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Libertarians plan to win this November

Libertarian Party candidates throughout the United States are walking the walk necessary to win elections this fall, at all levels of government.

In a recently announced high-profile race, former two-term New Mexico Gov. Gary Johnson is running as a candidate for U.S. Senate from New Mexico. Johnson, who also served as the Libertarian Party's presidential candidate in both 2012 and 2016, decided to make this run for Senate run after New Mexico Libertarian Land Commissioner Aubrey Dunn withdrew to focus on the duties of his current position.

Johnson is outpolling the Republican candidate in every survey conducted since his announcement. Johnson garnered nearly twice the Republican's numbers in a poll conducted by Emerson College, and even outpolled the Republican candidate among Republican voters. Johnson has received



the endorsement of U.S. Sen. Rand Paul of Kentucky, and of U.S. Senate candidate from Maine Eric Brakey. Brakey is currently a state senator who previously served as the

state director for the 2012 Ron Paul presidential campaign, in which Paul won a majority of the Maine delegation.

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Ballot access victories achieved in Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania

Months and months of hard work have been paying off as we cross the ballot-access finish line in more states.

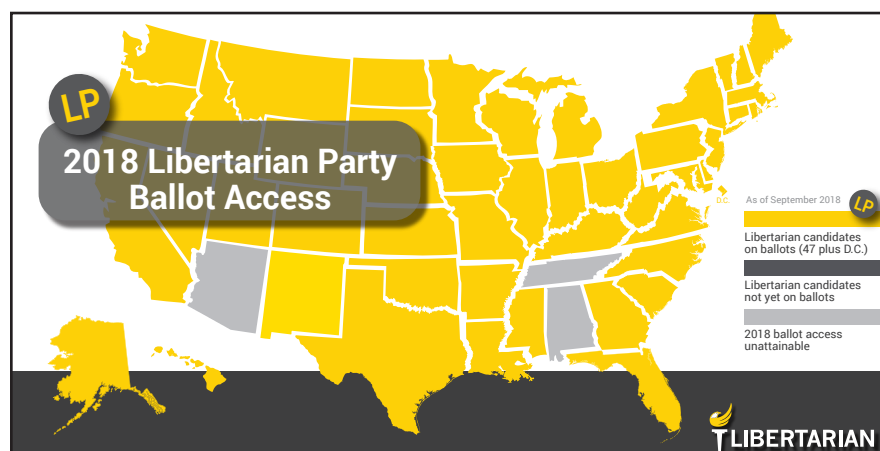
In September, we added Connecticut, New York, and Pennsylvania to the tally. That puts us at ballot access in 48 states (plus DC) for 2018!

It is also worth noting and celebrating that this is the first time in 20 years that voters in Connecticut will be able to vote for a Libertarian candidate for governor!

Plus, the two states without ballot access, Tennessee and Alabama, aren't completely without ballot access. In fact, Alabama has four candidates on the ballot as Libertarians for local or state house offices. We don't categorize Alabama as fully on the ballot, however, because Alabama Libertarians

didn't qualify for a statewide office.

Tennessee has five candidates on the ballot as independents because they didn't qualify to get on the ballot as



Libertarians. The states of Alabama and Tennessee both make it especially hard for Libertarians to qualify for the ballot — something we'll continue fighting to improve.

Regarding at least some Libertarians on the ballot in all 50 states, Richard Winger, editor of *Ballot Access News*, commented, "no other alternative party can be shown to have reached this midterm milestone since 1890, when official balloting began."

Please join me in congratulating and thanking all those who have pitched in to achieve ballot access for 2018. This includes thousands of activists, volunteers, donors, and staff and the 2016 presidential campaign

of Gov. Gary Johnson and Gov. Bill Weld, which achieved ballot access for us in 37 of these states.

Well done, team! Onward to Election Day!

Thanks to Libertarian Party candidates for stepping up

Chair's Corner

By Nicholas Sarwark, LNC Chair

When you receive this copy of *LP News*, the November election will be just around the corner. More than 800 Libertarian Party candidates are running throughout the country, an increase of approximately 40 percent over 2016. We are building on the party's record-breaking 2016 results by providing a Libertarian option to even more Americans in 2018. To see which candidates are running in your area, visit: LP.org/2018-candidates



Nicholas Sarwark

All of these candidates are fellow Libertarian Party members standing up so your voice can be heard on election day this year. Look up the candidates running in your area and reach out to them to thank them for running. Volunteer for their campaigns or send them a contribution. Better yet, do both. Without candidates, there is no Libertarian Party.

For the first time since I became active in the Libertarian Party in 1999, I am a candidate for public office. Like many Libertarians, I didn't set out to run for office this year, but the mayor of Phoenix resigned and triggered a special nonpartisan election for a replacement. As a native Phoenician with a home and a business in Phoenix and kids in Phoenix public schools, I have a connection to this city and an interest in what happens here. I felt an obligation to run for mayor.

The Libertarian Party has been providing training and advice to our candidates for decades, and apply-

ing all this to my own campaign has given me a new appreciation for pioneers like Ron Crickenberger and Carla Howell in setting the political stage for our candidates to outperform the old parties with the resources we have available. We are going head-to-head with million-dollar campaigns using some of the tips and tricks provided to our candidates on our LPaction.org website.

Even as the elections come closer, we are laying the groundwork to do even better in 2020. We are developing a CRM system that will let state parties and local candidates be even more effective in reaching voters during the 2020 election cycle. Our candidate support and recruitment staff are already recruiting candidates for the 2019 elections and improving our systems for the 2020 election cycle.

Our candidates this cycle are getting roughly 10 times as much support as I've observed in previous election cycles. Local candidates who would have raised \$500 in years past are raising \$5,000. Candidates for governor who would have raised \$20,000 in years past are raising more than \$200,000. Our support continues to increase while the old parties have been stagnant. This lets me guarantee you that no matter the specific results on Nov. 6, the Libertarian Party will come out of this election stronger than ever and with momentum going into 2020.

To all my fellow candidates this year, thank you for stepping up. And to all of you loyal Libertarian Party members, thank you for all the support you've given to our candidates.

Yours in liberty,

P.S. If you want to follow my campaign, please visit: SarwarkForPhoenix.com

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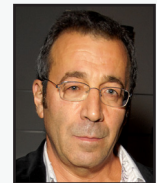
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Libertarians plan to win in Nov.

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The Democratic incumbent in Johnson's U.S. Senate race is running scared. New Mexico Secretary of State Maggie Toulouse Oliver, also a Democrat, recently announced that straight-party voting would be reinstituted in New Mexico in time for the election. Fortunately, the New Mexico Supreme Court rejected this scheme on Sept. 12. The justices took less than three hours to render their decision after hearing arguments. A. Blair Dunn, the Libertarian Party candidate for attorney general who drafted and filed the case with help of Republican co-counsel, welcomed the decision.

"Make no mistake, this was a partisan attempt by Maggie and my Democratic opponent for attorney general to rig the election in their favor," Dunn said after the ruling. "They are worried that voters are looking for an option to get away from the hyper-partisan tribalistic nonsense that has dominated our national dialogue. Today, with the help of my counsel we were able to put a stop to this shenanigan, just as I will continue to put a stop to it as attorney general."

Jeff Hewitt, the Libertarian mayor of Calimesa, Calif., is running for the Riverside County Board of Supervisors. Riverside County is the eleventh most populous county in the United States, with 2.36 million people — larger than the populations of 16 states. Hewitt advanced in the June top-two primary election, in which three other candidates were eliminated.



Jeff Hewitt

As mayor of Calimesa, Hewitt ended the city's contract with the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection and instituted a more efficient and cost-effective municipal fire department, saving the city from ruinous pension obligations in the process. Riverside County is also facing problems with underfunded pensions, and Hewitt is in a uniquely experienced position to help solve that problem. The Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association rarely endorses local candidates, but Hewitt received an endorsement for his accomplishments eliminating waste and corruption. Hewitt is running a well-funded and professional campaign, and is confident in his ability to win.

Sen. Laura Ebke was elected as a Republican to Ne-



Laura Ebke

braska's unicameral legislature in 2014, and two years later she switched her affiliation to the Libertarian Party. "I got frustrated with some of my colleagues who don't recognize civil liberties and don't seem to agree with getting government out of people's business," she told the Omaha World-Herald. As a Libertarian legislator, Ebke was able to pass a comprehensive tri-partisan reform of the state's onerous occupational licensing laws and bring new opportunity to countless Nebraskans. In June's top-two primary, she advanced to the November general election despite the concerted opposition of a vengeful Republican Party and governor.

Caleb Q. Dyer and Brandon Phinney were both elected as Republicans to the New Hampshire House of Representatives in 2016. They both switched their affiliation to the Libertarian Party the following year, and both are now standing for re-election.

"When the Libertarian Party had ballot access in the 1990s, the Libertarian House Caucus had four members," said Daryl W. Perry, chair of LP New Hampshire. "It is my hope and desire that the civil libertarians, classical liberals, and philosophical libertarians in the New Hampshire General Court will show the same courage shown by Reps. Dyer [and] Phinney, and abandon the two-party system that has for so long burdened us with taxation, regulation, and legislation that has trampled our freedoms."

Gideon Oakes, a two-term town board trustee for Keystone, S.D., is running for state Senate against a vulnerable Republican incumbent in a district that includes Mount Rushmore and the Southern Black Hills. While in office, Gideon consistently voted to cut wasteful spending and reduce government overreach. His opponent has held elected office for nearly two decades, but Gideon has secured the endorsements of several prominent former officials who have crossed party lines to put principle over politics, including his opponent's eight-year seatmate in the state House. Gideon is bringing a message of economic freedom and individual liberty to a district where independent and unaffiliated voters outnumber Democrats, and where low media costs help campaign donations go a long way.



Gideon Oakes and family



Caleb Q. Dyer



Brandon Phinney

Aaron Aylward is running for state House District 6 in southeastern South Dakota. Most districts in the lower house of the legislature, including District 6, elect two members. This year's election is a five-way race between Aylward, two Republican incumbents, and two Democratic challengers. The top two vote recipients will be elected. Aylward's campaign has a "focus on local government and less on federal government," along with "efficiency and transparency with tax dollars," and "civil liberties for all individuals, no excuses."



Aaron Aylward

Amber Christiansen Beltran is running for Utah House District 22. She's a social worker living in Magna who has worked with the homeless and mentally ill, and served as an employment retention specialist for a work-over-welfare program. She supports medical marijuana legalization and opposes legislative restrictions on the ability of doctors to prescribe or of patients to access cannabis. Beltran opposes tax increases and supports greater transparency in government spending. She is also campaigning for fewer regulations in businesses and occupational licensure.



Amber Christiansen Beltran

Murray Sabrin is running for U.S. Senate from New Jersey. He has won the endorsement of former congressman and Libertarian Party presidential candidate Ron Paul in his bid against the ethically challenged Democratic incumbent Sen. Bob Menendez. Sabrin's internal polling figures show him doing respectably, but independent pollsters so far refuse to include his name in their polls.

Libertarian National Committee Chair Nicholas Sarwark is leading by example as he runs a serious campaign for mayor of Phoenix, Ariz.

This is just the tip of the Libertarian iceberg. More than 800 Libertarians are on the ballot in 2018 for local, state, and federal office. Both Democrats and Republicans have descended into outright tribal warfare during this election year, and more and more people are identifying as libertarian or independent. Libertarian Party candidates are stepping up to be the adults in the room.



Murray Sabrin



Nicholas Sarwark

Special thanks to all our monthly Liberty Pledge donors!

It is an exciting time to be a Libertarian. More Americans than ever before realize the need for a strong third party. They are disgusted with the Republicans and Democrats, and know that voters deserve more choices.

We are working hard to give them more choices, and better choices. Our team is hard at work on so many proj-

ects that are critical to our growth and success:

Ballot access petitioning so that Libertarian candidates will be on every ballot in America again in 2018, strengthening state parties, building our infrastructure, recruiting candidates, and more.

There is so much important work to be done, but none of this is possible without

the support of dedicated Libertarians such as you.

If you want the party to grow as rapidly as possible, and take advantage of more of the special opportunities before us in 2018, we ask you to become a Liberty Pledger today.

Liberty Pledgers are Libertarians who have pledged to donate to the Libertar-

ian Party each month. Monthly pledges range from \$5 on up. The regular and predictable income these pledges provide is incredibly helpful in our budgeting and growth.

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— Girish Altekar

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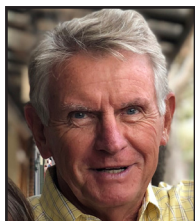
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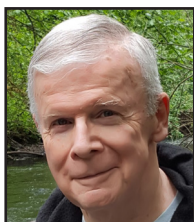


"Ralph Edwards is a retired engineer who has been a life mem-

ber of the LP since 1976. He has lost track of when his monthly pledge began, but remembers donating 'too much' in 1980 when he was Oregon LP Chair. He decided a regular monthly pledge was a better way to go, although he still makes donations to ballot access campaigns every few years."

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"There are so many daily assaults on our rights and insults

to our dignity that I need to know that I'm not doing nothing. Pledges keep the lights on, and help make sure the activists don't get discouraged. Many hands make for light work."

— **Sandra Kallander**



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— **Saul Rackauskas**

"My name is Augie Salmon, from Austin, Texas, and Dave Smith brought



me here. The wars have become a natural counterpoint for the lacking in funding for social programs, while the people directly affected have been lost in today's rhetoric. I hope the \$15 a month given to the Libertarian Party can be a drop in the bucket, which eventually fills that bucket, and changes everyone's daily conversations."

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By Caryn Ann Harlos,
LNC Secretary

One of my goals for my term as Libertarian National Committee secretary is to promote a culture of transparency within our party. There is already a great deal of transparency on the LNC, but what good are the windows if you don't know how to pull up the shades? Here is where I hope to help.

What precisely do I mean by "LNC transparency"? The ability to observe the

sausage as it is being made by attending and monitoring (virtually or in person) LNC meetings, votes, and discussions.

All LNC meetings, whether electronic or physical, are open to all Party members with very limited exceptions (such as confidential legal strategy issues). You will find these meetings announced on the LP.org website and Facebook. This does not require that you travel great distances as every attempt is made to live-stream any in-person meetings with such login information included in the meeting announcements. You can view past streams of meetings here:

ustream.tv/channel/libertarian-party1

In between meetings, the LNC conducts its business through an email list that is also open for your observation. This page is your gateway to this email list as well as past meeting minutes: LP.org/lnc-minutes-and-discussion

You will note that there are two ways to access the LNC business list. One is directly through the LP.org site, which allows viewing by author, subject, thread, and date. The other is through a Google group that features a convenient subscription option that can deliver these emails

(or daily digests of those emails) directly to your inbox.

In order to help you navigate through these options I have created a video tutorial on this subject and invite you to view at: tinyurl.com/LNCtransparency

As always please feel free to contact me with any questions or comments at secretary@lp.org, 561.523.2250, or on Facebook: [FB.com/pinkflameofliberty](https://www.facebook.com/pinkflameofliberty)

I view my role as secretary to include being an institutional tutor and guide, so please do not hesitate to use me as a resource.

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"I have recently decided to get off the sidelines, to stop being merely a social media fan of the Libertarian Party, its platforms, and its presidential candidates. I have come to the realization that meaningful, peaceful, long-term political and societal change can only be realized by monetarily supporting our party. To this end, I have decided to become a recurring donor. As a business owner, I understand the importance of having a consistent and steady flow of income, and hopefully my small monthly contributions can help the Libertarian Party and all of its candidates enact the change we all long for."

— James Walsh Jr.



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Libertarian Party candidates in November 2018 election

The fall 2018 election is rapidly approaching, with 49 states and Washington, D.C., all fielding Libertarian Party candidates for the general election on Nov. 6. Visit LP.org/2018-candidates to view our full, sortable, searchable, and updated list. If you live near any of these candidates, pitch in and help them win! Even if you don't live nearby, there are many ways that you can help from a distance. Contact the candidate or a state party chair to find out how.

Alabama:
Elijah Boyd State House 10
Frank Dillman Macon County Commission District 4
Michael Reeves Baldwin County Board of Education District 2
Matt Shelby State House 96

Alaska:
Carolyn Clift Lt. Governor
Mark Fish State House 8
Cean Stevens State House 19
William "Billy" Toien Governor
Warren West State House 20

Arizona:
Jim Iannuzo Central Arizona Water Conservation District
Nicholas Sarwark Phoenix Mayor
Ron Sereny Central Arizona Water Conservation District
Chris Will Central Arizona Water Conservation District

Arkansas:
Bill Barger State House 35
Joseph Bollinger Benton County Justice of the Peace 7
TJ Campbell Land Commissioner
Tom Canada U.S. House 4
Casey Copeland State House 80
David Dinwiddie Auditor of State
Stephen Edwards State House 77
Lee Evans State Senate 5
Ashley Ewald State Treasurer
Jacob Faught Benton County Justice of the Peace 12
Mitchell Fenton State House 30
Frank Gilbert Lt. Governor
Kerry Hicks Attorney General
Bobbi Hicks State Senate 10
James Hood Jefferson County Justice of the Peace 1
William Hyman State Senate 8
Michael Kalagias U.S. House 3
Chris Lutterloh Craighead County Constable
Cody Martin Benton County Justice of the Peace 9
Gregory Maxwell State House 17
Christopher Olson Secretary of State
Mark Phillips Pulaski County Constable
Elvis Pressley U.S. House 1
Sandra Richter State House 67
Ronnie Smith Benton County Judge
Joe Swafford U.S. House 2
Drew Tanner State House 46
Kevin Vornheder State Senate 17
Jeff Wadlin Benton County Justice of the Peace 8
Mark West Governor
Wayne Willems State House 15
Trina Wilson Benton County Justice of the Peace 3

California:
Autumn Browne State Assembly 69
Jeff Hewitt Riverside County Board
Brandon Nelson State Assembly 4
Justin Quigley State Assembly 21
Mimi Robson State Assembly 70
Christopher Stare State Assembly 51
Aaron Starr Oxnard Mayor

Colorado:
Roger Barris U.S. House 2
Ken Biles State House 35
Darrell Dinges State House 1
Raymon Doane U.S. House 1
James Gilman State Senate 16
Louis Gross State House 39

Kevin Gulbranson State House 56
Wayne Harlos Castle Rock Town Council
Scott Helker Governor
John Hjersman State House 16
Glenn Ingalls State House 60
Joe Johnson State House 63
Eric Joss State Senate 13
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Ross Klopf State House 28
Christopher Marston Washington County Sheriff
Kat Martin U.S. House 6
Charles Messick State Senate 20
Eric Mulder Arapahoe County Sheriff
Jennifer Nackerud U.S. House 7
Phil Ord State House 5
Donald Osborn State Senate 24
Breanna Owens State House 31
John Pickerill State Senate 3
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Douglas Randall U.S. House 5
Bill Robinson Attorney General
Hans Romer State House 29
Michael Stapleton U. Colorado Regent District 3
Kim Tavendale State House 33
James Treibert U. Colorado Regent At-Large
Jeff Wilson State House 30

Connecticut:
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Nick Constant State Senate 33
Heather Gwynn Secretary of State
Rod Hanscombe Governor
Robyn Jackubiec State Assembly 48
Kent Johnson State Assembly 65
Richard Lion US Senate
Roger Misbach State Assembly 83
Paul Passarelli Comptroller
Dan Reale U.S. House 2
Bill Russell State Senate 19
Jeff Thibeault Lt. Governor

Delaware:
Nadine Frost US Senate
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William Hinds State House 27
John Machurek New Castle Sheriff
Cody McNutt State House 8
William McVay State House 34
Amy Merlino State House 15
Harry Smouse, Jr. State House 20

District of Columbia:
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Denise Hicks City Council At-Large
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Martin Moulton Mayor

Florida:
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Joe Hannoush.....State House 25
David HendersonHardee County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 1
Justin HilderbrandtBradford County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 2
James Howell.....Madison County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 3
Matt Hulsey.....Alachua County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 2
Gregory Jones.....Meadow Pointe IV Community Development District Seat 1
Joshua JoscelynGilchrist County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 1
Phil Kimball Oakstead Community Development District Seat 1
Shaun Kunz Seminole County Soil and Water 5
Jack Lance..... Suwannee County Conservation District Seat 2
Steven MilliganBradford County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 4
Marcos MirallesKeys Cove Community Development District Seat 1
John Philip Olivadoti, Jr.....Brevard County Commission District 2
Ryan Ramsey.....State House 19
Chris Rose..... Alachua County Soil and Water
Derek Ryan.....Orange County Soil and Water 4
Jason Thompson.....Hardee County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 2
Joel Walle.....Alachua County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 2
Thomas Warfel.....Hamilton County Soil and Water Conservation District
Joseph WhittingtonSouth Dade Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 5
Kenneth Willey.....State House 18
Wesley Wilson.....State House 27
Randy Wiseman.....Governor
Christopher WitheyState Senate 30
Paul Wolfe..... Alachua County School Board
Clayton Woodard Hamilton County Soil and Water Conservation District Seat 3

Georgia:

Martin Cowen..... U.S. House 13
J. Smythe DuVal..... Secretary of State
Donnie Foster Insurance Commissioner
Robin Gilmer U.S. House 9
Ryan Graham Public Service Commission Seat 3
Demond KennedyState House 90
Patrick MarcacciState House 52
Ted MetzGovernor
Jay StricklandState House 42
John Turpish..... Public Service Commission Seat 5

Hawaii:

Kimberly Arianoff.....State Senate 1
Fred Fogel.....State House 3
Michelle LastState Senate 3
Michelle Tippens U.S. House 1
Alan Yim.....State House 17

Idaho:

Bev BoeckGovernor
Idaho Lorax CartaState Senate 29-B
Joe Evans.....State Senate 21
W. Scott Howard..... U.S. House 1
Shon LuomaState Senate 2

Illinois:

Claire Ball Comptroller
Craig BarnstableState House 95
Steve Dutner..... Secretary of State
John Eldon.....State House 70
Paul Michael Emerson McClean County Council District 2
Thaddeus Freed.....State House 107
Bubba Harsey..... Attorney General
Kash JacksonGovernor
Mike Leheney..... Treasurer
Jake Leonard.....Montgomery County Clerk
John Eldon MatheyState House 70
Sanj Mohip Lt. Governor
Bennett Morris.....McLean County Board
Ed Rutledge U.S. House 3

Steve Seuss..... McLean County Board District 8
Justin TuckerState House 4
Kevin Woodard.....McClellan City Council District 10

Indiana:

Dale Arnett.....State House 33
Lucy Brenton..... US Senate
Rick Brown..... Madison County Treasurer
Tommy BrownWashington County Council District 1
Steve Buffington.....State House 69
Terry CoffmanLiberty Township Trustee
Donna Dunn.....State House 1
Tom Ferkinhoff..... U.S. House 6
Bart GadauState House 8
Max Greene Washington County Council D3
Eric HarrisElkhart County Council District 2
Dean Hartley.....Franklin Township Board
Cheryl Heacox Greensfork Township Advisory Board
Adam HutchinsonUnion Township Board
Patrick Jamison..... Kosciusko County Sheriff
Charles Johnson.....State Senate 45
Robert Jozwiak.....State Senate 25
Thomas KeisterState House 71
Samuel Kinsey..... Orange County Council
Tom Kneeven.....Franklin Township Board
Brent LandWayne Township Trustee
Ethan Legg.....State House 21
Frances Lewis..... Henry County Township Board
Danny LundyBrown Township Board
Erin Meadors..... Jackson Township Board
Jeremiah Morrell.....Henry County Council District 1
Russell Mueller.....Boone County Council District 1
Clyde Myers.....State House 59
Greg Noland.....State Senate 26
Jamie Owens.....Liberty Township Trustee
Donald Rainwater.....State House 24
Jesse Riddle.....Henry County Council District 3
Mark Rutherford..... Secretary of State
John Schick.....State Auditor
Frank Stewart.....Wayne Township Trustee
Adam Werner.....State House 23
Robert Wilson.....State House 48

Iowa:

Charles Aldrich..... U.S. House 4
Marco Battaglia..... Attorney General
John Callahan.....State House 35
Marianna Collins.....State House 34
Eric CooperState Senate 23
John Evans.....State House 49
Jocelyn Fry.....Polk County Commissioner
Lynne Gentry Lt. Governor
John George.....State House 75
Joe Gleason.....Polk County Commissioner
Troy Hageman..... U.S. House 1
Timothy Hird..... Treasurer
Bryan Holder..... U.S. House 3
Joseph Howe.....State House 36
Toya Johnson.....State House 32
Anthony Junk.....State House 39
Carl Krambeck.....State Senate 37
Lucas LinkState House 57
Myra MatejkaState House 70
David MelchertState House 97
Julia Ofenbakh Secretary of State
Fred Perryman Auditor
Jake PorterGovernor
Jeremy Rodman Glenwood City Council Ward 1
Dale Roewe.....Swan Lake Township Trustee
Taylor Roewe.....Swan Lake Township Trustee
Nick Ryan.....State House 79
Patrick Shaw.....State House 47
Rick Stewart.....Secretary of Agriculture
Mark Strauss..... U.S. House 2
Amanda SwansonDecatur City Council
Gabriel Thompson.....State House 44

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Jeff Caldwell	Governor
Edgar Chambers	State House 66
Chris Clemmons	U.S. House 3
Jason Conley	State House 33
Robert Firestone	State House 29
Mary Gerlt	Lt. Governor
Rob Hodgkinson	Secretary of State
Michael Kerner	State House 17
David Loomis	State House 91
Kelly Standley	U.S. House 2
Kentucky	
Trevor Applegate	Mason County Magistrate
Gregory Boles	U.S. House 3
Ann Cormican	State House 72
Shannon Denniston	Montgomery County Magistrate
A. J. "Lex" Hannan	State House 66
Frank Harris	U.S. House 6
John Hicks	State House 43
Race Nichols	Greenup County Commissioner
Joseph Redmond	Meade County Constable
J. Kyle Sweeney	Boone County Constable
Shane Walker	Graves County Magistrate
Louisiana:	
Aaron Andrus	U.S. House 3
James Carstensen	Shreveport City Council
Hubert Gauthier	Youngsville Mayor
Howard Kearney	U.S. House 1
Kyle Randol	U.S. House 5
Ray Smith	Shreveport Mayor
Maine:	
Cody Blackburn	State House 125
Ray LaFrance	Androscoggin County Commissioner
Bonnie Young	State House 121
Maryland:	
Tom Ashwell	Harford County Circuit Court Judge
David Bishop	U.S. House 4
Kevin Caldwell	U.S. House 6
Michael Carney	U.S. House 2
Matthew Chrest	Harford County Council
Lauren Drew	State Senate 22
Leo Dymowski	Baltimore County Circuit Court Judge
David Griggs	U.S. House 7
Jeremy Harbaugh	State House 3-A
David Lashar	U.S. House 3
Michael Lyden	State House 6
Jenica Martin	U.S. House 1
Jacob Pulcher	U.S. House 5
Shawn Quinn	Governor
Christopher Randers-Pehrson	State Senate 35
Christine Smith	Lt. Governor
Doug Stanley	Baltimore County Council District 7
Arvin Vohra	US Senate
Chris Wallace	State Senate 30
Jasen Wunder	U.S. House 8
Massachusetts:	
Dan Fishman	Auditor
Mark Mercier	Governor's Councillor District 5
Michigan:	
Mary Buzuma	State Senate 30
Benjamin Carr	State House 27
Dana Carver	Cheboygan County Commissioner
Timothy Coon	State Senate 35
Anthony Creff	State House 39
Gregory Creswell	State House 1
Benjamin Dryke	State House 36
Brian Ellison	U.S. House 8
Andy Evans	Cheboygan County Commissioner

Catherine Filus	Macomb County Commissioner
Jim Fulner	Armada Township Trustee
Bill Gelineau	Governor
Joseph Gillotte	State Senate 19
Lisa Gioia	Lt. Governor
Erwin Haas	State Senate 26
Ronald Hawkins	State House 63
Nathan Hewer	State Senate 28
David Holmer	Manistee County Commissioner
Matt Kuehnel	State House 22
Joseph LeBlanc	State Senate 7
Jamie Lewis	State House 72
Patty Malowney	State House 77
Ryan Manier	State House 28
Christine Martello-Schell	Howell Township Trustee
Chad McNamara	State Senate 17
Zachary Moreau	State House 67
Kerry Lee Morgan	Justice to the Supreme Court
Jeremy Morgan	State House 10
Ronald Muszynski	State Senate 16
Katie Nepton	State Senate 24
Tyler Palmer	State House 93
Norman Peterson	State House 64
Jeff Pittel	State Senate 12
Mark Ashley Price	Highland Park School Board
Jason Rees	State House 65
Max Riekse	State Senate 34
Mike Saliba	State Senate 10
Jim Schell	Howell Township Trustee
Leonard Schwartz	U.S. House 11
Robert VanNoller	State Senate 29
James Weeks II	Livingston County Commissioner
Lorence Wenke	State Senate 20
Brian Wright	State House 38
James Young	State Senate 11
Minnesota:	
Chris Dock	Auditor
Jill Galvan	State House 18a
Katy Hurtig	Cass Lake Mayor
Ryan Laniel	State House 51
Brian McCormick	State House 37a
Mary O'Connor	Lt. Governor
Peter Schuckert	Sibley County Commissioner 5th District
Matthew Swenson	State House 57a
Josh Welter	Governor
Mississippi:	
Danny Bedwell	US Senate
Missouri:	
Mark Bliss	U.S. House 4
Andrew Bolin	State House 83
Ben Brixey	U.S. House 7
Richie Camden	State Senate 22
Japheth Campbell	US Senate
Jeff Coleman	St. Louis County Assessor
Robb Cunningham	U.S. House 1
Brad Eichstadt	State House 30
Daniel Elder	State House 79
Carl-Herman Freese	State House 63
Eric Harris	State House 69
Jim Higgins	State Senate 24
LaDonna Higgins	State House 71
Dan Hogan	U.S. House 6
Alexander Howell	U.S. House 5
Stephen Johnson	State House 88
Nick Kasoff	STLCC Executive
Tony Kirk	U.S. House 2
Sean O'Toole	State Auditor
Tim Peterman	State House 36
James Scariot	State House 91
Jonathan Shell	U.S. House 8
Bill Slantz	State House 105
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Montana:

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Rick Breckenridge	US Senate
Conor Burns.....	State House 28
Sid Daoud	State House 8
Cindy Dyson	State House 5
A. Alexander Fetto	State House 61
Shawn Leslie Guymon	State House 3
Bill Jones	State House 10
Kevin Leatherbarrow	State House 13
Mark Lighthiser	State Senate 30
Nathan McKenty.....	State House 50
Richard Motta	State House 77
Austin Lee Nelson	State Senate 1
Kathryn G.H. Nicholes	State House 30
Joshua-Luke O'Connor.....	State House 69
Jen Petersen	State House 62
Chris Richards	State House 70
Roger Roots.....	Clerk of the Supreme Court
Elinor Swanson	U.S. House
Francis Wendt	State Senate 32
Michael White.....	State House 72

Nebraska:

Laura Ebke.....	State Delegate 32
Tyler Gloe	Westside School Board
John Harms	Platte County Commissioner
Stephanie Petit	McPherson County Commissioner
Jim Schultz.....	US Senate
John Sterup.....	Johnston County Treasurer
Kurt Zadina	Scotts Bluff County Clerk

Nevada:

Steve Brown.....	U.S. House 3
Tim Hagan.....	US Senate
Jared Lord	Governor
Gregg Luckner	U.S. House 4
Doug Marsh	Clark County Commission G
Bruce Newman	State Senate 20
Ron Newsome	State Assembly 17
Wendy Stolyarov	Sparks Mayor
Robert Van Strawder	U.S. House 1

New Hampshire:

John Babiarz.....	State House 9 Grafton
Rosalie Babiarz.....	State House 9 Grafton
Dan Belforti.....	U.S. House 1
Frank Bertone	State House 4 Stafford
Brian Chabot.....	Executive Council District 5
Keith Cobbett.....	State House 1 Hillsborough
Spencer Dias.....	State House 7 Hillsborough
Mitch Dyer	State Senator 22
Caleb Dyer.....	State House 37 Hillsborough
Ian Freeman	State Senate 10
Nicholas Goroff.....	State House 10 Hillsborough
Kenneth Kelly.....	Cheshire County Treasurer
Darlene Lester	Cheshire County Register of Deeds
Stuart Light	State House 3 Coos
Mark Linn.....	State House 40 Hillsborough
Richard Manzo.....	State House 6 Hillsborough
Tobin Menard	Executive Council District 1
Justin O'Donnell.....	U.S. House 2
Darryl Perry	State House 16 Cheshire
Brandon Phinney.....	State House 24 Stratford
Griffin Poutre	Rockingham County Register of Probate
Jarec Rondeau	State House 18 Strafford
Rich Tomasso	Executive Council District 4
Lisa Wilber	State House 2 Hillsborough

New Jersey:

Claudio Belusic	U.S. House 9
Robert Case	Philipsburg Town Council
Michael Chazukow	West Milford Town Council
Dan Delaney.....	U.S. House 8
Scott Diroma	U.S. House 10
Daniel Francisco.....	Englishtown Council
Brendan Maroney.....	Monmouth County Freeholder
Ryan Martinez.....	U.S. House 11
John Ordille.....	U.S. House 2
Michael Rufo	U.S. House 4
Murray Sabrin	US Senate
Robert Shapiro.....	U.S. House 1
Jim Tosone.....	U.S. House 5
Kevin Weatherbee	Egg Harbor Township Council

New Mexico:

Blair Dunn.....	Attorney General
Sandra Jeff.....	Secretary of State
Gary Johnson	US Senate
Michael Lucero	Land Commissioner
Chris Luchini	Los Alamos County Sheriff
Chris Manning.....	U.S. House 3
Helen Milenski.....	Los Alamos County Council
Mayna Myers.....	Chaves County Magistrate Judge Division 2
Lloyd Princeton	U.S. House 1
James Rickman	Los Alamos Magistrate
Marty Swinney.....	State House 59
Bill Wiley	State House 31

New York:

Cruger Gallaudet	Comptroller
Chris Garvey	Attorney General
Mark Glogowski	State Assembly 139
Andrew Hollister	Lt. Governor
Gary Popkin	State Assembly 52
Larry Sharpe.....	Governor

North Carolina:

Thomas Bailey	U.S. House 13
Houston Barrow	State House 65
Bruce Basson.....	State Senate 17
Ethan Bickley	State Senate 9
Steven Brenneis.....	State House 91
Mitchell Bridges.....	State Senate 43
Adam Brooks	Randolph County Sheriff
Matthew Clements	State House 56
Tracey Debruhl.....	Buncombe County Sheriff
Bobby Emory	State House 38
Jared Erickson	State Senate 20
Michael Finn	State House 67
John Goudreau.....	Allegheny County Board of Commissioners
Travis Groo	State House 11
Timothy Harris	State Senate 2
Cap Hayes.....	State House 34
Richard Haygood.....	State Senate 14
Brad Hessel	State Senate 18
Eric Hicks	Randolph County Sheriff
Thomas Hill.....	Cabarrus County Board of Commissioners
T. Lee Horne.....	State House 3
Jonathan Horst.....	State House 49
Barbara Howe	U.S. House 4
Clifton Ingram	U.S. House 11
Brian Irving.....	State Senate 16
Robert Jordan.....	State Senate 30
Timothy Jowers.....	Wake County Board of Commissioners 1
Alan Lennon	Perquimans County Board of Commissioners
Liam Lever.....	State House 41
Brian Lewis.....	State Senate 15
Anthony Mascolo	State Senate 8
Japheth Matemu.....	U.S. House 2
Martin Matuszeski.....	State House 39
Guy Meilleur	State House 37
William Meredith	State Senate 49
Michael Monaco	State Supreme Court
Michael Nelson	State House 35

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David Perry	State House 19
Walt Rabon	State House 28
Erik Raudsep	State House 31
Jeffrey Scott.....	U.S. House 9
Joseph Sharp.....	State House 18
Jesse Shearin.....	State Senate 4
Nicholas Taylor	State House 25
Raymond Ubinger.....	State Senate 22
David Ulmer.....	State House 40
Matthew Wagoner.....	State House 30
Matthew Whittington	State House 44

Ohio:

Cory Combs	Clermont County Auditor
Robert Coogan.....	State Auditor
Mike Doran	Lorain County Auditor
W. Daniel Fichtel	State House 55
Rita Foley	Knox County Commissioner
Patrick Glasgow	State House 68
Tim Grady	State House 2
Todd Grayson.....	Lieutenant Governor
David Harlow.....	U.S. House 10
Taylor Hoffman.....	State House 86
Travis Irvine	Governor
Don Kissick	U.S. House 5
Dirk Austin Kubala	U.S. House 1
Candace Loyd	Geauga County Commissioner
Ryan McClain	State House 14
Matthew McGowan.....	State Board of Education District 3
Jonathan Miller	U.S. House 15
Dustin Nanna.....	Secretary of State
Homer Taft	State Senate 13
Elizabeth Thomas	State House 1
Kristin Wichers.....	State House 77
Jason Zapisek	Lorain County Commissioner

Oklahoma:

Traci Baker	Norman City Council Ward 2
Gene Bell.....	State House 78
Will Cagle	State House 84
Richard Castaldo	U.S. House 2
Kelli Krebs	State House 75
Jeff Levy	State House 81
J. Lee Miller	State House 68
Stephen Paulsen.....	State House 85
Chris Powell	Governor
John Yeuttner	State Auditor

Oregon:

Frank Brannen	Jackson County Commissioner District 1
Katy Brumbelow	State House 27
Randell Carlson	State House 32
Nick Chen.....	Governor
Brian Clem	State House 21
Christine Drazan	State House 39
Gary Dye.....	U.S. House 3
Bryan Eggiman	State Senate 8
Erik Gradine.....	Benton County Commissioner Position 1
Teri Grier	State House 9
Manny Guerra.....	State House 44
Lars D. H. Hedbor	State House 28
Richard R. Jacobson	U.S. House 4
Joshua Ryan Johnston	State House 34
Mark Karnowski	State House 23
Bruce Knight	State House 42
Drew Layda	U.S. House 1
Frank Leroy Lengele.....	State Senate 4
Kyle Markley	State House 30
William Namestnik	State House 29
Tim Nelson.....	State House 26
Brian Post	State House 25
E. Werner Reschke	State House 55
Elizabeth Reye.....	State House 33
Heather Ricks.....	State House 49

Kenny Sernach	State Senate 20
Martha Sherwood.....	State House 8
Dan Souza.....	U.S. House 5
Edward Stanton	Jackson County Commissioner District 3
Kim Thatcher	State Senate 13

Pennsylvania:

Matt Baltzar	State House 194
Ebert Beeman.....	U.S. House 16
Chuck Boust.....	State House 199
Marc Bozzaco.....	State House 153
Lou Jasikoff.....	State House 117
Dale Kerns.....	US Senate
Ken Krawchuk	Governor
Jim Miller.....	State House 98
Dominic Pirrochi	State House 13
Ed Reagan.....	State House 137
Tim Silfies.....	U.S. House 7
Kathleen Smith	Lieutenant Governor
Joe Soloski	State House 81
Jake Towne.....	State House 138
Joe Waldenburger	State House 53

Rhode Island:

Daryl Gould	State House 67
William Hunt	State House 68
Francesco Martinelli	North Providence Town Council At-Large

South Carolina

Justin Bishop	State House 77
Melissa Couture	State House 114
Erik Crotts.....	Charelston County Council District 8
Brandon Humphries	State House 67
Victor Kocher.....	State House 79
David Morris.....	State House 69
Steve Sears	Anderson County Council District 7
Rodney Travis	State House 109
Cameron Ventura	State House 68
David Weikle.....	State House 83
Aaron Aylward.....	State House 6
Greg Baldwin	State House 17
Kurt Evans	Governor
George Hendrickson	U.S. House
Jason Hill	State House 28B
Randy Luallin.....	Fall River County Commissioner
Gideon Oakes.....	State Senate 30
Daryl Root	State House 4
Richard Shelatz	Lt. Governor

Tennessee:

John Bevil	Knoxville Mayor
Joey Dasinger	Clarksville Mayor
Zachary Houk	State House 13
David Ross.....	U.S. House 6
David W. Ross	State House 66

Texas:

James Allen.....	State House 101
Daniel Arevalo	State House 132
Mark Ash	Court of Criminal Appeals Place 8
Ken Ashby	U.S. House 4
Melina Baker	U.S. House 32
Paul Bilyeu.....	State House 135
Jeffrey Blunt.....	U.S. House 20
Mark Boler.....	U.S. House 26
Edsel Boler.....	Denton County JP Pct 5
Andy Boler	Denton County Treasurer
David Brady.....	Bexar County JP Pct 4
Cullen Burns	U.S. House 29
Joshua Burns	State House 95
Lauro Bustamante	Bexar County Judge
Jeffrey Callaway	U.S. House 1
JJ Campbell.....	State House 146
Richard Carpenter.....	Agriculture Commissioner
Peter Churchman	U.S. House 17
Christopher Claytor	U.S. House 3

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Ed Colliver.....	Tarrant County JP Pct 1
Donald Conley.....	U.S. House 14
Rueben Corvalan.....	U.S. House 23
Andrew Couty.....	Harris County JP Pct 7 Pl 2
Anthony Cristo.....	U.S. House 15
Lauren Daugherty.....	McLennan County JP Pct 1 Pl 2
Christopher David.....	Travis County JP Pct 2
Calvin DeWeese.....	U.S. House 13
Nick Dietrich.....	State House 64
Neal Dikeman.....	US Senate
Christopher Duncan.....	U.S. House 8
Anwar Elboustani.....	McLennan County Constable Pct 1
Roy Eriksen.....	State House 130
Eric Espinoza.....	State House 92
James Felber.....	Denton County Commissioner 2
Eric Gatlin.....	Harris County Judge
Thomas Glass.....	State Senate 7
Abel Chirino Gomez.....	Harris County Clerk
Eric Guerra.....	Travis County JP Pct 1
Stephen Gunnels.....	U.S. House 2
Aaron Gutknecht.....	SBOE 11
William Halliday.....	Harrison County Judge
Jason Allen Harber.....	U.S. House 6
Michael Ray Harris.....	Attorney General
Jason Hope.....	U.S. House 31
Clayton Hunt.....	State House 145
Dick Illyes.....	State House 24
Scott Jameson.....	U.S. House 3
Kristian Jara.....	Tarrant County JP Pct 3
Lawrence Johnson.....	State House 23
Shawn Jones.....	U.S. House 30
Michael Kolls.....	U.S. House 24
Phil Kurtz.....	U.S. House 9
Lauren LaCount.....	State Senate 17
Jacob Leddy.....	U.S. House 12
Desarae Lindsey.....	U.S. House 25
Erica Lockwood.....	Travis County Clerk
Kevin Ludlow.....	State House 46
Amy Lyons.....	State Senate 5
Joseph Majsterski.....	State House 129
John McEligott.....	U.S. House 22
Kerry McKennon.....	Lieutenant Governor
Dennis Miller.....	State House 4
H. Todd Moore.....	State House 98
Mallory Olfers.....	State House 121
Jessica Pallett.....	State House 94
Zachary Parks.....	State House 136
Stephen Parmer.....	State House 96
Clark Patterson.....	U.S. House 35
Alberto Perez.....	Dallas County Commissioner
Matt Pina.....	Land Commissioner
Eric Pina.....	State House 125
Bruce Quarles.....	State Senate 3
Jason Reeves.....	U.S. House 33
David Reichert.....	McLennan County JP Pct 1 Pl 1
George Reynolds.....	Denton County JP Pct 2
Michael Ryan.....	U.S. House 10
Benjamin Sanders.....	Comptroller
Lee Santos.....	U.S. House 21
Matthias Savino.....	State House 10
David Schaab.....	State House 62
Elizabeth Scriptor.....	Tarrant County Clerk
Lee Sharp.....	State House 137
Rhett Smith.....	U.S. House 11
Luke Spencer.....	U.S. House 18
William Strange.....	Court of Criminal Appeals Place 1
Arthur Thomas IV.....	U.S. House 28
Derek Thorn.....	Tarrant County JP Pct 6
Daniel Tinus.....	U.S. House 27
Mark Jay Tippetts.....	Governor
Shohn Trojacek.....	State House 139
Gilberto Velasquez.....	State Senate 15
Eric Velasquez.....	Bexar County Justice of the Peace Precinct 3 Place 1
Micah Verlander.....	State Senate 14

Robert Walden.....	State House 54
Janie Watkins.....	Hunt County Treasurer
Jack Westbrook.....	State Senate 31
Mark Wester.....	Collin County Sheriff
Rodney Wingo.....	State House 97
Ryan Woods.....	State House 127
Michael Wright.....	Railroad Commissioner

Utah:

Justin Bake.....	Tooele County Commissioner
Amber Christiansen Beltran.....	State House 22
Craig Bowden.....	US Senate
Kevin Bryant.....	State Senate 18
Joe Buchman.....	State House 27
Denise Cox.....	State House 68
Shawn Curtis.....	State House 43
Michael Gardner.....	State House 75
Jonathan Greene.....	State House 26
Daniel Holloway.....	State House 74
Andrew McCullough.....	Utah County Attorney
Barry Short.....	State House 72
Joe Speciale.....	State House 19
Chelsey Travis.....	State House 35
Lee Anne Walker.....	State House 46
Jeffrey Whipple.....	U.S. House 2
Brent Zimmerman.....	State House 16

Vermont:

Varpilah Chase.....	State House Chittenden 8-1
Seth Cournoyer.....	State Senate Chittenden
Archie Flower.....	State Senate Addison
Jeff Kaufer.....	State Senate Bennington
Loyal Ploof.....	State Senate Chittenden

Virginia:

Brad Gault.....	Hampton City Council
Stevan Porter.....	U.S. House 11
Joe Walton.....	U.S. House 7
Matt Waters.....	US Senate
Pete Wells.....	U.S. House 4

Washington:

Allen Acosta.....	State House 22 Position 2
Matt Dubin.....	State House 36 Position 2
Brian Luke.....	U.S. House 2
Bryan Simonson.....	State Senate 36
Sydney Wissel.....	State House 36 Position 1

West Virginia:

John Buckley.....	Hardy County Circuit Clerk
Buddy Guthrie.....	State House 51
Rusty Hollen.....	US Senate
Will Hyman.....	State House 48
Brett Rogers.....	State House 63
Bryan Jeffrey Shreve.....	Grant County Commission
Rex Starkey.....	Harrison County Commission
Jerry Tucker.....	Charleston City Council
Carlos Walker.....	State House 31-B
Anthony Woods.....	Charleston City Council
Adam Zuchowski.....	State House 53

Wisconsin:

Phil Anderson.....	Governor
Patrick Baird.....	Lt. Governor
Kevin Bauer.....	State Assembly 2
Rick Braun.....	State Assembly 14
Matt Bughman.....	State Assembly 7
Brian Corriea.....	State Assembly 28
Mike Hammond.....	State Assembly 6
Jason Sellnow.....	State Assembly 82
Reese Wood.....	State Assembly 45

Wyoming:

Bethany Baldes.....	State House 55
Kit Carson.....	Secretary of State

AFFILIATE

Updates

Alabama

2 new county affiliates being organized

The first LP Alabama candidate to announce for the 2020 elections, Ernest Claybon, is running for Montgomery City Council in District 3 — a nonpartisan race. Claybon will be going up against



Ernest Claybon

a 20-year Democratic incumbent, but he's already making the rounds in his district meeting and talking with the people, attending meetings of the City Council and Board of Education, and perfecting his speaking skills through Toastmasters. Volunteers are starting to line up to help with this campaign!

We are proud to announce two new county affiliates becoming organized: Pike County, which encompasses Troy University, is being led by Richard Fast, a recent transplant from Louisiana; and the Tennessee Valley affiliate, consisting of Limestone, Morgan, and Lawrence counties and chaired by Luke Kinton.

Jefferson and Shelby counties have voted to merge in order to consolidate resources and volunteers. This affiliate will now be known as the LP of Greater Birmingham, and is being led by Leigh LaChine.

The state's 2019 convention will be held in Auburn, Ala., in March. Speakers confirmed to date are Robin Koerner and Joshua Smith. The Convention Committee also hopes to engage the Mises Institute and reach out to the Auburn University student body.

Arizona

August AZLP primary results pending

The Arizona Libertarian Party had the following individuals run as write-in candidates for the Arizona primary election held Aug. 28:

- U.S. Senate — Adam Kokesh
- Governor — Barry Hess
- Secretary of State — Jenn Gray
- Attorney General — Michael Kielsky
- State Mine Inspector — Kim Ruff
- U.S. Congress, CD 1 — Zhani Doko
- State Senator, LD 6 — Jeff Daniels
- State Rep., LD 27 — Robert Pepiton

Final results are still being tabulated to see if they will move on to the general election on Nov. 6.

One candidate who is moving on to the general election ballot is national Libertarian Party Chair Nicholas Sarwark, as the Libertarian Party candidate for mayor of Phoenix. Sarwark has a great chance to become the mayor of a major U.S. city. Please come out and provide whatever support you can.

For all up-to-date information on all LP Arizona candidates, visit AZLP.org or FB.com/LParizona on the web. You can also contact LP Arizona by mail or phone:

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Arkansas

LPAR outreach at several county fairs

As the 2018 election date approaches, Arkansas Libertarians have been taking some time to go to the fair. LP outreach booths have been cropping up at county fairs across the state, providing opportunities to share our message and promote

our candidates. Local and statewide candidates make appearances, introducing themselves and asking for votes, while volunteer activists talk to passers-by about the Libertarian Party and our ideas.

Candidate for state Senate Kevin Vornheder, whose district covers parts of three counties, decided to set up a booth at all three county fairs. "This will mean three solid weeks of booth operation, so I'm hoping it will result in some quality voter interaction. Based on past turnout and margins in this district, I think just 5,000 votes could mean a win, so I'm going to try to shake at least that many hands." And in Sebastian County (Fort Smith) the local affiliate, with the help of candidate for state representative Stephen Edwards, sponsored a booth at the Arkansas-Oklahoma State Fair.

The growth of county affiliates has gone hand in hand with the proliferation of fair outreach. "We didn't plan it as a coordinated campaign to target county fairs," said state chair Michael Pakko. "But when the folks in Benton County see the success of Garland County's outreach, they want to match it — or do it even better. A little friendly competition doesn't hurt." Not to be outdone, the Pulaski County (Little Rock) affiliate, where there is no county fair, has been running outreach booths at the downtown farmers' market.

The culmination of the season will be

the Arkansas State Fair in Little Rock, Oct. 11–21. Thanks to the organizational efforts of party stalwarts John and Judy Bowers, the LP's fourth year at the state fair will feature 10 days of candidates and volunteers meeting and greeting voters from across the state. With seven statewide candidates, a full slate of candidates for U.S. Congress, and contenders for more than 20 state legislative and county offices, LP Arkansas plans a full schedule of candidates to be on hand.

Illinois

Endorsement interviews in major papers

For the first time ever in Illinois, the entire Libertarian statewide ticket has been invited to take part in endorsement interviews at the three largest papers in the state: the *Chicago Tribune*, the *Chicago Sun-Times*, and Springfield's *State Journal-Register*. In a recent NBC poll, Libertarian candidate for governor Kash Jackson was polling at 6 percent, coming in third place in the four-candidate race. Jackson will need 5 percent to guarantee ballot access for Libertarians across the state.

Hundreds of supporters from more than 20 active chapters across the state have pitched in to help staff booths, walk neighborhoods, write letters to the editor, march in parades, deliver yard signs, pass out campaign literature, and work on campaigns directly.

In Bloomington, Ill., a referendum championed by the McLean County Libertarian Party will be on November's ballot. The referendum will allow voters to have the option to eliminate one of two election authorities in the county. McLean County is one of only a handful of counties with multiple election authorities. Petitioners submitted more than 1,350 signatures, and the petitions successfully survived a challenge from Democratic opponents with more than 90 percent signature validity.

Iowa

Record-breaking 34 LP Iowa candidates

Major-party status affords LP Iowa the opportunity to place candidates post-primary via a special nominating convention. These candidate placements continued until the filing deadline and Iowa now has a record breaking 34 partisan Libertarian candidates for office for voters to consider, 10 more than the previous record. With an additional focus on local races, LP Iowa candidates are com-

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Candidate for U.S. Congress Michael Kalagias, staffing the Libertarian Party outreach booth at the Benton County fair in Arkansas. In addition to Kalagias and seven statewide candidates, Benton County voters will see candidates for county Judge and five justice of the peace positions on their ballots.

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peting in four county supervisor races and a county treasurer race.

Marco Battaglia, the Libertarian nominee for attorney general, graced the cover of the *Sioux City Journal* and gubernatorial nominee Jake Porter has been featured in multiple *Des Moines Register* features. Major-party status rests on Porter exceeding 2 percent of the vote, and continual major media mentions like this will help keep our candidates in the spotlight.

Michigan

LP Michigan reaches primary party status

Gov. Gary Johnson's more than 172,000 votes for president in Michigan in the 2016 election are having a big impact on the Libertarian Party's prospects in Michigan for 2018. His showing earned LP Michigan primary-party status for the first time, just like the Republicans and Democrats.

This had its drawbacks. Bill Gelineau and John Tatar, two Libertarians running for the gubernatorial nomination, had to gather more than 40,000 signatures to get on the primary ballot. They did it without any aid from the national Libertarian Party.



Left to right: Claire Ball, candidate for comptroller; Sanj Mohip, candidate for lieutenant governor; Kash Jackson, candidate for governor; Bubba Harsy, candidate for attorney general; and Steve Dutner, candidate for secretary of state.

The actual benefits have been so much more. Starting in the spring, LP Michigan has received steadily expanding major media coverage. Some reports focused on its historic first primary status. More coverage flowed from the fact that its candidates were no longer just the candidates of yet another third party, but are running in the Aug. 7 primary just like the Republicans and Democrats.

The fact that we had a contested gubernatorial primary drew considerable interest. Network television affiliates in Grand Rapids and Detroit broadcast debates between the two Libertarian candidates leading up to the primary. They toured the state, gaining unprecedented media coverage for this early, or even later, in the election season. All that practice resulted in increasingly more polished and persuasive messaging.

Bill Gelineau won that primary governor nomination with about 58 percent of the vote. Since then, the media attention has continued. He successfully parlayed his selection of Libertarian Angelique

Chaiser Thomas as his choice for lieutenant governor, and LP Michigan's Aug. 25 convention support for his choice, into a series of television and radio appearances by the two of them across Michigan, in which they offered "real solutions" to the issues of the day. Gelineau now has ambitious plans to keep and increase that momentum leading up to the Nov. 6 election, and to share that momentum among all 54 of Michigan's Libertarian candidates. To learn more about his campaign, visit: ComeTogetherMichigan.org

Minnesota

LP booth at state fair creates best outreach

The Minnesota State Fair is a unique, special, super fun event that you should put on your bucket list. Nationwide, it is no. 1 in daily attendance and no. 2 in overall attendance, after Texas. We just wrapped our 12-day run, from Aug. 23 to Sept. 3, with a new attendance record exceeding 2 million guests. For reference Minnesota's state population is 5.5 million.

The LP Minnesota booth is a staple that creates our best outreach, fundraising, and candidate exposure every year. In addition to (gifting for donation) more than 500 LPMN branded shirts, we recorded more than 1,000 copies of the World's Smallest Political Quiz, handed out nearly 5,000 pieces of literature, and gained nearly 100 new state party mem-

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The Libertarian Party of Minnesota sponsored a popular outreach booth at the Minnesota State Fair, which more than 2 million people attended this year.

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Go to **LP.org/run** and send us your inquiry. You'll receive information from your state LP affiliate or from the national LP headquarters that you need to get started on your campaign.

Affiliate News

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bers. We had more than a dozen new first time volunteers take shifts. Our state-wide candidates Josh Welter for governor, Mary O'Connor for lieutenant governor, and Chris Dock for state auditor each appeared more than a half dozen times. It's great for us to showcase them as well as give them a place to promote themselves. Overall, the interactions, energy, support, diversity, and participation were better than we've ever seen. It feels like our hard work is paying off and people like it. We are that Libertarian!

The *City Pages* of the Twin Cities, a hip, popular local liberal periodical, published two dozen photos on its website of "People of the State Fair," included photos of Josh Welter for governor and LP Minnesota Executive Director Matt Kowalski.

Please visit LPMN.org to learn more about us and our candidates. We have links to pages for each candidate where you can show financial support. Hint, hint, please and thank you.

Montana

20 LP Montana campaigns across state

The Libertarian Party of Montana is working tirelessly with 20 campaigns across the state in three ballot access races and 17 state legislative races. You may have seen Sid Daoud for Montana House District 8 on the national target list, but he's not the only winnable candidate that LP Montana has in 2018. Check out our full slate here: MTLP.org/2018-candidates

LP Montana is also looking to grow, exponentially. As one of the smallest states by population and one of the largest by area, it presents a difficult organizational challenge. We have a pilot program launching this weekend to double the number of county affiliates before November, and triple them again by the state convention in 2019. We hope to share the lessons learned with neighboring affiliates to grow our region and the overall LP membership. Stay tuned, because big things are happening in the Big Sky State.

Nebraska

Tapping new fundraising, marketing skills

We have been busy this past month with numerous outreach activities across the state. The State Central Committee has hired its first executive director, Nate Kasper, who has fundraising and marketing experience and will be work-

ing to increase membership and media exposure.

There are numerous candidates who are currently campaigning and participating in fairs and parades. We are devoting time and effort toward the reelection of Sen. Laura Ebke, and promoting candidates for county treasurers across the state, such as John Sterup and Steph Pettit.

We held a protest at the senatorial debate because our candidate Jim Schultz was locked out by the local newspaper.

LP Nebraska continues to grow our county affiliates and recruit candidates, and remains the only political party in the state that increases registration month after month.

New Mexico

LP defeats straight-party voting scheme

The Libertarian Party of New Mexico, along with the Republican Party and a Democratic candidate for state house, filed a successful motion for an emergency Writ of Mandamus to prevent the New Mexico's secretary of state from putting straight-party voting on the ballot in direct contradiction of state law. The authorization for straight-party voting had been removed year's earlier after then-Gov. Gary Johnson's signature, and multiple attempts to pass new authorizing legislation had failed.

We raised enough money from donations on Reddit and other places to pay for this action, which succeeded after a September ruling by the New Mexico Supreme Court.

LP New Mexico has replaced our candidate for secretary of state with Ginger Gridler, a long time Libertarian Party activist.



A. Blair Dunn, the New Mexico Libertarian Party candidate for attorney general, drafted and filed the case against straight-party voting.

Media Buzz

"After the Libertarian candidate in New Mexico's U.S. Senate race dropped out last month, the New Mexico Libertarian Party drafted [Gov. Gary] Johnson into the race. ... If Johnson were to pull off the unlikely win, he would be the first Libertarian in U.S. history to win a major statewide election. But even if the Rich poll's pessimistic-for-Johnson view of the race is correct, that would still make Johnson one of the most successful Libertarian candidates in history."

FiveThirtyEight, 8/24/2018

"Gregg Luckner, Libertarian candidate in the 4th Congressional District, is in one of the most competitive general election races ... The high number of unaffiliated voters in Nevada could lean away from the two major parties, particularly this election, when the message from Republicans and Democrats is so negative, Luckner said. The 4th district is a rematch between Hardy and Horsford, exactly the type of 'same old, same old' situation that is making Republicans and Democrats less attractive to voters, he said."

Las Vegas Sun, 9/17/2018

"Sen. Rand Paul (R-Ky.) is endorsing fellow libertarian former New Mexico Gov. Gary Johnson in his Senate bid in the state.

"Paul is throwing his weight behind Johnson, instead of his Republican competitor Mick Rich, the Kentucky senator announced in a news release Tuesday, The Associated Press reports. ...

"An Emerson College e-poll conducted with a small sample size of 500 registered voters showed Johnson leading Rich among Republicans."

The Hill, 8/28/2018