



WHICH MEMBERS OF THE 119TH CONGRESS AREN'T RETURNING FOR THE 120TH CONGRESS?

Updated as of: July 7th, 2025

With only 1 year until the 2026 elections for the House of Representatives and the Senate, the number of current members who are not seeking re-election is growing. Check out the Congressmembers who will not be joining the 120th Congress below.

	House of Representatives	Senate
Retiring	2 Democrats, 2 Republicans	4 Democrats, 2 Republicans
Seeking Other Office	7 Democrats, 8 Republicans	0 Democrats, 1 Republican
Departed Early	2 Democrats, 1 Republicans	None as of Updated Date
TOTAL	11 Democrats, 11 Republicans	4 Democrats, 3 Republicans

SENATE

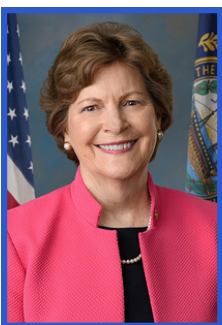


Senator Dick Durbin (D-IL): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Originally elected in 1996; re-elected in 2020 with 54.9% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: [Solid Democrat](#)

Committee Assignments: Chair of the Judiciary Committee. Member of the Appropriations and Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committees.

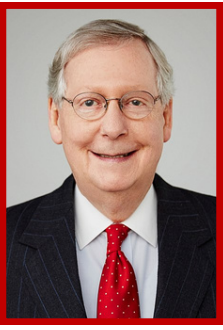


Senator Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2008; re-elected in 2020 with 56.6% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: [Leans Democrat](#)

Committee Assignments: Member of the Committees on Foreign Relations, Appropriations, Armed Services, Small Business and Entrepreneurship, and the Select Committee on Ethics.



Senator Mitch McConnell (R-KY): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Originally elected in 1984; re-elected in 2020 with 57.8% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican.

Committee Assignments: Chair of the Senate Rules and Administration Committee. Member of the Appropriations Committee and the Select Committee on Intelligence.



Senator Thom Tillis (R-NC): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2014; re-elected in 2020 with 48.7% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Toss Up

Committee Assignments: Member of the Senate Armed Services Committee; Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs.



Senator Tommy Tuberville (R-AL): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2020 with 60.1% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Leans Republican

Committee Assignments: Member of the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; Committee on Armed Services; Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions, Committee on Veterans' Affairs

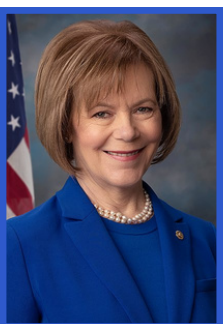


Senator Gary Peters (D-MI): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2014; re-elected in 2020 with 49.9% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Leans Democrat

Committee Assignments: Chair of the Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee. Member of the Appropriations, Armed Services, and Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committees.



Senator Tina Smith (D-MN): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Appointed in 2018 to fill the vacancy left by Senator Al Franken; won the 2018 special election with 53.0% of the vote and re-elected in 2020 with 48.7% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Leans Democrat

Committee Assignments: Member of the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; Member of the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.



Representative Andy Barr (R-KY-6): Running for Senate in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2012; re-elected in 2022 with 63.4% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committees: Member of the Financial Services Committee, Foreign Affairs Committee, and the Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party.



Representative Don Bacon (R-NE-2): Retiring from Public Office.

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2016; re-elected in 2024 with 50.9% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Toss Up

Committees: Member of the House Committee on Agriculture and the House Committee on Armed Services.



Representative Andy Biggs (R-AZ-5): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2016; re-elected in 2024 with 60.4% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committees: Chairman of the Judiciary Subcommittee on Crime and Federal Government Surveillance. Member of the House Judiciary Committee and the House Oversight and Accountability Committee.

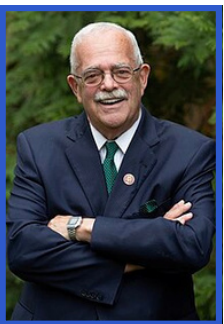


Representative Buddy Carter (R-GA-1): Running for Senate in 2026.

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2014; re-elected in 2024 with 62.0% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committee Assignments: Member of the House Committee on Energy and Commerce and the House Budget Committee.



Representative Gerry Connolly (D-VA-11): Retiring from Public Office.

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2008; re-elected in 2024 with 66.7% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Democrat

Committee Assignments: Ranking Member of the House Oversight and Accountability Committee; Member of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.



Representative Angie Craig (D-MN-02): Running for Senate in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 55.5% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Leans Democrat

Committees: Member of the Energy and Commerce Committee; Member of the Agriculture Committee.



Representative Byron Donalds (R-FL-19): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2020; re-elected in 2024 with 66.3% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committees: Member of the House Committee on Oversight and Accountability; Member of the House Committee on Financial Services.



Representative Dwight Evans (D-PA-03): Retiring from Public Office

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2016 (defeating incumbent Chaka Fattah in the Democratic primary); re-elected in 2024 with 95.1% of the vote, running unopposed.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Democrat

Committees: Member of the House Ways and Means Committee.



Representative Randy Feenstra (R-IA-04): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2020; re-elected in 2024 with 67.0% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committees: Member of the House Agriculture Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee.



Representative Josh Gottheimer (D-NJ-05): Running for Governor 2025

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2016; re-elected in 2024 with 54.6% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Leans Democrat

Committees: House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence; House Financial Services Committee



Representative Mark Green (R-TN-07): Retiring from public office.

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 59.5% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committees: Chairman of the House Homeland Security Committee; Member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee.



Representative Raúl Grijalva (D-AZ-07): Deceased

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2002; re-elected in 2024 with 63.4% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Democrat

Committees: Ranking Member of the House Natural Resources Committee; Member of the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.



Representative John James (R-MI-10): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2022; re-elected in 2024 with 51.1% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Toss Up

Committee Assignments: Member of the House Energy and Commerce Committee



Representative Dusty Johnson (R-SD-AL): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018 with 60.3% of the vote; re-elected in 2020 with 81.0% and again in 2022 with 77.4%; most recently re-elected in 2024 with 72.0% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committee Assignments: Member of the House Agriculture Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee.



Representative Robin Kelly (D-IL-02): Running for Senate in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in a 2013 special election; re-elected in 2024 with 67.5% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Democrat

Committees: Member of the Energy and Commerce Committee; Member of the Oversight and Government Reform Committee.



Representative Raja Krishnamoorthi (D-IL-08): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2016; re-elected in 2024 with 57.1% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Democrat

Committees: Member of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, Committee on Oversight and Accountability, and Select Committee on Strategic Competition Between the U.S. and the Chinese Communist Party.



Representative Chris Pappas (D-NH-01): Running for Senate in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 54% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Toss Up

Committees: Member of the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Member of the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs; Member of the House Committee on Small Business.



Representative John Rose (R-TN-06): Running for Governor in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 68.0% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Solid Republican

Committees: Member of the House Financial Services Committee; Member of the House Agriculture Committee.



Representative Mikie Sherrill (D-NJ-11): Running for Governor in 2025

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 56.5% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: Leans Democrat

Committees: House Select Committee on Strategic Competition between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party



Representative Haley Stevens (D-MI-11): Running for Senate in 2026

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 58.2% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: [Solid Democrat](#)

Committees: Member of the House Committee on Science, Space & Technology, House Committee on Education & Labor, and Select Committee on the Strategic Competition Between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party



Representative Sylvester Turner (R-TX-18): Deceased

Electoral History: Originally elected to the U.S. House in 2024; won the general election with 69.4% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: [Solid Democrat](#)

Committees: Member of the Homeland Security Committee and the Science, Space, & Technology Committee.



Representative Michael Waltz (R-FL-06): Resigned, Appointed as National Security Advisor

Electoral History: Originally elected in 2018; re-elected in 2024 with 66.5% of the vote.

Cook Political Report Rating: [Solid Republican](#)

Committees: Member of the House Committee on Armed Services; Member of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs; Member of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence; Member of the Committee on Oversight and Accountability