

2026 Illinois Primary Election Candidate Filing Results

Candidate filing for the 2026 Illinois election cycle officially closed on November 3 at 5:00PM, finalizing the field for the upcoming races. The 2026 primary election is set for March 16, with the general election to follow on November 3. One of the most notable developments in the early stages of the election cycle is that U.S. Representative Jesús “Chuy” García (D-IL-4) announced he will not seek reelection in the 4th Congressional District, likely paving the way for his longtime Chief of Staff Patty García to replace him, as the only other Democrat who filed to run for the seat.

Below you will find a complete list of all the filings for every seat in Illinois.

Statewide Elected Officials

Governor and Lieutenant Governor

JB Pritzker (D) (incumbent) and Christian Mitchell (D)	
Darren Bailey (R) and Aaron B. Del Mar (R)	
Ted Dabrowski (R) and Carrie Mendoza (R)	
James Mendrick (R) and Robert Renteria (R)	
Rick Heidner (R) and Christina Neitzke-Troike (R)	

Attorney General

Kwame Raoul (D) (incumbent)	
Robert W. Fioretti (R)	

Secretary of State

Alexi Giannoulias (D) (incumbent)	
Walter Adamczyk (R)	
Diane M. Harris (R)	

Comptroller

Karina Villa (D)	
Holly Kim (D)	
Margaret Croke (D)	
Stephanie A. Kifowit (D)	
Bryan Drew (R)	

Treasurer

Michael W. Frerichs (D) (incumbent)	
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U.S. Senate

Raja Krishnamoorthi (D)	
Kevin Ryan (D)	
Juliana Stratton (D)	
Robin Kelly (D)	
Steve Botsford Jr. (D)	
Bryan Maxwell (D)	
Jonathan Dean (D)	
Sean Brown (D)	
Awisi A. Bustos (D)	
Christopher Swann (D)	

Casey Chlebek (R)	
Don Tracy (R)	
R. Cary Capparelli (R)	
Pamela Denise Long (R)	
Jimmy Lee Tillman II (R)	
Jeannie Evans (R)	

U.S. Representatives

1st Congressional District

Jonathan L. Jackson (D) (incumbent)	
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Marcus Lewis (R)	
Christian Maxwell (R)	

2nd Congressional District

Robert Peters (D)	
Eric France (D)	
Donna Miller (D)	
Yumeka Brown (D)	
Willie Preston (D)	
Jesse Louis Jackson, Jr. (D)	
Patrick J. "PJK" Keating (D)	
Toni C. Brown (D)	
Sidney Moore (D)	
Adal Regis (D)	

Michael Scott Noack (R)	
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3rd Congressional District

Delia Ramirez (D) (incumbent)	
Angel Oakley (R)	

4th Congressional District

Jesus "Chuy" Garcia (D) (incumbent) <i>*announced that he will not be running*</i>	
Patty Garcia (D)	

Lupe Castillo (R)	
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Ed Hershey (Working Class)	
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5th Congressional District

Mike Quigley (D) (incumbent)	
Matthew Conroy (D)	
Anthony Michael Tamez (D)	
Ellen A. Corley (D)	
Tommy Hanson (R)	
Kimball Ladien (R)	
Barry Wicker (R)	

6th Congressional District

Sean Casten (D) (incumbent)	
Joseph "Joey" Ruzevich (D)	

Niki Conforti (R)	
Skylar Duensing (R)	

7th Congressional District

Anthony Driver, Jr. (D)	
Richard R. Boykin (D)	
Melissa Conyears-Ervin (D)	
Jazmin J. Robinson (D)	
La Shawn K. Ford (D)	
Felix Tello (D)	
Reed Showalter (D)	
Anabel Mendoza (D)	
Rory Hoskins (D)	
Jason Friedman (D)	
Kina Collins (D)	
Thomas Fisher (D)	
David Ehrlich (D)	

Chad Koppie (R)	
Patricia "P Rae" Easley (R)	

8th Congressional District

Neil Khot (D)	
Kevin B. Morrison (D)	
Junaid Ahmed (D)	
Ryan Vetticad (D)	
Melissa L. Bean (D)	

Yasmeen Bankole (D)	
Dan Tully (D)	
Sanjyot Dunung (D)	

Mark Rice (R)	
Jennifer Davis (R)	
Kevin Ake (R)	
Herbert Hebein (R)	

9th Congressional District

Patricia A. Brown (D)	
Phil Andrew (D)	
Kat Abughazaleh (D)	
Mike Simmons (D)	
Laura Fine (D)	
Sam Polan (D)	
Nick Pyati (D)	
Bushra Amiwala (D)	
Justin Ford (D)	
Daniel Biss (D)	
Jeff Cohen (D)	
Bethany Johnson (D)	
Howard Rosenblum (D)	
Hoan Huynh (D)	
Mark Arnold Fredrickson (D)	

John Elleson (R)	
Paul Friedman (R)	
Rocio Cleveland (R)	
Dongbo Mark Su (R)	

10th Congressional District

Brad Schneider (D) (incumbent)	
Morgan Coghill (D)	

Carl Lambrecht (R)	
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11th Congressional District

Bill Foster (D) (incumbent)	
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Jeff Walter (R)	
Michael Pierce (R)	
Tedora Brown (R)	
Charlie Kim (R)	

12th Congressional District

Julie Fortier (D)	
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Mike Bost (R) (incumbent)	
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13th Congressional District

Nikki Budzinski (D) (incumbent)	
Dylan Blaha (D)	

Jeff Wilson (R)	
Joshua Loyd (R)	

14th Congressional District

Lauren Underwood (D) (incumbent)	
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Gary Vician (R)	
James T. "Jim" Marter (R)	

15th Congressional District

Jennifer Todd (D)	
Randy Raley (D)	
Paul Davis (D)	
Kyle Nudo (D)	

Judy Bowlby (R)	
Mary E. Miller (R) (incumbent)	
Ryan D. Tebrugge (R)	

16th Congressional District

Paul Nolley (D)	
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Darin LaHood (R) (incumbent)	
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17th Congressional District

Eric Sorensen (D) (incumbent)	
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Dillan S. Vancil (R)	
Julie Bickelhaupt (R)	

State Senate

2nd Senate District

Omar Aquino (D) (incumbent)	
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3rd Senate District

Mattie Hunter (D) (incumbent)	
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5th Senate District

Lakesia Collins (D)	
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6th Senate District

Sara Feigenholtz (D) (incumbent)	
Nick Uniejewski (D)	

8th Senate District

Ram Villivalam (D) (incumbent)	
Vince Romano (R)	

9th Senate District

Patrick Hanley (D)	
Rachel Ruttenberg (D)	
Tom Lally (R)	

11th Senate District

Mike Porfirio (D) (incumbent)	
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12th Senate District

Celina Villanueva (D) (incumbent)	
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14th Senate District

Emil Jones III (D) (incumbent)	
Ahmed Karrar (D)	
Kenny Williams (D)	
Brian Skala (R)	

15th Senate District

Napoleon B. Harris III (D) (incumbent)	
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17th Senate District

Elgie R. Sims Jr. (D) (incumbent)	
Frederick L. Walls (R)	

18th Senate District

Frances Ann Hurley (D) (incumbent)	
Christine McGovern (R)	

20th Senate District

Graciela Guzman (D)	
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21st Senate District

Laura Ellman (D) (incumbent)	
Julie Berkowicz (R)	

23rd Senate District

Suzanne "Suzy" Glowiak Hilton (D) (incumbent)	
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Linda Z. Polacek (R)	
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24th Senate District

Benjamin "Ben" McAdams (D)	
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Seth Lewis (R)	
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26th Senate District

Nabeela Syed (D) (incumbent)	
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Darby Hills (R)	
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27th Senate District

Carina Santa Maria (D)	
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David Mathis (R)	
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29th Senate District

Julie A. Morrison (D) (incumbent)	
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Kate McGrath (R)	
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30th Senate District

Adriane L. Johnson (D) (incumbent)	
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32nd Senate District

Karen Battaglia (D)	
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Craig Wilcox (R) (incumbent)	
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33rd Senate District

Michele Clark (D)	
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Jessica Breugelmans (R)	
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Danielle Penman (R)	
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35th Senate District

Sarah B. Mertens (D)	
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Dave Syverson (R) (incumbent)	
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36th Senate District

Michael W. Halpin (D) (incumbent)	
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Brad Beekman (R)	
Patrick Harlan (R)	

38th Senate District

Ernie R. Marcelain (D)	
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Sue Rezin (R) (incumbent)	
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39th Senate District

Don Harmon (D) (incumbent)	
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41st Senate District

John Curran (R) (incumbent)	
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42nd Senate District

Linda Holmes (D) (incumbent)	
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Edgardo "Eddie" Perez (R)	
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44th Senate District

Sally J. Turner (R) (incumbent)	
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45th Senate District

Joseph H. "Joe" Berning (D)	
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Andrew S. Chesney (R) (incumbent)	
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47th Senate District

Neil Anderson (R) (incumbent)	
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48th Senate District

Doris Turner (D) (incumbent)	
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Frank Lesko (R)	
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50th Senate District

Jil Tracy (R) (incumbent)	
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51st Senate District

Chapin Rose (R) (incumbent)	
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53rd Senate District

Chris Balkema (R)	
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54th Senate District

Steve McClure (R) (incumbent)	
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56th Senate District

Marsia Geldert-Murphey (D)	
Kevin Hall (D)	

Erica Harriss (R) (incumbent)	
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57th Senate District

Christopher Belt (D) (incumbent)	
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Daniel Rhyne (R)	
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59th Senate District

Tamiko "T.C." Mueller (D)	
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Paul Jacobs (R) (incumbent)	
Stephen Vercellino (R)	

State Representatives**1st Representative District**

Guadalupe "Lupe" Rivera (D)	
Aaron M. Ortiz (D) (incumbent)	

2nd Representative District

Elizabeth "Lisa" Hernandez (D) (incumbent)	
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Laura Hruska (R)	
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3rd Representative District

Eva-Dina Delgado (D) (incumbent)	
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4th Representative District

Lilian Jimenez (D) (incumbent)	
Kirk J. Ortiz (D)	

5th Representative District

Kimberly Neely DuBuclet (D) (incumbent)	
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6th Representative District

Sonya Marie Harper (D) (incumbent)	
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7th Representative District

Emanuel "Chris" Welch (D) (incumbent)	
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8th Representative District

John Harrell (D)	
Jill Bush (D)	

Shantel Franklin (D)	
Latonya Mitts (D)	

9th Representative District

Yolonda Morris (D)	
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10th Representative District

Jawaharial "Omar" Williams (D) (incumbent)	
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11th Representative District

Ann M. Williams (D) (incumbent)	
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12th Representative District

Litcy Ludvic Kurisinkal (D)	
Paul Kendrick (D)	
Karim Lakhani (D)	
Mac Lebuhn (D)	

Justin J. Kumar (R)	
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13th Representative District

Sunjay Kumar (D)	
Demerike "Demi" Palecek (D)	
James O'Brien (D)	
Adam Braun (D)	
Ridge Knapp (D)	

Terry Nguyen Le (R)	
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14th Representative District

Kelly M. Cassidy (D) (incumbent)	
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15th Representative District

Michael J. Kelly (D) (incumbent)	
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16th Representative District

Kevin John Olickal (D) (incumbent)	
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17th Representative District

Jennifer Gong-Gershowitz (D) (incumbent)	
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James "Jim" Geldermann (R)	
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18th Representative District

Robyn Gabel (D) (incumbent)	
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Pete Donaghue (R)	
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19th Representative District

Lindsey LaPointe (D) (incumbent)	
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John "JZ" Zimmers (R)	
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20th Representative District

Brad Stephens (R) (incumbent)	
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21st Representative District

Abdelnasser Rashid (D) (incumbent)	
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Eric Su (R)	
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22nd Representative District

Angie Guerrero-Cuellar (D) (incumbent)	
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Charles A. Spizzirri (R)	
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23rd Representative District

Edgar Gonzalez, Jr. (D) (incumbent)	
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24th Representative District

Theresa Mah (D) (incumbent)	
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25th Representative District

Curtis J. Tarver II (D) (incumbent)	
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Antoinette Jewel Simmons (R)	
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26th Representative District

Kam Buckner (D) (incumbent)	
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Kenya Franklin (D)	
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27th Representative District

Justin Q. Slaughter (D) (incumbent)	
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28th Representative District

Robert "Bob" Rita (D) (incumbent)	
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29th Representative District

Thaddeus Jones (D) (incumbent)	
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30th Representative District

William "Will" Davis (D) (incumbent)	
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31st Representative District

Michael "Mike" Crawford (D)	
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32nd Representative District

Lisa J. Davis (D)	
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33rd Representative District

Marcus C. Evans, Jr. (D) (incumbent)	
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34th Representative District

Cleopatra "Cleo" Cowley (D)	
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Aja Kearney (D)	
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35th Representative District

Mary Gill (D) (incumbent)	
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David A. Dewar (R)	
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Charles (Chuck) Lay (R)	
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36th Representative District

Rick Ryan (D) (incumbent)	
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David Sheppard (R)	
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37th Representative District

Patrick Sheehan (R)	
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38th Representative District

Debbie Meyers-Martin (D) (incumbent)	
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39th Representative District

Will Guzzardi (D) (incumbent)	
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Cesar A. Guillen (R)	
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40th Representative District

Miguel Alvelo-Rivera (D)	
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Jaime M. Andrade, Jr. (D) (incumbent)	
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41st Representative District

Janet Yang Rohr (D) (incumbent)	
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Ajay Gupta (R)	
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42nd Representative District

Margaret A. DeLaRosa (D)	
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Lynn LaPlante (D)	
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Stephanie W. Trussell (R)	
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43rd Representative District

Anna Moeller (D) (incumbent)	
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44th Representative District

Fred Crespo (D) (incumbent)	
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Ralph Black (R)	
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45th Representative District

Martha "Marti" Deuter (D)	
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Gina Parrilli (R)	
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46th Representative District

Diane Blair-Sherlock (D)	
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Pedro Jovany Mendoza (R)	
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47th Representative District

Erica Bray-Parker (D)	
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Robert A. Vrankovich (R)	
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48th Representative District

Amanda Zahorak (D)	
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Jennifer Sanalidro (R) (incumbent)	
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49th Representative District

Maura Hirschauer (D) (incumbent)	
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John Paul Augustynowicz (R)	
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50th Representative District

Barbara Hernandez (D) (incumbent)	
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51st Representative District

Jenny Levin (D)	
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Lori Smith (R)	
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52nd Representative District

Erin Chan Ding (D)	
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Maria Peterson (D)	
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Martin McLaughlin (R) (incumbent)	
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53rd Representative District

Nicolle Grasse (D)	
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Elizabeth Bauer (R)	
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54th Representative District

Mary Beth Canty (D) (incumbent)	
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Wayne Keen (R)	
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55th Representative District

Martin J. Moylan (D) (incumbent) <i>*announced his plan for retirement*</i>	
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Justin Cochran (D)	
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Joseph Johnson (R)	
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56th Representative District

Michelle Mussman (D) (incumbent)	
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Edward "Ed" Lapinski (R)	
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57th Representative District

Tracy Katz Muhl (D) (incumbent)	
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Daniel T. Behr (R)	
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58th Representative District

Bob Morgan (D) (incumbent)	
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59th Representative District

Daniel Didech (D) (incumbent)	
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60th Representative District

Rita Mayfield (D) (incumbent)	
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61st Representative District

Joyce Mason (D) (incumbent)	
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Tina Marie Durrant (R)	
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62nd Representative District

Laura Faver Dias (D)	
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63rd Representative District

Steven Reick (R) (incumbent)	
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64th Representative District

AJ Johnson (D)	
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Tom Weber (R) (incumbent)	
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65th Representative District

Ricky Rivard (D)	
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Dan Ugaste (R) (incumbent)	
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66th Representative District

Suzanne Ness (D) (incumbent)	
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Laurie Parman (R)	
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67th Representative District

Maurice A. West II (D) (incumbent)	
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68th Representative District

Dave Vella (D) (incumbent)	
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Kathy Easton (R)	
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69th Representative District

Peter Janko (D)	
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Joe C. Sosnowski (R) (incumbent)	
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70th Representative District

Veronica Garcia-Martinez (D)	
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Jeff Keicher (R) (incumbent)	
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71st Representative District

Kermit Thomas (D)	
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Dan Swanson (R) (incumbent)	
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72nd Representative District

Gregg Johnson (D) (incumbent)	
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73rd Representative District

Nicole Dopler (D)	
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Ryan Spain (R) (incumbent)	
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74th Representative District

Nolan Kemp (D)	
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Bradley J. Fritts (R)	
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75th Representative District

Caroline McCree (D)	
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Jed Davis (R) (incumbent)	
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76th Representative District

Amy "Murri" Briel (D) (incumbent)	
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Liz Bishop (R)	
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Crystal Loughran (R)	
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77th Representative District

Norma Hernandez (D) (incumbent)	
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Anthony Airdo (R)	
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78th Representative District

Camille Lilly (D) (incumbent)	
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Julian-Jahleel Randolph Jemison (R)	
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79th Representative District

Robert S. Ellington-Snipes (D)	
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Jackie Haas (R) (incumbent)	
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80th Representative District

Anthony DeLuca (D) (incumbent)	
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Adam M. Beaty (R)	
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81st Representative District

Anne Stava (D) (incumbent)	
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Laura Hois (R)	
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82nd Representative District

Nicole La Ha (R) (incumbent)	
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83rd Representative District

Matt Hanson (D) (incumbent)	
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Jesse Rodriguez (R)	
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84th Representative District

Saba Haider (D)	
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Jared Ploger (D)	
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Brian Scopa (R)	
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85th Representative District

Dagmara "Dee" Avelar (D) (incumbent)	
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Chris Metcalfe (R)	
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86th Representative District

Lawrence "Larry" M. Walsh, Jr. (D) (incumbent)	
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87th Representative District

William E Hauter (R) (incumbent)	
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88th Representative District

Regan Deering (R)	
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89th Representative District

Victoria Onorato (R)	
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Tony M. McCombie (R) (incumbent)	
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90th Representative District

John Ping (D)	
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John M. Cabello (R) (incumbent)	
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91st Representative District

Sharon Chung (D) (incumbent)	
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92nd Representative District

Jehan Gordon-Booth (D) (incumbent)	
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93rd Representative District

Zoey Renee Carter (D)	
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Travis Weaver (R) (incumbent)	
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94th Representative District

Norine K. Hammond (R) (incumbent)	
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Joshua S. Higgins (R)	
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Bailey Templeton (R)	
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95th Representative District

Mike Coffey (R) (incumbent)	
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96th Representative District

Sue Scherer (D) (incumbent)	
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97th Representative District

Harry Benton (D) (incumbent)	
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Gabby Shanahan (R)	
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98th Representative District

Natalie A. Manley (D) (incumbent)	
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Nona Parker (R)	
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99th Representative District

Kyle A. Moore (R) (incumbent)	
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100th Representative District

Christopher "C.D." Davidsmeyer (R) (incumbent)	
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101st Representative District

Douglas Fagan (D)	
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Chris G. Miller (R) (incumbent)	
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102nd Representative District

Adam M. Niemerg (R) (incumbent)	
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103rd Representative District

Carol Ammons (D) (incumbent)	
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104th Representative District

Mary Catherine Roberson (D)	
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Brandun Schweizer (R) (incumbent)	
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105th Representative District

Lisa Diana Tejada (D)	
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Tim Ruestman (R)	
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106th Representative District

Jason R. Bunting (R) (incumbent)	
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107th Representative District

Brad Halbrook (R) (incumbent)	
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John Hauge (R)	
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108th Representative District

Wayne A. Rosenthal (R) (incumbent)	
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109th Representative District

Charlie Meier (R) (incumbent)	
Zachary Meyer (R)	

110th Representative District

Blaine Wilhour (R) (incumbent)	
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111th Representative District

Rosetta "Rosie" Brown (D)	
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Amy Elik (R) (incumbent)	
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112th Representative District

Katie Stuart (D) (incumbent)	
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Jimmy Ford (R)	
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113th Representative District

Jay C. Hoffman (D) (incumbent)	
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114th Representative District

George McClellan Jr. (D)	
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Kevin Schmidt (R) (incumbent)	
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115th Representative District

David H. Friess (R) (incumbent)	
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116th Representative District

Angela Evans (R)	
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Dave Severin (R) (incumbent)	
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117th Representative District

Patrick Windhorst (R) (incumbent)	
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118th Representative District

Homer "Chip" Markel (D)	
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Joe DeBose (R)	
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Scott Doody (R)	
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Harold J. Visser (R)	
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Dayton Loyd (R)	
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