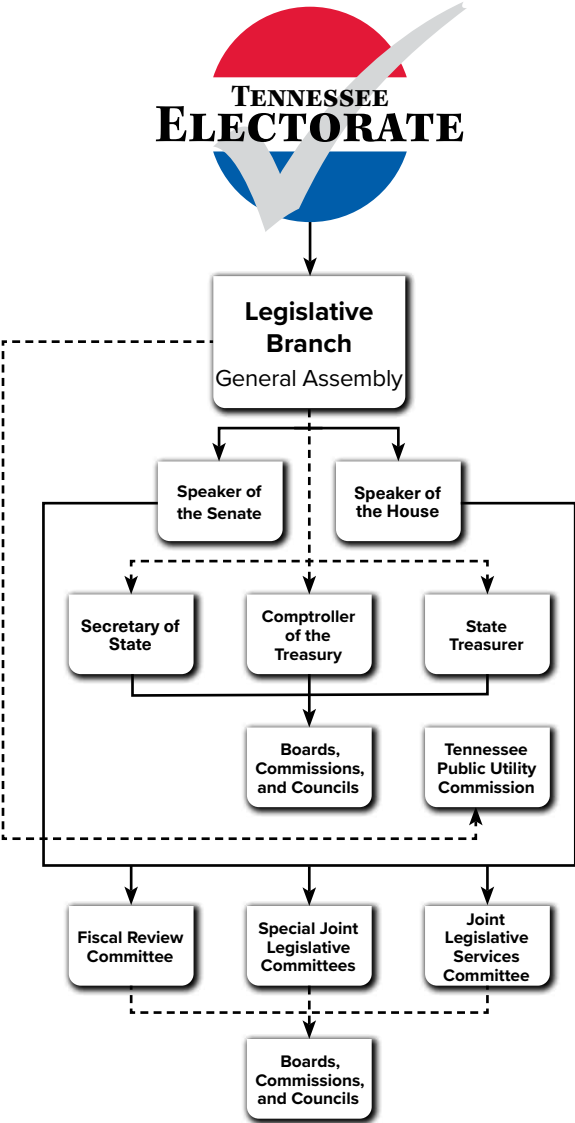






SECTION I

Legislative Branch



Introduction

Tennessee's legislative branch of government consists of a bicameral General Assembly with a Senate and House of Representatives. This structure has existed since the Assembly's first meeting in Knoxville in the winter of 1796, just before Tennessee became the 16th state in the Union. Members of the General Assembly, or Legislature, are elected by popular vote from districts across the state. Legislators are part-time lawmakers who live in their district and know the local issues.

The primary function of the General Assembly is lawmaking. The Legislature enacts laws, provides a forum for debate, and secures financing for the operation of state government. The Tennessee Constitution requires that the annual budget of state government be balanced—spending no more money than it collects. The legislative and executive branches work together to ensure that each year's budget balances. The General Assembly reviews and revises the governor's proposed budget and passes tax laws to provide needed revenue. The Constitution specifies the size of the legislature, requiring ninety-nine members in the House and prohibiting the Senate membership from exceeding one-third of the House membership. Thus, the Senate has thirty-three members. Within the other forty-eight bicameral state assemblies (Nebraska is the only state with a unicameral legislature), representation varies from between twenty to sixty-seven senators and forty to 400 representatives.

The General Assembly convenes in the State Capitol building in Nashville on the second Tuesday in January of each odd-numbered year. The body may take up to fifteen consecutive calendar days to organize. Many preparations for the deliberative sessions are accomplished during the organizational session: the election of the officers of each house; the election of constitutional officers; naming of committee chairmen and committee membership by the speakers of the House and Senate; the appointment of the House clerk, assistant clerk, and engrossing clerk by the speaker of the House and the appointment of persons for these positions in the Senate by the speaker of the Senate; and the inauguration of the governor, when appropriate.

The secretary of state, the comptroller of the treasury, and the treasurer are the legislative constitutional officers, with roles specifically laid out in the Tennessee Constitution. A joint convention of the House and Senate, meeting in the chamber of the House of Representatives and presided by the lieutenant governor, elects the secretary of state to a four-year term and the comptroller of the treasury and the treasurer to two-year terms.

Once organized, the General Assembly is required to begin its session the following Tuesday and is limited to ninety legislative days over a two-year period. After completing its legislative work in an odd-numbered year, the body is adjourned by the speakers to a specified date the following year. When work is completed in the second year of a General Assembly, it adjourns sine die. The legislature may be called into an Extraordinary Session by the governor or by the two speakers at the request of two-thirds of the members of each house. During such a session, the legislature may consider only the matters that have been predetermined and placed on the agenda.

Legislation may originate in either the House or the Senate but may be amended, rejected, or ignored by the other body. General legislation is introduced in the form of a bill and is subject to a time limit. Bills must be introduced by the tenth legislative day of the session, unless an extension is granted by two-thirds of the originating

body. After the third legislative day, senators are restricted to the introduction of no more than nine bills. For a bill to become a law, it must be considered and passed on three different legislative days in each house. On the third and final consideration, a bill must receive approval of a majority of the members from each house, or fifty votes in the House and seventeen in the Senate. After the majority passes a bill, the legislation is signed by each speaker and then sent to the governor for his signature. The governor may veto such legislation, returning it to the house from which it originated, and stating his reasons for disapproval in writing. Each house may override a veto with a simple majority vote, and the bill will become law.

If the governor receives a bill passed by the General Assembly and does not act upon it within ten days, not including Sundays, the legislation becomes law without his signature. If the General Assembly adjourns within the ten-day period, the bill will become law unless the governor files objections with the secretary of state within the time limit.

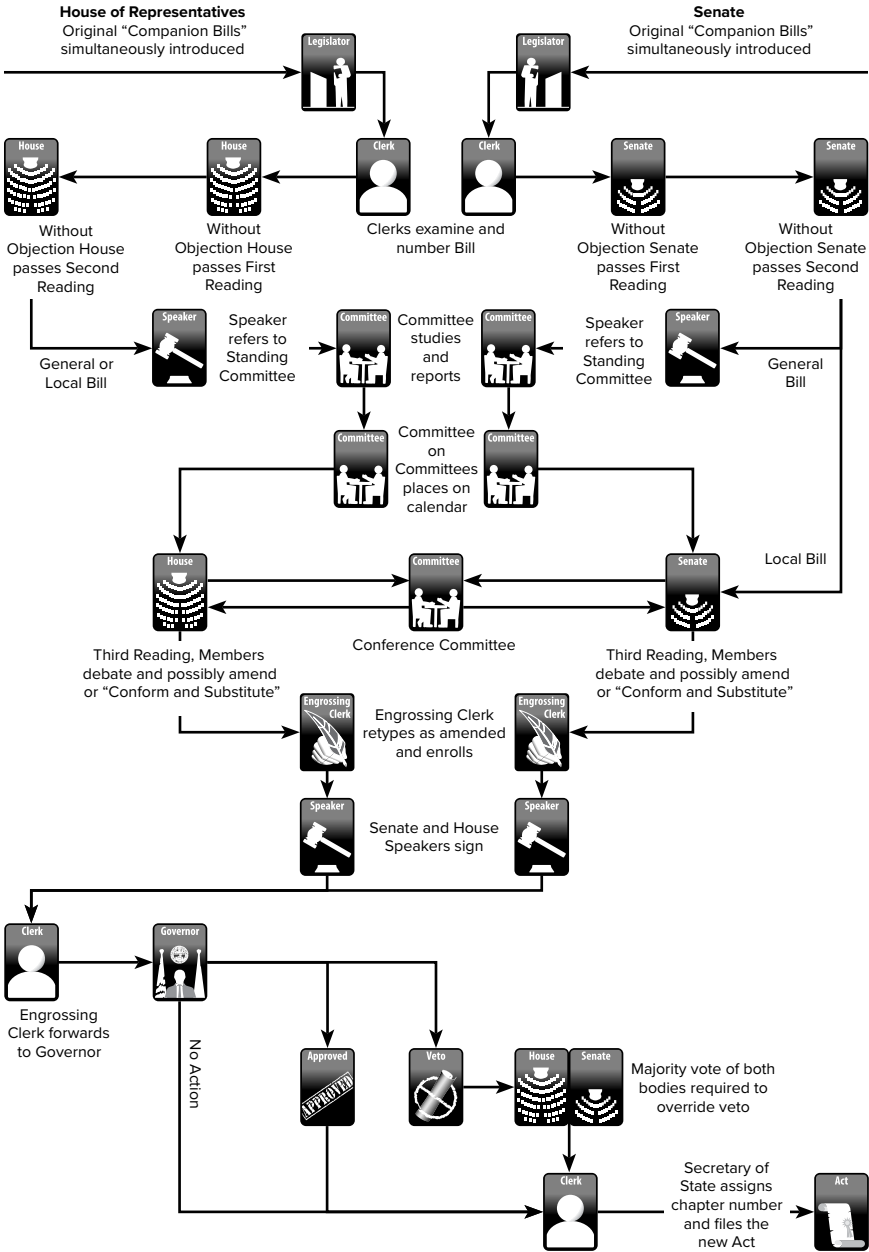
Legislative districts are apportioned by the General Assembly on the basis of population and must be substantially equal. The U.S. Supreme Court has stated that “as nearly as is practicable, one man’s vote is to be worth as much as another’s.” Reapportionment is required by both the U.S. Constitution and the Tennessee Constitution at ten-year intervals following the national census, and at other such times when required by the federal courts on evidence of malapportionment.

There are several ways to accomplish reapportionment. Most states use national census data to redraw congressional and legislative districts. In Tennessee, both the House and Senate direct a committee or legislative staff to draw district lines based upon census data. Each body’s plans are submitted to the other for approval.

The Tennessee Legislature has a distinguished history. A number of its former members have achieved national political prominence and positions of authority in the nation. Of the three presidents Tennessee has contributed—Andrew Jackson (1767–1845), James K. Polk (1795–1849), and Andrew Johnson (1808–1875)—two were former state legislators. Polk began his public career when elected to the state Legislature in 1823, and Johnson was mayor of Greeneville before being elected to several terms in the state Legislature.

David Crockett (1786–1836), famed pioneer and soldier, was elected to the General Assembly in 1821. Joseph W. Byrns (1869–1936) was elected to the state House of Representatives in 1895, served as speaker during a third term in 1899, and was elected to the U.S. Congress in 1909, where he served fourteen terms and was elected speaker of the House by the 74th Congress. Cordell Hull (1871–1955), who served as U.S. Secretary of State longer than any other person in American history, began his political career as a member of the Tennessee House in 1892. In more recent times, the late Congressman Joe L. Evins of Smithville, the late Congressman Howard Baker, Sr., of Huntsville, the late Congressman James H. Quillen of Kingsport, former Congressman Harold Ford, Sr., of Memphis, the late Congressman and Governor Ray Blanton of Adamsville, former Congressman William Boner of Nashville, former Congressman John Tanner of Union City, former Congressman Lincoln Davis of Pall Mall, U.S. Senator Marsha Blackburn of Brentwood, former Congressman David Davis of Johnson City, Congressman Steve Cohen of Memphis, former Congressman Diane Black of Gallatin, Congressman Tim Burchett of Knoxville, and Congressman Mark Green of Clarksville are among those who have gone to Congress after service in the Tennessee General Assembly.

How a Bill Becomes a Law in the General Assembly





Senate

The upper house of Tennessee's General Assembly is called the Senate. One senator is elected from each of the state's thirty-three senatorial districts (see map at the end of this section). Senators are elected to four-year terms, with those from even-numbered districts elected in presidential election years and those representing odd-numbered districts elected two years later. Thus, about half of the thirty-three senators are standing for election at the same time. Tennessee's senatorial term is the same as thirty-seven other states. Reelection to the Senate is constitutionally permissible, as it is in the House, and there is no limit on the number of terms a legislator may serve.

The qualifications for election to the Senate are set forth in the Tennessee Constitution which states, "No person shall be a senator unless he shall be a citizen of the United States, of the age of thirty years, and shall have resided three years in this state, and one year in the county or district, immediately preceding the election."

The leader of the Senate, or speaker, is also the state's lieutenant governor. The speaker of the Senate is elected by the Senate at each organizational session of the General Assembly. The lieutenant governor stands in immediate succession to the governorship.

The Senate has certain powers and obligations that are different from those of the House of Representatives. The Senate is given the power to try impeachment proceedings initiated by the House. Any officer of the state may be impeached, but two-thirds of the Senate must concur for removal from office.

After the general election, the Senate is the sole judge of the qualifications of its members and may determine its own rules of proceedings. The Senate, like the House, is free to adopt resolutions regarding virtually any issue concerning the state, country, or world community.

Senate Leadership

The Tennessee Constitution mandates that the members of the Senate shall choose a speaker. Article III, Section 12 of the Constitution also provides that the speaker of the Senate shall assume the office of the governor in the event of a vacancy. By statute, the speaker of the Senate holds the office of lieutenant governor of the state of Tennessee. As speaker of the Senate, responsibilities include maintaining order in the Senate chamber and the direct supervision of the chief sergeant-at-arms of the Senate. The speaker also has the power of appointment of all officers and members of Senate committees, unless otherwise directed by the Senate. In making appointments, the speaker is to consider the abilities, preferences, and seniority of members, as well as the political party representation in the Senate. Likewise, the speaker possesses the power of removal from committee positions and serves as a member of all Senate standing committees. The speaker serves as co-chairman of the Joint Legislative Services Committee, which oversees offices that provide services to the General Assembly, and must approve, in concurrence with the speaker of the House, the directors of the offices of Legislative Information Services, Legal Services, Legislative Administration, and Legislative Budget Analysis. The speaker is an ex officio member of several boards and committees, including the Fiscal Review Committee, the Tennessee Mental Health Board, and the Council

on Pensions. He also chairs the State Building Commission meetings. The speaker signs all acts, proceedings, or orders of the Senate and is in charge of all facilities, professional and clerical staffs, custodians, and security personnel of the Senate.

The speaker of the Senate selects a speaker pro tempore to serve a two-year term. In the absence of the speaker of the Senate, the speaker pro tempore presides over the Senate. The speaker pro tempore performs duties assigned by the speaker of the Senate and serves at the pleasure of the speaker.

The deputy speaker is appointed to a two-year term by the speaker of the Senate. The deputy speaker helps schedule and guide the flow of legislation on the floor, assists the speaker in the administrative decisions of the Senate, and serves as a liaison with regional and national legislative bodies.

Two leaders are chosen: one for the Republican Party and one for the Democratic Party. The leaders rally support of legislation in the Senate and work closely with the House leadership to develop political strategy. This position is elected by their respective caucuses.

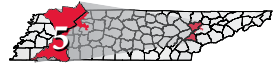
The Senate caucus chairs preside at Senate caucus meetings and at joint caucus meetings of the Senate and House. Two chairs are chosen: one for the Republican Party and one for the Democratic Party. The caucus chairs attend leadership meetings of the Senate. It is the chairs' responsibility to see that all caucus meetings are conducted in a fair and orderly fashion. The chairs, along with other party legislative leaders, keep party members of the House and Senate informed of issues facing the caucus.





Randy McNally

Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the Senate



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Biographical Information: Tennessee's fiscal conscience, Lt. Governor Randy McNally is the second Republican Tennessee Senate Speaker in modern history and the first from Anderson County in nearly 150 years. As chair of the Senate's Finance, Ways and Means Committee for a decade, McNally oversaw the General Assembly's only constitutionally prescribed duty: the passage of a balanced budget. His work on the Finance Committee in both the House and the Senate has been his passion and where he made his greatest impact on the state. Recognized across the state as a finance and budget expert, McNally's leadership has been critical in keeping Tennessee's budget in balance and its "Triple-A" credit rating.

Service in Public Office: Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the Senate; Past - Chair: Senate Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Chair: Senate Education Committee; Vice-Chair: State Building Commission; 1st Vice-Chair: Senate Rules Committee; Secretary: Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee; Member: Senate Environment, Conservation and Tourism Committee; Senate Health and Welfare Committee; House Conservation and Environment Committee; House Education Committee; House Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Joint Pensions and Insurance Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Member: Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (TACIR).

Awards and Honors: Regional Chair, National Lieutenant Governors Association, 2020–2021; Executive Committee, Republican Lieutenant Governors Association, 2017–2021; Champion of Victims' Rights Award, Marsey's Law, 2020; Executive Committee, National Lieutenant Governors Association, 2017–2019; Public Leadership in the Arts Award for State Arts Leadership, Americans for the Arts, 2019; Patriotic Employer Award, Department of Defense, 2019; Legislative Award,

Mental Health America, 2019; Compassion Award, Emory Valley Center, 2018; Good Scout Award, Great Smoky Mountain Council Boy Scouts, 2018; Public Service Leadership Award, University of Memphis, 2018; Thomas B. Murphy Service Award, Council of State Governments' Southern Legislative Conference, 2017; Distinguished Alumni Award, University of Tennessee College of Pharmacy, 2017; Public Service Award, Rotary Club of Oak Ridge, 2017; Lifetime Achievement Award, Anderson County Republican Party, 2017; Save-A-Student Award, EEOG, 2017; Emergency Number Association Award, 2016; NASS Medallion Award, 2015–2016; Honored by Lenoir City for his service, 2014; Tennessee Community of Organizations' Award of Excellence, Legislator of the Year, 2013; Legislator of the Year Distinguished Service Award, Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers, 107th General Assembly; CASA President's Award, 2012; Legislative Hero Award, Tennessee Association of Mental Health Organizations, 2012; Appreciation of Distinguished Service Award, Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, 2012; Small Business Guardian, National Federation of Independent Business, 2012; Legislator of the Year, Tennessee CASA Association, 2011; Tennessee Men's Health Network Outstanding Legislative Leadership, 2010; Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police Legislative Award, 2010; Open Government Award, Tennessee Press Association, 2009; Outstanding State Senator, County Officials Association of Tennessee, 2006; Legislator of the Year, Junior League of Tennessee, 2005; Tennessee Organization of School Superintendents' Legislative Award, 2004; Legislative Award, Tennessee School Boards Association, 2004; Rotary Vocational Service Award, 2001; Distinguished Service Award, U.T. College of Pharmacy, 1996; Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary International, 1996; Bill Bates Award, 1994; MADD Outstanding Legislator, Distinguished Service Award, 2004 and 1994; Distinguished Service Award, American Council on Alcohol Problems, 1994; "Bird Dog" Award, Common Cause, 1994; Sertoma Man of the Year, 1991; Republican Legislator of the Year, 1990.

Membership History: Senate: 95th through 112th General Assemblies; House: 91st through 94th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Anderson, Loudon, and part of Knox.

Religion: Catholic.

Staff for the Office of the Speaker and Lieutenant Governor

Rick Nicholson

Chief of Staff

Born June 10, 1972, Memphis, TN; Free Will Baptist; B.S., Psychology, Tennessee State University; Copy Clerk, 1992–1993; Bill Clerk, Office of the Chief Clerk of the Senate, 1994–1997; Assistant Chief Clerk of the Senate, 1998–2001; Research Analyst, Senate Education Committee, 2001–2005; Research Analyst, Senate Republican Caucus, 2006; Research Analyst, Senate Finance, Ways and Means Committee, 2007–2012; Senate Director, Legislative Office of Budget Analysis, 2012–2017; Appointed Chief of Staff to Lt. Governor Randy McNally, 2017.



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Born August 6, 1976, Highland Park, IL; Married: Wife, Sherry; Catholic; B.A., Political Science, Vanderbilt University; Web Producer, WKRN-TV, 2006–2008; Post Politics Editor, SouthComm, Inc., 2008–2010; Columnist, *Nashville City Paper*, 2009–2010; “Best Political Blogger” Best in Nashville Award, *Nashville Scene*, 2006 & 2007; Committee Member, Wilson County Fair, 2017–2021; Communications Director, Office of Lt. Governor Ron Ramsey, 2011–2017; Appointed Communications Director to Lt. Governor Randy McNally, 2017.

**Debbie Martin***Executive Assistant to the Lieutenant Governor*

Born December 28; Married: Husband, Tracy; Children: Daughter, Diana; Grandchildren, Olivia & Benjamin; Baptist; B.A., Belmont College, Business Administration; Executive Assistant, Tennessee Preparatory School, 1983–1999; Office Manager, Gallatin Public Defender, 2000–2001; Assistant to the Pastor, Long Hollow Baptist Church, 2001–2004; Administrative Assistant, Tennessee Senate, 2004–2005; Executive Assistant, Public Defenders Conference, 2005–2008; Executive Secretary, Office of Senator Randy McNally, 2008–2017; Appointed Executive Assistant to Lt. Governor Randy McNally, 2017.

**Chase Johnson***Senior Advisor*

Born July 12, 1982, Hendersonville, TN; Married: Wife, Becky Jane; Children: Daisy Jo, Royce, and Adler; Missionary Baptist, Ordained Preacher; B.S., Political Science, University of Tennessee at Martin, 2004; Bill Clerk, Office of the Chief Clerk of the Senate, 2005; Research Analyst, Senate Environment, Conservation and Tourism Committee, 2006; Press Secretary, Senate Republican Caucus, 2007; Research Analyst, Senate Commerce and Labor Committee, 2008; Legislative Assistant, Tennessee General Assembly, 2009–2016; Research Analyst, Senate Government Operations Committee, 2017–2019; Research Analyst, Senate Judiciary Committee, 2019–2020; Appointed Senior Advisor to Lt. Governor Randy McNally, 2020.

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Clerk's Office

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Chief Clerk of the Senate

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Alan Whittington

Deputy Chief Clerk

Born September 13, 1974, Bowling Green, KY; Methodist; B.S., Marketing, Western Kentucky University; Tennessee Government Management Institute, Class of 2003; Donelson/Hermitage Leadership, Class of 2003/2004; Tennessee Government Executive Institute, Class of 2014; Member, American Society of Legislative Clerks and Secretaries; Bill Clerk, 2001; Assistant Chief Clerk, 2002–2011; Appointed Deputy Chief Clerk of the Senate, 2012.



Jordan Young
Chief Engrossing Clerk



Nanette Mitchell
Journal Clerk



Ann Marie Walp
Senior Policy Advisor



Don Keaton
Chief Sergeant-at-Arms



Cory Russell
Executive Protection Unit



Marcus Pyle
Executive Protection Unit

112th General Assembly

Senate Leadership

Randy McNally, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the Senate
Ferrell Haile, Speaker Pro Tempore
Janice Bowling, Deputy Speaker
Jon C. Lundberg, Deputy Speaker

Republican Caucus

Jack Johnson
Republican Leader
Ken Yager
Republican Caucus Chairman
Ferrell Haile
Republican Caucus Treasurer
Dawn White
Republican Caucus Secretary
Shane Reeves
Republican Caucus Chaplain

Democratic Caucus

Jeff Yarbro
Minority Leader
Raumesh A. Akbari
Democratic Caucus Chairman

Standing Committees

Commerce and Labor – Chairman: Paul Bailey; First Vice-Chairman: Art Swann; Second Vice-Chairman: Frank Niceley; Raumesh A. Akbari; Jack Johnson; Shane Reeves; Steve Southerland; Bo Watson; and Ken Yager.

Education – Chairman: Brian Kelsey; First Vice-Chairman: Jon C. Lundberg; Second Vice-Chairman: Raumesh A. Akbari; Mike Bell; Dewey “Rusty” Crowe; Ferrell Haile; Joey Hensley; Bill Powers; and Dawn White.

Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources – Chairman: Steve Southerland; First Vice-Chairman: Frank Niceley; Second Vice-Chairman: Mark A. Pody; Janice Bowling; Heidi Campbell; Shane Reeves; Katrina Robinson; Paul Rose; and Page Walley.

Finance, Ways and Means – Chairman: Bo Watson; First Vice-Chairman: John D. Stevens; Second Vice-Chairman: Joey Hensley; Todd Gardenhire; Brenda Gilmore; Ferrell Haile; Jack Johnson; Jon C. Lundberg; Dawn White; Ken Yager; and Jeff Yarbro.

Government Operations – Chairman: Kerry Roberts; First Vice-Chairman: Ed Jackson; Second Vice-Chairman: Janice Bowling; Mike Bell; Heidi Campbell; Dewey “Rusty” Crowe; Sara Kyle; Mark A. Pody; and Paul Rose.

Health and Welfare – Chairman: Dewey “Rusty” Crowe; First Vice-Chairman: Ferrell Haile; Second Vice-Chairman: Shane Reeves; Joey Hensley; Ed Jackson; Becky Duncan Massey; Art Swann; Bo Watson; and Jeff Yarbro.

Judiciary – Chairman: Mike Bell; First Vice-Chairman: Dawn White; Second Vice-Chairman: Paul Rose; Todd Gardenhire; Sara Kyle; Jon C. Lundberg; Kerry Roberts; Katrina Robinson; and John D. Stevens.

State and Local Government – Chairman: Richard Briggs; First Vice-Chairman: Todd Gardenhire; Second Vice-Chairman: Page Walley; Ed Jackson; Brian Kelsey; Sara Kyle; Bill Powers; Ken Yager; and Jeff Yarbro.

Transportation and Safety – Chairman: Becky Duncan Massey; First Vice-Chairman: Bill Powers; Second Vice-Chairman: Mark A. Pody; Paul Bailey; Janice Bowling; Richard Briggs; Brenda Gilmore; Frank Niceley; and John D. Stevens.

Select Committees

Calendar – Chairman: Ed Jackson; First Vice-Chairman: Jack Johnson; and Second Vice-Chairman: Jeff Yarbro.

Ethics – Chairman: Ferrell Haile; First Vice-Chairman: John D. Stevens; Raumesch A. Akbari; Jack Johnson; and Steve Southerland.

Rules – Chairman: Bo Watson; First Vice-Chairman: Richard Briggs; Ferrell Haile; Brian Kelsey; and Jeff Yarbro.

Senate Membership

Political makeup of the Senate of the 112th General Assembly, at the time of publication, is 27 Republicans (24 men and 3 women) and 6 Democrats (1 man and 5 women).

Photographs and biographical sketches of the senators of the 112th General Assembly appear on these pages.





Ferrell Haile D.Ph.

Speaker Pro Tempore

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Community Service: Member: Sumner County Farm Bureau; Gallatin Morning Rotary Club (Member: 2001–2021; President: 2008); Gallatin Rotary Club, Noon (Member: 1988–2001, 2021–present; President: 1999); Board Member: Christian Towers, Gallatin, 2005–2014; President: Southeast Community Fire Department, 2002–present; Board Member: World Christian Broadcasting, Nashville, 2004–2014; Member: Sumner County Board of Health, 1996–2013; 2014 College of Pharmacy at Lipscomb University Affiliate Faculty Member; Leadership Sumner alumni; Member: Gallatin Chamber of Commerce; Hendersonville Chamber of Commerce; Portland Chamber of Commerce; White House Chamber of Commerce; Westmoreland Chamber of Commerce; Donelson-Hermitage Chamber of Commerce; Trousdale Chamber of Commerce; Tennessee Cattlemen's Association; NRA.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Ethics Committee; 1st Vice-Chair: Health and Welfare Committee; Member: Education Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee;

Rules Committee; Speaker Pro Tempore; Republican Senate Caucus Treasurer; Past - Deputy Speaker of the Senate.

Awards and Honors: Eagle Scout; Paul Harris Fellow, Rotary International; CSG Toll Fellow; TN Chamber of Commerce and Industry Award, 2014; The Arc of Tennessee Legislative Award Recipient, 2015; NFIB Guardian of Small Business, 2016; TN CASA Association, Legislator of the Year, 2017; Distinguished Gallatin High School Alumnus, 2018; Veranda Ministries Hidden Hero Award, 2018; Tennessee Association of Recovery Court Professionals (TARCP) Rod Bragg Recovery Hero Award, 2018; The American Conservative Union Foundation Conservation Achievement Award, 2018; Tennessee Pharmacists Association Shelby Rhinehart Award, 2019; Tennessee Optometrists Association Statesman of the Year, 2019; Good Scout Award, 2019; Bridges Legislative Hero, 2019.

Membership History: 107th; 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

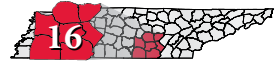
Counties Represented: Sumner, Trousdale, and part of Davidson.

Religion: Christian, Church of Christ.

Janice Bowling

Deputy Speaker

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Personal Information: Married to Temple Bowling, IV since 1969; Children: Son, Temple V, and wife, Kimberly; Daughter, Elizabeth; Son, Jonathan, and wife, Jackie; Seven grandchildren; Graduate of Auburn University with a B.S. in Special Education; Member: Grace Baptist Church.

Community Service: Life Member: National Rifle Association; Charter Member: Motlow State Community College Ladies' Philanthropic Society; Member: The Southern Tennessee Ladies' Society; Serves or has served on multiple Boards of Directors: Arnold Community Council (twice President), Coffee County Senior Citizens, Multi-County Cancer Support Network; President: Tennessee Backroads Heritage; Executive Board President: South Jackson Civic Center Association; President: Coffee and Moore County Salvation Army Service Unit; Vice-Chairman: Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD) Region Six.



Service in Public Office: Chair: Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; 2nd Vice-Chair: Government Operations Committee; Member: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Transportation and Safety Committee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Deputy Speaker; Past - 15 years as Alderman of Tullahoma (mayor pro-tem one term); Airport Authority Planning Commission; Tullahoma Utility Board; Chair: Policy Committee; Housing Authority; Coffee County Joint Economic and Community Development Committee.

Awards and Honors: Air Force Materiel Command Community Liaison for Arnold Engineering Development Complex; University of Tennessee Space Institute Support Council; Graduate, National Security Forum; Tennessee State Guard; Tennessee Forestry Association Legislator of the Year, 2018; Upper Cumberland, South Central, and Southeast Development Districts Legislator of the Year, 2018; Tennessee

Republican Party Statesman of the Year, 2011; Upper Cumberland and Southeast First Tennessee Development Districts Legislator of the Year, 2014; Southeast Tennessee Development District Legislator of the Year, 2015; South Central Human Resource Agency Legislator of the Year, 2014, 2015; Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry "Tennessee Champion of Commerce," 2013, 2014; Tennessee Municipal Electric Power Association Power of Excellence Award, 2015.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Coffee, Franklin, Grundy, Marion, Sequatchie, Van Buren, and Warren.

Religion: Christian.

Jon C. Lundberg

Deputy Speaker

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Republican Party; American Legislative Exchange Council; United States Naval Institute; Naval Reserve Association; Reserve Officers Association; 32nd Degree Mason; National Conference of State Legislatures; National Conference of State Legislatures' Law, Criminal Justice and Public Safety Committee; Lifetime Member: National Rifle Association; Bloomingdale Ruritan; National Network of Legislators in the Military; Southern Legislative Conference Education Committee; Tennessee Supreme Court Board of Professional Responsibility.

Service in Public Office: 1st Vice-Chair: Education Committee; Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Judiciary Committee.

Awards and Honors: Multiple awards from the Public Relations Society of America; Rod Irving Excellence in PR award; Multiple awards from the American Advertising Federation; AAA Legislator of the Year; AMVETS Legislative Silver



Bayonet Award; National Federation of Business, Guardian of Freedom; Humane Society Legislator of the Year (three times); County Officials Association, Outstanding Representative; American Academy of Pediatrics Tennessee Chapter, Legislator of the Year; First Tennessee Development District, Legislator of the Year (three times); American Conservative Union award of Excellence (multiple); Tennessee Chamber of Commerce, Tennessee Champion of Commerce (multiple); Tennessee Independent Colleges and Universities Legislator of the Year.

Membership History: Senate: 110th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 105th through 109th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Johnson, Sullivan, and part of Carter.

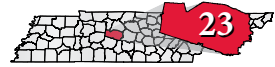
Religion: Presbyterian.

Jack Johnson

Majority Leader

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Commerce; Williamson County
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Lifetime Member: National Rifle
Association; Aircraft Owners and
Pilots Association; BrightStone Board
of Directors; Former Advisory Board
Member: Williamson County Child
Advocacy Center.

Service in Public Office: Senate
Republican Majority Leader;
Member: Finance, Ways and
Means Committee; Commerce
and Labor Committee; Council
on Pensions; Appropriations
Subcommittee; Ethics Committee;
Calendar Committee; Capitol
Commission; Coronavirus Economic
Recovery Group.



Awards and Honors: 2021 Associated Builders and Contractors Legislator of the Year Award; 2019–2020 National Association of Secretaries of State, Medallion Award for Steadfast Fiscal Leadership; 2019 Tennessee Association of Property Tax Professionals Legislator of the Year; 2019 *Nashville Post* Leaders in Charge - Government & Politics; 2018 Provision Healthcare Impact Award for Tennesseans; 2014 "Champion of Commerce" Award, Tennessee Chamber of Commerce; 2014 Legislator of the Year, National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies; 2012 National Federation of Independent Business Guardian of Small Business Award; 2011 Davidson County Republican Party Governor Winfield Dunn Leadership

Award; 2011 Williamson County Republican Party Centennial Reagan Day Award for Outstanding Conservative Leadership; 2010 Council of State Governments Henry Toll Fellowship Program; 2008 Southern Leadership Conference Center for Advanced Leadership Skills; American Conservative Union Foundation Award for Conservative Achievement.

Membership History: 105th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Williamson.

Religion: Attends Grace Chapel Church in Leiper's Fork.

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Community Service: Christ Church Cathedral, past Sunday School teacher and Stewardship Co-Chair; Chair: Tennessee College of Applied Technology Advisory Board; Metro Nashville Economic Inclusion Advisory Committee; Board of Directors: South Nashville Central Business Improvement District; Metro Nashville Criminal Justice Fines and Fees Steering Committee; Tennessee Technology Access Program Statewide Advisory Council; Nashville Bar Association; Tennessee Bar Association; Board of Directors: Metropolitan Transit Authority, 2009–2014; Casa Azafran, past Capital Campaign Co-Chair; Volunteer: American Red Cross; Board of Selectors: Jefferson Awards Foundation.



Service in Public Office: Member: Calendar Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Health and Welfare Committee; Rules Committee; State and Local Government Committee; Minority Leader; Information Systems Council; Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Tennessee Complete Count Committee for Census 2020; Joint Ad Hoc Committee to Review Data Privacy Issues; Chronic Weight Management Task Force; Tennessee Legislative Sportsmen's Caucus; Joint Foster Care and Adoption Caucus; National Conference of State Legislatures; Natural Resources & Infrastructure Committee, Budgets & Revenue Committee, Redistricting & Elections Committee; Southern Legislative Conference, Fiscal Affairs & Governmental Operations Committee; Council of State Governments, Governing Board.

Awards and Honors: Aspen Institute - Rodel Fellowship in Public Leadership; NewDeal Leaders; Council of State Governments, Toll Fellowship; 2011 *Nashville Business Journal* "40 Under 40" Award; The Academies of Nashville Awards, 2014 CEO Champions Award; TN Health Care Campaign 2015 Award; National Alliance on Mental Illness, 2016 Public Policy Award; 2017 Tennessee AFL-CIO Legislative Leadership Award; Tennessee Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, 2017 Appreciation Award.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Episcopalian.

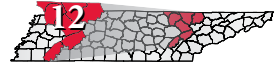
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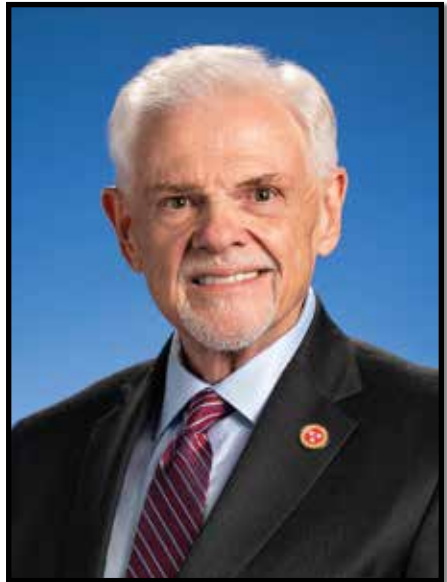
Married

Political Party:

Republican

Personal Information: Married to the former Malinda Raby, Oliver Springs; Two children, Rev. Bonnie-Marie Yager-Wiggan and Dr. William Ashton Wise Yager; J.D., University of Memphis, 1977; M.S., University of Tennessee at Martin, 1972; B.A., University of Tennessee at Martin, 1969. Senator Yager resides in Kingston with his wife, Malinda, and enjoys frequently hiking in his beautiful district.

Community Service: Board Member and Former Chairman: Community Reuse Organization of East Tennessee; Member: Dayton Rotary Club; Rockwood Civitan Club; Chambers of Commerce of Oak Ridge, Dayton, Spring City, Campbell, Fentress, Morgan, Pickett, Roane, and Scott Counties; Gideon; Southgate Lodge No. 569 F & AM; Life Member: National Rifle Association.



Service in Public Office: Senate Republican Caucus Chairman; Member: Commerce and Labor Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; State and Local Government Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Executive Board Member: Southern States Energy Board; 2019 Executive Committee Member: Southern Legislative Conference; Vice-Chair of the Energy & Environment Committee, Southern Legislative Conference; NCSL; Senate Representative: Southern States Energy Board; Roane County Executive, 1982–2006; Roane County Attorney, 1978–1982; Chairman: Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (Member: 1995–1998 and 2002–2006); Tennessee Commission on Aging and Disability; Tennessee Workforce Board, 1995–1998.

Awards and Honors: 2021 Tennessee Community Organizations Tribute Award; 2020 Conservation Legislator Award, Tennessee Wildlife Federation; 2018 Veterinarians

Legislator of the Year; 2017 TENCO Legislator of the Year; 2017 Distinguished Service Award, Tennessee Ambulance Association; 2017 Legislator of the Year Award, Southeast Tennessee Development District; 2016 Dr. T.K. Hutchinson Award, Tennessee Electric Cooperatives; 2016 Legislator of the Year Award, Southeast Tennessee Development District; 2016 Friend of Conservation Award, Morgan County Soil Conservation District; 2016 Advocate of the Year Award, Roane County Anti-Drug Coalition; 2015–2016 NASS Medallion Award, Tennessee Secretary of State Tre Hargett; 2015 Public Service Award, Scott County Chamber of Commerce; 2015 Appreciation Award, Tennessee Development District Association; 2014 Open Government Award, The Tennessee Press Association; 2014 Legislator of the Year Award, TN 911; 2014 Good Scout Award, Great Smoky Mountains Council, Boy Scouts of America; 2014 Appreciation Award, ETPA-TAPP; 2013 Republican of the Year Award, Roane County Republican Party; 2013 Legislator of the Year Award, Greater Nashville Regional Council; 2013 Legislator of the Year Award, East Tennessee Development District; 2013 Legislator of the Year Award, Southeast Tennessee Development District; 2012 Tennessee Sheriffs' Association Award; 2011 Legislator of the Year Award, East Tennessee Development District; 2011 Checks and Balances Award, Tennessee County Services Association; 2009 Legislator of the Year Award, Tennessee Association of Community Action Agencies; 2010 Hall of Fame Award, The Bridge at Rockwood, Tenn.; 2006 Distinguished Service Award, Roane County Chamber of Commerce.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

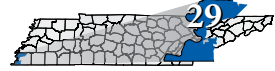
Counties Represented: Campbell, Fentress, Morgan, Pickett, Rhea, Roane, and Scott.

Religion: Baptist.

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Community Service: Chairwoman: Senate Democratic Caucus; Member: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators; Financial Secretary: National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Board Member: State Legislative Leaders Foundation; Financial Secretary: National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women; State Leader: Women in Government; Democratic Party of Shelby County; Democratic Women of Shelby County; NAACP; Board Member: Emerge Tennessee; Board Member: Downtown Memphis Commission; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated; The Links, Incorporated; Bertelsmann Foundation, Congressional European Parliamentary Initiative 2020; Commissioner, The President's Commission on White House Fellowship.



Service in Public Office: 2nd Vice-Chair: Education Committee; Member: Commerce and Labor Committee; Ethics Committee; Democratic Caucus Chairman; Past Democratic Caucus Floor Leader; Past Chairman: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators (2017–2019).

Awards and Honors: 2021 President's Award, National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., Memphis Chapter; Speaker, Democratic National Convention, 2020; NewDEAL Leaders; German Marshall Fund, Marshall Memorial Scholar 2019; 2019 Legislator of the Year, The National Association of Social Workers, TN Chapter; 2018 Leadership Tennessee; The *Memphis Business Journal's* 2018 "40 Under 40" List;

2018 Transatlantic Inclusion Leaders Network; 2018 Barack Obama Award, Shelby County Young Democrats; 2017 Leadership Memphis; Speaker, 2016 Democratic National Convention, Philadelphia, PA; 2016 Region IX Legislator of the Year Award, National Black Caucus of State Legislators; 2016 Woman of the Year, National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women; 2016 Reformer Award, National Juvenile Justice Network; 2016 Mothers of the NILE Advocate Award, Mothers of the NILE Inc.; 2015 American Council for Young Political Leaders; 2015 Henry Toll Fellow, The Council of State Governments; 2015 Emerging Leader, The State Legislative Leader's Foundation; 2014 Spark Award, National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women; The *Memphis Flyer's* 2014 "20 under 30" Award; 2017 "Representative Able Mable Thomas Award," SisterReach, Memphis; 2017 President's Award, National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc., Memphis Chapter; 2017 Leader Award, "Legends and Leaders Awards," *The New Tri-State Defender*, Memphis.

Membership History: Senate: 111th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 108th through 110th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Baptist.

Senate Members

Paul Bailey

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Community Service: Former Chairman: White County Commission; Tennessee Farm Bureau; Tennessee Cattlemen’s Association; FACCT; Tennessee Quarter Horse Association; American Quarter Horse Association; National Reined Cow Horse Association; NRA; NFIB; Member: Bledsoe, Cumberland, Jackson, Overton, Putnam, and White County Chambers of Commerce; NWTF; Former Chair: White County Republican Party; Former President: White County Fair Board.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Commerce and Labor Committee; Member: Council on Pensions; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Transportation and Safety Committee.

Awards and Honors: 2015 and 2017 Legislator of the Year, Upper Cumberland Development District; 2018 TN District Attorneys General Public Safety Advocate Award; 2016 and 2019 TN State Fair Celebrity Cow Milking Champion; 2018 TN Road Builders Association Legislator of the Year; 2017 TN Telecommunications Association Senator of the Year; 2012 NRCHA Stock Horse Person of the Year.

Membership History: Senate: 109th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 108th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Bledsoe, Cumberland, Jackson, Overton, Putnam, and White.

Religion: Christian, Lighthouse Church.

Mike Bell



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Community Service: Member: Tennessee Farm Bureau; McMinn County Republican Party; Athens Area Chamber of Commerce; Etowah Chamber of Commerce; Cleveland/Bradley County Chamber of Commerce; Meigs County Chamber of Commerce; Monroe County Chamber of Commerce; Polk County Chamber of Commerce; National Wild Turkey Federation; National Rifle Association; Ducks Unlimited; Co-Chair of the Tennessee Sportsmen’s Caucus.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Judiciary Committee; Member: Education Committee; Government Operations Committee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee.

Membership History: Senate: 107th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 105th through 106th General Assemblies.

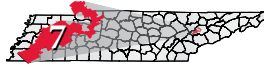
Counties Represented: McMinn, Meigs, Monroe, Polk, and part of Bradley.

Religion: Christian/Baptist.

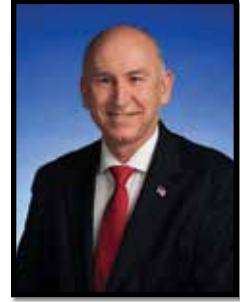
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Community Service: Knoxville Area Project Access; Haiti Emergency Medical Relief Group following 2010 earthquake; Board of Directors: University of Tennessee Clarence Brown Theater, 2009–2011; President: Knoxville Academy of Medicine, 2009; Board of Trustees: Tennessee Medical Association, 2008–2016 (Vice-Chairman of the Board, 2012); Chief of Staff: St. Mary's Medical Center, Knoxville, 2002; Board of Directors: St. Mary's/Tennova Medical Center, 2003–2017; Chairman: American Heart Association of Knox County "Go Red for Women"; Knoxville Chamber of Commerce Legislative Committee, 2015–present.

Service in Public Office: Chair: State and Local Government Committee; Member: Rules Committee; Transportation and Safety Committee; Policy Council Member: East TN Development District; Executive Committee Member: East TN Human Resources Agency; Member: Child Fatality Prevention Team; Human Trafficking Advisory Council; Past - Knox County Board of Commissioners, 2008–2014; Knox County Pension Board, 2010–2014; Board of Directors: Development Corporation of Knox County, 2010–2014; Knox County Ethics Committee, 2009–2013; Board Member: East Tennessee Health Information Network, 2010–2013.

Awards and Honors: 1991 Bronze Star, Operation Desert Storm; Graduated with Highest Honors, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, 1978; Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society; 2006 Hero Award, Tennessee Hospital Association; 2008 Distinguished Service Award, Tennessee Medical Association; 2009 Healthcare Hero Award, *Knoxville Business Journal*; 2009 Outstanding Alumni Award, American Association of Community Colleges; 2015 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics; 2015 Voice of Recovery Award, Tennessee Association of Alcohol, Drug & Other Addiction Services; 2015 Coverage for All Award, Tennessee Health Care Campaign; 2016 Public Policy Advocacy Award, National Alliance on Mental Health Tennessee; 2016 Award of Appreciation, East Tennessee Historical Society; 2017 Leadership Award, Children's Healthcare Is a Legal Duty; 2018 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Licensed Professional Counselors Association & Tennessee Association for Marriage and Family Therapy; 2018 Mental Health Legislative Champion, Mental Health America; TN Conservation Voters Service Award for Dedication to Environmental Issues, 2021.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Methodist.

Heidi Campbell

District: 20



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Community Service: Chair: Davidson County Delegation; Founder and Chair: Children First Montessori Board; Board Member: Stepping Stone Theater; Member: Davidson County Waste Board; Member: Greater Nashville Regional Council; Member: Middle Tennessee Mayors Caucus; Founder: Clean for the Green; Metro Transit Alliance Academy; Board of Metropolitan Planning Organization South Corridor Task Force; Founder and Chair: Franklin Pike Multi-modal Task Force; Southern Legislative Council Environment Committee; Tennessee Women in Green; Sierra Club; Team Manager: Tennessee Soccer Club; Save the Children.

Service in Public Office: Member: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Government Operations Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Two-term Mayor: Oak Hill, Tennessee; One-term Vice Mayor: Oak Hill, Tennessee; District Council Member: St. Paul, Minnesota.

Awards and Honors: St. Paul, Minnesota Citizen of the Year; Dixie District Mixed Quartet Champion; Boxhill Debate Champion.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

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Personal Information: Wife, Dr. Sarah Barron; Children, Dr. Katie Broyles and John; B.S., East Tennessee State University; J.D., Atlanta Law School; Veteran, United States Army, Southeast Asia.

Community Service: Member: Johnson City Lions Club; American Legion Post 24.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Health and Welfare Committee; Member: Education Committee; Government Operations Committee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Governor’s Council for Armed Forces, Veterans, and Their Families.

Awards and Honors: 1993 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Human Resource Agency; 1994 State Senator of the Year, First District Tennessee Christian Coalition; 1995 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee School Board Association; 1997 and 2003 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Development District Association; 2011 Legislator of the Year Victory Award, Tennessee Association of Mental Health; 2014 Legislative Leadership Award, Tennessee Men’s Health; 2014 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Cancer Coalition; Melvin Jones Fellow; 2015 Legislator of the Year, First Tennessee Development District; 2015 Southeastern Association of Area Agencies on Aging “Aging Impact (Regional) Award”; 2016 Tennessee Federation for the Aging’s “Legislative Aging Champion Award”; The Legislative Silver Bayonet Award from the Tennessee AMVETS; Tennessee Association of Optometric Physicians 2018 Statesman of the Year Award; Senator Douglas Henry Jr. Inaugural Memorial Service Award; 2018 American Conservative Union; 2018 NFIB Guardian of Small Business Award.

Membership History: 97th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Unicoi, Washington, and most of Carter.

Religion: Methodist.

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Personal Information: Wife, Sylvia; Four children; Five grandchildren; Graduate: Chattanooga High School, 1967; Bachelor of Science (Business Administration), University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, 1972.

Community Service: Board Member: Awakening, Inc., 1994–present; National Rifle Association; Hamilton County Pachyderm Club; President: VISTA Hospital Systems, Inc., California, 1991–1992; Board Chairman: Downtown General Hospital, Chattanooga, 1988–1992; Inducted to the Tennessee Society of Sons of the American Revolution, 2013. Former Board Member: Bethel Bible Village, 2000–2008; University of Tennessee at Chattanooga Alumni Council, 1993–1996; Health Care Facilities Board of Licensing, appointed by Tennessee Governor Don Sundquist, 1998–2002; U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Regional Advisory Council on Housing, appointed by Raymond A. Harris, Regional Administrator - Regional Housing Commissioner, 1989–1991; Board of Directors Downtown Kiwanis Club, 1988–1990; Hamilton County Air Pollution Control Board, appointed by Mayor Gene Roberts, 1985–1991; Hamilton County-Erlanger Hospital Financial Review Board, appointed by County Executive Dalton Roberts, 1982–1983; U.S.S. Tennessee Commission Committee, appointed by Governor Ned McWherter, 1987; Tennessee State Employment and Training Council, appointed by Governor Lamar Alexander, 1982.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Joint Fiscal Review Committee; 1st Vice-Chair: State and Local Government Committee; Member: Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Judiciary Committee; Former 2nd Vice-Chair: Education Committee; Statewide Delegate, GOP Convention, pledge to Senator John McCain, 2008; Co-Chairman: Tennessee Bush/Quayle, 1988; Co-State Chairman: Kemp for President, 1988; Republican State Executive Committee, 1982–1986; White House Advance Team for the President, 1983–1984; White House Advance Team for the First Lady, 1984–1988; Delegate, GOP Convention, pledge to President Reagan (elected statewide), 1984; Delegate, GOP Convention, pledge to Governor Reagan (elected statewide), 1980; Alternate Delegate, GOP Convention; Co-State Chairman: Reagan for President, 1976 and 1980; Pledge to Governor Ronald Reagan, 1976; Naval War College, Annual Current Strategic Forum, 1983.

Awards and Honors: Presented with the “Great American Award” by Awakening, Inc., 2018; Former Presidential Appointee, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC) Advisory Committee, 2006–2010; Chairman: PBGC, appointed by President George W. Bush by executive order, 2007–2010; Chairman: ERISA Advisory Council, appointed for the 2005 session by U.S. Secretary of Labor; ERISA Advisory Council for the 2004

session, appointed Vice-Chairman by U.S. Secretary of Labor; Washington Impact Player of the Year, Institutional Investment News, 2004; Investment Management Representative, U.S. Department of Labor, 2003–2005; Investment Counseling Representative, U.S. Department of Labor, 1985–1987.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Parts of Bradley and Hamilton.

Religion: EPC Presbyterian.

Brenda Gilmore

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Community Service: Former President: C.A.B.L.E.; Chairman: Nominating Committee, League of Women Voters; Nashville Women Political Caucus; Lifetime & Executive Board Member: NAACP; Tennessee State University Alumni Association; Former President: National Hook-Up of Black Women; Member: Vice President of Music City Chapter of Links; Top Ladies of Distinction; Former Tennessee State Coordinator of Social Action: Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Former President: Minerva Foundation Board; Senior Expo, 2003–2004; Former Advisory Board Member: Junior League; Former President and Chairman: Senior Citizens, Inc.; Board Member: YMCA; Former Trustee: Belmont University; Chairman: Capital Campaign and Board Member Emeritus, Northwest YMCA; Member and Advisory Board: FiftyForward Bordeaux; Metro Nashville Board Member: Greenways & Parks & Recreation; Board Member: Urban League of Middle Tennessee; Advisory Board Chair: Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation; Executive Board Member: National Black Caucus of State Legislators (NBCSL); State Director: Women in Government (WIG); Member: Southern Legislative Conference Fiscal Affairs & Government Operations Committee (SLC); Executive Board Member: National Caucus of Environmental Legislators (NCEL).

Service in Public Office: Member: Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Transportation and Safety Committee; Revenue Committee; Member: Tennessee Community Resources Board; Past - Nashville Metro Council, 1999–2007 (reelected August 2003–2007); Former Chairman: Davidson County Delegation, 2010–2012; Co-Chairman: STEM, 2012; Former Chairman: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators.

Awards and Honors: Numerous awards including being inducted into the YWCA Academy for Women of Achievement; Harriet Foley Volunteer Award; YMCA Volunteer of the Year; Thurgood Marshall Community Award; Advocacy Award, Metro Human Relations Commission. Nationally: Former President: Women's Network, NCSL; Executive Board Member and Former Chair of Housing: NBCSL.

Membership History: Senate: 111th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 105th through 110th General Assemblies.

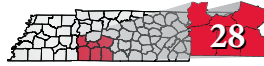
Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Member: Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

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Community Service: Fellow: American Academy of Family Physicians; Member: Tennessee Academy of Family Physicians; Tennessee Medical Association; Lewis County Medical Examiner; Lewis County Health Council; Founding Member: Lewis County Education Foundation; Member: Lewis County Chamber of Commerce; Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce; Maury County Chamber of Commerce; Giles County Chamber of Commerce; Lewis County Youth Council; Airplane Owners and Pilots Association; Tennessee Right to Life; National Rifle Association; NFIB; Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Service in Public Office: 2nd Vice-Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Member: Council on Pensions; Education Committee; Health and Welfare Committee; Past - 2nd Vice-Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; 2nd Vice-Chair: Health and Welfare Committee; Chair: Revenue Subcommittee; Member: Health and Welfare Committee; Education Committee; Republican Caucus Treasurer: 104th through 107th General Assemblies; Assistant Floor Leader: 103rd General Assembly; Former Member and Chairman: Lewis County School Board; Former Member: Lewis County Commission; Former Member and Chairman: TennCare Oversight Committee.

Awards and Honors: 2003 President's Award, Leader/Freshman Category, National Republican Legislators Association; 2004 Legislator of the Year Award, Tennessee Development District Association; 2006 Legislator of the Year Award, National Alliance on Mental Illness; 2006 Legislator of the Year Award, Tennessee Mental Health Consumers' Association; 2006 Cultural Preservation Award, Alliance for Native American Indian Rights of Tennessee; 2008 NFIB Guardian of Small Business Award; 2009 Tennessee Right to Life Legislator of the Year Award; 2009 Lawrence County Right to Life Pro-Life Leadership Award; Tennessee Academy of Family Physicians 2012 Family Physician of the Year Award; 2013 Friend of Business Award, Nashville Area Chamber of Commerce; 2014 Outstanding Legislative Leadership Award, Tennessee Men's Health Network; 2014 Legislator of the Year Award, South Central Tennessee Development District; Tennessee Native American Eagle Award; 2018 Legislator of the Year Award, South Central Development District; 2019 Legend Award, Lewis County Chamber of Commerce; 2019 Tennessee Academy of Family Physicians John S. Derryberry Outstanding Physician Award.

Membership History: Senate: 108th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 103rd through 107th General Assemblies.

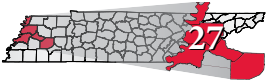
Counties Represented: Giles, Lawrence, Lewis, Maury, Perry, and Wayne.

Religion: Pentecostal.

Ed Jackson

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Political Party: Republican

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Community Service: Board Member: West Tennessee Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America; Former Board Member: Jackson YMCA; 30th Armored Brigade Association; Tennessee National Guard, 30th Armored Brigade; Member: Jackson Rotary Club; Jackson Chamber of Commerce; Crockett County Chamber of Commerce; Dyer County Chamber of Commerce; Ripley Chamber of Commerce; National Rifle Association; Tennessee Firearms Association; Fraternal Order of Police; National Federation of Independent Business; Kappa Sigma Fraternity Alumni; Council of State Governments Henry Toll Fellow; Southwest Tennessee Development District Board Member; West Tennessee River Basin Authority Board Member.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Calendar Committee; 1st Vice-Chair: Government Operations Committee; Member: Health and Welfare Committee; State and Local Government Committee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Commissioner: Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) Commission; Second Look Commission Member; Chair: Veterans Caucus; Chair: Senate Corrections Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Eagle Scout; 2012 Business of the Year, Jackson Chamber of Commerce.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Crockett, Dyer, Lake, Lauderdale, and Madison.

Religion: Church of Christ.

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Community Service: University of Memphis Adjunct Professor of Constitutional Law; Federalist Society Memphis Lawyers Chapter Board Member; Christian Legal Society; Republican National Lawyers Association; Delta Regional Authority Alternate Board Designee; Uniform Law Commissioner.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Education Committee; Member: State and Local Government Committee; Rules Committee; Tennessee Holocaust Commission; Former Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman; Former House Civil Practice Subcommittee Chairman; Former House Republican Floor Leader.

Awards and Honors: Memphis Area Association of Governments: Legislator of the Year - 2018, 2011; American Conservative Union: Conservative Excellence Award - 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019; County Officials Association of TN: Outstanding State Senator - 2013; *Knoxville News Sentinel*: Supermajority Operative of the Year - 2013; National Federation of Independent Business: Guardian of Small Business Award - 2012; Cystic Fibrosis Foundation: Memphis' Finest Young Professionals - 2011; Memphis Area Legal Services: *pro bono* service award - 2008; *Business Tennessee Magazine*: "30 Under 30" - 2005; *Memphis Business Journal*: "Top 40 Under 40" - 2004.

Membership History: Senate: 106th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 104th through 106th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby: Cordova, East Memphis, and Germantown.

Religion: Nondenominational Christian.

Sara Kyle

District: 30

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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Sara Kyle has dedicated her professional life to public service. After graduating Austin Peay State University, she began her career as a public school teacher in Tennessee before becoming a legislative aide to Sen. Anna Belle Clement O'Brien. During her tenure working in the State Senate, she attended law school in Nashville. After graduating, she clerked for the Tennessee Attorney General's office. She served as a judge in Memphis City Court before being the second woman elected statewide in Tennessee to the Public Service Commission in 1994. In 1996, she was appointed to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (TRA), which succeeded the Public Service Commission as the utility regulator for Tennessee's consumers. She served as President of the Southeastern Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (SEARUC), was a member of the National Association of Regulatory & Utility Commissioners (NARUC), and was 1 of 25 in the nation to serve on the Telecommunications Committee. Sara is the mother of four and is married to Shelby County Chancellor Jim Kyle.

Community Service: Sara has been an active member of her community, including various neighborhood and women's organizations, PTA, and volunteering her time as a youth soccer and basketball coach. Her current and previous membership includes the NAACP, the Yellow Rose Society, Kiwanis Club, Tennessee Bar Association, and Memphis Bar Association.

Service in Public Office: Member: Government Operations Committee; Judiciary Committee; State and Local Government Committee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Presbyterian.

Becky Duncan Massey**District: 6**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Husband, Morton; Two daughters, Courtney and Kristen; Granddaughter, Bailey; B.S., Business Administration, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1977.

Community Service: Past President: Tennessee Community Organizations; Member: Tennova Healthcare Board; Habitat Tennessee State Board; University of Tennessee College of Nursing Advisory Board; Downtown Sertoma Club; Leadership Knoxville Class of 2005; Alpha Omicron Pi Alumnae; Knox County Republican Executive Committee; Community Auction Volunteers; Sustaining Member: Akima Club; Co-chaired 1992 Dogwood Arts Festival; Former Girls Softball Coach; Former Girl Scout Leader; Delegate: 1988 Republican National Convention; Former Boards: Overlook Mental Health Center; Dogwood Arts Festival; UT Alumnae Knoxville Chapter; Big Brothers Big Sisters; Knoxville-Knox County Community Action Committee.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Transportation and Safety Committee; Member: Health and Welfare Committee; Chair: Knox County Legislative Delegation; Former Chair: Calendar Committee; Former 2nd Vice-Chair: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Former Secretary: Senate Republican Caucus; Former Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Government Operations Committee; Statewide Planning and Policy Council for the Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities; Statewide Planning and Policy Council for the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services; Tennessee Council on Children's Mental Health; Chair: Tennessee Arts Caucus; Council of State Governments' Finance Committee; Council of State Governments' Future of Work Task Force; Council of State Governments' Tennessee State Director Women in Government; National Conference of State Legislatures' Vice-Chair of the Labor & Economic Development Committee; Vice-Chair: Southern Legislative Conference Economic Development, Transportation & Cultural Affairs Committee; Former: Tennessee Women's Economic Council.

Awards and Honors: Maternal and Child Health Fellow - 2020; The Council of State Governments - Henry Toll Fellow; Leadership Tennessee - Class 3; Southern Legislative Conference Center for the Advancement of Leadership Skills 2019 Class; Advocates for Women's and Kids' Equality's 2019 Advocacy Award; Girl Scouts of the Southern Appalachians 2019 Trefoil Society Honoree; Tennessee Primary Care Association 2018 William V. Corr Award; AARP 2018 Capitol Caregiver Award; Tennessee Veterinary Medical Association 2018 Legislator of the Year

Award; The Arc Tennessee 2016 Legislative Award; Connecting for Children's Justice 2016 Award; Tennessee Disability Coalition 2015 Disability Hero; Tennessee Political Collaborative 2015 Spring Revue Honoree; AAA Tennessee Outstanding Legislator 2015; Disability Rights Tennessee 2014 Freedom Award; Tennessee Community Organizations 2014 Legislator of the Year; Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police 2012 and 2013 Legislative Award; Tennessee Cancer Coalition 2013 Legislator of the Year; Tennessee Association of Optometric Physicians 2012–2013 Legislator of the Year; Alpha Omicron Pi Outstanding Alumnae Award; YWCA Tribute to Women Finalist.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Presbyterian, New Life Gathering.

Frank Niceley**District: 8**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Cynthia; Four children; B.S., University of Tennessee, 1969.

Community Service: Farm Bureau; Tennessee Hunters Alliance; Gun Owners of America.

Service in Public Office: 1st Vice-Chair: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; 2nd Vice-Chair: Commerce and Labor Committee; Member: Transportation and Safety Committee.

Awards and Honors: Conservative of the Year Award, Tennessee Conservative Union, 2012; Legislative Leader Award, Sportsmen's and Animal Owners' Voting Alliance, 2009.

Membership History: Senate: 108th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 96th, 97th, and 104th through 107th General Assemblies.

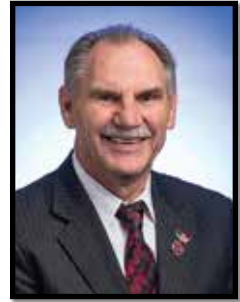
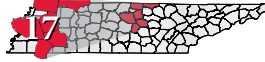
Counties Represented: Claiborne, Grainger, Hancock, Hawkins, Jefferson, and Union.

Religion: Methodist.

Mark A. Pody

District: 17

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married; Two daughters; Twelve grandchildren; Five great-grandchildren.

Community Service: NRA; Tennessee Firearms Association; Lebanon/Wilson County Chamber of Commerce; DeKalb County Chamber of Commerce; Cannon County Chamber of Commerce; Watertown Chamber of Commerce; Mt. Juliet Chamber of Commerce; Smith County Chamber of Commerce; Clay County Chamber of Commerce; Macon County Chamber of Commerce; Lebanon Rotary Club; Civil Air Patrol; National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors; CLU; CHFC; LUTCF; Past President: GAMA; Private Pilot; Gideons International; Lions Club International; Bill Sattler Memorial Foundation for Aerospace Education.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; 2nd Vice-Chair: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; 2nd Vice-Chair: Transportation and Safety Committee; Member: Government Operations Committee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Chairman: Tennessee Legislative Prayer Caucus; Appointed by Lt. Governor McNally to serve as a member of the 2021 Energy & Environment Committee at the Southern Legislative Conference and the 2021 National Conference of State Legislatures' Natural Resources and Infrastructure Committee.

Awards and Honors: Nashville Area Chamber of Commerce 2012 Friend of Business Award for 100 percent voting in the 107th General Assembly; Child Advocacy Award for the 15th Judicial District of Macon, Wilson, Trousdale, Smith, and Jackson Counties; Omicron Delta Kappa Honorarium from Cumberland University; 2016 Freedom Award; 2018 Appreciation Award from the Tennessee Association of Rescue Squads for License Plate Bill; 2020 Appreciation Award from the Fraternal Order of Police; Conservative Achievement Award from the American Conservative Union Foundation; Legislator of the Year from the Tennessee Independent Baptists for Religious Liberty.

Membership History: Senate: 110th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 107th through 110th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cannon, Clay, DeKalb, Macon, Smith, and Wilson.

Religion: Christian.

Bill Powers

District: 22



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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, wife Fran, three adult children; B.A., University of Tennessee, Knoxville, with honors.

Community Service: Elected two terms, Clarksville City Council; Past Chairman: Clarksville Gas & Water; Past Chairman: Board of Zoning Appeals, City of Clarksville; Past Chairman: Clarksville Parks & Recreation; Graduate: Leadership Middle Tennessee; Past Vice President: CMCSS Education Foundation; Past Board of Governors: University of Tennessee; Past Director: CDE/Lightband, City of Clarksville; Economic Development Council, City of Clarksville.

Service in Public Office: 1st Vice-Chair: Transportation and Safety Committee; Member: Education Committee; State and Local Government Committee; Member of the Veterans Caucus.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Houston, Montgomery, and Stewart.

Religion: Methodist.

Shane Reeves

District: 14

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married with three children; Middle Tennessee State University (Bachelor of Science); University of Tennessee School of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.); Pharmacist: Reeves-Sain Family of Medical Services (previous owner); CEO & Pharmacist: TwelveStone Health Partners.

Community Service: Past President: Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce; Past President: Leadership Rutherford; Board Member: Leadership Middle TN; Past Chairman: TN’s National Federation of Independent Business; Service Roles: Blue Raider Athletic Association; Alzheimer’s Association; American Heart Association; American Cancer Society.

Service in Public Office: 2nd Vice-Chair: Health and Welfare Committee; Member: Commerce and Labor Committee; Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee.

Awards and Honors: Tennessee’s Young Pharmacist, 2003; NFIB, Tennessee’s Small Business Champion, 2005; Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce’s “Business People of the Year,” 2012; Fellows Program, Nashville Healthcare Council.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

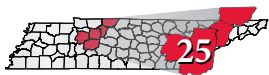
Counties Represented: Bedford, Lincoln, Marshall, Moore, and part of Rutherford.

Religion: Deacon: North Boulevard Church of Christ.

Kerry Roberts**District: 25**

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Dianne; Three children; B.S., Lipscomb University; CPA; Hobbies include farming, antique tractors, Triumph sports cars, and cycling.

Community Service: Tennessee Society of CPAs; National Federation of Independent Business; National Rifle Association; Tennessee Firearms Association; Tennessee Right to Life; Chambers of Commerce for Cheatham County, Dickson County, Hickman County, Humphreys County, Robertson County, and White House, TN; Triumph Wedge Owners Association.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Government Operations Committee; Member: Judiciary Committee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; 2020–2021 Vice-Chair of the Southern Legislative Conference's Fiscal Affairs and Government Operations Committee; 2020 Vice-Chair: Joint Ad Hoc Committee to Study Emergency Powers.

Awards and Honors: 2020 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Chiropractic Association; 2020 Taxpayer Hero, Americans for Prosperity; 2020 100% Voting Record, National Federation of Independent Business; 2020 Regulatory Reform Champion, Americans for Prosperity; 2019 Conservative Achievement Award, American Conservative Union Foundation; 2019 Kentucky Colonel; 2019 Legislator of the Year, American Academy of Pediatrics, TN; 2019 CSG Henry Toll Fellowship Program; 2019 Legislative Award, The Arc Tennessee; 2018 1st Annual Founder's Cup Award, The 917 Society; 2018 Alumnus of the Year, Ohio Valley University; 2018 Award for Conservative Excellence, American Conservative Union; 2018 Champion for Prosperity, Americans for Prosperity; 2018 Legislator of the Year, Foundation for Government Accountability (FGA); 2017 Champion for Prosperity, Americans for Prosperity; 2017 Legislator of the Year, FGA; 2017 Award for Conservative Excellence, American Conservative Union; 2017 Natural Gas Champion, Greater Dickson Gas Authority; 2016 Legislator of the Year, South Central Development District; 2016 Legislator of the Year, Mothers Against Drunk Driving; 2016 Friend of Government Accountability Award, Foundation for Government Accountability; 2016 CMT/ABATE Champion, Concerned Motorcyclists of Tennessee; 2016 Award for Conservative Excellence, American Conservative Union; 2016 Taxpayer Hero, Americans for Prosperity; 2015 Award for Conservative Excellence, American Conservative Union; 2015 Taxpayer Hero, Americans for Prosperity.

Membership History: 107th and 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cheatham, Dickson, Hickman, Humphreys, and Robertson.

Religion: Christian.

Katrina Robinson



District: 33
Memphis, TN

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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Single with two children; Founder: The Healthcare Institute Inc.; B.B.A. in Marketing Management, University of Memphis; B.S. in Nursing, Union University; Graduate: Leadership Memphis.

Community Service: Chair: Shelby County Ethics Commission; U.S. Senator Military Academy Nomination Board; National Organization of Black Elected Legislative (NOBEL) Women; Emerge Tennessee Alum and Advisory Council; SRVS Advisory Board; Shelby County Democratic Party; Democratic Women of Shelby County; National League of Nurses.

Service in Public Office: Member: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Judiciary Committee; Member: Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (TACIR); Secretary: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators; Former Vice-Chair: Shelby County Legislative Delegation; Former Regional Vice-Chair: National Black Caucus of State Legislators.

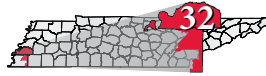
Awards and Honors: 2020 United Way of Tennessee Legislative Champion Award; Small Business Executive of the Year (2019, *Memphis Business Journal*); Living Legend Award (2019, WHS); Woman of the Year - Obama Awards (2018, Young Democrats); Top 40 under 40 (2017, *Memphis Business Journal*); Super Women in Business Executive Profile (2017, *Memphis Business Journal*); Top Young Memphian (2016, *Memphis Crossroads*); Ascend Business Development Program Appointee (2017, Memphis Chamber); Propel Program Graduate (City of Memphis Office of Business Diversity); Woman of Excellence (2016, TSD).

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Paul Rose

District: 32



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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married 48 years to wife, Nancy; Three children, Kate (Erik), Rebecca (Tommy), John Paul (Candace); Six grandchildren; B.A., University of Tennessee at Martin; President, Rose Construction.

Community Service: Chairman: Board of Directors, Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce, 1991–1992; UT Martin Development Committee, 2003–2006; Tennessee Baptist Children's Home Board of Trustees; Dyersburg State Foundation Board (current); Hatchie River Region Boys and Girls Club Board (current).

Service in Public Office: 2nd Vice-Chair: Judiciary Committee; Member: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Government Operations Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Vice-Chair: Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Tipton and part of Shelby.

Religion: Christian.

Steve Southerland**District: 1**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Cheri; Children: Mattea, Tyler, and Mara; Walters State Community College; President, Mortgage 1st Corporation, Morristown, retired.

Community Service: Deacon: Buffalo Trail Baptist Church of Morristown, TN; Member: Rotary Club; Lifetime Member: National Rifle Association.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Member: Commerce and Labor Committee; Ethics Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Member: Natural Resources and Infrastructure Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures; Energy and Environment Public Policy Committee of the Council of State Governments; Agriculture and Rural Development Committee of the Council of State Governments; Tennessee Council for Career and Technical Education; Former Chair: Commerce and Labor Committee; Former Member: Transportation and Safety Committee; Government Operations Committee; Former Chaplain: Senate Republican Caucus; Former Deputy Speaker: Senate, Tennessee General Assembly.

Awards and Honors: 2019 Conservative Achievement Award - The American Conservative Union Foundation; 2018 Public Servant Award - Tennessee Bear Hunters Association; 2018 Legislator of the Year Award - First Tennessee Development District; 2017 Housing Hero Award - HBAT; 2017 Major - Tennessee State Legislative Squadron Civil Air Patrol; 2016 Guardian of Small Business Award - NFIB; 2016 Conservative Excellence Award - American Conservative Union Foundation; 2016 Distinguished Alumni in Civic Achievement Award - Walters State Community College; 2014 Legislator of the Year Award - East Tennessee Development District; 2014 Legislative Friend Award - Tennessee Conservation Voters; 2013 American Council on Germany Climate/Energy Study Participant; 2012 Chinese Embassy Study Tour Participant; 2011 Legislator of the Year Award - Tennessee Forestry Association; 2011 National Rising State Leaders Award - Canadian Embassy; 2007 Outstanding State Senator Award - County Officials Association of Tennessee; 2005 Legislator of the Year Award - Tennessee Development District Association.

Membership History: 103rd through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cocke, Greene, Hamblen, and part of Sevier.

Religion: Baptist, Buffalo Trail Baptist Church.

John D. Stevens

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Marital Status:

Married

Political Party:

Republican



Personal Information: Lives in Huntingdon with his wife, Elicia, and their two daughters, Lexie and Mary Kendall; J.D., University of Memphis; B.S. in Political Science, University of Tennessee at Martin, Cum Laude; Attorney in private practice with emphasis on Estate Planning.

Community Service: Sunday School Leader, First Baptist Church of Huntingdon; Former Chairman: Carroll County Republican Party.

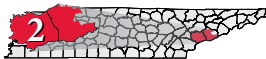
Service in Public Office: 1st Vice-Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; 1st Vice-Chair: Ethics Committee; Member: Council on Pensions; Judiciary Committee; Transportation and Safety Committee; Member: Governor's Task Force on Sentencing and Recidivism, appointed by Governor Bill Haslam; Council of State Governments' Intergovernmental Affairs Committee, appointed by Lieutenant Governor Ron Ramsey; Former Member: Post-Conviction Defender Oversight Commission, appointed by Lieutenant Governor Ron Ramsey.

Awards and Honors: Graduate: Delta Leadership Institute Executive Academy, appointed by Governor Bill Haslam; 2013 Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers "Legislator of the Year"; 2014 Graduate: Henry Toll Fellowship program, a leadership training academy; 2016 Graduate, Emerging Leaders Program at GOPAC; Named a 2014 "Champion of Commerce" by the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce; "Taxpayer Hero" with a 104% rating from Americans for Prosperity; 92% Lifetime rating from the American Conservative Union; 2016 Mothers Against Drunk Driving Legislator of the Year; 2016 "Guardian of Small Business" by the National Federation of Independent Businesses.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Benton, Carroll, Gibson, Henry, Obion, and Weakley.

Religion: Baptist.

Art Swann**District: 2**

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: B.S., University of Tennessee-Martin, 1975; Maryville High School, 1971; Former Vice President of student government at University of Tennessee-Martin.

Community Service: Member: Blount County Chamber of Commerce; Board Member: Tennessee History for Kids; Member: Blount County Republican Party Executive Committee; Former Chairman: Blount County Republican Party; Former Director: Maryville College Building and Grounds Committee; Former Director: Metropolitan Knoxville Airport Authority; Former Board of Directors: Nine Counties One Vision; Former Director: Maryville-Alcoa Home Builders Association; Former Board of Directors: Overlook Mental Health; Former Vice-Chairman: Smoky Mountain Visitors Bureau; Former Member: Tennessee Private Industry Council.

Service in Public Office: 1st Vice-Chair: Commerce and Labor Committee; Member: Health and Welfare Committee; Former 1st Vice-Chair: Senate Transportation and Safety Committee; Former Member: Senate Judiciary Committee; Former Secretary: House Children and Family Affairs Committee; Former House Republican Floor Leader (95th General Assembly); Former Blount County Commissioner.

Awards and Honors: 2020 Friend of the Flame, Tennessee Gas Association; 2019–2020 Guardian of Small Business, NFIB; 2017 Legislator of the Year, East Tennessee Development District; 2016 Inducted into *Maryville Daily Times* Wall of Fame; 2016 Friend of the Flame, Tennessee Gas Association; 2014 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Association of Professional Surveyors.

Membership History: Senate: 110th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 94th, 95th, and 107th through 110th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Blount and part of Sevier.

Religion: Episcopalian.

Page Walley

District: 26

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Terry; Three children; Licensed Minister; Davidson College, A.B., Psychology; University of Georgia, M.S., Ph.D., Clinical Psychology.

Community Service: Former Commissioner: TN Department of Children's Services; Former Commissioner: Alabama Department of Human Resources/Services; Former Vice Mayor and City Council Member of Bolivar; Member: Domestic Violence State Coordinating Council; Member: Second Look Commission for Severe Child Abuse; TN Farm Bureau; Chair: American Insurance Trust; UAB Adjunct Faculty; American Psychological Association; NRA; NFIB.

Service in Public Office: 2nd Vice-Chair: State and Local Government Committee; Member: Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee.

Awards and Honors: University of Georgia Graduate School Alumni of Distinction, 2019; Community Rehabilitation Agencies of Tennessee, Legislator of the Year, 2000; Tennessee Association for Child Care, True Friend to Children, 2000; Tennessee Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics and the Tennessee Pediatric Society, Friends of Children Award, 1999; National Alliance of Mental Illness, Legislator of the Year – Ambassador of Hope Award, 1998; National Alliance of Mental Illness, Legislator of the Year, 1998; Tennessee Association of Human Resources Agencies, Representative of the Year, 1998; Tennessee Forestry Association, Legislator of the Year, 1997; Tennessee Juvenile Court Services Association, Legislator of the Year, President's Award, 1997; Tennessee Association for Child Care, Friends of Children Award, 1997; Tennessee Association of Mental Health Organizations, Legislator of the Year, 1995; Tennessee Psychological Association, Young Psychologist of the Year, 1994; American Psychological Association, Karl F. Heiser Award for Advocacy, 1994; Tennessee Development Districts, Legislator of the Year, 1994; United Tennessee League, Legislator of the Year, 1993.

Membership History: Senate: 112th General Assembly. House: 97th through 101st General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Chester, Decatur, Fayette, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, and McNairy.

Religion: Christian.

Bo Watson**District: 11**P.O. Box 2059
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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: One child; B.A., Biology, Magna Cum Laude, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga; Physical Therapy, University of Tennessee Center for Health Sciences, Memphis.

Community Service: Past Board Member: Wesley Center, UTC; Board Member: Baylor School Alumni Association; Baylor School Board of Trustees; Junior Achievement, Orchard Knob Elementary School; Pachyderm Club; Habitat for Humanity; Past Board Member: American Cancer Society Relay for Life; Past Board Member: University of Tennessee National Alumni Association; American Heart Association volunteer.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Rules Committee; Member: Commerce and Labor Committee; Health and Welfare Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Member: Information Systems Council; State Insurance Committee; Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Board of Trustees Tennessee Promise Trust Fund; National Conference of State Legislatures' Budget and Revenue Committee; Southern Legislative Conference Fiscal Affairs and Government Operations Committee, Economic Development, Transportation and Cultural Affairs Committee, and Human Services and Public Safety Committee; Streamlined Sales Tax Governing Board; Past TN Senate Speaker Pro Tempore.

Awards and Honors: Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Battelle Fellow; National Conference of State Legislatures' Early Learning Fellow; Southern Legislative Conference Center for the Advancement of Leadership Skills Graduate; Tennessee Physical Therapy Association Distinguished Service Award; President's Award, Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy.

Membership History: Senate: 105th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 104th General Assembly.

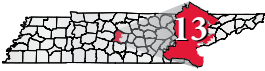
Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

Religion: Christian.

Dawn White

District: 13

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Small Business Owner

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Marital Status: Married

Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Husband, Chad; B.S., Middle Tennessee State University; Master of Education, Middle Tennessee State University; Specialist in Education, Middle Tennessee State University.

Community Service: Board Member: CASA of Rutherford County; Saint Thomas Rutherford Ambassadors; Member: LifePoint Church; BRAA (Blue Raider Athletic Association); Smyrna Rotary Club; Rutherford Cable; Smyrna Lions Club; Sustainer Member: Junior League of Murfreesboro; Member: Daughters of the American Revolution.

Service in Public Office: 1st Vice-Chair: Judiciary Committee; Member: Education Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Republican Caucus Secretary; Past - House Republican Caucus Secretary and Treasurer.

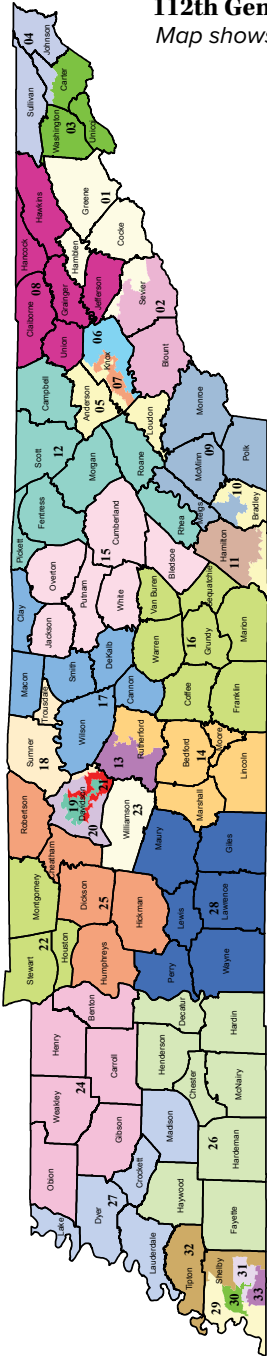
Membership History: Senate: 111th through 112th General Assemblies. House: 108th through 110th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Rutherford.

Religion: Baptist.

112th General Assembly Senate Districts

Map shows approximate areas represented.



District	County	District	County	District	County
1st – Cocke, Greene, Hamblen, and Sevier (in part)		13th – Rutherford (in part)		24th – Benton, Carroll, Gibson, Henry, Obion, and Weakley	
2nd – Blount and Sevier (in part)		14th – Bedford, Lincoln, Marshall, Moore, and Rutherford (in part)		25th – Cheatham, Dickson, Hickman, Humphreys, and Robertson	
3rd – Carter (in part), Unicoi, and Washington		15th – Bledsoe, Cumberland, Jackson, Overton, Putnam, and White		26th – Chester, Decatur, Fayette, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, and McNairy	
4th – Carter (in part), Johnson, and Sullivan		16th – Coffee, Franklin, Grundy, Marion, Sequatchie, Van Buren, and Warren		27th – Crockett, Dyer, Lake, Lauderdale, and Madison	
5th – Anderson, Knox (in part), and Loudon		17th – Cannon, Clay, DeKalb, Macon, Smith, and Wilson		28th – Giles, Lawrence, Lewis, Maury, Perry, and Wayne	
6th – Knox (in part)		18th – Davidson (in part), Sumner, and Trousdale		29th – Shelby (in part)	
7th – Knox (in part)		19th – Davidson (in part)		30th – Shelby (in part)	
8th – Claiborne, Grainger, Hancock, Hawkins, Jefferson, and Union		20th – Davidson (in part)		31st – Shelby (in part)	
9th – Bradley (in part), McMinn, Meigs, Monroe, and Polk		21st – Davidson (in part)		32nd – Shelby (in part) and Tipton	
10th – Bradley (in part) and Hamilton (in part)		22nd – Houston, Montgomery, and Stewart		33rd – Shelby (in part)	
11th – Hamilton (in part)		23rd – Williamson			
12th – Campbell, Fentress, Morgan, Pickett, Rhea, Roane, and Scott					





House of Representatives

The lower house of Tennessee's bicameral legislature is called the House of Representatives. One representative is elected from each of the ninety-nine House districts (see map at the end of this section).

Representatives are elected to two-year terms, with all representatives standing for election at the same time. This is consistent with the practice in all other states except for Alabama, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, and North Dakota, which allow representatives to serve four-year terms.

The qualifications for election to the House are set forth in the Tennessee Constitution which states, "No person shall be a representative unless he shall be a citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years, and shall have been a citizen of this state for three years, and a resident in the county he represents one year, immediately preceding the election."

During the organizational session of the House, a speaker and a speaker pro tempore are elected.

The House of Representatives has non-lawmaking powers that are distinct from the Senate's authority.

The House has the sole power to start impeachment proceedings against public officials, who then are brought before the Senate for trial. In this event, the House elects three of its own members to prosecute the case before the Senate.

After the general election, the House is the sole judge of the qualifications of its members and may determine its own rules of proceedings. The House, like the Senate, is free to adopt resolutions regarding virtually any issue concerning the state, country, or world community.

House Leadership

The speaker of the House is the presiding officer of the House. Additionally, the speaker is second in line for succession to the governorship in the event of such need. The speaker appoints members to all House committees, unless directed otherwise by the House, and must give consideration to the abilities, preferences, party representation, and seniority of the members. The chairperson and vice-chairperson of each committee and the chair of each subcommittee are also chosen by the speaker and must be given the same considerations in their appointment. The speaker is a voting member of all standing committees of the House, as is the speaker pro tempore. However, if both are seated in a committee meeting, only the speaker of the House may exercise the right to vote, unless deferring to the speaker pro tempore. The speaker serves as co-chairperson of the Joint Legislative Services Committee and must approve, in concurrence with the speaker of the Senate, the directors of the offices of Legislative Information Services, Legal Services, Legislative Administration, and Legislative Budget Analysis. The speaker is a member of several special committees, including the Fiscal Review Committee, the Council on Pensions, and the State Building Commission. The speaker has important administrative responsibilities during the formal sessions of the General Assembly. The speaker signs all

acts, proceedings, or orders of the House and is in charge of all facilities, professional and clerical staffs, custodians, and security personnel of the House.

After the election of the speaker, the members of the Tennessee House of Representatives elect a representative to serve as speaker pro tempore for two years during the organizational session of the General Assembly. The speaker pro tempore acts during the absence of the speaker of the House, but the speaker has a right to name any member to perform the duties of the chair for a period not to exceed one legislative day. The speaker pro tempore is a voting member of all committees of the House. In the event of an interim vacancy or a disability of the speaker, the speaker pro tempore conducts the necessary business of the House until an election can be held in the House to fill the vacancy.

The deputy speaker is appointed to a two-year term by the speaker of the House. The deputy speaker helps to schedule and guide the flow of legislation on the floor. He also assists the speaker in the administrative decisions in the House and serves as liaison with local and national legislatures.

Two leaders are chosen by their respective caucuses: one for the Republican Party and one for the Democratic Party. The leaders rally support of legislation in the House and work closely with the Senate leadership to develop political strategy. The leaders speak on important issues before the House and in meetings with both parties. These positions are elected for a two-year term during the organizational session of each caucus.

The House caucus chairs preside at House caucus meetings. Two chairs are chosen: one for the Republican Party and one for the Democratic Party. The caucus chairs attend leadership meetings of the House. It is the chairs' responsibility to see that all caucus meetings are conducted in a fair and orderly fashion. The caucus chairs work closely with party leaders and members in presenting a unified policy in legislative matters and determining party strategy on key public issues.





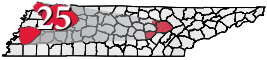
Cameron Sexton
Speaker of the House

Cameron Sexton

Speaker of the House

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Lacey; Three children: Greer, Olivia, and Nathaniel; B.A., University of Tennessee, 1994; Oak Ridge High School, 1989.

Community Service: Crossville Noon Rotary Club; Board Member: Friends of Cumberland Mountain State Park; One Bank; Relay for Life Committee; Fairfield Glade Lions Club.

Service in Public Office: Tennessee House Speaker; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Past - Republican Caucus Chairman; Chair: Health Committee; Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Health Committee; Government Operations Committee; Insurance Committee; Select Committee on Rules; Select Committee on Ethics; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Life and Health Insurance Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Local Government Committee; Health Subcommittee; Former Majority Whip.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cumberland, Van Buren, and part of Putnam.

Religion: Baptist.

Staff for the Office of the Speaker

Sammie Arnold

Chief of Staff

Born October 20, 1981; Hometown: Dyersburg, TN; Married: Wife, Laine; Daughter, Magnolia; B.S., Psychology, Vanderbilt University; J.D., University of Tennessee College of Law; Assistant Commissioner of Community and Rural Development, Tennessee Department of Economic & Community Development (TNECD); Legislative Liaison, former Governor Bill Haslam; Staff member, former Governor Bill Haslam's 2010 gubernatorial campaign; Appointed Chief of Staff by Speaker Cameron Sexton in August 2021.



Kevin Johnson

General Counsel & Senior Advisor

Born February 13, 1991, Memphis, TN; Hometown: Brighton, TN; Married: Wife, Lauren; Son, Brady; Daughter, Ava Drew; Southern Baptist; B.S., Psychology, Christian Brothers University, 2013; J.D., University of Memphis Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law, 2016; Law Clerk, District Attorney 25th Judicial District, 2015–2016; Campaign Manager, David Kustoff for Congress, 2018; Counsel, 2017–2019, Congressman David Kustoff (TN-08); Appointed General Counsel & Senior Advisor by Speaker Cameron Sexton in September 2019.



Tammy Letzler

Chief Clerk

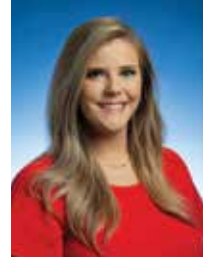
Born August 2, 1971, Murfreesboro, TN; Married: Husband, Jeff; Daughter, Jessica; Son, Josh; Church of Christ; B.S., Political Science, Middle Tennessee State University; Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society; Tau Omicron Women's Honor Society; Recipient, C.C. Sims Award; American Society of Legislative Clerks and Secretaries; Assistant Chief Clerk of the House, 2002–2016; Appointed Chief Clerk by Speaker Beth Harwell in January 2017.



Kaki Carrigan

Director of Operations and Member Relations

Born March 11, 1993, Nashville, TN; Methodist; B.S., Political Science, University of Tennessee, 2016; Field Representative, Charles Sargent for State Representative, 2014 and 2016; Executive Assistant to the General Counsel & Legislative Director, TDOT, 2016; Executive Assistant to the General Consultant, Randy Boyd for Governor, 2017–2018; Campaign Manager, Michael Curcio for State Representative, 2018; Legislative Director, House Republican Caucus, 2018–2019; Appointed Director of Operations and Member Relations by Speaker Cameron Sexton in August 2019.



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Communications



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Legislative Assistant



Kimberly Cox
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Clerk



Daniel Hicks
Assistant
Chief Clerk/
Parliamentarian



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Chief Engrossing
Clerk



Bobby Trotter
Chief
Sergeant-at-Arms

112th General Assembly

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Cameron Sexton, Speaker

Pat Marsh, Speaker Pro Tempore

Curtis Johnson, Deputy Speaker

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William Gary Lamberth II

Majority Leader

Ron M. Gant

Assistant Republican Leader

Jeremy Faison

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Brandon Ogles

Republican Caucus Vice-Chairman

Johnny Garrett

Republican Whip

Paul Sherrell

Republican Floor Leader

Scotty Campbell

Republican Assistant Floor Leader

Michele Carringer

Republican Caucus Secretary

Mark Cochran

Republican Caucus Treasurer

Democratic Caucus

Karen D. Camper

Democratic Leader

Harold Moses Love, Jr.

Assistant Democratic Leader

Larry J. Miller

Democratic Leader Pro Tempore

Vincent Dixie

Democratic Caucus Chairman

Bob Freeman

Democratic Caucus Vice-Chairman

Jason Powell

Democratic Whip

Bill Beck

Democratic Floor Leader

London Lamar

Democratic Caucus Secretary

Jesse Chism

Democratic Caucus Treasurer

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Calendar and Rules – Chairman: Jason Zachary; Vice-Chairman: Lowell Russell; Karen D. Camper; Mike Carter; John Crawford; Michael G. Curcio; Tandy Darby; Vincent Dixie; Jeremy Faison; Yusuf Hakeem; Curtis Halford; Patsy Hazlewood; Dan Howell; Darren Jernigan; Kelly T. Keisling; Sabi “Doc” Kumar; William Gary Lamberth II; Pat Marsh; Debra Moody; John David Ragan, Jr.; Iris Rudder; Cameron Sexton; Bryan Terry; Kevin Vaughan; Mark White; and John Mark Windle.

Civil Justice – Chairman: Mike Carter; Vice-Chairman: Darren Jernigan; Rush Bricken; John Ray Clemmons; Michael G. Curcio; Rick Eldridge; Andrew Ellis Farmer; Johnny Garrett; John Gillespie; Bruce Griffey; Torrey C. Harris; Mary Littleton; Brandon Ogles; Antonio Parkinson; Bob Ramsey; Robin Smith; and Mike Stewart.

Commerce – Chairman: Kevin Vaughan; Vice-Chairman: Rush Bricken; Rebecca Alexander; Clark Boyd; Kent Calfee; Karen D. Camper; Jeremy Faison; Kirk Haston; Patsy Hazlewood; Jason Hodges; John B. Holsclaw, Jr.; Curtis Johnson; Susan Lynn; Eddie Mannis; Jerome Moon; Jason Powell; Dennis H. Powers; Mike Sparks; Dwayne Thompson; Joe Towns, Jr.; and Jason Zachary.

Criminal Justice – Chairman: Michael G. Curcio; Vice-Chairman: Jerry Sexton; Bill Beck; Scotty Campbell; Vincent Dixie; Clay Doggett; Andrew Ellis Farmer; Bruce Griffey; G.A. Hardaway; David Hawk; Dan Howell; Bud Hulse; London Lamar; William Gary Lamberth II; Debra Moody; Lowell Russell; and Paul Sherrell.

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Government Operations – Chairman: John David Ragan, Jr.; Vice-Chairman: Jay D. Reedy; David “Coach” Byrd; Kent Calfee; Karen D. Camper; Mark Cochran; Vincent Dixie; Jeremy Faison; Gloria Johnson; Justin Lafferty; William Gary Lamberth II; Mary Littleton; Pat Marsh; Mike Stewart; and Todd Warner.

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Select Committees

Ethics – Chairman: Curtis Johnson; Bill Beck; Karen D. Camper; Bob Freeman; William Gary Lamberth II; Pat Marsh; Jason Powell; Lowell Russell; Sam Whitson; and John Mark Windle.

Redistricting – Chairman: Curtis Johnson; Vice-Chairman: Pat Marsh; Karen D. Camper; John Crawford; Jeremy Faison; Bob Freeman; Patsy Hazlewood; Gary Hicks; John B. Holsclaw, Jr.; William Gary Lamberth II; Antonio Parkinson; Lowell Russell; Kevin Vaughan; Sam Whitson; Ryan Williams; and John Mark Windle.

Rules – Chairman: Pat Marsh; Karen D. Camper; John Crawford; Bob Freeman; Patsy Hazlewood; Gary Hicks; Chris Hurt; Curtis Johnson; William Gary Lamberth II; Debra Moody; and John Mark Windle.

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Bob Ramsey; Tim Rudd; Jerry Sexton; Johnny W. Shaw; Mike Stewart; Joe Towns, Jr.; and Todd Warner.

House Membership

Political makeup of the House of Representatives of the 112th General Assembly, at the time of publication, is 73 Republicans (63 men and 10 women) and 26 Democrats (22 men and 4 women).

Photographs and biographical sketches of the House members of the 112th General Assembly appear on these pages.



Pat Marsh Speaker Pro Tempore

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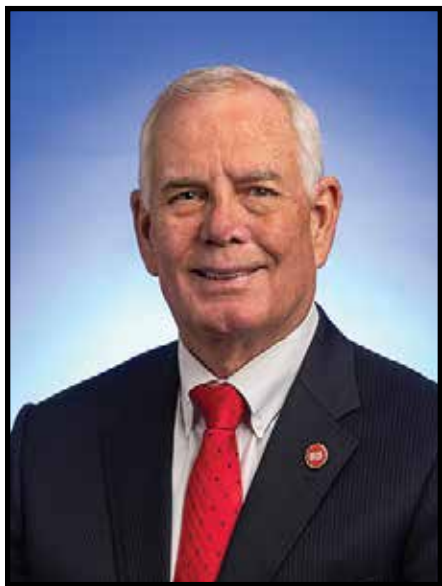
1/06/1949

Marital Status:

Married

Political Party:

Republican



Personal Information: Wife, Mary; Son, Rob, and daughter-in-law, Katherine Marsh; Son, John, and daughter-in-law, Bea Marsh; One grandson, Walker Marsh, and five granddaughters: Maddie Marsh, Anna Marsh, Mary Ruth Marsh, Kate Marsh, and Evie Marsh; B.S., Business with a major in Transportation, University of Tennessee; T-Club Member and Football Manager, 1968–1972; Sigma Chi Fraternity.

Community Service: Member and Past President: Rotary Club; Past Board Member: National Walking Horse Celebration; Member: Shelbyville Chamber of Commerce; Tennessee Trucking Association; American Trucking Association; National Rifle Association; Ducks Unlimited.

Service in Public Office: Chair:

Select Committee on Rules; Subcommittee Chair: Select Committee on Ethics; Member: Select Committee on Ethics; Calendar and Rules Committee; Health Committee; Health Subcommittee; State Government Committee; Public Service and Employees Subcommittee; Transportation Committee; Financial Stimulus Accountability Group.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Bedford and part of Lincoln.

Religion: Member: First Presbyterian Church.

Curtis Johnson

Deputy Speaker

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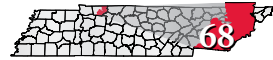
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Political Party:



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Married

Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Marsha; Three sons; Four grandchildren; Clarksville High School; B.B.A., Austin Peay State University; Tennessee School of Banking.

Community Service: Past President: Association of the U.S. Army, TN/KY Chapter; Past President: Austin Peay Alumni Association; Past President: Clarksville Shrine Club; Former President: Austin Peay Governor's Club; Clarksville City Council, 1994–2002 (Mayor Pro Tem, 1996–1997); Leadership Clarksville alumnus.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Select Committee on Ethics; Member: Commerce Committee; Insurance Committee; Select Committee on Rules; State Government Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Public Service and Employees Subcommittee; Past - Speaker Pro Tempore, 2013–2018; Member: Capitol Commission.



Awards and Honors: Clarksville Jaycees Boss of the Year; Department of Army Commanders Award for Public Service, 2011, 2014, and 2015; 2014 National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies Legislator of the Year; 2014 Tennessee Chamber of Commerce and Industry "Tennessee Champion of Commerce" Award; 2014 Legislator of the Year, Greater Nashville Regional Council.

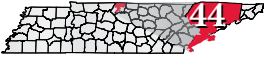
Membership History: 104th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Montgomery.

Religion: First Presbyterian.

William Gary Lamberth II

Majority Leader

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Political Party:

Republican



Personal Information: Married; Two children, ages 12 and 9; J.D., College of William and Mary; Bachelor of Arts, University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Portland High School graduate; Assistant District Attorney, Sumner County, 2005–2012.

Community Service: Former President: Gallatin Rotary Club; Former Treasurer: Republican Party of Sumner County; Former President: Sumner County Bar Association; Chairman: Portland Community Education Foundation; Decisions, Choices, and Options (donor and table host); Middle Tennessee Mission Outreach (donor and Honduras team member); Portland, Westmoreland, Gallatin, and Hendersonville Chambers of Commerce; Board Member: United Way of Sumner County.

Service in Public Office: Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Government Operations Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; Select Committee on Rules; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Majority Leader.

Awards and Honors: 2009–2010 Rotarian of the Year; 2015 Sumner County Impact Award, *Nashville Business Journal*; 2015 Legislative Award, Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police; 2015 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Coalition to End Domestic & Sexual Violence; 2017 Best Elected Official, Main Street Awards - Sumner County; 2018 Recovery Hero Award, Tennessee Association of Recovery Court Professionals; National Association of Secretaries of State Medallion Award

2019–2020; MADD TN Legislator of the Year 2019; NFIB Guardian of Small Business 2019; Legislative Hero 2019 Bridges for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing; 2020 Citizen of the Year Award, Portland Chamber of Commerce.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Sumner.

Religion: Baptist.



Karen D. Camper Democratic Leader

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Political Party:

Democrat



Personal Information: One child, Bruce Jr.; U.S. Army Retired Chief Warrant Officer Three; Substitute Teacher with Memphis City Schools; Associate of Science, University of the State of New York, Albany, NY; Attended University of Tennessee at Knoxville; Graduate: Primary, Basic and Advanced Leadership Development Courses; Member: New Beginning All Life Ministries.

Community Service: President: National Organization of Black Elected Legislative (N.O.B.E.L.) Women; State Director: National Foundation for Women Legislators (NFWL); Chair: Region IV National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Chair: Tennessee Economic Council on Women; Board Member: Memphis Branch, NAACP; Women's Action for New Directions; Member: National Caucus

of Environmental Legislators; Life Member: NAACP; Blacks in Government; Advisory Charter Member: Women in Military Service for America.

Service in Public Office: Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Commerce Committee; Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Government Operations Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; Select Committee on Rules; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Workplace Discrimination and Harassment Subcommittee; African American Leadership Financial Council; Democratic Leader.

Awards and Honors: One of the 100 Most Influential African American Leaders by *African Leadership Magazine* (ALM) 2020; National Action Network, Outstanding Community Service Award; National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women

Rising Star Award; 2019 Inaugural National Rosa Parks Day Founder's Award; 2019 Rainbow Push International Women's Glass Ceiling Breaker Award; 2019 National Conference of State Legislators, Women in Politics Making a Difference Award; 2018 Mid-South Influencer iWIN Summit; 2018 National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Inc. President's Award; 2018 A Bridge of Hope, Filling the Need Award; 2017 National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women President's Award; 2017 Driver Family Civil Rights Award; 2016 Elected Women of Excellence Award: National Foundation for Women Legislators; 2015 National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women Torch Award; 2015 *Women of Distinction Magazine* Feature Article; 2013 and 2017 NBCSL President's Crystal Gavel Award; Junior League 2014 Legislator of the Year Award; 2014 *The New Tri-State Defender* Women of Excellence Award.

Membership History: 105th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Baptist.



Jeremy Faison Republican Caucus Chairman

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Marital Status:

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Political Party:

Republican



Personal Information: Wife, Miriam; Five children: Beka, Regan, Gage, Asher, and Tucker; Hunter and fisher of all things wild; Loves all types of music and plays the piano, the bass, and the guitar; Writes music; Holds a license with the Tennessee Department of Agriculture for Pest Control; Started Rocky Top Pest Control 16 years ago in Newport, TN; Elected to the TN General Assembly in 2010; Student at MTSU.

Community Service: Past President: Cocke County Republicans; Member: Cocke County Chamber of Commerce; National Rifle Association; National Federation of Independent Business; Tennessee Right to Life; Tennessee Bear Hunters Association; Brushy Mountain Bear Club; Heartland Services; Worship Leader: Crossroads Community Church.

Service in Public Office: Majority Caucus Chair; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Commerce Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Government Operations Committee; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Past - Environment Committee, National Conference of State Legislatures; Redistricting Committee; Board Member: Mountain View Youth Development Center Citizen's Involvement Council Committee.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cocke and parts of Greene and Jefferson.

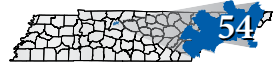
Religion: Christian.

Vincent Dixie

Democratic Caucus Chairman

District: 54

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Birth Date:

Marital Status:

Political Party:

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Married

Democrat

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Community Service: New Leaders Council; National Association of Black Accountants; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; INC; Knights of Peter Cleaver; Tennessee Association of Professional Bail Agents.

Service in Public Office: Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Government Operations Committee; Education Instruction Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Immediate Past Treasurer for the Tennessee Democratic Caucus; Immediate Past Treasurer for the Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators.



Membership History: 11th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Catholic.

House Members

Rebecca Alexander



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Political Party: Republican

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Community Service: Member: “Moms in Prayer”; Boones Creek Historical Trust; Washington County Republican Party; East Tennessee Republican Club; Volunteer: Jonesborough Area Ministerial Association Food Pantry; Associate Board Member: Emmanuel Christian Seminary at Milligan University; Chairman: 25th Anniversary JSG Year Celebration; Performing Member: Jonesborough Storytelling Guild; Boones Creek Christian Church (member of choir, praise team, taught various Sunday school classes, leader of women’s Bible study).

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Health Committee; State Government Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Public Service and Employees Subcommittee.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Washington.

Religion: Christian.

Charlie Baum

District: 37

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, three children; B.A., Economics, Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, NC, 1995; Ph.D., Economics, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill, 1999.

Community Service: Current Board Member: Oaklands Historic Mansion; Past Board Member: Murfreesboro City Schools Foundation; Linebaugh Library Foundation; Community Foundation of Rutherford County; United Way of Rutherford and Cannon Counties; Murfreesboro Domestic Violence Center; American Heart Association; Past Political Experience: Commissioner: Rutherford County Commission, 2010–2018; Chair: Rutherford County Audit Committee, 2010–2018; Committee Member: Rutherford County Budget, Finance, and Investment Committee, 2010–2018.

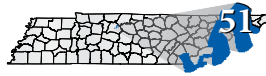
Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Member: Council on Pensions; Education Administration Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Higher Education Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Chair: Department of Economics and Finance at MTSU, 2008–2014; Eagle Scout: Boy Scouts of America, 1988.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Rutherford.

Religion: Methodist (First United Methodist Church of Murfreesboro).

Bill Beck**District: 51**

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Married, one daughter. Graduated from University School of Nashville; B.S. from Belmont University in Business Administration; J.D. from Nashville School of Law; Tennessee Air National Guard, 1980–86.

Community Service: Member: Tennessee Bar Association; Nashville Bar Association; Kiwanis Club of Madison; Board of Directors: Allegro School of Music; Inglewood Homeowners Association; American Legion Post 82; Nashville Chamber of Commerce; Old Hickory Chamber of Commerce; Madison-Rivergate Chamber of Commerce; East Nashville Chamber of Commerce; Nashville Chamber of Commerce – Chamber East; Discover Madison, Inc./Historic Amqui Train Station; 2012 Amqui Farmers' Market Presenting Sponsor; Historic East Nashville Merchants Association (HENMA); TSEA; Metro Beautification and Environment Commission; Ex-Officio Member: Central Business Improvement District, Gulch Business Improvement District; Honorary Member: Isaac Litton High School Alumni Board.

Service in Public Office: Member: Criminal Justice Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; State Government Committee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee; Workplace Discrimination and Harassment Subcommittee; 111th General Assembly - Member: Judiciary Committee; State Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee; 110th General Assembly - Chairman: Davidson County Delegation; Member: Civil Justice Committee; Insurance and Banking Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Veterans Caucus; 109th General Assembly - Co-Chair: Freshman Caucus; Member: Transportation Committee.

Awards and Honors: Civil Engineering Air National Guard Recognition; Best Problem Solver Award: FiftyForward Madison; The Beck Family Community Honoree: Amqui Station; Fellow of the Nashville Bar Association; Leadership Award: Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers; Chairman's Award: Madison-Rivergate Chamber of Commerce; Tennessee Psychological Association 2019 Legislator of the Year.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Baptist.

Clark Boyd

District: 46

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Personal Information: Two children; B.S., Human Development and Learning with Minor in Military Science, East Tennessee State University.

Community Service: Former President: Rotary Club of Lebanon; Lebanon/Wilson County Chamber of Commerce; Former President: Wilson County Habitat for Humanity; Living Sent Ministries Board Member; National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors; Deacon and Sunday School Teacher: Immanuel Baptist Church; National Rifle Association; Leadership Wilson (2012); Former Captain: U.S. Army Reserve; 11 years of service, U.S. Army and Army National Guard.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Member: Commerce Committee; Health Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Transportation Committee; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Health Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cannon and parts of DeKalb and Wilson.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Rush Bricken



District: 47

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, four children; CPA; B.S., Auburn University; M.B.A., Vanderbilt University.

Community Service: Coffee County Commission, 22 years; Chairman: County Budget and Finance Committee, 8 years; Past President: Tullahoma Kiwanis; Chairman: First Methodist Tullahoma Administrative Council; Life Member: TSCPA; Tennessee Bankers Association, Legislative Committee; Past Chairman: Coffee County Republican Party.

Service in Public Office: Member: Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Vice-Chair: Commerce Committee; Member: Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Civil Justice Committee; Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee; State Government Committee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

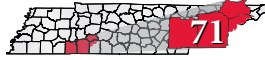
Counties Represented: Coffee and part of Warren.

Religion: Methodist.

David “Coach” Byrd

District: 71

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Son of Ormand and Geneva Byrd; Wife, Sherry Lynn; Four children: Shannon, Jon David, Mary, and Nicholas; Two daughters-in-law: Kimberly and Jennifer; One son-in-law: Chance; Six grandchildren: Steven, Will, Shanna, Conley, Cohen, and Kinsley; Two great-grandchildren: Levi and Abel; High School Diploma, Wayne County High School, 1975; Bachelor of Science, Freed-Hardeman University, 1980; Master of Education, Administration and Supervision, Tennessee State University, 1985.

Community Service: Member and Trustee: Highland United Methodist Church; President: Highland Cemetery Fund Inc.; Member: Wayne County Education Association; Tennessee Education Association; National Rifle Association; Tennessee Firearms Association; Waynesboro Rotary Club; Wayne County Chamber of Commerce; Served eight years as Wayne County Commissioner.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Naming and Designating Committee; Member: Government Operations Committee; Health Committee; Health Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Fourteen High School Girls State Basketball Appearances (five Elite Eight, four Final Fours, three Runner-Ups, and two Championships); Inducted into the Freed-Hardeman University Sports Hall of Fame in 2002 for success in the coaching field; 2008–09 TSSAA A.F. Bridges Principal of the Year; 2011 NFHS South Section Coach of the Year (Girls Basketball); 2011 Finalist for NFHS National Coach of the Year; Ten-time District 12A Coach of the Year; Six-time Class A Mid-State Coach of the Year; 2001 and 2011 *Times Daily* Coach of the Year; 2011 Tennessee Girls Basketball Coach of the Year; 2011 BCAT Class A Coach of the Year; 2016 Southwest Tennessee Development District Legislator of the Year; Tennessee School Health Coalition 2016 Legislator of the Year Award.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Hardin, Lewis, Wayne, and part of Lawrence.

Religion: Christian.

Kent Calfee**District: 32**476 Dogwood Valley Road
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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Marilyn; Four children; Seven grandchildren and their unexpected blessing, Sawyer; Farmer; Retired Oak Ridge National Laboratory; Attended East Tennessee State University.

Community Service: Life Member: NRA; Tennessee Army National Guard; Member: American Legion Post 110; Former Member: Roane County and Tennessee Cattlemen's Associations; National Cattlemen's Beef Association; Former Member: Roane County Soil Conservation District; Former Director: Area II Association of Conservation Districts; Board Member: Roane County Farm Bureau; Roane and Loudon County Chambers of Commerce; Roane County Forestry Association; Rockwood Civitan Club; Lenoir City Committee of 100; Formerly on Board of Directors: Michael Dunn Center.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Member: Commerce Committee; Government Operations Committee; Local Government Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Past - Republican Caucus Energy Task Force; Veterans Caucus; Rural Caucus; Prayer Caucus. Roane County Commissioner for 20 years.

Awards and Honors: 2015 Tennessee Forestry Association Legislator of the Year; 2015 Roane County Catoosa District Good Scout Award along with wife, Marilyn; 2017 Foundation for Government Accountability's Champion of Work Award; 2018 and 2019 East Tennessee Development District's Legislator of the Year.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Parts of Loudon and Roane.

Religion: Baptist.

Scotty Campbell

District: 3

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Community Service: Johnson County Rescue Squad and EMS; National Rifle Association; Neva Fire Department; First District Fire Department; Second District Fire Department; Johnson County Republican Party; Carter County Republican Party; Sullivan County Republican Party; Bristol TN Republicans; Republicans of Kingsport; Bristol Chamber of Commerce; Johnson County Chamber of Commerce.

Service in Public Office: Member: Criminal Justice Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Transportation Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee.

Membership History: 107th and 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Johnson and parts of Carter and Sullivan.

Religion: Christian.

Dale Carr**District: 12**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, JoAnn; Son, Brandon; Daughter-in-law, Jamie; Granddaughter, Finley Grace; Sevier County High School class of 1972; TVA Accounting School; Indiana University - CAI.

Community Service: Founding Member and First Treasurer: Boys & Girls Club of the Smoky Mountains; Sevier County High School Alumni Association; Sevierville City Council (two terms); Robert F. Thomas Foundation; Sevierville Housing Authority; Leadership Sevier; Sevierville Downtown Association.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Property and Planning Subcommittee; Member: Insurance Committee; Local Government Committee; State Government Committee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Rotary Volunteer of the Year; Woodmen of the World Hometown Hero.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Sevier.

Religion: Baptist.

Michele Carringer

District: 16

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Spouse, Michael; Two children: Christie (Grant) and Kent (Jessica); Three grandchildren: Emma Grace, Olivia Scarlett, and Jack Michael; Central High School; Attended University of Tennessee College of Communications; Graduate of the Knox County Sheriff's Citizens Academy; Rural Metro/AMR Citizens Academy; Knox County District Attorney General Citizens Academy; McGhee Tyson Aviation Citizens Academy; Class of 2018, Leadership Knoxville; Class of 2021, Legislative Leadership Academy.

Community Service: Board Member: Metropolitan Drug Coalition; East Tennessee Epilepsy Foundation; Three Ridges Golf Course; Board Member: State Children's Advisory Committee; Member and Former First Vice President: Knoxville Academy of Medicine Alliance; Member and Former Secretary: Fountain City Lions Club; Member: National Rifle Association; Former Board Member and Sustaining Member: Akima Club of Knoxville; Member: Norwood Kiwanis Club; Member: North Knoxville Business and Professionals; Powell Business and Professionals; Fountain City Business and Professionals; Halls Business and Professionals; Former Fountain City/North Republican Club President, Vice President, and Secretary; Former Vice President: Volunteer Women's Republican Club; Former Secretary: Halls Republican Club; Member: Powell Republican Club; Former Member: Halls Crossroads Women's League; Former Board Member: Knox County Foster Care Review Board; Knoxville's 2014 Congressional Medal of Honor Committee; Vice President: Fountain City Company; Former Girl Scout Leader; Former President: University of Tennessee Delta Delta Delta (Tri-Delts) Mother's Club; Former First Vice-Chair: Knox County Republican Party; Former Secretary: Knox County Executive Committee Republican Party; Former Board Member: Broadway Corridor Task Force; Sertoma Center; Sertoma Center My Life Board; Free Medical Clinic of America; Fountain City Town Hall; Former Member: Knox County Career Technical Education (CTE); Former Director and Member: TN County Commissioners Association (TCCA); Former Preschool Choir Leader; Former Substitute Teacher: K-12; Attends Sevier Heights Baptist Church.

Service in Public Office: House Republican Caucus Secretary; Member: Education Administration Committee; State Government Committee; K-12 Subcommittee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee; Former Knox County Commission Vice-Chair and Commissioner, District 2 and District 7, Seat B; Former Republican State Executive Committee Woman, Senate 6.

Awards and Honors: Child Help Service Award; 100+ Hours of Service Award, Halls Crossroads Women's League; Metropolitan Drug Association Service Award; 2013 East Tennessee Epilepsy Queen Award; 2021 Float Master, Powell Station Flotilla.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Joan Carter

District: 29

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Widow; Two children; Ooltewah High School; B.S., Middle Tennessee State University.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

Religion: Baptist.

Note: Representative Joan Carter was appointed by the Hamilton County Commission on June 9, 2021, to temporarily fill the seat after the passing of Representative Mike Carter. She was replaced by Representative Greg Vital in a special election held on September 14, 2021.

Mike Carter**District: 29**3306 Ooltewah Ringgold Road
Ooltewah, TN 37363

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Ooltewah High School, 1971; Middle Tennessee State University, B.S., Pre-Law, 1975; University of Memphis, J.D., 1978; Private law practice, 1978–1997; Appointed to General Sessions Court bench in 1997; Elected to same position, 1998; Retired from the bench, 2005; Assistant to chairman and director of Life Care Centers of America, Cleveland, Tenn., 2005–2007; Special assistant to County Mayor Claude Ramsey, 2009–2011 when the mayor left to become Deputy Governor to Governor Bill Haslam; Elected District 29 State Representative November 2012.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Civil Justice Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Local Government Committee; Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Property and Planning Subcommittee; Chair: Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, 2019–2021; Member: Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, 2013–2021.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

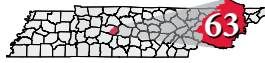
Religion: Baptist. Member, Ooltewah Baptist Church.

Note: Representative Mike Carter served in this position until his passing on May 15, 2021. He was replaced by Representative Joan Carter who was appointed by the Hamilton County Commission to temporarily fill the seat.

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Community Service: Williamson County Chamber of Commerce; Franklin Noon Rotary.

Service in Public Office: Member: Education Administration Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; K-12 Subcommittee; Past - Speaker of the House, 2019; Majority Leader; Majority Chairman; Minority Chairman; Williamson County Commission, 1994-2001.

Membership History: 102nd through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Williamson.

Religion: Brentwood Baptist Church.

Scott Cepicky**District: 64**

Culleoka, TN 38401



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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Teresa; Two children; Vianney High School; University of Wisconsin-Madison, B.A., History; Professional baseball player for the Chicago White Sox and the Minnesota Twins; Professional football player for the Cincinnati Bengals and the Minnesota Vikings.

Community Service: Kiwanis; Tennessee Cattlemen's Association; Board of Directors: Maury County Cattlemen's Association; NRA; Tennessee Firearms Association; Fraternal Order of Police; Bassmasters; Nashville Mortgage Bankers Association; Maury County Commission, 2010–2014; Commission Chairman: 2010–2012; Chairman: Maury County Republican Party, 2014–2017; WKOM/WKRM high school football analyst.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Education Instruction Subcommittee; Member: Education Administration Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Government Operations Committee; Insurance Committee; Insurance Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; K–12 Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: 2021 Tennessee Chiropractic Association Legislator of the Year; 2021 and 2020 Friend of the Educator - Professional Educators of Tennessee; 2019 State Representative of the Year - Tennessee Constables Association.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Maury.

Religion: Christian.

Jesse Chism

District: 85

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Political Party:	Democrat

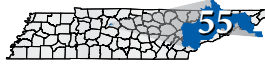
Personal Information: Overton High School; B.A., Business Administration, Morehouse College; M.Ed., Union University.

Community Service: Shelby County Democratic Party; Memphis/Shelby County Consortium of Care; PAIMA Council for Disability Rights Tennessee; Memphis/Shelby County Homeless Consortium; Board of Directors: Memphis Mental Health Institute; Serenity Recovery Centers; Former Disaster Inspector with FEMA; Former High School Teacher with Memphis City Schools.

Service in Public Office: Member: Local Government Committee; State Government Committee; Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

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Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Wife, Tamara; Children: John, Finn, and Henry; Education: University of Memphis School of Law, J.D. (2006); Columbia University, Columbia College, B.A., History (1999); Lebanon High School, Honors (1995).

Community Service: McCabe Park Little League (Volunteer Coach, 2019–Present); Belmont-Hillsboro Neighbors, Inc. (President, 2012–2013; Steering Committee Member, 2009–2013; Ex Officio Member, 2014–Present); Friends of Sevier Park, Inc. (Member of Board of Directors, 2013–Present); Volunteer Lawyers and Professionals for the Arts, Arts & Business Council of Greater Nashville (Pro Bono Attorney, 2009–Present); Waverly-Belmont Elementary School PTO (Member, 2015–Present); Columbia Alumni Association of Nashville (Co-President, 2013–2014; Member, 2009–Present); Nashville Bar Association (2007–Present); Tennessee Bar Association (2007–Present); Columbia University Alumni Representative Committee (Member, 2000–Present); Harry Phillips American Inn of Court (Barrister, 2015–2019); Nashville MTA nMotion 2015 Transit Master Plan (Member of Oversight Committee, 2015–2017); Metropolitan Board of Fair Commissioners (Commissioner, 2012–2014); Boys & Girls Club of Middle Tennessee's Nashville Reviving Baseball in Inner-Cities (RBI) Program (Chairman of RBI Advisory Board, 2014–2015); Nashville RBI, Inc. (Chairman of Board of Directors, 2011–2014; Member, 2009–2014); Tennessee Civil Service Commission (Commissioner, 2009–2012); Tennessee Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers (Consumer Member, 2008); Tennessee College of Applied Technology - Nashville (Advisory Board Member, 2018–Present).

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Education Administration Committee; Health Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; K–12 Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Fellow, Nashville Bar Foundation, 2017; Appreciation Award, Tennessee Association for Marriage & Family Therapy, 2017; Ally Award, Nashville Pride, 2016; Rising Star, Business Litigation, Mid-South Super Lawyers, 2014–2017; Legislative Leadership Award, Tennessee AFL-CIO, 2017; Public Policy Advocacy Award, NAMI Tennessee, 2017; Cecil D. Branstetter Award, Davidson County Democratic Party, 2018.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Christian and Jewish family.

Mark Cochran

District: 23

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11/21/1985

Marital Status:

Single

Political Party:

Republican

Personal Information: B.S., Communication, University of Tennessee; Masters in Public Administration, University of Tennessee.

Community Service: Keep McMinn Beautiful; Community Action Group of Englewood; McMinn County Republican Party; Tellico Kiwanis Club; Niota Depot Preservation Committee; Member of Englewood First Baptist Church.

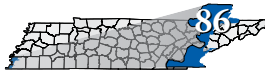
Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Education Administration Committee; Government Operations Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Higher Education Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Republican Treasurer; 111th General Assembly: Member: Consumer and Human Resources Committee; Education Committee; Consumer Subcommittee; Curriculum, Testing and Innovation Subcommittee; Higher Education Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: *Daily Post-Athenian*, 20 Outstanding People Under 40; Athens Area Chamber of Commerce 2020 Young Man of the Year; Award for Conservative Excellence - American Conservative Union Foundation.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: McMinn and part of Monroe.

Religion: Christian – Southern Baptist.

Barbara Ward Cooper**District: 86**668 Birthstone Avenue
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Marital Status: Widow

Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Married, Captain John Cooper (deceased), City of Memphis Fire Department; Three Children; Graduate, Manassas High School, Memphis; Tennessee State University, B.S. and Master of Education; Doctorate of Religious Doctrine and Counseling, Jacksonville Seminary.

Community Service: Shelby County Democratic Party; Education Leadership Commission; Shelby County Democratic Women; Social Action Committee (St. Augustine Church); Universal African American People's Organization (UAAPO) Co-Convener; National Council of Negro Women, NAACP; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Tennessee State University Alumni Association; Memphis Downtown Commission; Gemstone Neighborhood Association; "COPPER Speaks" Publication; Founder: Cooper/Jones Initiative, Economic and Community Development; Black Wall Street Conference, 2015; COPPER (Coalition for Organizational Protection of People and Equal Rights), Initiated First and Second Annual March on Washington, A. Philip Randolph Award Program, 2014–2015; Community Awareness, City of Memphis and Beale Street Master Lease Conflict; Community/Neighborhood Blast-Off, Governor Bill Haslam Presents Improve Act legislation in Memphis, 2017; Mayor Jim Strickland, Guest Speaker 2015; Coalition of Community Unions; Assisted Implementation Refurban (Recycling) Business and The Ticket Program, SCS; Expungement Clinic; MSCS Education Spring Forum, Commissioner of Education; Harriet Tubman Living Legend Award, 2018–2019; Urban Farmers Tri State Listening Session, USDA and State Conservationist; Memphis Tri State, Jobs for All Town Hall Meeting; Board Member: Memphis Cotton Makers' Jubilee, 2019; Bi-Centennial Coronation Ball; MLK50, W.C. Handy Park; Southbrook Centre Project, Whitehaven; Super Learning Class, Featuring Dr. Clifford Black; Friends of T.O. Fuller State Park (S/W Memphis) and Meeman Shelby Forest State Park (Millington); Books and Breakfast, Featuring Dr. Clifford Black; National Coalition of 100 Black Women.

Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; State Government Committee; 111th General Assembly - Member: Consumer and Human Resources Committee; Health Committee; Consumer Subcommittee; Facilities, Licensure and Regulations Subcommittee; 110th General Assembly - Finance Committee; State Government Committee; Transportation Committee; Transportation Subcommittee; Past - Member: Local Government Committee; Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators (TBCSL) Secretary, 2017 and Chair; Shelby County Delegation; Chair: Shelby County Democratic Legislative Caucus.

Awards and Honors: 2011 Legislator of the Year, Memphis Area Association of Governments, Tennessee Area Development District Association; Chairlady Emeritus, Honorary Member, Manassas High School, GQ/PVL Clubs; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority (AKA), Extraordinary Leadership, AKA Day on the Hill; TSU, Appreciation, Dedicated Service Pioneer Black Firefighters, Inc.; NOBEL (National Organization of Black Elected Legislators) Shining Star; Citizens for Better Service; Public Service Dr. Raymond Winbush Award; NUAFF (National Union of American Families) Outstanding Leadership; Honorary Member: Shelby Forest Community; T.O. Fuller State Park; Equal Opportunity Group, Inc. Project Save-a-Student Award; HBCU (Historically Black Colleges and Universities) Wellness Award, LeMoyne College; AFL-CIO Leadership Award; Honored by Women of Distinction, AFL-CIO International Award Community Service, Las Vegas, Nevada; Shelby County Schools, Hall of Fame 2019. Key Legislation: Fireworks, Millington; Sales, Beale Street; Community of Schools: TTP; Intu Education; SITES \$10M (Strengthening Instruction for Teachers in Elementary Schools); Focus on Math, An HBCUs Project; Veterans Home Funding \$50Th; AA Museum \$10Th; AIA \$20Th; Withers Collections \$20Th; TSU Land Grant Funding (TBCSL) \$4.1M; The Lois M. DeBerry Advocacy Award by Links, 2020; Harriet Tubman Living Legend Award, 2020; Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. "A Moment in History" Observance, April 4, 2021; Distinguished Elected Official, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, AKA Day on Capitol Hill.

Membership History: 100th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby, including the cities of Memphis and Millington.

Religion: Catholic.

John Crawford



District: 1

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Awards and Honors: AmVets Silver Bayonet Legislator of the Year Award, 2017; Distinguished Member Award, Kiwanis International, 2010; Lifetime Achievement Award, Kiwanis International, 2009; F. Stewart Crosley Award, Kiwanis Club of Kingsport, 2008; Paul Harris Fellow Award, Rotary International, 2003; Two-time Recipient of Ruby K. Award, Kiwanis Club of Kingsport; The American Conservative Union Foundation Conservative Achievement Award, 2018, 2019, 2020; Secretary of State NASS Medallion Award, 2020.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

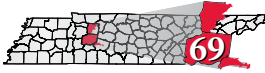
Counties Represented: Part of Sullivan.

Religion: Baptist.

Michael G. Curcio

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Community Service: Board Member: Leadership Middle Tennessee; Clement Railroad Hotel Museum; Domestic Violence State Coordinating Council; Tennessee Community Resource Board; Tennessee State Museum Board and Executive Committee; Tennessee Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Criminal Justice Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Civil Justice Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Honorary Co-Chair: Tennessee Volunteer Mentorship Initiative; Co-Chair: Tennessee Future Caucus.

Awards and Honors: Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police, 2019 Legislative Award; 2019 Voice of Recovery, Tennessee Association of Alcohol, Drug and Other Addiction Services; Tennessee Engineers Legislator of the Year, 2018.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Hickman and parts of Dickson and Maury.

Religion: Methodist.

Tandy Darby

District: 76

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Personal Information: Spouse, Kasi; Three daughters: Tess, Edie, and Sloan; Greenfield High School, 1992; B.S., Ag Business, University of Tennessee at Martin, 1996.

Community Service: Board of Directors: Greenfield Banking Company; Community Bank Board: First State Bank; Youth Coach: various leagues.

Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Calendar and Rules Committee; Education Administration Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Higher Education Subcommittee.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

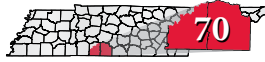
Counties Represented: Weakley and parts of Carroll and Obion.

Religion: Baptist.

Clay Doggett

District: 70

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married, four children; B.A. History and B.A. Political Science, University of Alabama, Huntsville; Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy.

Community Service: Giles Co. Chamber of Commerce; Lawrence Co. Chamber of Commerce; National Wild Turkey Federation; TN Firearms Association; National Rifle Association; Quail Forever.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Republican Secretary (111th General Assembly).

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Giles and most of Lawrence.

Religion: Church of Christ.

Rick Eldridge



District: 10

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, two children; Associate's Degree, Applied Management.

Community Service: Chamber of Commerce; Shriners; Board Member: Lakeway Center; Hamblen County Commission, eight years; Chair: Hamblen County Commission, two years; Chair: Jail Study Committee; Member: EMS Board; Hamblen County Board of Equalization.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: State Government Committee; Member: Civil Justice Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee; Corrections Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

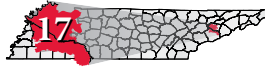
Counties Represented: Hamblen.

Religion: Christian.

Andrew Ellis Farmer

District: 17

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Mariah; Two children; B.B.A., East Tennessee State University, Business Administration/Marketing; J.D., Thomas M. Cooley Law School, Lansing, Michigan.

Community Service: Member: First Baptist Church, Sevierville, Tennessee; Former Board of Directors: Smoky Mountain Area Rescue Ministries; National Rifle Association; Tennessee Bar Association; Knoxville Bar Association; Sevier County Bar Association; National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers; Member: Jefferson County Chamber of Commerce; Sevierville Chamber of Commerce; National Conference of State Legislatures: Law, Criminal Justice and Public Safety Committee; Integrated Criminal Justice Steering Committee.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Civil Justice Subcommittee; Member: Civil Justice Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; 111th General Assembly - Chair: Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Member: Judiciary Committee; State Committee; Corrections Subcommittee; 110th General Assembly - Chair: Civil Justice Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; 109th General Assembly - Chair: Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Member: Criminal Justice Committee; Insurance and Banking Committee; 108th General Assembly - Member: Civil Justice Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee.

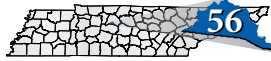
Awards and Honors: 2013 Tennessee Bar Association President's Award; Top 100 Attorneys under the Age of 40; Voted #1, *Mountain Press* Readers' Choice Awards, 2012 and 2014; 2016 Outstanding Representative, County Officials Association; 2016 Legislator of the Year Award, Tennessee American Academy of Pediatrics; 2016 Legislator of the Year Award, Tennessee Association of Alcohol, Drug and other Addiction Services (TAADAS); 2018 Friend of the Public Defenders Award.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Parts of Jefferson and Sevier.

Religion: Baptist.

Bob Freeman



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Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Married, three children; B.S., Middle Tennessee State University; M.S., Lipscomb University.

Community Service: Board Member: TN Environmental Council; Board Member: Southern Alliance for Clean Energy; Board Member: U.S. Green Building Council's Market Leadership Advisory Board; Nashville Homelessness Commission.

Service in Public Office: Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Health Committee; Insurance Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; Select Committee on Rules; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Health Subcommittee; Minority Caucus Vice-Chairman.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Presbyterian.

Ron M. Gant

District: 94

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Legislative Branch

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Community Service: Founding Board Member: Fayette County Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse; Former Board Member: Oakland Chamber of Commerce; Member: Somerville Rotary Club; Involved with Tennessee Right to Life; Fayette County Chamber of Commerce; McNairy County Chamber of Commerce; Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce; Fayette Cares; Chairman: Fayette County Republican Party.

Service in Public Office: Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Health Committee; Local Government Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Assistant Majority Leader; Former Assistant Floor Leader; Former Freshman Leader; Commissioner, District 6: Fayette County Commission; Chairman of School Board: Rossville Christian Academy.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Fayette, McNairy, and part of Hardeman.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Johnny Garrett



District: 45

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Political Party:	Republican

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Community Service: President: Goodlettsville Little League Baseball; Co-Founder: 100 Club of Sumner County, Inc.; Hendersonville Morning Rotary Club; Republican Party of Sumner County; Board Member: Salvus Center, Inc.; Board Member: Vol State Community College Foundation; Board Member: COMPASS; Board Member: Forward Sumner Economic Partnership; Hendersonville Chamber of Commerce; Goodlettsville Chamber of Commerce; TN Bar Association; Sumner County Bar Association.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; 111th and 112th Republican Majority Whip.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Sumner.

John Gillespie

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Political Party:

Republican



Personal Information: John Gillespie is a native Memphian. John graduated from High Point University in North Carolina where he earned a Bachelor of Arts degree. He is a longtime member of Saint John's Episcopal Church. His professional career began in the banking business at First Tennessee. John learned the financial business from the ground up. He started as a Financial Service Representative opening new accounts and serving as the face of the bank. He later moved to Evolve Bank and Trust where he worked in the mortgage division. John reviewed home loans to ensure compliance before families closed on their new homes. John presently serves as Grant Coordinator at Trezevant Episcopal Home. He writes and researches grants, plans events, and solicits major gifts at Trezevant. John is active in political campaigns and service organizations in our community. He served as Assistant Campaign Manager for former Shelby County Mayor Mark Luttrell's successful 2010 campaign. John is a member of the Phoenix Club of Memphis where he's helped raise funds for the Boys and Girls Club.

Community Service: Fellows Program New Memphis Institute; Member: The Phoenix Club; Grant Professionals Association; Former Board Member: Association of Fundraising Professionals.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Education Administration Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Higher Education Subcommittee; Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee.

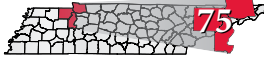
Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Episcopalian.

Bruce Griffey**District: 75**

Paris, TN 38242



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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married; 2 children, Madeleine and Mary-Alison; Tennessee Valley Community Church (TVCC); B.A., Political Science, University of Mississippi; J.D., University of Mississippi.

Community Service: “The Greatest Supporter of President Trump in Tennessee Politics.” Former Law Clerk to Honorable Odell Horton (deceased), Chief U.S. District Court Judge, West District Tennessee; Former Assistant Attorney General for Tennessee; Former Assistant District Attorney General, 24th Judicial District; NRA; Tennessee Firearms Association.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Education Instruction Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

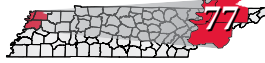
Counties Represented: Benton, Henry, and Stewart.

Religion: Christian.

Rusty Grills

District: 77

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Christi; Two daughters: Hadley and Jaxie; 2000 Graduate of Gateway Christian School (High School); Machinist degree, TCAT, 2001; Full-time farmer – 9th generation; TN AgStar Graduate.

Community Service: Dyer County Commissioner, 2010–2020; Farm Bureau; Dyer County Republican Party; Dyer County Ag Committee; TN Young Farmers and Ranchers; NRA Member; TFA Member.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Member: Naming and Designating Committee; Transportation Committee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: TN Environmental Steward of the Year 2014.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Dyer, Lake, and part of Obion.

Religion: Conservative Baptist.

Yusuf Hakeem**District: 28**504 Kilmer Street
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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Married, wife Baseemah; Four children: Aaliyah, Sandra, Malika, and Malik; Four grandchildren: Ariel, Malik, Myles, and Langston; Three great-grandchildren: Addisyn, Bentley, and Raelynn; Second Missionary Baptist Church; Howard High School, 1966; Attended Chattanooga State Technical Community College majoring in Electronics; Graduate of Chattanooga State; Attended the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga studying Economics; Second Missionary Baptist Church School of Evangelism, 2012.

Community Service: Chattanooga City Councilman, 19 years; Chattanooga City School Board, 10 years; Tennessee Board of Parole and Probation, 7 years; Deacon: Second Missionary Baptist Church; Chairman: Bessie Smith Cultural Center, 2016–current; Chattanooga Neighborhood Enterprise (CNE); Chattanooga NAACP Life Member and Board Member; Tennessee Human Rights Commission; Chairman: Chattanooga-Hamilton County North Georgia Transportation Planning Organization; Chattanooga Downtown Redevelopment Corporation (CDRC); Chattanooga/Hamilton County Railroad Authority; Past Board Chairman: Henry Branch YMCA; Founder: Chattanooga Youth Council; Former Board Member: Challenger Space Center Chattanooga (NASA); Moccasin Bend National Park; Scenic Land School; Kirby Day Care Center; Chattanooga Community Impact Fund; Senter School; Fortwood Center; Has donated over 8 gallons of blood to Blood Assurance throughout his life.

Service in Public Office: Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Education Administration Committee; Health Committee; Higher Education Subcommittee; Deputy Minority Whip.

Awards and Honors: Breaking the Silence Honoree, 2018; Second Missionary Baptist Church Spiritual Growth Service Award; “Service Award,” TN Human Rights Commission, 2009; “Public Citizen of the Year,” National Association of Social Workers, TN Chapter, 2007; “Hope for Chattanooga,” Community Development Award, 2004; “Community Choice Award,” CAACC, 2003; “Service Award,” Chattanooga Police Foundation, Inc., 2002.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

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Community Service: Member and Elder: Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Dyer, TN; Veteran: United States Air Force Reserve; Former Board Member: Carey Counseling Center's Peer Support Group; Former Member: Gibson County Planning Commission; Gibson County Chamber of Commerce; Member: Gibson County Republican Party; National Rifle Association.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; State Government Committee; Transportation Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee; Past - Gibson County Commissioner; Member: National Conference of State Legislators' Environment Standing Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Awards and Honors: Northwest Tennessee Development District Legislator of the Year, 2011 and 2015; Tennessee Veterinarian's Association Legislator of the Year, 2015; HBAH Housing Hero Award, 2017; The Emergency Management Association of Tennessee Award of Appreciation, 2011; Leadership Gibson County Graduate, 2004; Civilian Advisor to the Commanding General of the Tennessee State Guard.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Gibson and part of Carroll.

Religion: Cumberland Presbyterian.

Mark Hall



District: 24

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Single, one child; High School; Vocational School.

Community Service: Co-Chair: Southeast Tennessee Veterans Home Council; County Commissioner, 12 years.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Transportation Committee; Member: Health Committee; Health Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Bradley.

Religion: Baptist.

G.A. Hardaway

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Political Party: Democrat



Community Service: Board of Directors: Africa in April Festival and Black Family Channel; Al-Kadosh Shrine Temple; Black Business Association; CBU Black Alumni Association; CBU Oliver Thornton Scholarship Fund; Herendon #10 Masonic Lodge; Founder/Visionary, Chairman, Board of Advisors, Vice-Chairman, Board of Governors: Memphis Academy of Health Sciences (MAHS); NAACP; Rosa Parks Academy; Parkway Gardens Presbyterian Church; Southern Christian Leadership Conference; Political Director: Rainbow PUSH Coalition; Save LibertyLand Organization; Shelby County Juvenile Court Advisory Council; New Sardis Baptist Church; Shelby County Democratic Women; Shelby County Debt Collaborative; DADS Against Discrimination (DAD); Charter Member: Juvenile Court Advisory Council; National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Memphis; Men of Excellence; 100 Black Men of Memphis; A. Philip Randolph Institute; Orange Mound Collaborative.

Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Chairman: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators; National Black Caucus of State Legislators (NBCSL), 2007–2021; NBCSL Executive Committeeman At-Large, 2015–2021; Chairman: NBCSL Census and Redistricting Committee, 2015–2019; Chairman: NBCSL Telecommunications, Science and Technology Committee, 2019; NBCSL International Affairs Committee, 2019–2021.

Awards and Honors: Middle College High School Appreciation Award, 2011; *Tri-State Defender* Newspaper “Men of Excellence” Vision, Leadership and Achievement Award, 2009; National Coalition of 100 Black Women Inc. Community Service Award, 2010; MYPAC Appreciation Award; Rozelle-Annesdale Association Outstanding Service Award, 2007; Shelby County Juvenile Court Special Recognition Award, 2006; Hanley Elementary School Service Award, 2008; National Coalition of 100 Black Women Inc. Appreciation Award, 2007 and 2009.

Membership History: 105th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Baptist.

Torrey C. Harris

District: 90

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Marital Status:

Single

Political Party:

Democrat

Community Service: NAACP; Advisory Board Member: Methodist University Hospital; Executive Board Member & Treasurer: Shelby County Young Democrats; Board Vice-President: CHOICES Center for Reproductive Health; Board Member: Friends For Life Corporation HIV Health & Prevention; Treasurer: Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated; New Memphis Embark Alumni; High School Youth Programs Mentor; Memphis Urban League; Rainbow PUSH Coalition; Memphis Metro-Professional Alumni; National Association of African Americans in Human Resources; April 4th Foundation; Tennessee Young Democrats; Black Millennial Convention; Young Elected Officials Network (YEO); National Caucus of State Legislators; National Caucus of Black State Legislators; Young Democrats of America; Tennessee Legislative Leaders Academy Alumni; Democratic National Convention Affirmative Action Committee Member.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee; Education Instruction Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: 2021 *Memphis Flyer* 20 under 30 Honoree; 2019 Legends Humanitarian of the Year Award; 2018 Leadership Memphis Volunteer of the Year Nominee; Tennessee Legislative Leaders Academy partner.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Christian.

Kirk Haston

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married, wife Kasey; Three children: Kenner, Kooper, Tyler; B.S., Sports Management, Indiana University, 2002; Master's in Arts and Education, Cumberland University, 2012; Played for Bob Knight on the Indiana Hoosiers Basketball team; Was named to the All-Big Ten Team and NCAA All-America Team in 2001; Was the 16th pick in the 2001 NBA Draft by the Charlotte Hornets. Has worked in the Perry County School System as a teacher/coach/health coordinator since 2008.

Community Service: Perry County Health Council; Deacon at Linden Church of Christ.

Service in Public Office: Chair: K-12 Subcommittee; Member: Commerce Committee; Education Administration Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Education Instruction Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Chester, Decatur, Henderson, and Perry.

Religion: Church of Christ.

David Hawk**District: 5**407 Crockett Lane
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Birth Date:	6/21
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Daughters, Lily and Kaitlyn; Attended Tusculum College; Graduate: East Tennessee State University with Honors, degree in Marketing; Harvard University.

Community Service: Kiwanis of Greeneville and Erwin; Unicoi County Chamber of Commerce; Greene County Partnership; Main Street: Greeneville; Little Theatre of Greeneville, Inc.; Greeneville Parks and Recreation Department youth baseball coach; Greene County Republican Party.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Insurance Subcommittee; Member: Council on Pensions; Criminal Justice Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Insurance Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Past - Assistant Majority Leader.

Awards and Honors: 2007 Greene County Heritage Trust Award of Merit; 2008 First Tennessee Development District Legislator of the Year; 2008 George Clem Multi-Cultural Association Award; 2008 American Council of Young Political Leaders Delegate to China; 2009 NAMI Tennessee Legislator of the Year; 2012 Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers Legislator of the Year; 2013 Conservative Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Wildlife Federation; 2014 Voice of Recovery Award; 2014 Courage in Legislation Award, Tennessee Sheriffs' Association; 2015 Disability Hero Award, Tennessee Disability Coalition; 2015 Legislative Award, The ARC TN; 2015 Conservative Excellence Award, American Conservative Union; 2016 Disability Champion Award, Disability Policy Alliance; 2016 Southern Legislative Conference's Center for Advancement of Leadership Skills; 2017 Legislator of the Year Award, First Tennessee Development District; 2017 Council of State Governments Henry Toll Fellowship; 2018 Award of Excellence, Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Community Organizations; 2018 Public Safety Advocate, Tennessee District Attorneys General Conference; 2019 United Way of Tennessee Legislative Champion, Tennessee Afterschool Network; 2019 NFIB Guardian of Small Business; 2021 Legislator of the Year, First Tennessee Development District.

Membership History: 103rd through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Greene.

Religion: Lutheran.

Patsy Hazlewood

District: 27

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Birth Date: 11/19

Marital Status: Married

Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married to Dr. David Litchford; One son; Two grandsons; B.S., Mathematics and Physics, Middle Tennessee State University.

Community Service: Elder and Trustee: Signal Mountain Presbyterian Church; Past President: Downtown Chattanooga Rotary Club; Chattanooga Area Chamber of Commerce; Community Foundation of Greater Chattanooga; Chattanooga Better Business Bureau; Greater Chattanooga Sports Committee; Urban League; Current Member: Board of Finley Stadium; Board of Friends of the Festival; Former Board Member of the Tennessee Aquarium; River City Co.; T.C. Thompson Children's Hospital Foundation; Bible in the Schools.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Chair: Hamilton County Delegation; Chair: Council on Pensions; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Commerce Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Select Committee on Rules; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Tennessee State Museum Board; Financial Stimulus Accountability Group.

Awards and Honors: 1999 Chattanooga Area Manager of the Year; 2002 Chattanooga Philanthropist of the Year; 2005 Better Business Bureau Honoree; 2005 Junior League Service Award; 2012 Tennessee Woman of Distinction; 2017 Chattanooga State Dinner of Firsts Honoree; 2019 Tennessee Community Organization Award of Excellence; 2020 Marsy's Law for Tennessee Champion of Victims' Rights; 2020 Tennessee Hospital Association Hospital Hero.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

Religion: Presbyterian.

Esther Helton



District: 30

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11/06/1961

Political Party:

Republican

Personal Information: Three children, five grandchildren; East Ridge High School, 1980; Chattanooga School of Practical Nursing, 1981.

Community Service: East Ridge Optimist Club; East Ridge High School Alumni Association; Hamilton County Republican Women; Hamilton County Pachyderm Club; Healthy Parks Healthy Person Board Member.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Public Service and Employees Subcommittee; Member: Health Committee; Local Government Committee; State Government Committee; Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Councilman: City of East Ridge, 2016–present.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

Religion: Baptist.

Gary Hicks

District: 9

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Laura; Children, Caroline and Madelyn; Cherokee High School; Walters State Community College; B.S., Computer Science, East Tennessee State University; M.B.A., University of Tennessee.

Community Service: Tennessee Educational Technology Association; Hawkins County Imagination Library; Hawkins County Republican Party; Hancock County Republican Party; National Rifle Association; Past Member: Holston Business Development Center; Hawkins County Local Emergency Planning Committee.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Member: Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Insurance Committee; Select Committee on Rules; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Insurance Subcommittee; Past - Hawkins County Commissioner, 2006–2015; Hawkins County Commission Pro Tempore; Hawkins County Budget Chairman, 2010–2015.

Awards and Honors: Community Service Award, East Tennessee State University; Graduate of Hawkins Leadership.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Hancock and Hawkins.

Religion: Shepard's Chapel Baptist Church.

Tim Hicks



District: 6
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Gray, TN 37615

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Keri; One child; Two grandchildren; Crossroads Christian Church; Daniel Boone High School, 1981.

Community Service: Northeast TN Area VP for Home Builders Association of TN; Board of Directors: Gray Community Chest, 2005–2008; Board of Directors: United Emmaus Community of J.C.; Washington County Planning Commission; Built homes for flood victims in conjunction with Appalachia Service Project.

Service in Public Office: Member: Education Instruction Committee; Health Committee; Transportation Committee; Education Instruction Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Two-time Builder of the Year, 1990 and 2014; Johnson City Area Home Builders Life Director.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

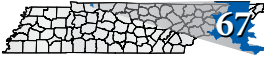
Counties Represented: Part of Washington.

Religion: Christian.

Jason Hodges

District: 67

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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Married, two children; B.S., Political Science, Minor in International Relations, Austin Peay State University.

Community Service: Roxy Board; Montgomery Health Council; Montgomery County Democratic Party; Montgomery County NAACP; Former Montgomery County Commissioner; Former Vice-President of Two Rivers Company; USMC Veteran.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Insurance Committee; Local Government Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Property and Planning Subcommittee; Democratic Deputy Whip.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Montgomery.

Religion: Christian.

John B. Holsclaw, Jr.**District: 4**

135 Lewis Cole Loop
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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Sheralyn; Children: Taylor, Kaeli, Dana, Hannah, and Holly; Graduated Cum Laude, East Tennessee State University, 1992; Owner of the Jeweler's Bench; Successfully made custom jewelry for over 20 years.

Community Service: Member: Carter County Chamber of Commerce; Carter County Republicans; Carter County Hunting and Fishing Club; NRA; Erwin Kiwanis Club.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Departments and Agencies Subcommittee; Member: Commerce Committee; Local Government Committee; State Government Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

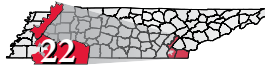
Counties Represented: Unicoi and part of Carter.

Religion: Church of Christ.

Dan Howell

District: 22

Cleveland, TN 37323



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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married to Beverlee Spurling Howell; Five children; Seven grandchildren; Graduate, Radio Engineering Institute, Kansas City, MO; Attended Lee University, Cleveland, Tennessee.

Community Service: Member: Sons of the American Revolution, Colonel Benjamin Cleveland Chapter, Cleveland, Tennessee; Public Affairs Committee, Bradley/Cleveland Chamber of Commerce; Salvation Army Advisory Board; Past Board Member: American Red Cross, Hiwassee Chapter.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Transportation Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: 2018 Legislator of the Year Award, Foundation for Government Accountability; Excellence in Communication Award, Cleveland Media Association; Religious Newswriting for Television News Award, National Religious Newswriters Association; Champion of Opportunity Award, Foundation for Government Accountability; Conservative Excellence Award, American Conservative Union Foundation.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Meigs, Polk, and part of Bradley.

Religion: First Baptist Church, Cleveland, Tennessee.

Bud Hulsey



District: 2

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Graduate, Bob Jones University; Post-graduate work through University of Virginia via FBI National Academy; Retired Police Lieutenant, Kingsport Police Department, 36 years (with the last 25 as a Watch Commander).

Service in Public Office: Chair: Corrections Subcommittee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; State Government Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Sullivan.

Religion: Christian.

Chris Hurt

District: 82

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married, five children; Halls High School; B.S., Lambuth University.

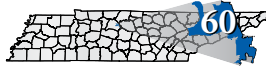
Community Service: Lauderdale County Chamber of Commerce; Crockett County Chamber of Commerce.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Education Administration Committee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Select Committee on Rules; Transportation Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; K-12 Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Crockett, Haywood, and Lauderdale.

Religion: Baptist.

Darren Jernigan**District: 60**

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Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Married to Michelle Morse Jernigan; Four children: Harris, Elise, Amanda, and Claire; M.C.J., Middle Tennessee State University; B.S., Austin Peay State University.

Community Service: Old Hickory Veterans Memorial Park; Andrew Jackson Foundation; Friends of Two Rivers Mansion; Donelson/Hermitage Chamber of Commerce; Member: L'Estate Donelson Hermitage; Donelson Gateway Project; Old Hickory Masonic Lodge; Shriner, Al Menah Temple.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Civil Justice Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Health Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; State Government Committee; Health Subcommittee; Public Service and Employees Subcommittee; Nashville/Davidson County Metro Council, 2007–2014; Commissioner: Old Hickory Utility District, 2001–2006.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

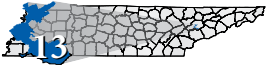
Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Hermitage Church of the Nazarene.

Gloria Johnson

District: 13

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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: B.A., Education, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Community Service: Board Member: Emerge TN; Past President: Tennessee Women’s Political Caucus; Member: Tennessee State Employees Association; Tennessee Retired Teachers Association.

Service in Public Office: Member: Government Operations Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Past Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Education Committee; Health Committee; Local Committee; Naming, Designating and Private Acts Committee; Health Subcommittee; Property and Planning Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Theory and Practice in Teacher Education Outstanding Community Advocate; Community Shares “Gardener of Change Award”; Tennessee Education Association “Friend of Education Award”; AFL-CIO “Leadership and Fairness Award”; Mental Health America “Legislative Award.”

Membership History: 108th and 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Kelly T. Keisling**District: 38**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Spouse: Janet; Children: Jamie, John, and Karissa; Seven Grandchildren; Two Great-Grandchildren; Graduate, Pickett County High School; Attended Belmont University.

Community Service: Member: Macon, Clay, Pickett, Scott, and Fentress County Chambers of Commerce; National Rifle Association; TSEA (Tennessee State Employees Association); PIA (Professional Insurance Agents of Tennessee); Insurors of Tennessee; NFIB (National Federation of Independent Business); Board of Directors: Children's Center of the Cumberlands.

Service in Public Office: Chair: State Government Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Transportation Committee; Corrections Subcommittee; Departments and Agencies Subcommittee; Public Service and Employees Subcommittee; Pickett County Executive, 1994–1998.

Awards and Honors: "Legislator of the Year," Upper Cumberland Development District, 2012, 2013, 2016, and 2018; "Legislator of the Year," East Tennessee Development District, 2012 and 2015; Commissioned, "Kentucky Colonel," 2014; 2014 "Legislator of the Year," Rural Health Association of Tennessee; 2015 "Legislator of the Year," Upper Cumberland EMS Director's Association; 2018 "Legislator of the Year," Tennessee Federation for the Aging; 2019 "Legislator of the Year," Tennessee Renewable Energy and Economic Development Council; 2019 "Legislator of the Year," County Officials Association of Tennessee; 2019 "Person of the Year," Macon County Chamber of Commerce; 2020 "Legislator of the Year," Tennessee Mining Association.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

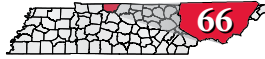
Counties Represented: Clay, Macon, Pickett, Scott, and part of Fentress.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Sabi “Doc” Kumar

District: 66

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Linda; Daughter, Nina Kumar; Surgical Residency: Mt. Sinai Medical Center, Miami Beach, FL, 1971–76; Fellowship in Transplantation: University of Miami School of Medicine, 1976–77; Surgeon Emeritus: NorthCrest Medical Center, Springfield, TN; Assistant Clinical Professor of Surgery: Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN; Inventor: Kumar Cholangiography (for Gallbladder Surgery), Kumar T-Anchors (for Hernia Repair), QuickStitch (for Surgical Wound Closure).

Community Service: Founder: Springfield Surgery PC and Nashville Surgical Instruments, both in Springfield, TN; Fellow: American College of Surgeons; Past President: Nashville Surgical Society; Past Member: Tennessee Medical Association; Past Member: Springfield Rotary; Member and Sunday School Teacher: First United Methodist Church, Springfield, TN.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Insurance Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Health Committee; Health Subcommittee; Insurance Subcommittee; Member: Robertson County Republican Party; Past Chair: Mental Health and Substance Abuse Subcommittee; Past Vice-Chair: Health Committee; Past Member: Education Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

Awards and Honors: Citizenship Award: Daughters of the American Revolution; Assistant Clinical Professor of Surgery: Vanderbilt University School of Medicine; Past President: Nashville Surgical Society; Past Chief of Staff and Chief of Surgery: NorthCrest Medical Center; Past Member: NorthCrest Medical Center Board of Trustees; Middle Tennessee YMCA Board of Trustees, Springfield, TN; Five United States Patents: 1: A Surgical Skin Staple; 2: A Method and Device for Cholangiography (Kumar Clamp and Kumar Catheter); 3: A Method and Device for Mesh Fixation (Kumar T-Anchors); 4: QuickStitch Device; 5: A Single Pass Method of Skin Closure.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Robertson.

Religion: Methodist.

Justin Lafferty

District: 89



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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, one child; Farragut High School; B.S., Political Science with a minor in Business Administration, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Community Service: Member: Karns Republican Club; Center City Conservatives GOP Club; Hardin Valley Breakfast Club.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Higher Education Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Member: Education Administration Committee; Government Operations Committee; Insurance Committee; Insurance Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Endorsed by NFIB; Endorsed by the Knoxville Fraternal Order of Police.

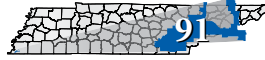
Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Methodist.

London Lamar

District: 91



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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: B.A., Political Science with double minors in Sociology and Intercultural Studies, Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN.

Community Service: Trainer, Progressive Governance Academy (PGA); Executive Committee Member, National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Member, National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women (NOBEL Women); Member, Young Elected Officials Network; President, Tennessee Young Democrats, 2015–2019; New Leaders Council Nashville Class of 2015; Emerge Tennessee Class of 2017.

Service in Public Office: Member: Criminal Justice Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Secretary: House Democratic Caucus; Member: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators; Chair: Shelby County Delegation.

Awards and Honors: Memphis Power 30 Awardee; The Council of State Governments 20 under 40, Class of 2021; National Association of Social Workers Tennessee Chapter Public Official of the Year, 2021; Young Elected Officials Network, 35 under 35, Class of 2020; Emerge America 15 Featured Alums, 2020; Young Democrats of America, Young Democrat of the Year, 2019; Saint Mary's College Shannon Executive Scholar Fall 2019; Unbought and Transformational Shotcaller, The Black Millennials Convention, 2019; *The New Tri-State Defender* Legend and Leader Award Recipient, 2017; Memphis Top 40 under 40, Recipient, Class of 2017; *Memphis Flyer* Top 20 under 30, Class of 2015.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Christian.

Tom Leatherwood**District: 99**5940 Griffin Road
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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, wife Melissa; Five children; Germantown High School, 1974; University of Memphis, 1979; Teaching Certification, Middle Tennessee State University, 1988.

Community Service: NRA; Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary Development Council; Shelby County Republican Party; Northeast Shelby Republican Club.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Health Committee; Member: Local Government Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Property and Planning Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Archival Advancement Award, Society of TN Archivists; Gateway Christian Schools Legislative Award; Bob James Public Servant Award, Shelby County Republican Party; TSBA Legislative Award; University of Memphis Public Servant Award; APTA Tennessee Outstanding Legislator Award.

Membership History: House: 111th through 112th General Assemblies. Senate: 98th through 101st General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Baptist.

Mary Littleton

District: 78

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Four children and five grandchildren.

Community Service: 23rd District Judicial Child Advocacy Board; Cheatham County Habitat for Humanity; Dickson Relay for Life; Member: Cheatham County Chamber of Commerce; Dickson County Chamber of Commerce; Dickson High Noon Rotary; NRA; Cheatham County Community Foundation; Kiwanis; Civitan; 23rd Judicial District Foster Care Review Board; Jobs for TN Graduates Board; Second Look Commission; Southern Leadership Conference Commission of Human Services.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee; Member: Civil Justice Committee; Government Operations Committee; State Government Committee; Corrections Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee.

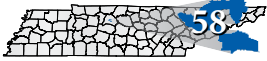
Awards and Honors: Tennessee GOP State Executive Committee for 25th District; 2001 Statesman of the Year; Vice-Chairman: Tennessee GOP.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Cheatham and part of Dickson.

Religion: Church of Christ.

Harold Moses Love, Jr.



District: 58

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Wife: Leah Love; Parents: the Late Rep. Harold M. Love, Sr. and Mary Y. Love; Sisters: Chrystal, Candyce, Cheryl, and Caralyn; Graduate: Whites Creek High School, 1990; Graduate: Tennessee State University, 1994, with a degree in Economics and Finance and a minor in Political Science; Graduate: Vanderbilt University School of Divinity, 1998, with a Master’s Degree in Theological Studies; Graduate: Tennessee State University, 2017, with a Ph.D. in Public Policy and Administration.

Community Service: Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.; 33rd Degree Mason; Hella Temple #105 Shriner; Board of Directors: 18th Avenue Family Enrichment Center.

Service in Public Office: Co-Chair: Joint Land-Grant Institution Funding Study Committee; Member: Local Government Committee; Education Administration Committee; Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee; K–12 Subcommittee; Democratic Assistant Leader; Vice President: National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Past - Democratic Caucus Secretary; Chaplain: National Black Caucus of State Legislators.

Awards and Honors: Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. “Mighty Rho Psi” Chapter Founder’s Award, 1993; Vanderbilt Divinity School Distinguished Alumni, 2016; Matthew Walker Comprehensive Health Center Health Advocacy Award, 2021.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Susan Lynn

District: 57

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married; Two children; Six grandchildren.

Community Service: Mt. Juliet Chamber of Commerce; Wilson County Republican Party; Republican Women of Mt. Juliet; American Legislative Exchange Council; Heartland Institute Advisory Board.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (TACIR); Information Systems Council; Douglas Henry State Museum Commission.

Awards and Honors: 2018 Legislator of the Year, GNRC; 2014 Legislator of the Year, GNRC; CIED Task Force Chairman: American Legislative Exchange Council, 2006–2010; 2010 Eagle Forum; 2008 NFIB Guardian of Small Business; 2007 NFIB Champion of Small Business; 2006 Friend of Home Schooling Award; 2006 Legislator of the Year, GNRC; 2006 World Trade Council Essay Award for Article on Energy; 2006 Recipient of the Rush Limbaugh Feminazi Resistance; Ribbon, *The Tennessee Journal*; Tennessee Right to Life: 2012, 2008, 2006, 2004, 2002; NFIB: 2014, 2012, 2008, 2006, 2004; A+ NRA and Endorsed: 2010, 2008, 2006, 2004, 2002; Tennessee Chamber of Commerce: 2014, 2010, 2008, 2006, 2004; A NRA and Endorsed: 2014, 2012; Appointed to State Workforce Development Board by Governor Haslam: 2014–2016; 2014 AFP Champion for Prosperity.

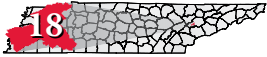
Membership History: 103rd through 106th and 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Wilson.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Eddie Mannis

District: 18



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Marital Status:	Partnered
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Partner – Blake Gibson; Two dogs: Bexley and Theo.

Community Service: Founder/Chair: HonorAir Knoxville; Member: Covenant Health Board of Directors; Free Medical Clinics of America Board of Directors; Knoxville Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors; Chair: Metropolitan Knoxville Airport Authority; Founder: Project Classroom; Co-Founder: Knoxville’s Art in Public Places; Leadership Knoxville, 2006; Leadership Tennessee, 2017; Former Chief Operating Officer and Deputy Mayor: City of Knoxville; Past Chair: Zoo Knoxville Board of Directors; University of TN Chancellor’s Associates; Former Board Member: Visit Knoxville.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Local Government Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: East TN Business Hall of Fame Inductee; Service to Mankind Award, Knoxville Sertoma Club; Community Excellence Award, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Recipient of FBI Director’s Community Leadership Award; Generations of Service Award, Medal of Honor Society; Person of the Year, PBS Be More Award; Lifetime of Service Award, Vietnam Veterans of America.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Baptist.

Sam McKenzie

District: 15

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Knoxville, TN 37914



Occupation:

ESHQ Project Manager:
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Political Party:

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Personal Information: Three children and three stepchildren; Austin-East High; B.S., Physics, Fisk University; M.S., Physics, University of Memphis.

Community Service: District Representative: Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.; Yo-STEM Build-a-Drone Program; Knox County Commission, 2008–2016; Knox County Commission, Joint Education Committee Chair, 2014–2016; Omega Jr. Lamplighters Program for 5th Graders at SMG Elementary; Board of Directors: ORNL Federal Credit Union; Tennova Healthcare Knoxville; Community Action Committee (CAC); KUB, 2003–2008.

Service in Public Office: Member: Education Instruction Committee; Transportation Committee; Education Instruction Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Omega Lifetime Achievement Award; MLK Commission Parade Grand Marshal.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Baptist.

Larry J. Miller

District: 88

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Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Daughter, Nikayla; Graduate: Booker T. Washington High School, Memphis; B.A., Social Science, LeMoyne-Owen College.

Community Service: Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; NAACP; Shelby County Democratic Party; Memphis-Shelby County New Arena Public Building Authority; Black Pioneers Fire Fighters; Former Member: Tennessee Democratic Executive Committee; Board of Trustees Member: LeMoyne-Owen College.

Service in Public Office: Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Local Government Committee; Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Region IV Chairman: National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Past - Chairman: Tennessee Black Caucus of State Legislators.

Membership History: 98th through 112th General Assemblies.

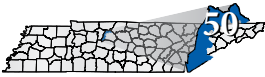
Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Christian.

Bo Mitchell

District: 50

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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Bo and his wife, Chastity, along with their sons, Parker (15) and Brady (13), live in the Newsom Station area of Bellevue. Bo graduated from David Lipscomb University in 1992 with a Bachelor’s Degree in Political Science. He earned his law degree from Nashville School of Law in 2003.

Community Service: Bo is a member of the Bellevue Family YMCA, FiftyForward J.L. Turner Center, Tennessee Conservation Voters, Bellevue Chamber of Commerce, and Tennessee Farm Bureau.

Service in Public Office: Member: Health Committee; Insurance Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Insurance Subcommittee; Past - Member: Metro Council, District 35, 2007–2015; Director of Community Affairs for Governor Phil Bredesen.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

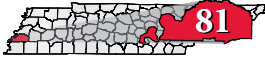
Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Christian.

Debra Moody

District: 81

Covington, TN 38019



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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Husband; Four children; Attended local university.

Community Service: Advisory Board: Confidential Care Mobile Ministry (confidentialcaremm.org); Covington Chamber of Commerce; South Tipton Chamber of Commerce; Tipton County Republican Women; Tipton County Republican Party (various offices); National Rifle Association; Gun Owners of America; Disabled American Veteran Auxiliary; Mid-South Military Museum Board Member.

Service in Public Office: Chairlady: Education Instruction Committee; Member: Education Instruction Subcommittee; Calendar and Rules Committee; Criminal Justice Committee and Subcommittee; Local Government Committee; Property and Planning Subcommittee; Select Committee on Rules; The Individualized Education Account Advisory Council Member; Currently Appointed to Human Trafficking Task Force.

Awards and Honors: 2019 Named Tennessee's Most Conservative Legislator by Club For Growth; 2019 Loyalty Day Award, VFW (Veterans of Foreign Wars); 2019 NCSL Early Learning Fellow; 2019 AWAKE Advocacy Award.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

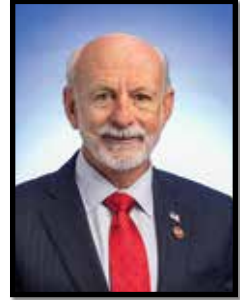
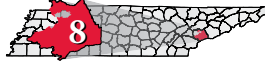
Counties Represented: Tipton.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Jerome Moon

District: 8

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Deborah; Two daughters; Four grandchildren; Member: Piney Grove Baptist Church; University of Tennessee Executive Development Program; University of Tennessee; Maryville High School.

Community Service: 2010–2017 Blount County Board of Commissioners (Chair, 2011–2017), Member: Budget Committee, Veterans Affairs Committee, and Agenda Committee; Member: National Association of Parliamentarians; VFW Post 10855 (Commander, 2015–2016); Life Member: Veterans of Foreign Wars; Life Member: Vietnam Veterans of America; Life Member: Phi Kappa Phi; Beta Gamma Sigma; Past Treasurer: Tennessee Press Association; Member: Chilhowee View Community Center; Past President: United Way of Blount County; Past Chair: Blount County Industrial Board; Past Chair: Pellissippi State Community College Foundation; Leadership Knoxville class of '89; Member: Executive Committee, Blount County Republican Party; Member: Isaac Anderson Society, Maryville College.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Member: Commerce Committee; Local Government Committee; State Government Committee; Corrections Subcommittee; 111th and 112th General Assemblies: Majority Caucus Parliamentarian; 111th General Assembly: Veterans Caucus Chairman.

Awards and Honors: Maryville City Schools Foundation Distinguished Alumni Award for 2018; All State Commander for Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of Tennessee; 2015–2016 Captain of the All State Team Veterans of Foreign Wars Tennessee; Board Emeritus: Pellissippi State Community College Foundation; National Aide de Camp Veterans of Foreign Wars 2020–2021; AmVets Silver Bayonet Award 2019.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Blount.

Religion: Baptist.

Brandon Ogles

District: 61
Franklin, TN



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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: B.S., Management, Minor in Finance and Psychology, Lipscomb University.

Community Service: Former Board Member: Grassland Athletic Association; Former Board Member: TN Homework Hotline.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Republican Caucus Vice-Chairman.

Awards and Honors: Eagle Scout, Troop 130.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Williamson.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Antonio Parkinson

District: 98

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Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Retired U.S. Marine.

Community Service: Founder: ABetterMemphis.com; Founder/Organizer: The Block Party for Peace; Former Chair: Memphis and Shelby County Music Commission; Former President: Frayser Exchange Club; Frayser Community Development Corporation, 2007; Former Vice President: Raleigh Community Council; President: The Voice of Raleigh and Frayser Community Action Network; Founder: Fresh Starts Community Baby Shower Initiative to lower the infant mortality rate in Shelby County.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Education Administration Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Higher Education Subcommittee; Democratic Caucus; Shelby County Legislative Delegation; Tennessee Legislative Black Caucus, Chairman; State Child Fatality Review Team; TACIR.

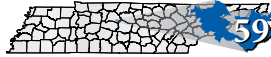
Awards and Honors: 2011 Legislator of the Year; 2015 Public Official of the Year, Tennessee Chapter, National Association of Social Workers; 2015 Regional Legislator of the Year; 2015 Outstanding Rep./County Official.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Non-denominational, Breath of Life Christian Center.

Jason Potts



District: 59

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Marital Status:

Married

Political Party:

Democrat

Personal Information: Married; Two children: Amalie and Easton; Honors Diploma, Spring Hill High School; CLI - Real Estate.

Community Service: Haywood Neighbors; East Tusculum Neighborhood Group; Metropolitan Council of Nashville and Davidson County, District 30, 2011–Present; Habitat for Humanity; Tennessee Farm Bureau; Member: Metro Nashville Traffic and Parking Commission, 2015–2017; Chair: Metro Nashville Traffic and Parking Commission, 2015–2017; Chair: Metro Nashville Public Works, 2012–2014.

Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Transportation Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

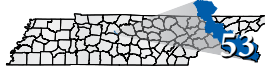
Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Christian.

Jason Powell

District: 53

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Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Heather, wife; Sophie, daughter; Hawkes, son; M.B.A., University of Memphis; Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society; M.P.A., Tennessee State University; Pi Alpha Alpha Honor Society; B.A., History/Political Science, University of Colorado at Boulder.

Community Service: Member: Caldwell-Abbey Hall Neighborhood Association; Cane Ridge Community Club; Crieve Hall Neighborhood Association; Fairlane Park Neighborhood Association; Glencliff Neighborhood Association; Woodbine Neighborhood Association; Nashville Area Chamber of Commerce, South Area Advisory Council; Greater Nashville Realtors' Association; Greater Nashville Apartment Association; Tennessee Certified Prevention Specialist; Urban Land Institute; Former Board Member: Nashville Emerging Leaders.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; State Government Committee; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Corrections Subcommittee; Democratic Whip; Past Democratic Floor Leader.

Awards and Honors: Democratic Whip, 112th and 111th; Democratic Floor Leader, 109th; Tennessee Certified Prevention Specialist; The Arc of Tennessee, Legislative Award 2018; *Nashville Business Journal*, 40 Under 40, 2017; Davidson County Democratic Party, Cecil D. Branstetter Award 2015; Tennessee Conservation Voters, Legislative Friend Award 2014 & 2013; Nashville Emerging Leaders 2010; Varsity Letterman: Colorado Buffaloes Football.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Episcopal.

Dennis H. Powers**District: 36**139 Preston Circle
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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife: Tracy Adkins Powers, Director of Roane State Community College in Campbell County. I am a graduate of LaFollette High School and have a B.S. in Business Administration from the University of Tennessee. Sister: Betty Aiken of Jacksboro. Brother: Clyde Powers (deceased) of Maryville. Father: Hugh E. Powers (deceased) of LaFollette, who was a veteran of WWII and passed while serving on the LaFollette Police Department. Mother: Naomi Ellison Powers (deceased) of LaFollette, whose family moved from Union County when Norris Dam was being constructed. I serve 3 counties that surround beautiful Norris Lake, and my district contains 5 state parks. I was born and raised in LaFollette, played on the 1965 LaFollette Little League State Championship team, and was Captain of the LaFollette High School Golf Team for the 1970–1971 Season.

Community Service: Chairman: Campbell County Republican Party; Board of Directors: Campbell County Chamber Leadership; Former President: South Campbell County Rotary Club; Member: Campbell, Anderson, and Union Chambers of Commerce; Former President: Campbell County Young Republicans; Committee Chairman: Goodwill Industries; Golf Coach and Adopter; Jacksboro Middle School Coach; Senior League Baseball Coach; Volunteer: LaFollette Medical Center; Committee Chairman: Boy Scouts of America; Mentor Program: West LaFollette Elementary School; Friends of Cove Lake State Park; National Right to Life; National Rifle Association; Campbell County Habitat for Humanity Board; American Cancer Society; Relay for Life; Committee Chairman: Adopt-A-School program; 30-Year Member of the First Baptist Church of Jacksboro; Member: Campbell County Jaycees; Heritage Foundation; American Legislative Exchange Council; Tennessee Farm Bureau; Leadership Campbell County; Wounded Warrior Project; National Conference of State Legislators; National Federation of Independent Business; The Tenth Amendment Center; Beacon Center of Tennessee; Mentor: Tennessee Promise; National Conference of Insurance Legislators; American Conservative Union.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Member: Commerce Committee; Insurance Committee; Transportation Committee; Vice-Chairman: Republican Caucus; 108th through 110th General Assemblies - Chair: Banking and Investments Subcommittee; Member: Agriculture Committee; Business and Utilities Committee; Commerce Committee; Insurance Committee; Insurance and Banking Committee; Insurance and Banking Subcommittee; Life and Health Insurance Subcommittee; Tennessee Energy Task Force; Tennessee Opioid Task Force.

Awards and Honors: Rotary, Paul Harris Fellow; Defender of Liberty Award, American Conservative Union; Champion for Prosperity Award, Americans for Prosperity; Legislator of the Year, East Tennessee Development District; Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Mining Association; Conservative Achievement Award, American Conservative Union; NRA Defender of Freedom Award; NFIB Guardian of Small Business; Conservative Excellence Award, American Conservative Union.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Campbell and parts of Union and Anderson.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

John David Ragan, Jr.**District: 33**119 Morningside Drive
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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: More than four decades of experience in governmental, industrial, educational, and commercial organizations; Ragan's military career spanned twenty-four years that encompassed more than 4,000 jet hours and time in two combat theaters in addition to ever-increasing positions of responsibility and accomplishment in both management and technical activities. These responsibilities have not only included wartime command, but also experience in managing civil engineering operations, logistics, communications, and police organizations among others. Family: wife of 50 years, Liz; a daughter, Amanda, an Oak Ridge High School choral director; a son, Patrick, a U.S. Air Force Colonel and F-16 pilot; three grandchildren. Education: Bachelor's Degree, Engineering Sciences, Air Force Academy; Master's Degree, Aeronautical Sciences, Embry-Riddle University; Postgraduate studies, University of Tennessee; Professional and certificate studies, University of North Carolina, University of Oklahoma, University of Southern California; Former adjunct faculty, University of Tennessee and Embry-Riddle University.

Community Service: Member: Anderson County Chamber of Commerce; Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce; Daedalians (Fraternal Order of Military Pilots); Air Force Association, USAF Academy Association of Graduates; Veterans of Foreign Wars; American Legion; Former little league baseball coach; Former youth basketball coach.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Government Operations Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Education Administration Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Education Instruction Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; K-12 Subcommittee; Member: Southern States Energy Board; Co-Chair of the National Council of State Legislatures' Nuclear Legislative Working Group; Commander: Legislative Squadron of the Tennessee Wing of the Civil Air Patrol; Past - Veterans Caucus; Member: National Council of State Legislatures' Natural Resources and Infrastructure Committee; Member: Southern Legislative Conference Energy Committee.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Anderson.

Religion: Southern Baptist.

Bob Ramsey

District: 20

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Margaret; Two children, Heather and Haley; Two granddaughters, Greer and Valentina; Maryville High School; B.S., Biology, University of Tennessee at Knoxville; D.D.S., University of Tennessee at Memphis, Licensed in Florida and Tennessee; Professional: Dental Director of Okaloosa County Health Department (1974–1976); Private Practice of General Dentistry (1976); Second District Dental Peer Review Board (eight years); Blount County Dental Society; Second District Dental Society; Tennessee Dental Society; American Dental Society (1976–present); Fellow of International and American Colleges of Dentists; Blount County Board of Health (1990–present), Chairman for four years; Blount Memorial Hospital Medical Executive Committee Representative (1982); Choir Member: First Baptist Church of Maryville, upright bass player for the church symphony, Trustee, Member of the Jail Ministry, Deacon, and a past youth teacher.

Community Service: Blount County Commissioner, 1990–2009; Commission Chairman, 1990–1992, 2002–2008; Appointed Interim County Executive, 1992; Appointed Acting County Mayor, 2006; Chairman: Regional Solid Waste Authority, 2002–2008; Tellico Reservoir Development Agency, 2006; Agricultural Extension Committee; Board Member: Blount Community Action Agency, 2004–present; Member: Kiwanis Club of Maryville, 1976–present; Past Member: County Executives Association; County Mayors Association; East Tennessee Human Resources Agency; Member: East Tennessee Development District; Emergency Communications Committee; Information Technology Committee; Long Range Planning Committee; Properties, Purchasing and Public Service Committee; Parks and Recreation Committee; Nominating and Reapportionment Committee; Blount County Chamber of Commerce, 1976–present; President: Friends of Blount County Library, 1993; Graduate: Leadership Blount, 2001; Sponsor: Little River Watershed Association; Martin Luther King Community Choir, 2001–present; 2015–2016 participant in United Way of Blount County Gas Day in Maryville; 2015 participant in Muscular Dystrophy Association: Lock-Up!

Service in Public Office: Chair: Health Subcommittee; Member: Civil Justice Committee; Health Committee; Civil Justice Subcommittee; Past - Member: Autism Spectrum Taskforce; Statewide Planning and Policy Council for the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services.

Awards and Honors: Wall of Tolerance, National Campaign for Tolerance, 2005; Check and Balance Award, 2011; Winner TSCA Protecting Local Taxpayer Dollars Award, 2011; Outstanding Representative, County Officials Association of Tennessee, 2012;

Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers, 107th General Assembly; Arc Legislators of the Year, 2012; Motorcycling Safety and Freedom, CMT/ABATE Inc.; Legislator of the Year, Chamber of Commerce and Industry, 2012; Arc Legislative Award, 2012–2015; 2013 Legislator of the Year Award, Greater Nashville Regional Council at the TN Development District Assn.; Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers 107th General Assembly Distinguished Service; TN Men's Health Network 2014 Outstanding Legislator of the Year Award; The American Conservative Union 2015 Award of Conservative Achievement; 2015 Disability Hero from the TN Disability Coalition; Open Government Award, Tennessee Press Association, 2016; Hand to Heart Award In Memory of The Tanner Lee Jameson Act, 2016; Life is Why Award, American Heart Association, 2017; *Daily Times* Alumni Hall of Fame, 2017; 2018 Friend of Lung Health Award, American Lung Association; 2018 President's Award, Tennessee Association of Mental Health Organizations; Mental Health America, 2019 Legislative Award; Board Member: True Purpose Ministries, 2021; Board Member: Secret Safe Place, 2021; 2021 Audiologist Legislator of the Year; 2021 Tennessee Hospital Hero Award by the Tennessee Hospital Association.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

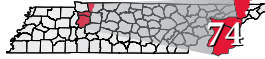
Counties Represented: Part of Blount County.

Religion: Baptist.

Jay D. Reedy

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Political Party: Republican

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Community Service: Member: Houston County Chamber of Commerce; Board of Directors Member: Humphreys County Chamber of Commerce; Member: Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce; Past Commissioner: Houston County Election Commission.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Government Operations Committee; Joint Government Operations Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Subcommittee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Local Government Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Property and Planning Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Legislative Rookie of the Year 2016, Tennessee Forum; Conservative Excellence Award, American Conservative Union; Family Champion Award, Family Action Counsel of Tennessee; Pro-Business Champion Award, NFIB; Most Outstanding Agriculture Senior, APSU; Outstanding Military Science Senior, APSU; Delta Tau Alpha, Agriculture Honor Society; United States Army Achievement Medal, Two Oak Leaf Clusters; United States Army Accommodation Medal, One Oak Leaf Cluster.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Houston, Humphreys, and part of Montgomery.

Religion: Church of Christ.

Tim Rudd**District: 34**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Affiliate broker and real estate agent for over 22 years; Owner of direct mail consulting company for over 27 years; Graduate of Smyrna High School; Attended Middle Tennessee State University.

Community Service: Member: Farm Bureau; National Federation of Independent Business; National Rifle Association (NRA); Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce; National Right to Life; Founder & Co-Chair: Republican Business Association of Rutherford County; Former Chair: St. Jude's Children's Hospital Bike-A-Thon; Former Treasurer: Tennessee Volunteers for Life.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Member: Insurance Committee; Local Government Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Past - Elected to serve as Republican State Executive Committeeman for 18 years; Past Member: Rutherford County Correctional Workhouse Board; Rutherford County Equalization Board; Past Chairman of the Rutherford County Young Republican Federation; Past Middle Tennessee Director of Tennessee Young Republican Federation; Past Treasurer of Republican Party of Rutherford County.

Awards and Honors: Tennessee Republican Party Statesman of the Year; Young Republican Federation Republican of the Year; National Scribe Award for Print and Design; Republican Chairman's Circle Member; Republican Party Lifetime Achievement Award; Rutherford County Republican of the Year; Tennessee Independent Baptist Legislator of the Year Award 2019; The National Association of Secretaries of State Medallion Award.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

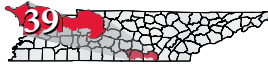
Counties Represented: Part of Rutherford.

Religion: Baptist.

Iris Rudder

District: 39

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Married, husband Michael; Two children: Emily and Graham; Attended Northern Alabama Community College; Alabama Real Estate School.

Community Service: Past Chairman: Franklin County Republican Party, 2011–2015; Past President: Franklin County Republican Ladies, 2016–2018; Founder and Past Chairman: Southern TN Ladies’ Society; Past Board Member: Franklin County Election Commission, 2010–2013; Past County Commissioner: Franklin County, 2014–2018; Member: Franklin County Chamber of Commerce; NRA; Board Member: Winchester Dog Park; Winchester Downtown Program Corp.; Co-Host: Right Way Radio Show; Board Member: South Central Human Resource Agency.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Insurance Committee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Calendar and Rules Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Insurance Subcommittee; Past - Vice-Chair: Government Operations Committee; Member: Judiciary Committee; Education Committee; Children and Families Subcommittee; K–12 Subcommittee.

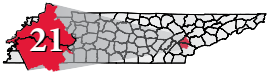
Awards and Honors: 2015 Statesman of the Year for the 4th District.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Moore and parts of Franklin and Marion.

Religion: Christian.

Lowell Russell



District: 21

104 Corntassel Shores
Vonore, TN 37885

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Marital Status:	Single
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: A.S., Criminal Justice, Roane State Community College; Tennessee Highway Patrol Academy; Tennessee Bureau of Investigation Academy; Basic Police Academy, Cleveland State Community College; Co-Author of *Trial By Fire*.

Community Service: Board Member: Vonore Historical Society; Board Member: Tennessee Helping Hearts; University of Tennessee Hospital Trauma Survivors Network; Former Chairman: Monroe County Republican Party; Madisonville Kiwanis Club; Fraternal Order of Police; American Association of State Troopers; National Rifle Association; Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association; Senate Appointment: Tennessee P.O.S.T. Commission, 2018–2023; Board Member: Lance Corporal Frankie Watson Memorial Scholarship Award Foundation.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Calendar and Rules Committee; Member: Criminal Justice Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; Transportation Committee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: Gordon R. Sparks Memorial Achievement Award; Tennessee Helping Hearts Service and Appreciation Award.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Parts of Loudon and Monroe.

Religion: Baptist - First Baptist of Madisonville.

Jerry Sexton

District: 35

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Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Marsha; Children, Terri and Matthew.

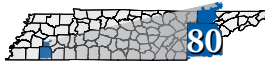
Community Service: Member, Board of Directors: The Abraham Lincoln Institute for the Study of Leadership and Public Policy at Lincoln Memorial University; Board Member: Grainger County Chamber of Commerce, Tennessee Food on Foot Foundation, Kingswood Home for Children in Bean Station, TN, East Tennessee Local Workforce.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Criminal Justice Committee; Member: Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Local Government Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Property and Planning Subcommittee.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Claiborne, Grainger, and part of Union.

Religion: Noeton Missionary Baptist Church.

Johnny W. Shaw**District: 80**

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Marital Status: Married

Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Four children; Theological Studies, American Baptist College in Jackson; CEO and Co-owner: Shaw Broadcasting Co., LLC.

Community Service: Board Chairman: Western Mental Health Institute; Vice-Chair: Community Rehabilitation Agencies of Tennessee; Member: Tennessee Association of Broadcasters; Gathering of Men (Faith-based organization); Board Member: WLJT Public Broadcasting Station; Former Member: West Tennessee River Basin Authority Board; Former Board Member: National Civil Rights Museum; University of Memphis (Lambuth); Lifetime Member: NAACP; Madison and Hardeman County Capitol Talk Forums; Chairman: TAKE ONE Steering Committee (mentoring program for released offenders).

Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Local Government Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Member: West Tennessee Economic Caucus; Legislative Rural Caucus; National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Past Chairman: Tennessee Legislative Black Caucus; Past Member: Legislative Arts Caucus; Black Healthcare Commission; Past Committees: Agriculture Committee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Ethics Committee; State Government Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Joint Pensions and Insurance Committee; Children and Family Committee; Agriculture Subcommittee; Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; State Government Subcommittee; Health Equity Commission; Former Hardeman County Commissioner.

Awards and Honors: 2021 Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Veterinary Medical Association; 2019 Community Champion (Religious Liberty) Award, AMAC; National PBS History Maker Award; National Black Caucus Legislator of the Year, Corporate Roundtable Award; Legislative Impact on Aging Award, Southeast Region Association on Aging; Distinguished Service Award, TN Association of Broadcasters; TN Forestry Assoc., Legislator of the Year Award; West Tennessee African American Entrepreneurs, C.A. Rawls Bridge Builder Award; Capitol Dome Service Award, American Cancer Society; Mayor's Character First Program, William Henry Miles Outstanding Community Service Award; Jackson Affordable Housing, Jo Helen Imani Award; Legislator of the Year, Tennessee Development District Association; West Tennessee Black Business Association Chairman's Award.

Membership History: 102nd through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Parts of Hardeman and Madison.

Religion: Pastor – St. John Baptist Church of Stanton.

Paul Sherrell**District: 43**

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Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Son of Robert and Bell Sherrell; Two Brothers - Johnny and Danny; One Sister - Doris Welch; Wife - Miranda; Two Children - Marlie and Lee.

Community Service: Grundy County Republican Party; Warren County Republican Party; White County Republican Party; Tennessee Firearms Association; NRA; Gun Owners of America.

Service in Public Office: Member: Criminal Justice Committee; Health Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Health Subcommittee; Republican Floor Leader.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Grundy, White, and part of Warren.

Religion: Christian.

Robin Smith

District: 26

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, two children; B.S., Nursing, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 1985; Graduate, Stanford University, Center for Professional Development, Certified Project Manager, 2008.

Community Service: Health Policy Consensus Group of the Galen Institute; University of Tennessee College of Nursing Advisory Board; Alumni Committee, University of TN College of Nursing; Harrison Ruritan Club; Hixson Kiwanis Club; Friends of Hixson; Teacher/Mentor at Abba's House; Hamilton County Republican Women Turning Point USA; NRA; TN Republican Party; Hamilton County Pachyderm Club.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Health Committee; Insurance Committee; Health Subcommittee; Insurance Subcommittee; Chairman: Tennessee Woman Suffrage Centennial Committee; TANF Working Group; TN Right to Work Constitutional Amendment Initiative.

Awards and Honors: Tennessee Champion of Commerce, Tennessee Chamber 2020; NFIB Guardian of Small Business 2019–2020; Health Care Innovator of the Year, Foundation for Government Accountability, 2019; RNC Democracy Project of Taiwan; Tennessee Statesman of the Year; National Tough Tusk Award, Pachyderm Club.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

Religion: Christian.

Mike Sparks**District: 49**

Occupation: Business Owner, Marketing Consultant,
Author, Entrepreneur, Radio Sales and Host

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Birth Date: 1/11/1967

Marital Status: Married

Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Born in Smyrna at the former Sewart Air Force Base; Wife of 31 years, Felicia; Two sons: Preston and Payton; Two dogs: Prince and Bella; Graduate: Smyrna High School, Middle Tennessee State University, and Motlow State Community College with a Mass Communication degree; Attended Castle Heights Military Academy in Lebanon, TN; Attended Volunteer State Community College for Business and Emergency Medical Training; CCIM (Certified Commercial Investment Member) Institute; Watkins College and Film School; Completed NECAT Network, known formally as the Nashville Education, Community and Arts Television Network; Graduate: Nashville Auction School; University of Tennessee Governing Principles, class of 2011; Nashville School of Real Estate, 2000; Completed the Dale Carnegie Institute; Currently enrolled in MTSU's Graduate Program; Author of three books: *Learn The Car Business For Fun and Profit*; *Learn to Barter*; and his latest, *How To Do More With Less During Tough Times*; Started his first business, Hard Bodies Fitness Center, in Smyrna at the age of 21 by saving \$10,000 and convincing his late father to loan him \$10,000 while offering him a rate of return of 10 percent interest.

Community Service: NFIB; Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce; Farm Bureau; NRA; Smyrna Rotary Club; Smyrna Lion's Club; Gideons International; American Legislative Exchange Council; Past Board Member: American Red Cross, Heart of Tennessee Chapter; Has served as co-host of biweekly radio show "Rutherford Issues" on 100.5 FM and 1450 AM heard via WGNS Radio for the past 15 years; Former Member: Nissan Community Involvement Committee; Member: Tennessee Firearms Association; Completed the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation Citizens' Academy, the Tennessee Department of Correction Citizens' Correctional Academy, and the Rutherford County Sheriff's Citizen Academy.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Past - Rutherford County Commissioner, 2002–2010; Smyrna Municipal Planning Commission, 2001–2010; Rutherford County Public Works and Planning Committee; Rutherford County Property Management Committee; Rutherford County Health and Education Committee; Rutherford County Purchasing Committee; Tennessee Energy Task Force; Founding Member: TN-ZERO Drug and Crime Task Force.

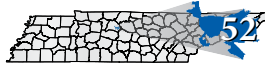
Awards and Honors: Rotary International “Paul Harris Fellow” Award; The *Daily News Journal* Ruthies Small Business Award winner, 2008–2009; Smyrna Rotary Club Perfect Attendance Award; His business, MidTnAutos.com, was featured nationwide in *Business Journal Magazine* as Tennessee’s first “dot com” car company; Biography featured in the book *No More Mondays* by Dan Miller of 48days.com; Service award for “Innovative Ideas for Cost Savings” while employed with Whirlpool Corporation; Helped initiate Rutherford County’s “Efficiency Task Force”; Helped develop Rutherford County’s “Solid Waste Study Committee”; Initiated the idea to host the Goodwill Industries collection trailers at Rutherford County Convenience Centers.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Rutherford.

Religion: Baptist, Christian.

Mike Stewart



District: 52

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Democrat

Personal Information: Three children; J.D., University of Tennessee College of Law; B.A., History, University of Pennsylvania.

Community Service: Past President: Lockeland Springs Neighborhood Association; Past Member: Davidson County Emergency Communications District Board.

Service in Public Office: Member: Civil Justice Committee; Government Operations Committee; Children and Family Affairs Subcommittee; Joint Government Operations Judiciary and Government Subcommittee; Past - Democratic Caucus Chairman.

Awards and Honors: Veteran: Operation Desert Storm; U.S. Eighth Army Distinguished Leader Award; Tennessee Young Democrats Shining Star Award; Legislative Friends Award and Good Green Deeds Award, Tennessee Conservation Voters; Selected by State Legislative Leaders Foundation to attend Emerging Leaders Program at Darden School, University of Virginia; Selected as a NewDEAL Leader, NewDEAL Network.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Davidson.

Religion: Methodist.

Bryan Terry

District: 48

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Cheryl; Son, Brayden and daughter, Breeley; B.S. Psychology, University of Oklahoma; M.D., Oklahoma College of Medicine; Anesthesiology Residency, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Community Service: Tennessee Society of Anesthesiologists; Tennessee Medical Association; Association of American Physicians and Surgeons; American Society of Anesthesiologists; Stones River Medical Academy; Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma; Diplomat of the American Board of Anesthesiology; National Rifle Association.

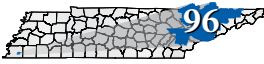
Service in Public Office: Chair: Health Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Insurance Committee; Health Subcommittee; Insurance Subcommittee; Past - Co-Founder and Co-Chair: Bi-Partisan Freshmen Caucus.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Rutherford.

Religion: Interdenominational Christian.

Dwayne Thompson



District: 96

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Married to Jennifer; Children, Joseph and Grace; Grandchildren: Nora, Jude, Silas, and Zoey; Graduated from Memphis Public Schools and the University of Memphis in Political Science and Economics; Graduate work in Business Administration from the University of Memphis; Served six years in the U.S. Army Reserves.

Community Service: Society for Human Resources Management; World at Work; American Cancer Society; Wolf River Conservancy; Shelby Farms Conservancy; Cordova Leadership Council; Tennessee Democratic Executive Committee; Germantown Democratic Club; Deacon, Olive Branch Primitive Baptist Church; Board Member: Fire Museum of Memphis.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Insurance Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Transportation Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Insurance Subcommittee.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Primitive Baptist.

Chris Todd

District: 73

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married, wife Melissa; Three children; B.S., Biology, Union University; International certification in Erosion and Sediment Control; State-certified Hydrologic Professional.

Community Service: NFIB (National Federation of Independent Business); International Erosion Control Association (IECA); IECA Southeast Chapter (former TN State Chair); NRA Lifetime Member; TFA Lifetime Member; Member, West Jackson Baptist Church for 32+ years, Deacon for 23+ years.

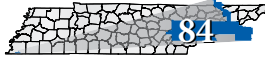
Service in Public Office: Chair: Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Transportation Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; ALEC State Chair; Former Republican Assistant Floor Leader.

Awards and Honors: NFIB TN Leadership Council; Chair: NFIB TN Environmental Advisory Council; Legislative Representative to the TN Dept. of General Services Advisory Council on State Procurement.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Most of Madison.

Religion: Baptist.

Joe Towns, Jr.**District: 84**4528 St. Honore Drive
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Occupation: Business/Entrepreneur; Former College Instructor; Has a Management, Consulting, and Entertainment Co.

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Marital Status: Single

Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: Business/entrepreneur; Former college instructor; Has a management, consulting, and entertainment company; B.A., Political Science, LeMoyne-Owen College; M.S., Operational Management, University of Arkansas in Fayetteville; Hobbies: writing poetry and acting; Recently acted in Eddie Murphy's "The Kingdom"; Performs stage acting and the spoken word; Professional service: Management in the cargo line industry; Management in the hospital industry; Management in the customer service arena; Real estate investor; Sales profession and telecommunications industry.

Community Service: Former Member: Community Service Action Board and Democratic Executive Committee; Co-Founder: C.U.T.E.C. anti-crime organization; Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; Men of Progress; 100 Black Men; Gardenview Home Owner Association.

Service in Public Office: Member: Commerce Committee; Transportation Committee; Transportation Subcommittee; Past - Assistant Democratic Leader.

Membership History: 99th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church.

Ron Travis

District: 31

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Dayton, TN 37321



Occupation: Insurance Agent
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Political Party: Republican



Personal Information: Wife, Laura; Two daughters: Rachel Travis, granddaughter, Hadley Jane; and Jessica (Ben) Shannon, granddaughters, Alley Jo and Finley Scout, and grandson, Beckham Colby.

Community Service: Member: Downtown Dayton Association; Pikeville, Dayton, Dunlap, and Roane County Chambers of Commerce; Civitan; Emmaus Community; Mainstreet Dayton; Lifetime Member: NRA; Executive Board: Southeast Tennessee Rural Planning Organization; Board of Directors: National Association of Christian Athletes; SETHRA Board of Directors.

Service in Public Office: Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Naming and Designating Committee.

Awards and Honors: Agent, Nationwide (since 1983); Nationwide Insurance President's and Champion's Conference qualifier (multiple years); Life Underwriter's Training Council Fellow (LUTCF); Tennessee Men's Health Outstanding Legislative Leadership Award, 2018, 2017, 2014; Tennessee Development District Association Legislator of the Year Award, 2014; Tennessee Chamber of Commerce "Champion of Commerce" Award, 2014.

Membership History: 108th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Bledsoe, Rhea, Sequatchie, and part of Roane.

Religion: Methodist.

Kevin Vaughan**District: 95**

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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Married; Two children; B.S. in Electrical Engineering, Memphis State University, 1984.

Community Service: Vice-Chairman: Collierville Schools Board of Education; Board of Directors: Collierville Chamber of Commerce; Collierville Rotary Club; Lambda Alpha International; Memphis Area Association of Realtors.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Commerce Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Health Committee; Banking and Consumer Affairs Subcommittee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Baptist.

Greg Vital

District: 29

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Occupation: Entrepreneur, Businessman, Farm Owner
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Marital Status: Single
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Graduated from Southern Adventist University with a B.S. Degree in Business Administration; Co-Founder and President of Morning Pointe Senior Living; Real Estate Developer.

Service in Public Office: Board of Commissioners, City of Collegedale, TN; Board Member: Chattanooga-Hamilton County Hospital Authority.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Part of Hamilton.

Religion: Christian.

Note: Representative Greg Vital won the special election for District 29 on September 14, 2021. He replaced Representative Joan Carter who was appointed by the Hamilton County Commission on June 9, 2021, to temporarily fill the seat after the passing of Representative Mike Carter.

Todd Warner**District: 92**1396 Powell Lane
Lewisburg, TN 37091

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Birth Date:	6/13/1971
Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Cindy; Three children: Patrick, Kathleen, and Cason; Forrest High School.

Community Service: Marshall County School Board; Alderman: Town of Chapel Hill.

Service in Public Office: Member: Education Instruction Committee; Government Operations Committee; Naming and Designating Committee; Joint Government Operations Education, Health and General Welfare Subcommittee; Education Instruction Subcommittee.

Membership History: 112th General Assembly.

Counties Represented: Marshall and parts of Franklin, Lincoln, and Marion.

Religion: Church of Christ.

Terri Lynn Weaver

District: 40

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Lancaster, TN 38569



Occupation: Singer/Songwriter/Small Business Owner
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Birth Date: 9/19/1957
Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: One child and two grandchildren.

Community Service: Past Chairman: Smith County Republican Party; Past Chairman: Smith County Republican Women; Chambers of Commerce: Smith County, Smithville-DeKalb County, Gallatin Area, Hendersonville Area, Hartsville-Trousdale County; Brush Creek Lions Club; Gordonsville Noon Rotary Club; Farm Bureau; Tennessee Firearms Association; Lifetime Member: National Rifle Association; Chairman: Lancaster Independence Day Parade; Host Musician: Carthage Annual Christmas Eve Service; Tennessee State Guard; Overmountain Victory Trail Association.

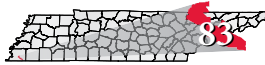
Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Education Instruction Committee; Member: Naming and Designating Committee; Transportation Committee; Education Instruction Subcommittee; Past Chair: Safety and Funding Subcommittee; Transportation Subcommittee; Past Vice-Chair: General Subcommittee of Transportation; Past Member: Education Committee; K-12 Subcommittee; Education Administration and Planning Committee; Criminal Justice Committee; Agriculture Committee; Children and Family Affairs Committee; Domestic Relations Subcommittee; Budget and Economic Development Task Force.

Awards and Honors: 2020 Veranda Ministries Hidden Hero Award; 2019 Tennessee Eagle Forum Legislator of the Year; 2019 Tennessee Mining Association Legislator of the Year; 2015 Tennessee District Attorneys General Conference Legislator of the Year; 2015 Distinguished Honor Graduate, Tennessee State Guard Initial Entry Program; 2013 Upper Cumberland Development District Legislator of the Year; 2013 Award of Support, Project Healing Waters Fly Fishing, Inc., 3rd Annual Caney Fork Outing; 2012 Macon County Chamber of Commerce Person of the Year; 1993 Christian Country Music Association Female Vocalist of the Year, singer/songwriter with three number one gospel songs.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Smith, Trousdale, and parts of DeKalb and Sumner.

Religion: Nondenominational.

Mark White**District: 83**6820 Talisman Cove
Memphis, TN 38119

Occupation: Lipscomb University, Director,
College of Leadership & Public Service

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Birth Date: 3/11/1950

Marital Status: Married

Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife, Kathy; Daughter and Son-in-Law: Mike and Bonny Osterhage; Two grandsons: Jack and Ty; Bachelor of Science, Education, University of Memphis, 1974; Master's Degree, Conflict Management, Lipscomb University, 2018.

Community Service: Past Board Member: Collierville Chamber of Commerce; Past Chairman: NFIB Tennessee Leadership Council; Member and Past Chairman: NFIB Memphis Action Council; Member: National Federation of Independent Business; Board of Directors: Collierville Chamber of Commerce; Memphis Regional Chamber of Commerce; Germantown Kiwanis Club; Past Vice President: Greentrees Civic Association; Director/Founder: Global Children's Educational Foundation which provides educational opportunity to children in the Republic of Panama; Shelby County Republican Party.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Education Administration Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Education Instruction Committee; Insurance Committee; Higher Education Subcommittee; K-12 Subcommittee; Past Vice-Chair and Chair: Fiscal Review Committee; House Sponsor: Tennessee Holocaust Commission; House Chair: Science Alliance Committee; House Chair: Tennesseans for Quality Early Education (TQEE); Member: National Assessment Governing Board (NAGB) and National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP).

Awards and Honors: 2008 NFIB Small Business Person of the Year; 2008 Regional Kiwanis Lay Person of the Year; 2007 Tennessee GOP Party Statesman of the Year; Board Member, LaunchTN; Holocaust Commission; Second Look Commission; Legislator of the Year for Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD); Book Author: *May I Call You Dad: Why Fathers Are Needed In the Home*.

Membership History: 106th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Shelby.

Religion: Christian.

Sam Whitson

District: 65

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Franklin, TN 37064



Occupation:

Colonel, U.S. Army, Retired

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615-741-1864

Marital Status:

Married

Political Party:

Republican



Personal Information: Wife, Pam; Two sons and five grandchildren. Eighth-generation Tennessean. Graduate: Middle Tennessee State University (B.S.), University of Oklahoma (M.P.A.), U.S. Army Command & General Staff College, and U.S. Army War College. Retired in 2002 after serving 26 years as a Regular Army officer. Commanded company, battalion, and brigade level units. Also served in tactical and operational combat units at the platoon, company, battalion, brigade, division, and corps levels. Member of Franklin First United Methodist Church.

Community Service: Board Member: TN Historical Society; TN Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection; Advisory Board Member: TN History for Kids; TDEC's Healthy Parks/Healthy Person; TN Civil War Preservation Assoc.; Spring Hill Chamber of Commerce; Fairview Chamber of Commerce; Battle of Franklin Trust; Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4893; Franklin's Charge Inc.; American Legion Post 215; Franklin Noon Rotary; Williamson Inc.; Elks Lodge No. 7; Disabled American Veterans; Save the Franklin Battlefield; Military Officers Assoc. of America; Chairman: City of Franklin Battlefield Preservation Comm.; Carter House State Historic Site; Foreman: Williamson Co. Grand Jury.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Transportation Subcommittee; Member: Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Health Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; Transportation Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Workplace Discrimination and Harassment Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: District Attorneys General Conf. Public Safety Advocate Award; TN Licensed Professional Counselors Assoc. Legislator of the Year; American Conservative Union Foundation Conservative Achievement; American Legion Post 5 Senator Douglas Henry Memorial Award; TN Chapter American Academy of Pediatrics Legislator of the Year; Down Syndrome Assoc. of Middle TN Phyllis Gall Award; The *Tennessean's* Person of the Year; National Alliance on Mental Illness Public Policy Advocacy Award; WAVES Community Enhancement Award; Williamson Co. Republican Career Women Charles Sargent Leadership Award; TN Association of Police Chiefs 2021 Legislative Award; TN Engineers Freshman Legislator of the Year.

Membership History: 110th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Williamson.

Ryan Williams**District: 42**1843 Foreman Drive
Cookeville, TN 38501

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Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Rep. Williams was born in Kingsport, TN. He attended Sullivan Central High School located in Blountville (Sullivan County), TN. After high school, Williams accepted an athletic scholarship to play soccer at Carson-Newman College where he graduated with a B.S. in Biology. While attending CNC, Williams met his wife, Abby Bates Williams, and they have been married for twenty-five years. Ryan and his wife have two children: Tyson MacKay Williams, who is 19, and their daughter, Carson McKinley Williams, who is 17.

Community Service: Cookeville/Putnam County Chamber of Commerce; After Dark Series; Carson-Newman Soccer alumnus; Habitat for Humanity State Board Member.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee; Member: Council on Pensions; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Health Committee; Local Government Committee; Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; 111th General Assembly: Chair: Life and Health Insurance Subcommittee; Member: Health Committee; Insurance Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Public Health Subcommittee; 110th General Assembly: Republican Caucus Chair; Joint Government Operations Committee; Calendar and Rules Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Taskforce; Child Fatality Prevention Team; Wellness Caucus; Cookeville City Council; Cookeville Planning Commission; American Council of Young Political Leaders (ACYPL); Past Member: Education Committee; Naming, Designating and Private Acts Committee; Government Operations Committee; Education Administration Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: 2018 Save the Children - Champion for Children; 2017 UCDD Legislator of the Year; 2017 AFP Champion for Prosperity; 2017 TN Chiropractic Association Legislator of the Year; 2016 TN Physical Therapy Association Legislator of the Year; 2016 Tennessee Medical Association Legislator of the Year; 2015 Disability Coalition - Disability Hero; 2015 TN Association of Marriage and Family Therapists Legislator of the Year; 2014 TN Republican Party Red to the Roots Chairman; 2011 GOPAC Emerging Leader.

Membership History: 107th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Putnam.

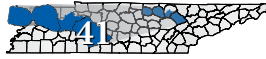
Religion: Christian.

John Mark Windle

District: 41

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Jamestown, TN 38556



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Marital Status: Single
Political Party: Democrat

Personal Information: B.S., Finance, the University of Tennessee at Knoxville; J.D., University of Tennessee College of Law; M.S., Strategic Planning, United States Army War College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania; Former Prosecutor, 13th Judicial District; Veteran with service in Macedonia, Kosovo, Iraq, Kuwait, and Germany.

Community Service: Member: Post 5062 Veterans of Foreign Wars; Post 4 American Legion; Farm Bureau; Colonel, Staff Judge Advocate in the Tennessee Army National Guard.

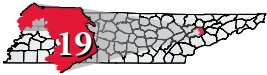
Service in Public Office: Chair: Naming and Designating Committee; Member: Calendar and Rules Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Select Committee on Ethics; Select Committee on Rules; State Government Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Subcommittee; Public Service and Employees Subcommittee.

Membership History: 97th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Jackson, Morgan, Overton, and part of Fentress.

Religion: Christian.

Dave Wright



District: 19

6930 Boruff Road
Corryton, TN 37721

Occupation:	Retired from AT&T
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Marital Status:	Married
Political Party:	Republican

Personal Information: Grew up in Corryton on a dairy farm; Graduate of Gibbs High School where he met his wife Patricia; One son William, daughter-in-law Nicole, granddaughter Ansley. B.S., Business Administration, UT Knoxville; U.S. Army Officer Candidate School; Signal Corps, Fort Gordon, GA.

Community Service: Clapps Chapel United Methodist Church; Gibbs Historical Society; Knox County Republican Party; Gibbs Ruritan National; Knox County Commission, 2008–2018: Vice-Chairman, 2014; Chairman, 2015 and 2016.

Service in Public Office: Vice-Chair: Local Government Committee; Member: Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee; Cities and Counties Subcommittee; Elections and Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Property and Planning Subcommittee; Past Member: Commerce Committee and Business Subcommittee.

Awards and Honors: The Development Corporation of Knox County; Knoxville Regional Transportation Organization.

Membership History: 111th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: East part of Knox.

Religion: Christian.

Jason Zachary

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Birth Date: 6/29/1977
Marital Status: Married
Political Party: Republican

Personal Information: Wife of twenty-two years, Holly; Son, Tyson; Attends First Baptist Concord in Knoxville; A.S. from Pellissippi State; Attended the University of Tennessee.

Community Service: Board of Directors: Vital Families; Served as Moderator at First Baptist Concord; Serves on the Stewardship Committee and as a Deacon at First Baptist Concord; Middle School Basketball Coach at CCS; Member: Farragut Republican Club; Karns Republican Club; National Rifle Association.

Service in Public Office: Chair: Calendar and Rules Committee; Member: Commerce Committee; Finance, Ways and Means Committee; Joint Fiscal Review Committee; Business and Utilities Subcommittee; Finance, Ways and Means Appropriations Subcommittee.

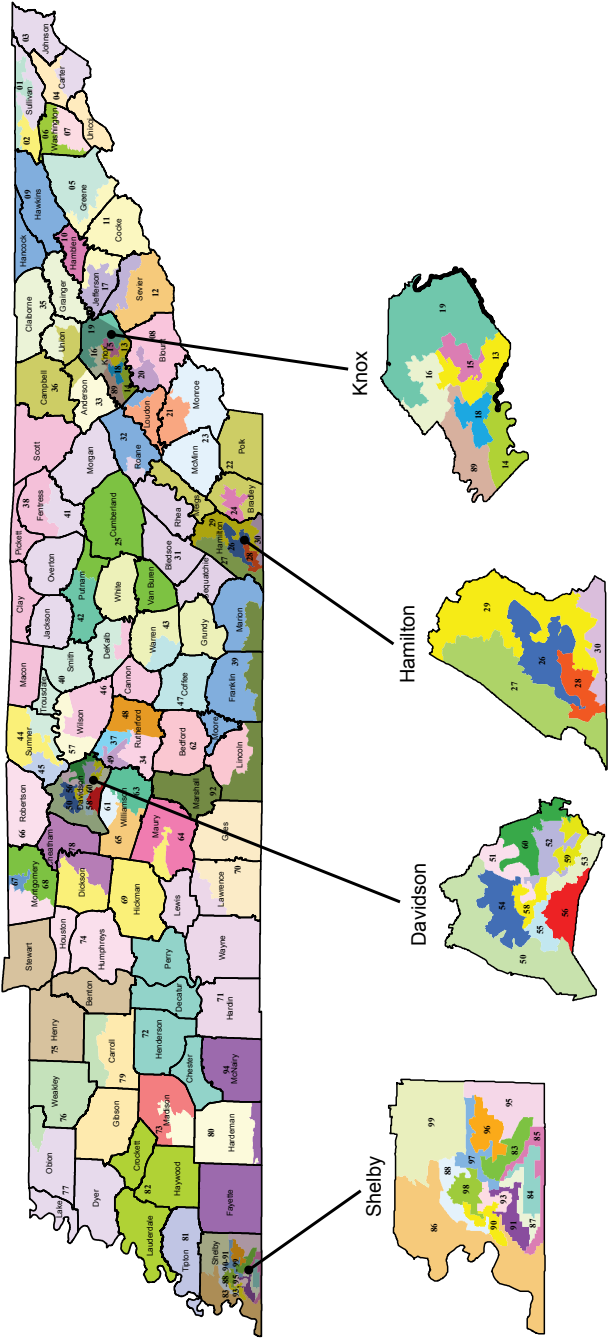
Awards and Honors: Nominated and completed the Emerging Leaders Program at the Darden Business School; NFIB Guardian of Small Business.

Membership History: 109th through 112th General Assemblies.

Counties Represented: Part of Knox.

Religion: Christian.

112th General Assembly House Districts
Map shows approximate areas represented.



District	County	District	County	District	County
1st – Sullivan (in part)		35th – Claiborne, Grainger, and Union (in part)		67th – Montgomery (in part)	
2nd – Sullivan (in part)		36th – Anderson (in part), Campbell, and Union (in part)		68th – Montgomery (in part)	
3rd – Carter (in part), Johnson, and Sullivan (in part)				69th – Dickson (in part), Hickman, and Maury (in part)	
4th – Carter (in part) and Unicoi		37th – Rutherford (in part)		70th – Giles and Lawrence (in part)	
5th – Greene (in part)		38th – Clay, Fentress (in part), Macon, Pickett, and Scott		71st – Hardin, Lawrence (in part), Lewis, and Wayne	
6th – Washington (in part)		39th – Franklin (in part), Marion (in part), and Moore		72nd – Chester, Decatur, Henderson, and Perry	
7th – Washington (in part)		40th – DeKalb (in part), Smith, Sumner (in part), and Trousdale		73rd – Madison (in part)	
8th – Blount (in part)				74th – Houston, Humphreys, and Montgomery (in part)	
9th – Hancock and Hawkins		41st – Fentress (in part), Jackson, Morgan, and Overton			
10th – Hamblen		42nd – Putnam (in part)		75th – Benton, Henry, and Stewart	
11th – Cocke, Greene (in part), and Jefferson (in part)		43rd – Grundy, Warren (in part), and White		76th – Carroll (in part), Obion (in part), and Weakley	
12th – Sevier (in part)		44th – Sumner (in part)		77th – Dyer, Lake, and Obion (in part)	
13th – Knox (in part)		45th – Sumner (in part)		78th – Cheatham and Dickson (in part)	
14th – Knox (in part)		46th – Cannon, DeKalb (in part), and Wilson (in part)		79th – Carroll (in part) and Gibson	
15th – Knox (in part)		47th – Coffee and Warren (in part)		80th – Hardeman (in part) and Madison (in part)	
16th – Knox (in part)		48th – Rutherford (in part)		81st – Tipton	
17th – Jefferson (in part) and Sevier (in part)		49th – Rutherford (in part)		82nd – Crockett, Haywood, and Lauderdale	
18th – Knox (in part)		50th – Davidson (in part)			
19th – Knox (in part)		51st – Davidson (in part)		83rd – Shelby (in part)	
20th – Blount (in part)		52nd – Davidson (in part)		84th – Shelby (in part)	
21st – Loudon (in part) and Monroe (in part)		53rd – Davidson (in part)		85th – Shelby (in part)	
22nd – Bradley (in part), Meigs, and Polk		54th – Davidson (in part)		86th – Shelby (in part)	
23rd – McMinn and Monroe (in part)		55th – Davidson (in part)		87th – Shelby (in part)	
24th – Bradley (in part)		56th – Davidson (in part)		88th – Shelby (in part)	
25th – Cumberland, Putnam (in part), and Van Buren		57th – Wilson (in part)		89th – Knox (in part)	
26th – Hamilton (in part)		58th – Davidson (in part)		90th – Shelby (in part)	
27th – Hamilton (in part)		59th – Davidson (in part)		91st – Shelby (in part)	
28th – Hamilton (in part)		60th – Davidson (in part)		92nd – Franklin (in part), Lincoln (in part), Marion (in part), and Marshall	
29th – Hamilton (in part)		61st – Williamson (in part)			
30th – Hamilton (in part)		62nd – Bedford and Lincoln (in part)		93rd – Shelby (in part)	
31st – Bledsoe, Rhea, Roane (in part), and Sequatchie		63rd – Williamson (in part)		94th – Fayette, Hardeman (in part), and McNairy	
32nd – Loudon (in part) and Roane (in part)		64th – Maury (in part)		95th – Shelby (in part)	
33rd – Anderson (in part)		65th – Williamson (in part)		96th – Shelby (in part)	
34th – Rutherford (in part)		66th – Robertson		97th – Shelby (in part)	
				98th – Shelby (in part)	
				99th – Shelby (in part)	



Joint Staff

Joint Committees, Commissions, and Councils

Committees to study specific subjects may be created by Senate resolutions, by House resolutions, or by joint action of both houses. Joint committees have been created by statute to meet specific needs as recognized by a majority vote of each house and approved by the governor.

Legislation creating joint committees has generally been enacted on a permanent basis to give continuity to the legislative process and to meet a continuing need for legislative review of the implementation of policies established by the General Assembly.

Fiscal Review Committee

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

The Fiscal Review Committee was created by statute in 1967 as a special continuing committee of the General Assembly. The committee is composed of seven senators and seven representatives, elected by members of the Senate and House of Representatives, respectively. In addition, the speaker of each house and the chairman of the Finance, Ways and Means Committee of each house serve as ex officio members. The committee reviews such items as revenue collections, budget requests, the recommended executive budget, appropriations, work programs, allotments, reserves, impoundments, the state debt, and the condition of various state funds. It prepares estimates of state revenues and revenues from the Tennessee Education Lottery for the State Funding Board. The committee conducts oversight of the fiscal operations of state departments and agencies. The committee also prepares fiscal notes for all general bills or resolutions that are introduced in the General Assembly that have a fiscal effect on state or local government. The committee reviews and provides comments on all proposed noncompetitive contracts exceeding \$250,000 in value and one year in length. The committee must approve any proposed acquisition by the state of leased property prior to action by the State Building Commission. The committee reviews all audits prepared by the comptroller of the treasury and conducts public hearings on significant repeat audit findings.



Fiscal Review Committee members are Senator Todd Gardenhire, chairman; Representative Kelly T. Keisling, vice-chairman; Lieutenant Governor Randy McNally, ex officio; Senate Finance, Ways and Means Chairman Bo Watson, ex officio; Senators Paul Bailey, Heidi Campbell, Brenda Gilmore, Paul Rose, Steve Southerland, and Ken Yager; House Speaker Cameron Sexton, ex officio; House Finance, Ways and Means Chairman Patsy Hazlewood, ex officio; and Representatives Clark Boyd, Rush Bricken, Ron M. Gant, Darren Jernigan, Dwayne Thompson, and Jason Zachary.

Joint Legislative Services Committee

Created in 1977, this special committee is composed of ten members, with the speaker of each house serving as a co-chairman. Two members of the majority party and two members of the minority party are appointed by the respective speaker to

serve on the committee. The committee recommends management, policies, and procedures to be employed in providing services to the General Assembly or either house thereof. The committee appoints the directors of the offices of Legislative Administration, Legal Services, Legislative Information Services, and Legislative Budget Analysis.

Office of Legislative Administration

Connie Ridley, Director

This office prepares the General Assembly budget; maintains accounting, payroll, and personnel records; provides supplies; disburses funds for General Assembly expenses; provides maintenance services; and oversees the internship program. It is responsible for human resources and administration, including classification and compensation, policy development, employee relations, recruitment and interviewing, work environment, and General Assembly compliance with state and federal employment policies.



Office of Legal Services

Karen Garrett, Director of Legal Services and Counsel to the Lieutenant Governor
Anastasia Campbell, Director of Legal Services and Counsel to the Speaker of the House



This office prepares and assists in the preparation of proposed legislation and amendments, reviews legislation, enters all proposed legislation in the legislative database, submits recommendations on defective or anachronistic laws, provides legal and research staff services to legislators and committees as needed, provides staff services to the Tennessee Code Commission, and advises the General Assembly on provisions of the Tennessee Code Annotated that have been repealed by implication or that have been held unconstitutional by the Tennessee Supreme Court or by the U.S. Supreme Court. During each session, the office provides summaries and abstracts of proposed legislation.



Office of Legislative Information Services

Vinay Dattu, Director

This office operates, maintains, and enhances the General Assembly computer systems and computer network. The legislative website provides current information on the General Assembly and tracks proposed legislation. Technical assistance and training are available to the members and their staff. Additionally, this office sells various publications and copies of pending legislation to a subscriber base.



Office of Legislative Media Services

Jesse Alvey, Director

This office provides for the audiovisual needs of the General Assembly with sophisticated multimedia tools and a suite of control rooms for live multi-camera video production. Every legislative session and committee meeting is recorded, streamed online, and archived for contemporaneous and historical use by every Tennessean. The office also staffs a full-service studio and provides support for members of the General Assembly to address their constituents through pre-recorded videos. When the legislature is adjourned for the year, the office perfects its archives and produces documentaries and serialized programming to explain the history, processes, and fiscal aspects of the General Assembly.



Office of Legislative Budget Analysis

Catherine Haire, Senate Director

Jessica Himes, House of Representatives Director



This office is responsible for conducting detailed analyses of the state's budget and the status and condition of financing state programs. Other duties include examining and making recommendations on the fiscal effects of public policy decisions of the General Assembly, as well as monitoring federal grants and information management.



Council on Pensions

This council was created to develop and recommend standards and state policy relating to pensions and insurance for state and local governments within Tennessee. In addition to conducting surveys and studies, the council reviews and recommends actions on legislation presented to the General Assembly that impact pension and insurance matters. This joint committee is composed of the officers of the House and Senate Finance, Ways and Means committees; three members appointed by the chairman from each finance committee; and two members, each appointed by the speaker of the respective houses. The membership also includes, on an ex officio basis, the comptroller of the treasury, the treasurer, the commissioners of Human Resources and Finance and Administration, and the director of the retirement system. The council includes Lieutenant Governor Randy McNally, Senators Bo Watson, Paul Bailey, Todd Gardenhire, Brenda Gilmore, Joey Hensley, Jack Johnson, and John D. Stevens; Speaker of the House Cameron Sexton, Representatives Patsy Hazlewood, Charlie Baum, Karen D. Camper, David Hawk, Gary Hicks, Sam Whitson, and Ryan Williams; and non-voting members Butch Eley, Juan Williams, Jamie Wayman, Treasurer David H. Lillard, Jr., and Comptroller Jason E. Mumpower.

Tennessee Code Commission

The commission is responsible for formulating and supervising publication of the Tennessee Code Annotated, the official code as enacted by the 79th General Assembly, with supplemental enactments, amendments, and new laws added by

subsequent General Assemblies. The commission may recommend revision of certain statutes to the General Assembly. The commission includes Chief Justice Roger A. Page, chairman; Paige Seals, executive secretary; Justice Jeffrey S. Bivins; Karen Garrett; Susan Short Jones, Esq.; and Attorney General Herbert H. Slatery III.

The Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (TACIR)

TACIR was created by the General Assembly in 1978 to monitor the operation of federal, state, and local governments in Tennessee and to make recommendations for their improvement. The commission is a future-oriented organization concerned with improving the efficiency and effectiveness of governments in the intergovernmental process. TACIR is a permanent, nonpartisan body whose twenty-five members include representatives of the General Assembly, executive branch, and municipal and county governments, as well as private citizens. Recent policy areas and issues addressed by TACIR include growth policy; public infrastructure needs and inventory; state and local tax system issues; local government tort liability; education financing and accountability; and emergency communications.

In the TACIR statute (Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 4-10-101, *et seq.*), the commission is directed to study, report on, and make recommendations concerning the current pattern of local government structure and its viability; the powers and functions of local governments, including fiscal powers; the allocation of state and local fiscal resources; the relationship between and among local governments and the state; the role of the state as creator of local governmental entities; and relationship improvement between state and local governments.

Current TACIR members include: Legislative Members: Senators Jon C. Lundberg, Katrina Robinson, Ken Yager (Chairman), and Jeff Yarbro; Representatives John Crawford, Harold Moses Love, Jr., Antonio Parkinson, and Ryan Williams;

Statutory Members: Senate Finance, Ways and Means Chairman Bo Watson; House Finance, Ways and Means Chairman Patsy Hazlewood; and Comptroller of the Treasury Jason E. Mumpower;

Municipal Members: Tom Bickers, Mayor of Louisville; Kevin Brooks, Mayor of Cleveland (Vice-Chairman); Jill Holland, Mayor of McKenzie; and A. Keith McDonald, Mayor of Bartlett;

County Members: Rogers Anderson, Williamson County Mayor; Buddy Bradshaw, Loudon County Mayor; Jeff Huffman, Tipton County Executive; and Larry Waters, Sevier County Mayor;

Other Local Government Members: Mary Gaither, Tipton County Clerk, County Officials Association of Tennessee; and Terry Frank, Anderson County Mayor, Tennessee Development District Association;

Executive Branch Member: Paula Davis, Deputy Commissioner of Operations and Administration, Department of Economic and Community Development.

Private Citizen Members: Calvin Clifton, Kingsport; and Jeff Peach, Smyrna.





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Secretary of State

Tre Hargett was elected by the Tennessee General Assembly in 2009 to serve as Tennessee's 37th Secretary of State. He was reelected to four-year terms in 2013, 2017, and 2021. A native of Ripley, Secretary Hargett now lives in Hendersonville with his wife, Dawn, and their two sons. He is a Southern Baptist and worships at Indian Lake Peninsula Church.

Secretary Hargett is the chief executive officer of the department of state. With his role on fifteen boards and commissions; oversight of nine functional divisions, including elections and the Tennessee State Library & Archives; and his responsibility for rules and regulations, the department interacts with all three branches of state government and impacts every agency in the state, and more than 41,830 employees. Several of the boards and commissions on which he serves include the State Funding Board, the State Building Commission, the Board of Trustees of the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System, and the Tennessee Higher Education Commission. He is the presiding member of both the Tennessee Local Development Authority and the Public Records Commission.

Each of Secretary Hargett's board and commission responsibilities is integral in the operation of state government, including roles in the estimation of revenues upon which the state budget is based, acquisition and disposal of real property, oversight of tens of billions of dollars in employee retirement investments, and establishment of important higher education policies and priorities.

Since being elected secretary of state, Secretary Hargett has made it his continuing priority to increase the focus on customer service in state government. He promotes a culture in government that places a premium on the experience a customer receives while interacting with the department. That customer-first culture, coupled with increased accessibility and investment in technology, has contributed to an ever-improving customer experience. Since Secretary Hargett took office, the department of state has made measurable progress toward the goals of increasing customer service and cost-saving efficiencies. In 2021, Secretary Hargett asked the General Assembly to enact legislation to effectuate a merger of the department's business services and charitable solicitations and gaming divisions. As a result of the merger, each division has gained operational efficiencies through shared technology and cross-trained staff. Secretary Hargett is overseeing the creation and implementation of a new business and charitable document filing and management system. Not only will it be able to offer customers a much simpler way to file documents and manage their corporate accounts online, but the system was also procured at a cost that will result in approximately \$4.5 million in savings to the state over the life of the contract.

Under Secretary Hargett's leadership, the department has implemented a massive overhaul of its technological abilities to embrace customers online. The department offers Tennesseans online voter registration and the GoVoteTN mobile app to help increase voter registration, turnout, and awareness. The Library & Archives provides an ever-growing wealth of online resources through the Tennessee Electronic Library (TEL) and opened a new state-of-the-art, 165,000-square-foot facility on the Bicentennial Mall in 2021. The new building has allowed the department to safely store precious documents and showcase them along with other important library and archival collections to share Tennessee's unique and remarkable history. The department's publications division offers access to the Tennessee Blue Book online in addition to the hardbound copy, making it more easily accessible to all Tennesseans. The department provides an extensive civic engagement initiative that encourages more citizens to know how government works and how they can actively participate in the electoral process. The civic engagement efforts became the forerunner to the Governor's Civics Seal program, and in 2021 Secretary Hargett announced the addition of the Anne Dallas Dudley Award to be given to high schools that register at least 85% of eligible students to vote. Additionally, the secretary's Safe at Home Address Confidentiality Program allows victims of domestic violence, stalking, human trafficking, and sexual offenses to obtain a substitute address to be used throughout state and local governments in order to shield the participant's actual address from public records. The department then receives the participant's mail and forwards it to the substitute address. This program has saved countless lives and is one more tool to help vulnerable Tennesseans.

Secretary Hargett was named a Council of State Governments Henry Toll Fellow in 2010, an honor given annually to forty-eight of the nation's top state government officials. Additionally, he is a graduate of the Aspen Institute - Rodell Fellowship Class of 2010. Secretary Hargett was the president of the National Association of Secretaries of State for the 2013–2014 term. In 2015, he received the Buhl Award for dedication to civic education from the Tennessee YMCA Center for Civic Engagement. Secretary Hargett was selected along with sixteen high-ranking state officials from across the country as a cohort in the 2016 Hunt-Kean Leadership Fellows Program, a nine-month immersion in state-level education policy. He has served as chairman of the Republican Secretaries of State Committee of the Republican State Leadership Committee. Secretary Hargett also served on the Government Coordinating Council for the U.S. Department of Homeland Security pertaining to election infrastructure and security. He is an active sponsor of National History Day and a member of the Union University Hendersonville Campus Advisory Board, the YMCA Center for Civic Engagement Advisory Board, and the Andrew Jackson Foundation; and he was a co-chair of the Military Child Engagement Committee.

He has served as chairman of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (TRA), now known as the Tennessee Public Utility Commission, and, prior to joining TRA, he was regional vice president for a publicly traded emergency services provider. In this role, he had oversight of more than 500 employees and \$50 million in revenue.

Secretary Hargett also served for ten years in the Tennessee House of Representatives, during which time he was twice elected Republican Leader by his colleagues. Secretary Hargett sponsored or co-sponsored numerous bills over the course of his service. He was a driving force behind several measures to increase transparency in government, including requiring an increased electronic disclosure of campaign contributions and increasing the requirements of officials' public statements

of interest. He was also the House sponsor of Senate Joint Resolution One, which allowed for a statewide constitutional amendment permitting local governments to initiate property tax relief for senior citizens. Secretary Hargett is a past recipient of the Republican Legislative Campaign Committee Legislator of the Year Award.

Secretary Hargett earned a B.B.A. in accounting with honors from Memphis State University and an M.B.A. from the University of Memphis, where he has been honored as an outstanding alumnus.

Office of the Secretary of State

The Tennessee Constitution provides that the secretary of state will be elected by a joint session of the General Assembly for a four-year term. The Constitution also mandates that it is the secretary's duty to keep a register of the official acts and proceedings of the governor, and, when required, to "lay the same, and all papers, minutes and vouchers relative thereto, before the General Assembly." By authority of the Tennessee Code Annotated, the secretary of state serves as a member of the following state boards and agencies: State Funding Board; Board of Equalization; Board of Claims; State Building Commission; Tennessee Local Development Authority; Tennessee State School Bond Authority; Public Records Commission, chairman; Tennessee Housing Development Agency; State Capitol Commission; Tennessee Higher Education Commission; Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System, Board of Trustees; Pension Stabilization Reserve Trust; Chairs of Excellence Trust; College Savings Trust Fund; and K–12 Mental Health Trust.

The secretary of state's office keeps all acts and resolutions adopted by the General Assembly, proclamations of the governor, executive orders, and oaths of office. This office is also required to keep other records as set out by statute. This includes the receipt and recording of all corporate charters and annual reports, receipt of all trademarks, execution of notary commissions, and processing of all state administrative rules and regulations.

In addition to the Capitol office of the secretary of state, located on the first floor of the State Capitol, the department of state is organized into nine functional divisions, seven of which are located in the William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower. The Library & Archives Building houses that division's operations and the division of records management. Additionally, the library operates nine regional libraries across the state.

The State Election Commission and the Bureau of Ethics and Campaign Finance are administratively attached to the department of state for matters relating to receipts, disbursements, expense accounts, budgets, audits, and other related items.

Capitol Office: David Topping, Chief of Staff; Mary Beth Thomas, General Counsel; Chris Mustain, Public Policy Advisor; Julia Bruck, Director of Communications; Julie Jones, Executive Assistant. This office supports the secretary of state in the direction, coordination, and supervision of the various operating divisions within the department of state.

Division of Administrative Procedures: Stephanie Shackelford, Director. This division provides administrative judges to conduct contested case hearings for state administrative agencies and citizens to resolve disputes. The division also develops uniform rules of procedure for the conduct of those hearings. This division is required to assist state agencies in complying with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act and contracts with local governments to conduct contested case hearings.

Division of Business and Charitable Organizations: Tom Riley, Director; Whitney Alexander, Assistant Director for Business Organizations; Shannon Romain, Assistant Director for Charitable Organizations. This division executes the processing and record-keeping duties of the secretary of state relating to the following:

- Apostilles and Authentications
- Corporations
- General Partnerships
- Limited Liability Corporations
- Limited Liability Partnerships
- Limited Partnerships
- Mine Foreman Certificates
- Motor Vehicle Temporary Liens
- Nonresident Fiduciary Appointments
- Notary Commissions
- Service of Process
- State Deeds and Leases
- Trademarks
- Uniform Commercial Code

The division is also responsible for the registration and regulation of charitable organizations that solicit contributions within the state of Tennessee, as well as professional solicitors that assist charitable organizations in those activities. The division reviews annual gaming event applications, determines qualifying applicants for annual gaming events for approval by the General Assembly, and regulates those annual events. The division also regulates catastrophic illness trusts, athlete agents, and fantasy sports.

Division of Elections: Mark Goins, Coordinator; Elizabeth Henry-Robertson, Assistant Coordinator. The coordinator of elections position was created in 1959 by the General Assembly and is appointed by the secretary of state. Tenn. Code Ann. § 2-11-201 states he “...shall obtain and maintain uniformity in the application, operation and interpretation of the election code.”

The coordinator interprets questions of the law for the benefit of all election officials; reviews election law legislation, suggesting amendments and revisions to the General Assembly; and prepares the election manual and election handbooks for use by election officials. The coordinator is responsible for maintaining the uniformity of election procedures throughout the state and coordinating county election commissions’ activities. Upon the approval of the secretary of state, the coordinator may promulgate rules and regulations necessary to comply with the requirements of the election code. The division also certifies county administrators and provides training to county election commissions.

Division of Fiscal and Administrative Services: Rose Case, Director; Macey Ray, Assistant Director. This division provides the general administrative services necessary to support the department. These include budgeting, accounting, procurement, payroll, and other administrative financial services.

Division of Human Resources and Organizational Development: Mac Purdy, Director (until October 15, 2021); Ashley Bowers, Director (effective November 8, 2021); Tawnie Mathieu, Human Resources Coordinator. This division manages the department’s staffing, benefits, employee relations, policies, compliance, and external outreach for recruiting.

Division of Information Technology: Phil Rogers, Director; John Moravec, Assistant Director. This division is responsible for all information technology services that support the department. This includes information systems and technology planning, project development and implementation, technical support, network and telephone administration, website infrastructure, and procurement assistance. The

information technology division provides services for the department of state offices in the William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower, the State Capitol, and the Tennessee State Library & Archives Building, along with regional and public libraries located across the state.

Division of Publications: Robert A. Greene, Director. This division publishes the Tennessee Blue Book and the Public and Private Acts of the General Assembly. The division also maintains the Tennessee Administrative Register, the compilation of Rules and Regulations of the State of Tennessee, reports required by the Open Appointments Act, and other filings required by law.

Records Management Division: Kevin Callaghan, Director. This division serves as the primary records management agency for the state and provides professional consultative and analytical records management leadership to agencies. This support assists with the disposition, retention, and destruction of records.

Tennessee State Library & Archives: Charles A. Sherrill, State Librarian and Archivist; Ashley Bowers, Deputy State Librarian and Archivist; Jami Awalt, Assistant State Archivist. The Tennessee State Library & Archives collects and preserves books and records of historical, documentary, and reference value and encourages and promotes library development throughout the state. The following is a description of some of the important work of the Library & Archives.

Public Services. Makes available collections of the Library & Archives, including official government records and publications, manuscripts, books, periodicals, current and historical newspapers, photographs, maps, and charts. Provides reference services to state government, historians, genealogists, and the general public. Services include bibliographic searching, copies and mail orders, and interlibrary loans.

Archival Technical Services. Preserves, arranges, and describes permanent records of the state and private manuscripts relating to Tennessee history for public examination.

Archives Development. Provides training and consultation for government officials, historians, archivists, and others interested in establishing records and archive programs.

Legislative History and Recording. Provides Tennesseans access to the audio recordings of the proceedings of the General Assembly, including all committees and subcommittees.

Library Technical Services. Acquires and processes materials, manages the online catalog, and maintains print collections.

Planning and Development. Administers the Tennessee Regional Library System, which includes nine multi-county regional libraries and four single-county metropolitan regions. Staff members provide assistance to regional and local library staff and library boards in library construction, programming for special audiences, continuing education, library management, technology, and library development.

Preservation Services. Provides microfilming services to state and local government and the public. Various types of photographic prints, negatives, and duplicate copies of microfilmed records are available to the public. Staff utilizes state-of-the-art techniques to restore and preserve valuable books and documents housed in the Library & Archives.

The Tennessee Library for Accessible Books and Media. Collaborates with the National Library Service of the Library of Congress to provide free public library services for Tennesseans who are unable to read standard print due to a visual or physical disability. All materials are circulated through the mail, postage-free. The

staff provides reader advisory and information referral services by telephone or mail. Catalogs, bibliographies, and bimonthly updates are provided.

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Administratively Attached Entities

The secretary of state's office provides only administrative support to these entities.

State Election Commission. The State Election Commission comprises seven members—four from the political party holding a majority of seats in the General Assembly and three from the minority party. These individuals are elected for a term of four years. This is the only commission in Tennessee state government that is elected wholly by the General Assembly.

To be eligible to serve on the State Election Commission, one must be at least twenty-five years old, a resident of this state for at least seven years, and a resident of the grand division of the state from which he or she seeks election for at least four years preceding the election.

On the first Monday in April in odd-numbered years, the State Election Commission appoints five county election commissioners for every county in the state, three from the majority party and two from the minority party. The state commissioners monitor the activities and performance of the county election commissioners and shall remove a county election commissioner for violation of the oath of office or if that person is no longer qualified to hold the position.

The commission works very closely with the coordinator of elections toward the common goal of maintaining uniformity in elections and preserving the purity of the ballot.



State Election Commissioners are (left to right) Kent Younce, LaFollette; Greg Duckett, Memphis; Jimmy Eldridge, Jackson; Donna Barrett, Murfreesboro; Judy Blackburn, Morristown; Tom Wheeler, Clinton; and Mike McDonald, Portland.

Executive Director Bill Young

Bureau of Ethics and Campaign Finance

This bureau was created in 2009 by the passage of Public Chapter 556 and consists of two divisions: Registry of Election Finance and Tennessee Ethics Commission. The twelve-member board consists of the six-member Registry of Election Finance board and the six-member Tennessee Ethics Commission board. The bureau is responsible for the collection of campaign financial disclosure reports for state candidates; disclosure of interest statements for legislative, state, and local elected officials; the registration of lobbyists and employers of lobbyists and the filing of employer of lobbyist disclosure reports; and the interpretation and enforcement of certain prohibitions on gifts and campaign contributions.





Jason E. Mumpower
Comptroller of the Treasury

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Jason E. Mumpower (R)

Comptroller of the Treasury

Jason E. Mumpower was elected Tennessee's 35th Comptroller of the Treasury on January 13, 2021. He is responsible for leading the Office of the Comptroller, which comprises 12 divisions and more than 560 employees, and ensuring the Office fulfills its mission to make government work better.

Prior to his service with the Office of the Comptroller, Comptroller Mumpower served as the State Representative for Sullivan and Johnson counties in the Tennessee General Assembly. He was first elected to office at age 23, and during his 14-year tenure, he held the positions of House Majority Leader and House Minority Leader. He joined the Office of the Comptroller in December 2010, serving as Deputy Comptroller and Chief of Staff.

Comptroller Mumpower has received numerous awards and recognitions during his career, including being named Legislator of the Year on multiple occasions by several organizations. He is also a recipient of the National Federation of Independent Business's Guardian of Small Business Award and the Future Farmers of America's Lifetime Alumni Award.

Comptroller Mumpower is a graduate of King University (née King College) with a B.A. in Economics and a minor in Political Science. Notably, in June 2013 he graduated from Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government Senior Executives in State and Local Government program. Comptroller Mumpower is also a Rule 31 Listed General Civil Mediator.

Comptroller Mumpower is an Eagle Scout and is active in many community organizations and projects, including the Rotary Club of Bristol, TN/VA and the chambers of commerce in Kingsport, Bristol, and Johnson County, Tennessee. He currently serves as a member of King University's Board of Trustees.

Comptroller Mumpower resides in Bristol, Tennessee with his wife, Alicia, and son, Max.

Justin P. Wilson

Comptroller Emeritus

Justin P. Wilson serves as Comptroller Emeritus within the Office of the Comptroller. He previously served six terms as Tennessee's 34th Comptroller of the Treasury from January 15, 2009 until January 13, 2021.

Comptroller Emeritus Wilson has a long history of public service. He served as Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation and as Deputy to the Governor



for Policy under former Governor Don Sundquist. He was a member of the Financial Advisory Board of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and he served as Chairman of the Nashville Electric Board, the Davidson County Metropolitan Health Board, and the Community Health Agency of Nashville and Davidson County. He was Foreman of the Davidson County Grand Jury, and he has served in leadership positions for numerous Nashville businesses as well as civic and charitable organizations.

Comptroller Emeritus Wilson was also a partner in the law firm of Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis where he served on its Executive Committee. He is a graduate of Stanford University, Vanderbilt University School of Law, and New York University.

Comptroller Emeritus Wilson was named Conservationist of the Year in 1997, and the Justin P. Wilson Cumberland Trail State Park is named in recognition of his “conservation and environmental contributions to the State of Tennessee.”

Comptroller Emeritus Wilson is married to Dr. Barbara Engelhardt, and he is the father of four sons.

Jennifer Pfeiffer

Chief of Staff

Jennifer Pfeiffer is the Chief of Staff for the Office of the Comptroller. She supports the Comptroller on a wide range of leadership, operational, and oversight matters. Jennifer provides guidance to the Office’s 12 divisions, and she assists the Comptroller as a liaison between the Office of the Comptroller and the Tennessee General Assembly.



Jennifer joined the Office of the Comptroller in 2019 with a broad range of experience in both state government and the private sector. She has served as Deputy Chief of Staff for the Office of the Governor under former Governor Bill Haslam, Chief of Staff for the Tennessee Department of Children’s Services, and Director of Advertising and Special Events for the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development. Most recently, Jennifer served as Special Executive in Government for Deloitte. She also spent 13 years in Chicago working in various management roles in the hospitality and publishing industry.

Jennifer is a graduate of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville with a degree in Communications with an emphasis in Public Relations. She is currently a member of the Women’s Political Collaborative of Tennessee.

Office of the Comptroller

The Office of the Comptroller has one mission: **to make government work better.**

The Office is responsible for the audit of state and local governmental entities and participates in the general financial and administrative management and oversight of Tennessee state government.

The Office is led by Tennessee’s 35th Comptroller of the Treasury, Jason E. Mumpower, who is a Constitutional Officer elected by the Tennessee General Assembly.

The Office of the Comptroller is comprised of 12 divisions with more than 560 employees. In addition to its main office in Nashville, the Office of the Comptroller has field office locations in six cities across the state. The Comptroller of the Treasury,

or a designee, serves as a member of more than 35 state government committees, boards, and commissions and also staffs several boards, including the State Funding Board, Utility Management Review Board, and Water & Wastewater Financing Board.

The Comptroller of the Treasury, or a designee, serves as a member of the Advisory Council on State Procurement; Basic Education Program Review Committee; Board of Claims; Chairs of Excellence Endowment Fund; Council on Children's Mental Health; Council on Pensions; Economic and Community Development Building Finance Committee; Emergency Communications Board; Health Services and Development Agency; Information Systems Council; Local Education Insurance Committee; Local Government Corporation; Local Government Insurance Committee; Ocoee River Recreation and Economic Development Fund; Pension Stabilization Reserve Trust; Procurement Commission; Public Records Commission; State Board of Equalization; State Building Commission; State Capitol Commission; State Funding Board; State Insurance Committee; Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Tennessee College Savings Trust; Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System, Board of Trustees; Tennessee Higher Education Commission; Tennessee Highway Officials Certification Board; Tennessee Housing Development Agency; Tennessee Interagency Cash Flow Committee; Tennessee Local Development Authority; Tennessee Promise Scholarship Endowment Fund; Tennessee State School Bond Authority; Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation; TRICOR Board Certification Committee; Tuition Guaranty Fund Board; Utility Management Review Board; and Water & Wastewater Financing Board.

The Office of the Comptroller is organized to carry out its responsibilities as follows:

Division of Administration: Jennifer Pfeiffer, Chief of Staff. This division provides direction, coordination, and supervision to the various divisions of the Office of the Comptroller. The division includes the Office of General Counsel, Office of Communications, and Legislative Affairs team.

Office of Management Services: Rachelle B. Cabading, Director. This office provides administrative and support services to the Comptroller's divisions. These services include budgetary and financial management, facilities management, and human resources management. The office also provides administrative and support services to the state's Central Procurement Office, which is housed in the Tennessee Department of General Services.

Division of Technology Solutions: Curtis Langford, Director. This division exists to provide information technology service and support to the divisions and boards within the Office of the Comptroller. The division ensures its services align with the specific business needs of the Office of the Comptroller.

Department of Audit. Tennessee is a leader in government accountability. Through the Department of Audit, the Office of the Comptroller is responsible for ensuring financial integrity in regard to a governmental entity's financial position and results of operations; compliance with applicable statutes, grant agreements, and rules and regulations; and/or record of efficiency and effectiveness. The Department of Audit comprises three divisions: State Audit, Local Government Audit, and Investigations. The department performs its audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and generally accepted government auditing standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States in *Government Auditing Standards* (Yellow Book).

Division of State Audit: Katherine J. Stickel, Director. This division aids the General Assembly in ensuring state government is accountable to the citizens of

Tennessee. The division conducts financial and compliance audits, performance audits, information systems audits, attestation engagements, and special studies to provide the General Assembly, Governor, and citizens of Tennessee objective information about the state's financial condition and the performance of the state's agencies and programs. The division also audits the state's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report and the Single Audit Report. The Division of State Audit is organized into three audit sections: State Agency Audits, Information Systems Audit, and Medicaid/TennCare Audit.

Division of Local Government Audit: Jim Arnette, Director. This division holds responsibility for the annual financial and compliance audits of all local government entities with statutory audit requirements as well as certain nonprofit and for-profit organizations that are publicly funded. The division may conduct the audit for governmental entities or accept an audit prepared by a certified public accountant (CPA), provided the audit meets minimum standards established by the Comptroller of the Treasury. Through a contractual process with independent CPA firms, the division ensures the performance of more than 1,600 audits for the state's remaining counties, municipalities, public internal school funds, utility districts, housing authorities, charter schools, local government-created entities, certain quasi-governmental entities, and certain nonprofit and for-profit organizations receiving funds from the State of Tennessee.

Division of Investigations: Jeff Puckett, Director. This division supports the Office of the Comptroller's audit function by investigating allegations of fraud, waste, and abuse in government and publicly funded entities and by working closely with law enforcement and prosecutors on criminal allegations. Additionally, the division reports the results of its investigations, including significant internal control and compliance deficiencies noted during the investigations, to the appropriate parties. The division also provides requested assistance and appropriate information to citizens, auditors, public officials, and policymakers at all levels of government, other state departments and agencies, law enforcement and prosecutorial agencies, and other interested parties.

Division of Property Assessments: Bryan Kinsey, Director. This division provides assistance, expertise, and oversight to the state's property assessors and ensures effective administration of Tennessee's property tax. The division also assists in reappraisal programs, provides technological services, and administers the Tax Relief Program. The division's Geographic Services team uses Geographic Information Systems (GIS) technology to assist the division's field staff and local assessors of property in daily operations. Geographic Services serves as the liaison to the U.S. Census Bureau's Local Redistricting Data Program. Using census data, Geographic Services produces local maps and publishes county commission district and voting precinct maps. Geographic Services also assists Tennessee's counties with maintenance of property ownership maps.

Office of State Assessed Properties: Greg W. Moody, Director. This office conducts annual appraisals, assessments, and audits of public utility and transportation properties. These assessments are certified to counties, cities, and other taxing jurisdictions for billing and collection of property taxes.

State Board of Equalization: E. Robin Pope, Executive Secretary. This Board consists of the Governor, Commissioner of Revenue, Comptroller of the Treasury, State Treasurer, Secretary of State, and two appointees of the Governor, and the Office of the Comptroller serves as staff to the Board. The Board provides a legal

and quasi-judicial review of property tax assessments, exemptions, and tax incentive programs. The key responsibilities of the Board include establishing rules, policies, manuals, and guidelines for property tax assessments on the basis of studies and recommendations by the Board's staff and the Division of Property Assessments; administering property tax appeal hearings in conjunction with the Assessment Appeals Commission and the administrative law judges in the Office of the Secretary of State; reviewing and rendering property tax exemption determinations for religious, charitable, scientific, and nonprofit educational institutions; and ensuring local government compliance with the laws governing certified tax rates and tax incentive programs (TIF/PILOT).

Division of State Government Finance: Sandra N. Thompson, Director. This division serves as staff to, and performs certain duties and functions for, the State Funding Board, Tennessee State School Bond Authority, and Tennessee Local Development Authority. The division is responsible for managing the debt of the state and its issuing authorities, including the issuance of all bonds and notes and the repayment of such debt.

Division of Local Government Finance: Betsy Knotts, Director. This division implements laws relating to the financial operation of local units of government and other governmental entities. The division is responsible for approving the budgets and debt obligations of local governments; approving investments submitted by cities, counties, and utility districts; reporting on plans by municipal electric systems to provide video, cable, and internet services; assisting local governments in areas of municipal finance; and providing research and support to the Tennessee General Assembly. The division also serves as staff to the Water & Wastewater Financing Board and the Utility Management Review Board.

Office of Research and Education Accountability: Russell Moore, Director. This office provides the General Assembly with objective and accurate research, evaluation, and analysis. The office does this by publishing reports and briefs, interactive maps, policy portals, special publications, and infographics. During the legislative session, office staff monitor legislative committees and analyze the state budget.

Comptroller's Staff

Ross Colona

Technical Secretary to the Utility Boards

Utility Boards

Ross Colona is the Technical Secretary to both the Water & Wastewater Financing Board and the Utility Management Review Board. He is responsible for preparing and presenting all materials to both boards and provides assistance to utilities on a variety of technical, managerial, and financial issues.



Lee Pope*Open Records Counsel***Office of Open Records Counsel**

Lee Pope is the Open Records Counsel in the Office of the Comptroller. The Open Records Counsel serves Tennessee citizens, media, and local governmental entities as a resource for issues related to Tennessee's public records and open meetings laws. Additionally, he promotes awareness of Tennessee's public records and open meetings laws by giving presentations, issuing advisory opinions, and mediating open records disputes.

**Paige Donaldson***Small Business Advocate***Office of Small Business Advocate**

Paige Donaldson is Tennessee's Small Business Advocate working under the Office of the Comptroller. The Small Business Advocate serves as a point of contact to state government for owners of Tennessee businesses with fifty or fewer employees. She provides information and answers questions for Tennesseans who are starting a small business or who already own a small business. Additionally, she assists in resolution of issues concerning small business owners and state departments and agencies.

**Lauren Spires***Higher Education Resource Officer***Office of the Higher Education Resource Officer**

Lauren Spires is Tennessee's Higher Education Resource Officer (HERO) working under the Office of the Comptroller. The HERO helps resolve issues, answers questions, and provides information to Tennesseans who are faculty, staff, or employees of Tennessee's higher education systems and institutions. The HERO also reviews and evaluates higher education policy.



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Related Boards and Commissions

State Funding Board (SFB). The SFB is the governing body authorized to issue all general obligation debt of the State of Tennessee to fund the state's capital projects or to refinance outstanding obligations previously issued under its authority. The SFB is authorized to make debt service payments on outstanding bonds and other debt obligations (including notes) from any funds held in the state treasury. The SFB is charged with the establishment of policy guidelines for the investment of state funds. The SFB also approves Other Post Employment Benefit (OPEB) trust agreements for local governments. As a part of the state's budget process, the SFB develops consensus ranges of estimates of state revenue for the current fiscal year and the next succeeding fiscal year to be presented to the Governor and the Chairs of the Senate and House Finance, Ways and Means Committees.

Tennessee Local Development Authority (TLDA). The TLDA is empowered to issue bonds and notes for the health loan program (water and sewer debt). The TLDA is also authorized to provide loans to: local governments for sewage treatment, waterworks and capital projects, firefighting equipment, and airport facilities; certain small businesses for pollution-control equipment; agricultural enterprises; not-for-profit organizations that provide certain intellectual disability and alcohol and drug services; and local government units for financing construction of capital outlay projects for K–12 educational facilities. The TLDA also approves loans through the Clean Water and Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Loan Programs, which are capitalized with grants from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. In conjunction with the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, the TLDA administers these loans made to cities, counties, utility districts, and water and/or wastewater authorities for the planning, design, and construction of wastewater and drinking water facilities. Additionally, the TLDA is responsible for the approval of loans to local governments from the Transportation State Infrastructure Fund, a \$2 million revolving loan fund for transportation infrastructure projects throughout the state.

Tennessee State School Bond Authority (TSSBA). The TSSBA is authorized to issue bonds and notes to finance higher educational facilities projects for the colleges and universities under the University of Tennessee and Tennessee Board of Regents systems. In addition, the TSSBA is authorized to issue debt to provide funds for the making of student loans by the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation. Pursuant to federal law, the TSSBA has also issued Qualified Zone Academy Bond Programs (QZABs) and Qualified School Construction Bond Programs (QSCBs) to finance improvement loans for capital projects for cities and counties with qualifying K–12 schools.

Utility Management Review Board (UMRB). The UMRB supports natural gas, water, and wastewater public utility districts by ensuring that they are financially self-supporting. The UMRB addresses certain complaints by utility district customers, approves or disapproves the creation of new utility districts, and conducts ouster proceedings for utility district commissioners related to misconduct, neglect, or training. The UMRB also establishes the parameters for water accountability.

Water & Wastewater Financing Board (WWFB). The WWFB supports municipalities, counties, and treatment authorities that operate water and sewer enterprises by ensuring that they are financially self-supporting. The WWFB also establishes the parameters for water accountability.





David H. Lillard, Jr.
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David H. Lillard, Jr. (R)

Treasurer

David H. Lillard, Jr. has served as Tennessee State Treasurer since his election by the Tennessee General Assembly in January 2009. A lifelong Republican, Treasurer Lillard has extensive professional experience in public and private corporate finance transactions, municipal finance, governmental budgeting, and related fields.

Under his leadership, the Tennessee Department of Treasury internally manages investments in domestic equities, fixed income, private equity, real estate, and strategic lending. Additionally, Treasury directs multiple state programs with a staff of approximately 275 employees and a department budget of \$66 million. The Treasury Investments Division achieves investment returns consistent with its peers while maintaining an investment expense and an administration expense that are among the lowest in the Southeast.

Treasurer Lillard has worked to improve the financial standing of the state and the financial quality of life for Tennessee citizens. His achievements include restructuring the state pension fund to an adjustable hybrid plan—one of the most innovative reforms in the nation—to provide a cost-effective, sufficient, and sustainable retirement benefit. The state's defined benefit pension plan, the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System (TCRS), serves over 350,000 active and retired Tennesseans including all state employees, many higher education employees, K–12 public school teachers, and over 500 local government entities. Under his leadership, Tennessee became the first state to enact a requirement that all defined benefit public pension plans offered by public entities must annually fund 100% of the Actuarially Determined Contribution and must adhere to certain recognized standards in plan management.

Further innovations established during his tenure include the TNStars® College Savings 529 Program, the Tennessee Financial Literacy Commission, and ABLE TN. TNStars® is a low-cost investment program recognized for offering economical and high-performing investment options for Tennessee families to save for the cost of post-secondary education. The Tennessee Financial Literacy Commission trains Tennessee elementary and middle school educators to integrate basic financial concepts into their existing curriculum and delivers other programs to raise the financial aptitude of Tennesseans. Tennessee became the second state in the nation to offer an Achieving a Better Life Experience program when ABLE TN was launched in June 2016. ABLE TN is a savings program designed to help individuals with physical and/or mental disabilities put aside money with tax-free earnings to pay for qualified expenses.

Treasurer Lillard has worked to advocate for state treasury operations and innovations nationwide through his leadership roles and work in national organizations. He served as President of the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and

Treasurers (NASACT) in 2017. In 2012, he was a recipient of the NASACT President's Award recognizing outstanding service. In 2015, he served as President of the National Association of State Treasurers (NAST). He has served as the NAST representative on the Governmental Accounting Standards Advisory Council (GASAC), and in April 2019 was appointed to serve on the Board of Trustees of the Financial Accounting Foundation (FAF).

Treasurer Lillard is an attorney who earned a Juris Doctor degree at the University of Memphis and a Master of Laws in Taxation (LL.M. in Taxation) from the University of Florida. He practiced business law for over 25 years in the private sector, specializing in finance, securities, health, and tax law. He served as counsel in equity and debt securities offerings, and mergers and acquisitions transactions. He also practiced municipal law, emphasizing the fields of economic development and municipal finance. During his law practice, Treasurer Lillard was listed in multiple editions of *The Best Lawyers in America* and achieved an "AV" peer rating by Martindale Hubbell. He served as a Shelby County Commissioner, was Chairman of the Shelby County Board of Commissioners, and also served as president of the Tennessee County Commissioners Association. Before his election to the Shelby County Commission, he served as a Shelby County Election Commissioner for nine years.

Treasurer Lillard was raised in Tennessee. He is married to Patricia Newton and has three children: Scott Lillard, Brooke Lillard, and a stepdaughter, Rachel Newton. He is a lifelong United Methodist and member of Christ United Methodist Church in Memphis.

Tennessee Department of Treasury

The State Treasurer is a constitutional officer elected every two years in a joint session of the Tennessee General Assembly. The Treasurer is charged with various responsibilities, most relating to the financial operations of state government, including managing and overseeing more than \$99.2 billion in assets through its various investment programs. The Tennessee Department of Treasury is responsible for receiving, investing, and disbursing public funds, as well as managing all state investments, including the pension fund. The Treasurer is a member of more than 30 boards and commissions. Treasury directs multiple state programs with a staff of approximately 275 employees and a department budget of approximately \$66 million. Treasury staff includes many highly skilled employees with professional certifications in their fields, including Certified Public Accountants (CPA), Chartered Financial Analysts (CFA), Chartered Alternative Investment Analysts (CAIA), Certified Treasury Professionals (CTP), Certified Fraud Examiners (CFE), and Certified Employee Benefit Specialists (CEBS).

Treasury Investment Division

Treasury's Investment Division uses an in-house staff with extensive education, training, and 35 professional designations to manage its investments. This team includes members with a wealth of experience from various fields, including substantial institutional investor experience in both the public and private sectors. The department achieves investment returns consistent with its peers while maintaining an investment expense that is among the lowest in the Southeast.

Selected funds managed internally by the Treasury Investment Division:

- **Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System (TCRS) Trust.** TCRS Trust is the largest fund managed by Treasury. Investment objectives for TCRS are to obtain the highest available return on investments consistent with the preservation of the principal, while maintaining sufficient liquidity to react to the changing environment and pay beneficiaries in a timely manner. The market value of the TCRS fund as of June 30, 2021, was approximately \$65.8 billion.
- **State Pooled Investment Fund (SPIF) and the Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP).** The Treasury Department manages state and local governments' short-term investments through a program known as the State Pooled Investment Fund (SPIF) and Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP). The SPIF, with a June 30, 2021, balance of approximately \$20.2 billion, includes the state's cash, dedicated reserves, and trust funds, and the balance of the LGIP of \$5.5 billion provides short-term cash management to local governments.
- **Tennessee Promise Endowment Trust.** Treasury also manages the funds and produces investment income for the Tennessee Promise Endowment Trust. Established by the 108th General Assembly, Tennessee Promise provides students a last-dollar scholarship to a Tennessee Community College or Tennessee College of Applied Technology, or eligible institution offering an associate degree program, meaning the scholarship will cover tuition and fees not covered by the Pell grant, the HOPE scholarship, or TSAA funds. As of June 30, 2021, the Tennessee Promise Endowment Trust had a market value of \$774.4 million.
- **Chairs of Excellence Trust.** Treasury manages the funds and produces investment income for the Chairs of Excellence Trust. The trust provides funds for state colleges and universities to contract with persons of regional or national prominence to teach in specified academic areas. Funding for the program is provided through contributions made by private donors and matching amounts by the state totaling \$445.8 million as of June 30, 2021.

Financial Empowerment Division

The Treasury Financial Empowerment Division was created to support the financial lives of Tennesseans by providing access to programs and educational resources designed to help individuals and families prepare for the future. Financial Empowerment Division programs include RetireReadyTN, TNStars® College Savings 529 Program, the Tennessee Financial Literacy Commission, and ABLE TN.

RetireReadyTN—[RetireReadyTN.gov](https://www.tn.gov/retire-ready)

One of the primary responsibilities of the Tennessee Department of Treasury is administering and managing the state's retirement plan. Treasury protects the retirement of over 350,000 active and retired state and higher education employees, K–12 public school teachers, and participating local governments. Treasury diligently manages and oversees investments for the State's Retirement Plan, RetireReadyTN, as well as provides retirement readiness education and counseling for participants throughout every stage of their career. RetireReadyTN combines the strengths of a defined benefit plan provided by the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System,

the State's Deferred Compensation 401(k) and 457(b) plans, and retirement readiness education.

TNStars® College Savings 529 Program—*TNStars.com*

The TNStars® College Savings 529 Program (TNStars®) is Tennessee's own tax-advantaged educational savings plan. TNStars® is designed to give Tennessee families high-quality investment options at a low cost to help them put aside money to cover the future cost of postsecondary education. The Tennessee General Assembly, along with the Treasury Department, created this program due to the need for a highly skilled workforce and the role that higher education plays in achieving that goal. As a 529 plan, qualified withdrawals are free from federal income tax, and there is favorable treatment of contributions to the plan for both federal gift and estate tax purposes.

- Money saved in the program may be used at any qualified institution of higher education that accepts federal financial aid, in-state or out-of-state, and even some schools abroad.
- The plan offers an array of individual investment options, ranging from conservative to aggressive. The plan also offers an age-based track where the allocation becomes more conservative as the child approaches college.

Tennessee Financial Literacy Commission—*TNFLC.org*

The Tennessee Financial Literacy Commission (TNFLC) was created by an act of the General Assembly in 2010. The mission of the TNFLC is to improve the lives of Tennesseans through financial literacy by providing innovative educational resources to Tennessee schools and families. The Commission is working toward this goal by providing training and online resources free to elementary and middle school educators. The *Financial Fitness for Life®* is a nationally recognized curriculum designed to be integrated into regular classroom instruction. Both the training and the program curriculum are provided free by the TNFLC for use in the classroom. The Commission also provides *Vault—Understanding Money*, an online program that introduces students in grades 3–8 to financial education skills through interactive challenges. The Commission recently launched the *My Classroom Economy* behavioral management program, which enables any classroom educator to teach children financial responsibility through experiential learning. Additionally, the TNFLC offers the Financial Empowerment Resource Library, an online resource to provide education for adults on various financial topics. All of these resources are provided free by the Commission.

- The Board of Directors of the TNFLC is chaired by the State Treasurer. Other members include the commissioners of the Departments of Education and Financial Institutions, and eight other Tennesseans appointed by the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- Over half of the TNFLC's budget comes from donations by Tennessee businesses and individuals committed to changing the financial culture of the state.

ABLE TN–*AbleTN.gov*

The 109th General Assembly approved the Achieving a Better Life Experience Act to create an ABLE program in Tennessee, in accordance with federal legislation. ABLE TN is a savings program designed to help individuals with disabilities put aside money to pay for qualified expenses. These accounts provide the opportunity to save and invest with tax-free earnings to help participants maintain independence and quality of life. An individual diagnosed with a disability on or before age 26 is eligible to open an ABLE account by meeting one of the following criteria: is eligible to receive Supplemental Security Income, is eligible to receive Social Security Disability Insurance, or has been diagnosed by a qualifying physician as having a physical or mental disability resulting in marked and severe functional limitations that is expected to last no less than 12 months.

Program Services Division

Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System (TCRS)–*Treasury.tn.gov/TCRS*

The TCRS is the largest administrative function in the Treasury Department. Treasury personnel perform record keeping, benefits payment, employer reporting, employer contribution payment, and all related administrative functions necessary to operate the retirement system. TCRS serves over 350,000 active and retired state, higher education, and participating local government employees as well as K–12 public school teachers. TCRS Administration has won multiple awards, including, for 33 consecutive years, the Certificate for Achievement of Excellence in Financial Reporting awarded by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada. The TCRS has also been recognized by several resources as one of the top best-funded state public pension plans in the United States. For the fiscal year that ended June 30, 2021, TCRS paid total benefits payments of \$2.9 billion, with approximately 92% of retirees being residents of Tennessee.

Unclaimed Property–*ClaimItTN.gov*

Unclaimed property is money and other intangible assets that have been turned over to the State by businesses and organizations that cannot locate the rightful owners. This includes property such as bank accounts, stock certificates, checks, unclaimed wages, refunds, and gift certificates. The Unclaimed Property Division utilizes multiple techniques to reunite the property with its rightful owner, including outreach events throughout the state, website listings, and mailings. There is more than \$1.2 billion in unclaimed property in Tennessee waiting to be returned to rightful owners. In the fiscal year that ended June 30, 2021, Treasury returned 52,584 claims, resulting in \$60 million returned to citizens. Treasury provides a searchable online database of the owners' names, and Tennesseans are encouraged to use the tool at ClaimItTN.gov to claim their funds.

Claims and Risk Management–*Treasury.tn.gov/risk*

The Division of Claims and Risk Management works to protect the financial integrity of all state-owned assets and maintain a safe working environment for state employees and the general public. The Division administers and pays claims from four separate funds: the Risk Management Fund, the Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund, the Electronic Monitoring Indigency Fund, and the Teachers Excess Liability Fund. For each fund, the Division provides service, processes claims, provides appropriate

education, and seeks ways to prevent loss. The state's total insured property value was \$26.8 billion and the Division paid 1,700 Workers' Compensation claims through fiscal year 2021.

The Division operates the Criminal Injuries Compensation Program, providing financial assistance to victims of crime and reimbursement to providers through the Sexual Assault Forensic Examination (SAFE) program. The Treasury Department paid \$6.5 million in claims from the Criminal Injuries Compensation Fund during the fiscal year that ended June 30, 2021.

Additionally, the Claims and Risk Management Division also provides support to the Board of Claims.

Office of the State Architect—*tn.gov/osa*

The Office of the State Architect provides oversight for all state capital projects and real estate transactions under authority of the State Building Commission. The State Architect implements standards for design and construction, and monitors compliance of real estate and construction with state statutes and policies. The State Architect and staff are the staff support for the functions of the Tennessee State Building Commission (SBC). The State Architect's office is administratively attached to the Department of Treasury.

Treasurer's Staff



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