	10 Jeff Denham	x	x	x	x	0
	11 <i>Mark DeSaulnier</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	12 <i>Nancy Pelosi</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	13 <i>Barbara Lee</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	14 <i>Jackie Speier</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	15 <i>Eric Swalwell</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	16 <i>Jim Costa</i>	√	√	√	√	100

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17	<i>Mike Honda</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
18	<i>Anna Eshoo</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
19	<i>Zoe Lofgren</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
20	<i>Sam Farr</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
21	David Valadao	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
22	Devin Nunes	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
23	Kevin McCarthy	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
24	<i>Lois Capps</i>	✓	✓	–	✓	100
25	Steve Knight	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
26	<i>Julia Brownley</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
27	<i>Judy Chu</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
28	<i>Adam Schiff</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
29	<i>Tony Cárdenas</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
30	<i>Brad Sherman</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
31	<i>Pete Aguilar</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
32	<i>Grace Napolitano</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
33	<i>Ted Lieu</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
34	<i>Xavier Becerra</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
35	<i>Norma Torres</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
36	<i>Raul Ruiz</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
37	<i>Karen Bass</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
38	<i>Linda Sánchez</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
39	Ed Royce	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
40	<i>Lucille Roybal-Allard</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
41	<i>Mark Takano</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
42	Ken Calvert	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
43	<i>Maxine Waters</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
44	<i>Janice Hahn</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
45	Mimi Walters	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
46	<i>Loretta Sanchez</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
47	<i>Alan Lowenthal</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
48	Dana Rohrabacher	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
49	Darrell Issa	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
50	Duncan D. Hunter	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
51	<i>Juan Vargas</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
52	<i>Scott Peters</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
53	<i>Susan Davis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100

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Colorado	1 <i>Diana DeGette</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 <i>Jared Polis</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 Scott Tipton	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Ken Buck	x	–	x	x	0
	5 Doug Lamborn	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Mike Coffman	x	√	x	x	25
	7 <i>Ed Perlmutter</i>	–	√	√	√	100
Connecticut	1 <i>John B. Larson</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 <i>Joe Courtney</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 <i>Rosa DeLauro</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 <i>Jim Himes</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	5 <i>Elizabeth Esty</i>	√	√	√	√	100
Delaware	<i>John Carney</i>	√	√	√	√	100
Florida	1 Jeff Miller	x	x	x	x	0
	2 <i>Gwen Graham</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 Ted Yoho	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Ander Crenshaw	x	x	x	x	0
	5 <i>Corrine Brown</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	6 Ron DeSantis	x	x	x	x	0
	7 John Mica	x	x	x	x	0
	8 Bill Posey	x	x	x	x	0
	9 <i>Alan Grayson</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	10 Daniel Webster	x	x	x	x	0
	11 Rich Nugent	x	x	x	x	0
	12 Gus Bilirakis	x	x	x	x	0
	13 David Jolly	x	√	x	x	25
	14 <i>Kathy Castor</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	15 Dennis Ross	x	x	x	x	0
	16 Vern Buchanan	x	x	x	x	0
	17 Tom Rooney	x	x	x	x	0
	18 <i>Patrick Murphy</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	19 Curt Clawson	x	x	x	x	0
	20 <i>Alcee Hastings</i>	–	√	√	√	100
	21 <i>Ted Deutch</i>	–	√	√	√	100
	22 <i>Lois Frankel</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	23 <i>Debbie Wasserman Schultz</i>	√	–	√	√	100
	24 <i>Frederica Wilson</i>	√	√	√	√	100

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	25 Mario Díaz-Balart	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	26 Carlos Curbelo	✗	✓	✗	✗	25
	27 Ileana Ros-Lehtinen	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Georgia	1 Buddy Carter	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 <i>Sanford Bishop</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	3 Lynn Westmoreland	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 <i>Hank Johnson</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 <i>John Lewis</i>	✓	–	✓	✓	100
	6 Tom Price	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 Rob Woodall	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 Austin Scott	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	9 Doug Collins	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	10 Jody Hice	✗	✗	P	✗	0
	11 Barry Loudermilk	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	12 Rick W. Allen	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	13 <i>David Scott</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	14 Tom Graves	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Hawaii	1 <i>Mark Takai</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 <i>Tulsi Gabbard</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Idaho	1 Raúl Labrador	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 Mike Simpson	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Illinois	1 <i>Bobby Rush</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 <i>Robin Kelly</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	3 <i>Dan Lipinski</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 <i>Luis Gutiérrez</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 <i>Mike Quigley</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 Peter Roskam	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 <i>Danny K. Davis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	8 <i>Tammy Duckworth</i>	–	✓	✓	✓	100
	9 <i>Jan Schakowsky</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	10 Robert Dold	✗	✓	✓	✓	75
	11 <i>Bill Foster</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	12 Mike Bost	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	13 Rodney Davis	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	14 Randy Hultgren	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	15 John Shimkus	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	16 Adam Kinzinger	✗	✗	✗	✗	0

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	17 <i>Cheri Bustos</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	18 Darin LaHood ¹	I	I	I	x	0
Indiana	1 <i>Pete Visclosky</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Jackie Walorski	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Marlin Stutzman	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Todd Rokita	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Susan Brooks	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Luke Messer	x	x	x	x	0
	7 <i>André Carson</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	8 Larry Bucshon	x	x	x	x	0
	9 Todd Young	x	–	x	x	0
Iowa	1 Rod Blum	x	x	x	x	0
	2 <i>Dave Loebsack</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 David Young	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Steve King	x	x	x	P	0
Kansas	1 Tim Huelskamp	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Lynn Jenkins	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Kevin Yoder	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Mike Pompeo	x	x	x	x	0
Kentucky	1 Ed Whitfield	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Brett Guthrie	x	x	x	x	0
	3 <i>John Yarmuth</i>	√	–	√	√	100
	4 Thomas Massie	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Hal Rogers	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Andy Barr	x	x	x	x	0
Louisiana	1 Steve Scalise	x	x	x	x	0
	2 <i>Cedric Richmond</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 Charles Boustany	x	x	x	x	0
	4 John Fleming	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Ralph Abraham	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Garret Graves	x	x	x	x	0
Maine	1 <i>Chellie Pingree</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Bruce Poliquin	x	–	x	x	0
Maryland	1 Andy Harris	x	x	x	x	0
	2 <i>Dutch Ruppersberger</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 <i>John Sarbanes</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 <i>Donna Edwards</i>	√	√	√	√	100

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	5 <i>Steny Hoyer</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 <i>John Delaney</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	7 <i>Elijah Cummings</i>	✓	–	✓	✓	100
	8 <i>Chris Van Hollen</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Massachusetts	1 <i>Richard Neal</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 <i>Jim McGovern</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	3 <i>Niki Tsongas</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	4 <i>Joe Kennedy</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 <i>Katherine Clark</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 <i>Seth Moulton</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	7 <i>Mike Capuano</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	8 <i>Stephen F. Lynch</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	9 <i>Bill Keating</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Michigan	1 <i>Dan Benishek</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 <i>Bill Huizenga</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 <i>Justin Amash</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 <i>John Moolenaar</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	5 <i>Dan Kildee</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 <i>Fred Upton</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 <i>Tim Walberg</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 <i>Mike Bishop</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	9 <i>Sander Levin</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	10 <i>Candice Miller</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	11 <i>David Trott</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	12 <i>Debbie Dingell</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	13 <i>John Conyers</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	14 <i>Brenda Lawrence</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Minnesota	1 <i>Tim Walz</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 <i>John Kline</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 <i>Erik Paulsen</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 <i>Betty McCollum</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 <i>Keith Ellison</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 <i>Tom Emmer</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 <i>Collin Peterson</i>	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 <i>Rick Nolan</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Mississippi	1 <i>Trent Kelly</i> ²	I	I	I	✗	0
	2 <i>Bennie Thompson</i>	–	✓	✓	✓	100

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House of Representatives

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State and District	Representative	H.R. 7	H.J. Res 43	H.R. 36	H.R. 3134	Score (%)
	3 Gregg Harper	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Steven Palazzo	x	x	x	x	0
Missouri	1 <i>William Clay</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Ann Wagner	x	–	x	–	0
	3 Blaine Luetkemeyer	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Vicky Hartzler	x	x	x	x	0
	5 <i>Emanuel Cleaver</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	6 Sam Graves	x	x	x	x	0
	7 Billy Long	x	x	x	x	0
	8 Jason T. Smith	x	x	x	x	0
Montana	Ryan Zinke	x	x	x	x	0
Nebraska	1 Jeff Fortenberry	x	x	x	–	0
	2 <i>Brad Ashford</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 Adrian Smith	x	x	x	x	0
Nevada	1 <i>Dina Titus</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Mark Amodei	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Joe Heck	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Crescent Hardy	x	x	x	x	0
New Hampshire	1 Frank Guinta	x	x	x	x	0
	2 <i>Ann McLane Kuster</i>	√	√	√	√	100
New Jersey	1 <i>Donald Norcross</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Frank LoBiondo	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Tom MacArthur	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Chris Smith	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Scott Garrett	x	x	x	x	0
	6 <i>Frank Pallone</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	7 Leonard Lance	x	x	x	x	0
	8 <i>Albio Sires</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	9 <i>Bill Pascrell</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	10 <i>Donald Payne, Jr.</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	11 Rodney Frelinghuysen	x	x	√	x	25
	12 <i>Bonnie Watson Coleman</i>	√	√	√	√	100
New Mexico	1 <i>Michelle Lujan Grisham</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Steve Pearce	x	x	x	x	0
	3 <i>Ben Luján</i>	√	√	√	√	100
New York	1 Lee Zeldin	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Peter King	x	x	x	x	0

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	3 Steve Israel	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	4 Kathleen Rice	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 Gregory Meeks	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 Grace Meng	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	7 Nydia Velázquez	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	8 Hakeem Jeffries	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	9 Yvette Clarke	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	10 Jerrold Nadler	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	11 Daniel Donovan ³	I	I	✗	✗	0
	12 Carolyn Maloney	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	13 Charles Rangel	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	14 Joseph Crowley	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	15 José Serrano	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	16 Eliot Engel	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	17 Nita Lowey	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	18 Sean Patrick Maloney	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	19 Chris Gibson	✗	✓	✗	✗	25
	20 Paul Tonko	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	21 Elise Stefanik	✗	✓	✗	✗	25
	22 Richard Hanna	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	23 Tom Reed	✗	✓	✗	✗	25
	24 John Katko	✗	✓	✗	✗	25
	25 Louise Slaughter	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	26 Brian Higgins	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	27 Chris Collins	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
North Carolina	1 G. K. Butterfield	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 Renee Ellmers	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 Walter Jones	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 David Price	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 Virginia Foxx	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	6 Mark Walker	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 David Rouzer	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 Richard Hudson	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	9 Robert Pittenger	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	10 Patrick McHenry	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	11 Mark Meadows	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	12 Alma Adams	✓	✓	✓	✓	100

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North Dakota	13 George Holding	x	x	x	x	0
	Kevin Cramer	x	x	x	x	0
Ohio	1 Steve Chabot	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Brad Wenstrup	x	x	x	x	0
	3 <i>Joyce Beatty</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 Jim Jordan	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Bob Latta	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Bill Johnson	x	x	x	x	0
	7 Bob Gibbs	x	x	x	x	0
	8 John Boehner	x	x	x	x	0
	9 <i>Marcy Kaptur</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	10 Mike Turner	x	x	x	x	0
	11 <i>Marcia Fudge</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	12 Pat Tiberi	x	x	x	x	0
	13 <i>Tim Ryan</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	14 David Joyce	x	x	x	x	0
	15 Steve Stivers	x	x	x	x	0
	16 Jim Renacci	x	x	x	x	0
Oklahoma	1 Jim Bridenstine	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Markwayne Mullin	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Frank Lucas	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Tom Cole	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Steve Russell	x	x	x	x	0
Oregon	1 <i>Suzanne Bonamici</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	2 Greg Walden	x	x	x	x	0
	3 <i>Earl Blumenauer</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 <i>Peter DeFazio</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	5 <i>Kurt Schrader</i>	√	√	√	√	100
Pennsylvania	1 <i>Bob Brady</i>	√	√	—	√	100
	2 <i>Chaka Fattah</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	3 Mike Kelly	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Scott Perry	x	x	x	x	0
	5 Glenn Thompson	x	x	x	x	0
	6 Ryan Costello	x	√	x	x	25
	7 Pat Meehan	x	√	x	x	25
	8 Mike Fitzpatrick	x	x	x	x	0
	9 Bill Shuster	x	x	x	x	0

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	10 Tom Marino	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	11 Lou Barletta	✗	✗	–	✗	0
	12 Keith Rothfus	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	13 <i>Brendan F. Boyle</i>	✓	✓	–	✓	100
	14 <i>Michael Doyle</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	15 Charlie Dent	✗	✓	✓	✓	75
	16 Joe Pitts	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	17 <i>Matt Cartwright</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	18 Timothy F. Murphy	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Rhode Island	1 <i>David Cicilline</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 <i>Jim Langevin</i>	✓	✓	✗	✓	75
South Carolina	1 Mark Sanford	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 Joe Wilson	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 Jeff Duncan	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 Trey Gowdy	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	5 Mick Mulvaney	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	6 <i>Jim Clyburn</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	7 Tom Rice	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
South Dakota	Kristi Noem	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Tennessee	1 Phil Roe	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 Jimmy Duncan	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 Chuck Fleischmann	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 Scott DesJarlais	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	5 <i>Jim Cooper</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	6 Diane Black	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 Marsha Blackburn	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 Stephen Fincher	✗	✗	✗	–	0
	9 <i>Steve Cohen</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Texas	1 Louie Gohmert	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 Ted Poe	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 Sam Johnson	–	✗	✗	✗	0
	4 John Ratcliffe	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	5 Jeb Hensarling	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	6 Joe Barton	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 John Culberson	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 Kevin Brady	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	9 <i>Al Green</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100

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	10 Michael McCaul	x	x	x	x	0
	11 Mike Conaway	x	x	x	x	0
	12 Kay Granger	x	x	x	x	0
	13 Mac Thornberry	x	x	x	x	0
	14 Randy Weber	x	x	x	x	0
	15 <i>Rubén Hinojosa</i>	–	–	–	√	100
	16 <i>Beto O'Rourke</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	17 Bill Flores	x	x	x	x	0
	18 <i>Sheila Jackson Lee</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	19 Randy Neugebauer	x	x	x	x	0
	20 <i>Joaquín Castro</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	21 Lamar S. Smith	x	x	x	x	0
	22 Pete Olson	x	x	x	x	0
	23 Will Hurd	x	x	x	x	0
	24 Kenny Marchant	–	x	x	x	0
	25 Roger Williams	x	x	x	x	0
	26 Michael Burgess	x	x	x	x	0
	27 Blake Farenthold	x	x	x	x	0
	28 <i>Henry Cuellar</i>	x	x	x	√	25
	29 <i>Gene Green</i>	–	√	√	√	100
	30 <i>Eddie Bernice Johnson</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	31 John Carter	–	x	x	x	0
	32 Pete Sessions	x	x	x	x	0
	33 <i>Marc Veasey</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	34 <i>Filemon Vela, Jr.</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	35 <i>Lloyd Doggett</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	36 Brian Babin	x	x	x	x	0
Utah	1 Rob Bishop	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Chris Stewart	x	x	x	x	0
	3 Jason Chaffetz	x	x	x	x	0
	4 Mia Love	x	x	x	x	0
Vermont	<i>Peter Welch</i>	√	√	√	√	100
Virginia	1 Rob Wittman	x	x	x	x	0
	2 Scott Rigell	x	x	x	x	0
	3 <i>Robert Scott</i>	√	√	√	√	100
	4 Randy Forbes	–	x	x	x	0
	5 Robert Hurt	x	x	x	x	0

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	6 Bob Goodlatte	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 Dave Brat	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 <i>Don Beyer</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	9 Morgan Griffith	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	10 Barbara Comstock	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	11 <i>Gerry Connolly</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
Washington	1 <i>Suzan DelBene</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	2 <i>Rick Larsen</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	3 Jaime Herrera Beutler	✗	–	✗	✗	0
	4 Dan Newhouse	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	5 Cathy McMorris Rodgers	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	6 <i>Derek Kilmer</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	7 <i>Jim McDermott</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	8 Dave Reichert	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	9 <i>Adam Smith</i>	✓	–	✓	–	100
	10 <i>Dennis Heck</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
West Virginia	1 David McKinley	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 Alex Mooney	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	3 Evan Jenkins	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Wisconsin	1 Paul Ryan	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	2 <i>Mark Pocan</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	3 <i>Ron Kind</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	4 <i>Gwen Moore</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	100
	5 Jim Sensenbrenner	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	6 Glenn Grothman	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	7 Sean Duffy	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
	8 Reid Ribble	✗	✗	✗	✗	0
Wyoming	Cynthia Lummis	✗	✗	✗	✗	0

1. Aaron Schock resigned on March 31. Darin LaHood succeeded him on September 10.
 2. Alan Nunnelee died on February 6. Trent Kelly succeeded him on June 2.
 3. Michael Grimm resigned on January 5. Daniel Donovan succeeded him on May 12.
- Non-voting members are not included (i.e. delegates from American Samoa, District of Columbia, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands)

First Session Votes

Funding for Planned Parenthood

August 3, 2015, Senate Roll Call 262, S. 1881

Our Position: Oppose

Failed: 53-46, 1 Not Voting

Senate Republicans brought up a bill to attempt to strip Planned Parenthood of all federal funding. It failed to achieve the 60 votes necessary for cloture.

- * Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, although supportive of the bill, switched his vote to “No” as part of a procedural move to allow him to reintroduce the measure at a later date. He is on the record as an opponent of Planned Parenthood funding. Because of this, we gave him a ✓ for S. 1881.

20-Week Abortion Ban

September 22, 2015, Senate Roll Call 268, H.R. 36

Our Position: Oppose

Failed: 54-42, 4 Not Voting

The Senate attempted to pass the 20-week abortion ban previously passed by the House. The “Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act” relies on the medically disputed theory that by 20 weeks a fetus can feel pain. The bill imposes mandatory waiting periods even for rape and incest survivors, and has no exception for extreme fetal malformations or to protect women’s health. The bill failed to pass the 60-vote threshold needed in the Senate.

FY 2016 Budget—Excluding Planned Parenthood

September 24, 2015, Senate Roll Call 270, S.Amdt. 2669

Our Position: Oppose

Failed: 47-52, 1 Not Voting

With only days left before the end of the fiscal year and a possible government shutdown, the Senate voted on a bill that would have funded the government through December while specifically excluding funding for Planned Parenthood.

- ✓ These senators made statements indicating that their votes on the Continuing Resolution were not made in support of Planned Parenthood, but were attributable to other issues.

You can find the electronic version of this year’s votes in Congress on our website: www.populationconnectionaction.org/votes

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State	Senator	S. 1881	H.R. 36	S.Amdt. 2669	Score (%)
Alabama	Richard Shelby	x	x	x	0
	Jeff Sessions	x	x	x	0
Alaska	Lisa Murkowski	x	–	✓	50
	Dan Sullivan	x	x	x	0
Arizona	John McCain	x	x	x	0
	Jeff Flake	x	x	x	0
Arkansas	John Boozman	x	x	x	0
	Tom Cotton	x	x	✓	0
California	<i>Dianne Feinstein</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	<i>Barbara Boxer</i>	✓	–	–	100
Colorado	<i>Michael Bennet</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	Cory Gardner	x	x	x	0
Connecticut	<i>Richard Blumenthal</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	<i>Chris Murphy</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Delaware	<i>Tom Carper</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	<i>Chris Coons</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Florida	<i>Bill Nelson</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	Marco Rubio	x	x	x	0
Georgia	Johnny Isakson	x	x	x	0
	David Perdue	x	x	x	0
Hawaii	<i>Brian Schatz</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	<i>Mazie Hirono</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Idaho	Mike Crapo	x	x	x	0
	Jim Risch	x	x	x	0
Illinois	<i>Dick Durbin</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	Mark Kirk	✓	✓	✓	100
Indiana	Dan Coats	x	x	x	0
	<i>Joe Donnelly</i>	x	x	✓	0
Iowa	Chuck Grassley	x	x	x	0
	Joni Ernst	x	x	x	0
Kansas	Pat Roberts	x	x	x	0
	Jerry Moran	x	x	x	0

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State	Senator	S. 1881	H.R. 36	S.Amdt. 2669	Score (%)
Kentucky	Mitch McConnell *	√	x	x	0
	Rand Paul	x	x	√	0
Louisiana	David Vitter	x	x	x	0
	Bill Cassidy	x	x	x	0
Maine	Susan Collins	x	√	√	67
	Angus King	√	√	√	100
Maryland	<i>Barbara Mikulski</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Ben Cardin</i>	√	√	√	100
Massachusetts	<i>Elizabeth Warren</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Ed Markey</i>	√	√	√	100
Michigan	<i>Debbie Stabenow</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Gary Peters</i>	√	√	√	100
Minnesota	<i>Amy Klobuchar</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Al Franken</i>	√	√	√	100
Mississippi	Thad Cochran	x	x	x	0
	Roger Wicker	x	x	x	0
Missouri	<i>Claire McCaskill</i>	√	√	√	100
	Roy Blunt	x	x	x	0
Montana	<i>Jon Tester</i>	√	√	√	100
	Steve Daines	x	x	x	0
Nebraska	Deb Fischer	x	x	x	0
	Ben Sasse	x	x	√	0
Nevada	<i>Harry Reid</i>	√	√	√	100
	Dean Heller	x	x	√	0
New Hampshire	<i>Jeanne Shaheen</i>	√	√	√	100
	Kelly Ayotte	x	x	√	0
New Jersey	<i>Bob Menendez</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Cory Booker</i>	√	√	√	100
New Mexico	<i>Tom Udall</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Martin Heinrich</i>	√	√	√	100
New York	<i>Chuck Schumer</i>	√	√	√	100
	<i>Kirsten Gillibrand</i>	√	√	√	100
North Carolina	Richard Burr	x	x	x	0
	Thom Tillis	x	x	x	0

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North Dakota	John Hoeven	x	x	x	0
	<i>Heidi Heitkamp</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Ohio	<i>Sherrod Brown</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	Rob Portman	x	x	x	0
Oklahoma	Jim Inhofe	x	x	x	0
	James Lankford	x	x	x	0
Oregon	<i>Ron Wyden</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	<i>Jeff Merkley</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Pennsylvania	<i>Bob Casey, Jr.</i>	✓	x	✓	67
	Pat Toomey	x	x	x	0
Rhode Island	<i>Jack Reed</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	<i>Sheldon Whitehouse</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
South Carolina	Lindsey Graham	–	x	x	0
	Tim Scott	x	x	x	0
South Dakota	John Thune	x	x	x	0
	Mike Rounds	x	x	x	0
Tennessee	Lamar Alexander	x	x	x	0
	Bob Corker	x	x	x	0
Texas	John Cornyn	x	x	x	0
	Ted Cruz	x	x	x	0
Utah	Orrin Hatch	x	x	x	0
	Mike Lee	x	x	x	0
Vermont	<i>Patrick Leahy</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
	Bernie Sanders	✓	✓	✓	100
Virginia	<i>Mark Warner</i>	✓	–	✓	100
	<i>Tim Kaine</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Washington	<i>Patty Murray</i>	✓	–	✓	100
	<i>Maria Cantwell</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
West Virginia	<i>Joe Manchin</i>	x	x	x	0
	Shelley Moore Capito	x	x	x	0
Wisconsin	Ron Johnson	x	x	x	0
	<i>Tammy Baldwin</i>	✓	✓	✓	100
Wyoming	Mike Enzi	x	x	x	0
	John Barrasso	x	x	x	0

Champs



Sen. Michael Bennet (D-CO)

Sen. Bennet has been a steadfast supporter of family planning, affordable contraceptives, and full reproductive freedom for women everywhere. He opposes allowing bosses to deny coverage for birth control and supports legislation guaranteeing full coverage even if birth control pills are eventually provided over the counter.

Rep. Ami Bera (D-CA)

From his seat on the Foreign Relations Committee, Rep. Bera has stood up against some of the most relentless opponents of family planning. Those opponents have regularly used the committee to smear providers of contraceptives and reproductive health care in the developing world. Bera, though, has called out their efforts to mislead other members of the House. As a doctor himself, he understands the importance of family planning to protect women's health, and the need to ensure that those services are available to women in the poorest parts of the world.

Sen. Richard Blumenthal (D-CT)

Early this year, Sen. Blumenthal introduced the Women's Health Protection Act to counter the hundreds of new restrictions states are placing on reproductive health services. He hasn't slowed down since. He's been a leader in the fight against the efforts to shutter Planned Parenthood clinics across the country, is standing up in support of the Affordable Care Act's "birth control benefit," and is an important champion for family planning services for women around the world. In October, he got 27 other senators to send a letter to President Obama urging that he act to allow foreign assistance funding to provide safe abortions to victims of rape and incest and women whose lives are threatened by pregnancy.

Sen. Patty Murray (D-WA)

Following the appalling Supreme Court decision in the Hobby Lobby case, Sen. Murray introduced legislation to ensure that all women would continue to have that critical coverage regardless of their bosses' opinions or beliefs. This year, she is the lead sponsor of the 21st Century Women's Health Act to ensure that women have access to the full range of care they need. As a member of the Senate Appropriations Committee, she has co-sponsored legislation to ensure adequate funding and block harmful restrictions on family planning services in the developing world.

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Sen. Kelly Ayotte (R-NH)

Being one of the few New England Republicans in Congress hasn't done much to cause Ayotte to moderate her extreme positions on reproductive health and rights. She has opposed expanded coverage of birth control, and voted to deny health care to the millions of women in the United States who rely on Planned Parenthood clinics.

Rep. Kay Granger (R-TX)

The Chair of the House Appropriations subcommittee that deals with all international assistance programs, Granger has used her position to both slash funding for family planning programs around the world and call for the imposition of policies like the Global Gag Rule and a ban on aid to the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA). She earns her status as chump especially for publishing an op-ed in late 2013 extolling the benefits of investment in reproductive health and family planning while continuing her legislative efforts to destroy those very programs.

Sen. Ron Johnson (R-WI)

Out of touch or just plain mean-spirited? The answer doesn't matter much when talking about a U.S. senator. Sen. Johnson has publicly said that single working moms find "someone to support them." He dismissed criticism of his appalling record on reproductive rights by saying that "abortion isn't even an issue in Wisconsin." Somebody tell that to the women being blocked from obtaining abortion services by the restrictions he supports. And in defense of his vote to eliminate insurance coverage for contraceptives he said that "if you can't afford [birth control], you can just type it into Google and get it." Huh?

Sen. Rob Portman (R-OH)

Planned Parenthood clinics provide almost three million Americans with important health care services every year, and they are for many low-income Americans the only source of affordable reproductive health care and contraceptives. No matter, says Sen. Portman, there are other clinics that will provide "women's health needs that are legitimate, that are needed." Hey, Sen. Portman, maybe let those women decide on their own what they need.

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