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LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN



MATT SCHLAPP
CHAIRMAN, CPAC

The CPAC Foundation's Center for Legislative Accountability is proud to present our Ratings of the States. Like our Ratings of Congress, CPAC's Foundation's Ratings of the States are meant to reflect how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. We begin with our philosophy (conservatism is the political philosophy that sovereignty resides in the person) and then apply the proper role of government (its essential role is to defend Life, Liberty and Property).


The Left has stormed our nation's corridors of power to take control over the lives of every American. Now, they have set their sights on the states, freedom's last line of defense.

President Lincoln once said, "America will never be destroyed from the outside. If we falter and lose our freedoms, it will be because we destroyed ourselves." The Left's agenda dismantles the vision of our founders when they pledged their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor.

We hope these Ratings will empower each and every American to hold their officials accountable and to rally behind the conservative champions who defend our freedoms in statehouses around the country.

Sincerely,

Matt Schlapp
Chairman, CPAC

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The Center for Legislative Accountability (CLA), an initiative of the CPAC Foundation, is the premier organization for holding lawmakers accountable. The CLA produces the longest-running conservative congressional scorecard and our state program is the only one in the nation that scores all 8,000 lawmakers in the 50 states across every policy area.

In 1971, ACUF launched its Ratings of Congress to provide a comprehensive evaluation of the voting records of every Member of Congress. The Ratings quickly became considered the “gold standard” and over the following decades have been utilized by activists, voters, academics and elected officials to determine which lawmakers best adhere to conservative principles.

In 2011, these Ratings were expanded into state legislatures as part of a five-state pilot program. By 2015, Ratings of the States grew to include all 50 states and all 99 legislative chambers. Today, the CLA annually analyzes over 105,000 pieces of legislation to issue scores for all of America’s federal and state lawmakers and presents awards to lawmakers who score 80% or better in recognition of their conservative voting records.

In order to depict how closely a lawmaker adheres to conservative principles, the CLA selects from the full spectrum of issues relating to the economy, culture, national security and government integrity. Some key areas include taxation, spending, education, labor, licensure, regulation, environment, life, free speech, Second Amendment rights, foreign aid, defense priorities and global organizations, including the United Nations. All congressional and state analyses are conducted after the adjournment of a legislative session to ensure that no issue is neglected.

To determine legislative rankings, the CLA annually evaluates over 105,000 bills that were introduced in Congress and every convening state legislature running from January 1 to December 31.

Of those bills, the CLA ultimately selects roughly 2,000 pieces of legislation that best illustrate how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. The CLA calculates individual scores for a total of nearly 8,000 federal and state lawmakers based on over 157,000 votes cast on the 2,000 bills selected.

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90-100% - AWARD FOR CONSERVATIVE EXCELLENCE

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80-89% - AWARD FOR CONSERVATIVE ACHIEVEMENT

David Abbott

Robb Greene

Jim Lucas

Donna Schaibley

Beau Baird

Craig Haggard

Randy Lyness

Ben Smaltz

Brad Barrett

Chris Jeter

Ethan Manning

Mike Speedy

Steve Bartels

Tyler Johnson

Julie McGuire

Craig Snow

Robert Behning

Jack Jordan

Robert Morris

Gregory Steuerwald

Becky Cash

Chris Judy

Kyle Pierce

Lorissa Sweet

Cory Criswell

Cindy Ledbetter

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Matt Lehman

Jim Pressel

Heath VanNatter

Chuck Goodrich

Shane Lindauer



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INDIANA SENATE STATISTICS

OVERALL AVERAGE
55%

REPUBLICAN AVERAGE

66%



DEMOCRAT AVERAGE

13%



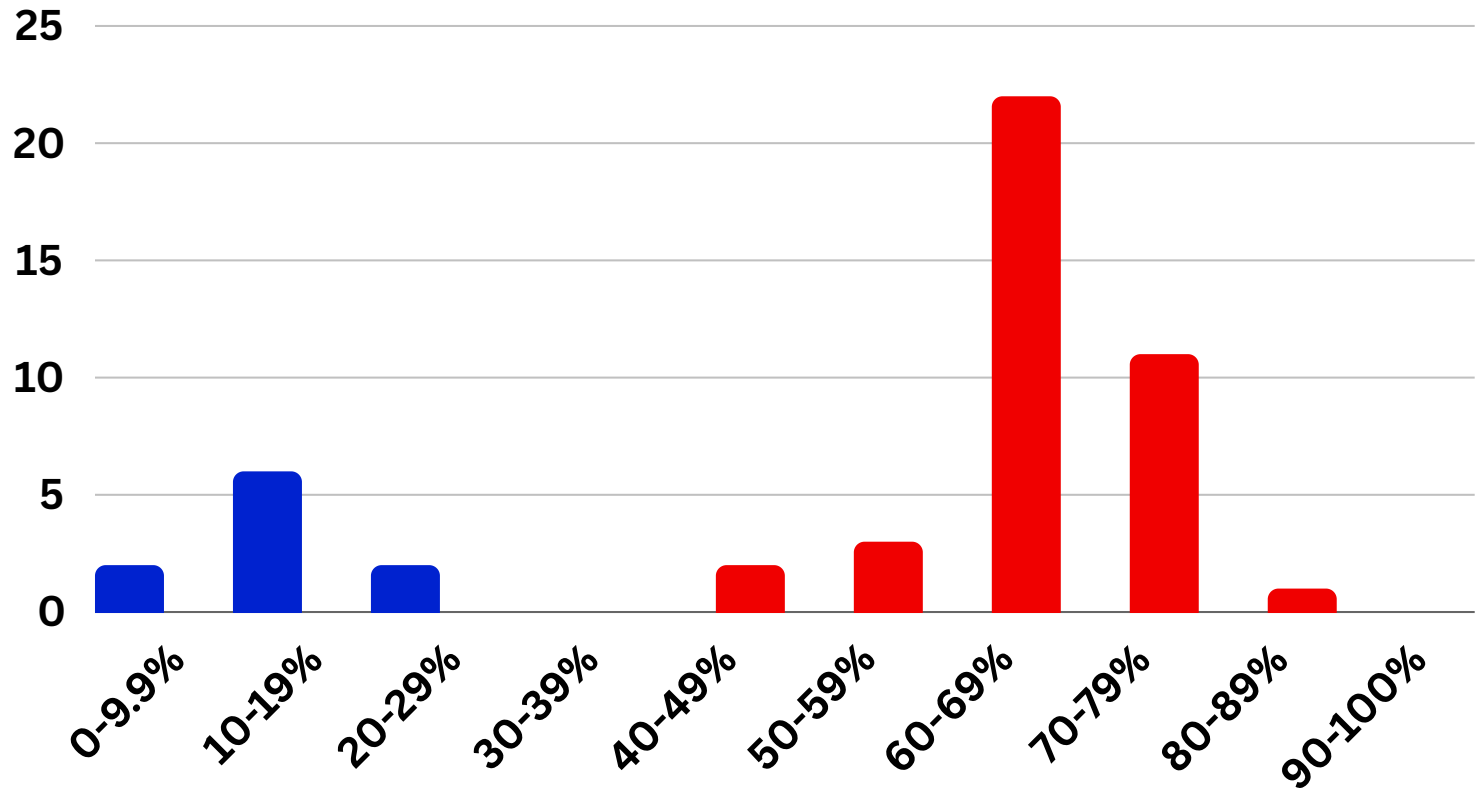
LOWEST REPUBLICAN
VANETA BECKER
41%



HIGHEST DEMOCRAT
JEAN BREAU
29%



■ Democrat (10 Members) ■ Republican (40 Members)





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INDIANA HOUSE STATISTICS

OVERALL AVERAGE
58%

REPUBLICAN AVERAGE

78%



DEMOCRAT AVERAGE

14%



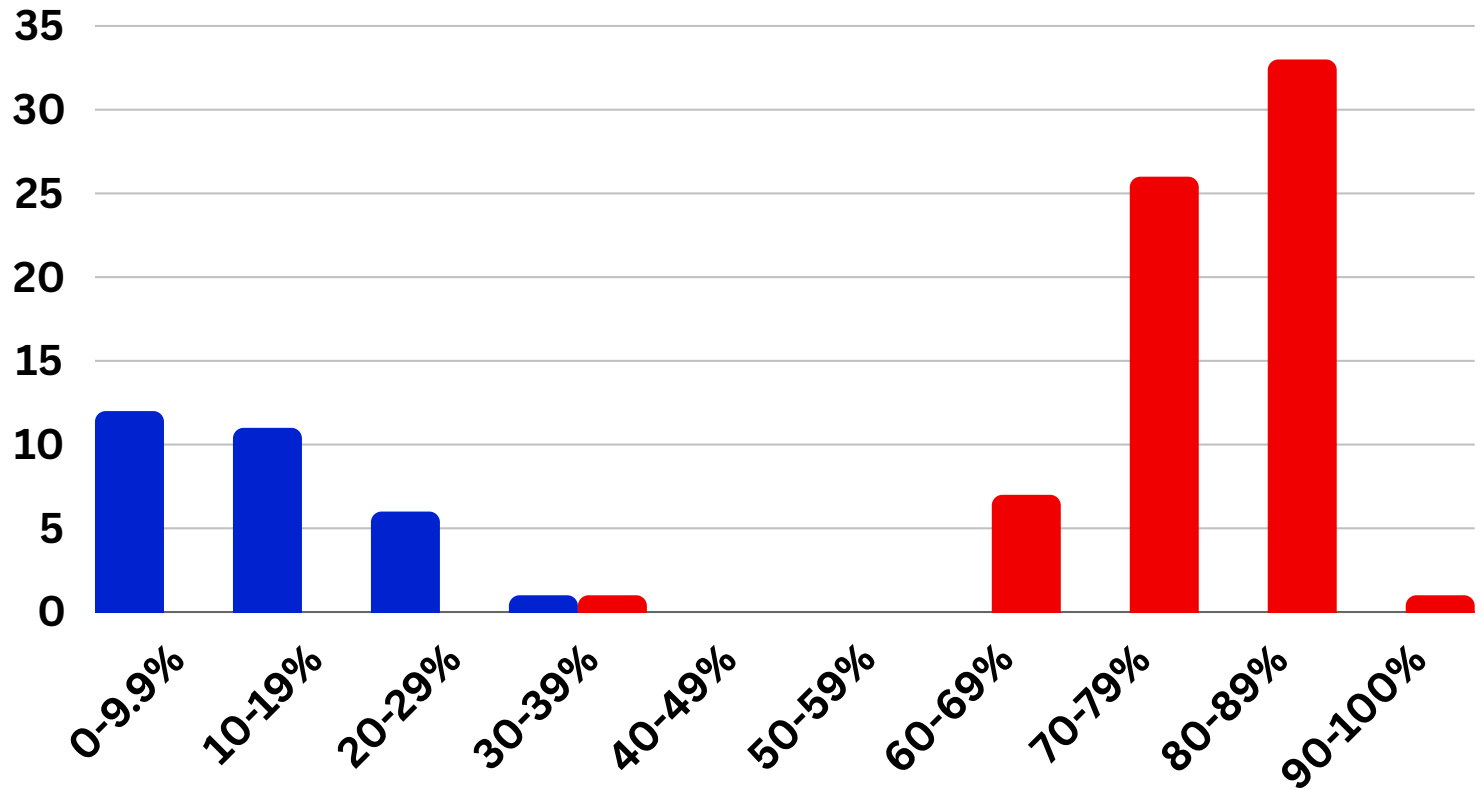
LOWEST REPUBLICAN
EDWARD CLERE
31%



HIGHEST DEMOCRAT
MITCH GORE
38%



■ Democrat (30 Members) ■ Republican (70 Members)





INDIANA SENATE SCORES

	Party	2023 %	2022 %	Life time%	HB 1008	HB 1212	HB 1323	HB 1334	HB 1365	HB 1421	HB 1447	HB 1569	HB 1608	SB 7	SB 338	SB 344	SB 376	SB 380	SB 390	SB 391	SB 460	SB 480
Scott Alexander	R	67%	N/A	67%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	+	-	+
Ron Alting	R	44%	59%	58%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-
Scott Baldwin	R	63%	69%	75%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	X	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	X	+	+
Eric Bassler	R	53%	65%	69%	X	+	+	-	-	X	+	+	-	X	-	-	-	+	+	+	-	+
Vaneta Becker	R	41%	50%	47%	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	-	X	-	+	-	-	-	-
Mike Bohacek	R	67%	64%	60%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
Rodric Bray	R	67%	71%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
Jean Breaux	D	29%	16%	18%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	X	-	X	-	-	+	X	X
Liz Brown	R	61%	68%	76%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
Brian Buchanan	R	72%	78%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+
James Buck	R	67%	76%	81%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	-	+
Justin Busch	R	78%	73%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
Gary Byrne	R	78%	78%	78%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+
Ed Charbonneau	R	65%	67%	76%	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
John Crane	R	76%	78%	81%	X	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+
Michael Crider	R	72%	66%	71%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	-	+
Spencer Deery	R	67%	N/A	67%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
Dan Dernulc	R	56%	N/A	56%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+
Stacey Donato	R	61%	69%	75%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
Blake Doriot	R	61%	74%	76%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
J.D. Ford	D	11%	18%	17%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jon Ford	R	64%	69%	68%	+	+	+	+	-	+	X	+	+	X	-	X	-	X	-	+	-	+
Aaron Freeman	R	67%	81%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	-	+
Chris Garten	R	69%	76%	79%	+	+	+	+	X	X	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
Mike Gaskill	R	71%	80%	85%	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	+	+	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	+

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Susan Glick	R	67%	69%	70%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
Travis Holdman	R	63%	70%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	X	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
Andrea Hunley	D	6%	N/A	6%	-	-	+	-	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tyler Johnson	R	83%	N/A	83%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
Eric Koch	R	72%	80%	86%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	+
Jean Leising	R	72%	73%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	-	+
Eddie Melton	D	0%	17%	16%	-	X	X	X	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-
Mark Messmer	R	61%	70%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
Ryan Mishler	R	N/A	69%	76%	+	+	X	X	-	X	+	+	+	-	-	X	X	+	X	+	X	X
Rick Niemeyer	R	56%	73%	74%	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	+
David Niezgodski	D	17%	27%	33%	-	+	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chip Perfect	R	65%	72%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
Rodney Pol	D	11%	12%	12%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fady Qaddoura	D	11%	16%	16%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jeff Raatz	R	78%	76%	81%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+
Lonnie Randolph	D	20%	31%	17%	X	+	+	-	+	-	-	X	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Linda Rogers	R	67%	73%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+
Jack Sandlin	R	61%	76%	74%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+
Greg Taylor	D	11%	18%	17%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
James Tomes	R	72%	62%	70%	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+
Greg Walker	R	67%	62%	79%	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+
Kyle Walker	R	61%	60%	64%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	-
Shelli Yoder	D	11%	18%	18%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michael Young	R	65%	74%	83%	+	+	X	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	+	-	+
Andy Zay	R	72%	75%	82%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+

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HB 1008 Diminishing the Influence of ESG Scores.

This bill requires state officials to publish any findings that they may obtain that suggest that financial corporations are using environmental, social, and governance (ESG) guidelines when making investment decisions. It also prohibits the Indiana Public Retirement System from using ESG to make its investment decisions. CPAC believes that the government shouldn't invest the money of retirees on the basis of decisions impacted by ESG scores and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 13, 2023 by a vote of 38-9 and the bill later became law.

HB 1212 Protecting Personal Information from the Government.

This bill prohibits state agencies from requiring nonprofit organizations or individuals to provide the government with personal information in certain circumstances. It also prohibits political subdivisions from requiring grant recipients to provide the government with a list of non-profit groups to whom the grant recipient has made donations. CPAC supports protecting non-profits from backdoor disclosure mandates and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 25, 2023 by a vote of 48-1 and the bill later became law.

HB 1323 Second Amendment Financial Privacy Act in Indiana.

This bill prohibits entities from releasing data concerning who owns or has applied to own a handgun to the federal government. This restriction can only be circumvented if the entity is asked to release information concerning the suspect of a crime. CPAC supports efforts to reduce the government's inappropriate surveillance of gun owners and supported this bill. The Senate passed this bill on March 14, 2023 by a vote of 47-0 and the bill later became law.

HB 1334 Exterminating Unsolicited Absentee Ballot Applications.

This bill states that voters may not be sent applications for absentee ballots unless they expressly ask for one. It also requires the elector to provide, when filling out their ballot application, an identification number from their ID. CPAC supports efforts to strengthen election integrity and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 3, 2023 by a vote of 36-12 and the bill later became law.

HB 1365 Expanding the Definition of Machine Gun.

This bill expands the definition of machine gun to include accessories that convert guns into automatic weapons. This means that the state may now ban auto sears, glock switches, and other such items. CPAC supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 20, 2023 by a vote of 45-4 and the bill later became law.



HB 1421 Reforming Energy Regulations.

This bill requires the Utility Commission to grant or deny a certificate of public convenience within 240 days of an application to receive such's submission. The bill also makes it more difficult for projects to receive green energy financial incentives without a full knowledge of the costs and expenses of the project. CPAC supports efforts to reduce the burdensome nature of many bureaucratic regulations, opposes wantonly doling out taxpayer funds and incentives without proper oversight, and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 21, 2023 by a vote of 31-10 and the bill later became law.

HB 1447 No Porn in Indiana's Schools.

This bill prohibits school libraries from containing books that possess obscene material or materials harmful to children. It also sets up a complaints process whereby parents may express their belief that a book is not appropriate for kids. CPAC opposes the distribution of pornography to children in schools, supports increased parental involvement in schools, and supported this bill. The Senate passed this bill on April 27, 2023 by a vote of 39-10 and the bill later became law.

HB 1569 No Gender Reassignment for Prisoners.

This bill prevents the Department of Corrections from using any state or federal resources to pay for sexual reassignment therapy for prisoners. CPAC opposes using taxpayer funds to pay for grotesque and unethical procedures and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 30, 2023 by a vote of 38-9 and the bill later became law.

HB 1608 Strengthening Parental Rights in Education.

This bill requires that parents be notified by the school if their child requests that different pronouns be used to refer to them. It also prohibits the teaching of sexuality to all children in grades K-3. CPAC supports parental rights in education and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 10, 2023 by a vote of 37-12 and the bill later became law.

SB 7 Interfering in the Relationship Between Employers and Employees.

This bill prohibits physicians and employers from entering into non-compete agreements. CPAC believes that the government should not interfere with the private negotiations between employers and employees and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 24, 2023 by a vote of 41-7 and the bill later became law.



SB 338 Adding to the List of Occupational Licenses.

This bill makes it such that music therapists, art therapists, and art therapist associates must now receive licenses in order to practice their trade in the state. CPAC opposes the proliferation of complex occupational licensing regimes and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 14, 2023 by a vote of 47-2 but the bill was not taken up in the House.

SB 344 Funding the Government's Central Planning Efforts.

This bill establishes the Northeast Indiana Strategic Development Fund. This fund will be used to help increase the number of start-ups in that region of Indiana and to facilitate the strategic planning process. CPAC opposes government measures that strengthen central planning and opposed this bill. The Senate passed this bill on April 27, 2023 by a vote of 47-0 and the bill later became law.

SB 376 Vastly Expanding Indiana's Medicaid System.

This bill allows certain individuals who are legal immigrants to the US to qualify for Medicaid benefits. CPAC opposes the continued expansion of Medicaid and opposed this bill. The Senate passed this bill on February 28, 2023 by a vote of 39-9 but the bill stalled in the House.

SB 380 Increasing School Transparency in Indiana.

This bill requires each school corporation to publish the graduation rate for each school in its corporation. CPAC supports increasing transparency in schools and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 7, 2023 by a vote of 39-10 and the bill later became law.

SB 390 Pushing Solar Power in Indiana.

This bill sets up a new bureaucracy in the Indiana Office of Energy Development that will push for the creation of more solar and wind projects. It then allows the new center to establish an incentive fund that rewards communities for promoting renewable energy. CPAC supports all forms of energy, believes that the government should not favor one form of energy over another, and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 4, 2023 by a vote of 32-16 and the bill later became law.



SB 391 Sharing Revenue with Charter Schools.

This bill requires unused public school buildings to be sold to charter schools. It also increases the length of time for which a charter may be in place from 7 to 15 years. While CPAC opposes increasing taxes in order to pay off the government's increasingly high expenses, CPAC supports efforts to promote the growth of charter schools and supported this bill as a step in the right direction. The Senate passed the bill on April 27, 2023 by a vote of 36-13 and the bill later became law.

SB 460 Utilizing DEI in State Arts Projects.

This bill authorizes the governor to begin the process of placing murals around the state capitol. The bill then specifies that the governor must consult with at least 1 individual from a minority group during this process. CPAC opposes the use of DEI as a means of determining who will be given the opportunity to work with the government and opposed this bill. The Senate passed this bill on February 28, 2023 by a vote of 33-15 but the bill stalled in the House.

SB 480 No Radical Gender Surgeries for Minors in Indiana.

This bill prohibits physicians from knowingly providing gender transition procedures to minors. CPAC opposes performing grotesque and unethical procedures on children and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 28, 2023 by a vote of 36-12 and the bill later became law.



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Mike Andrade	D	13%	13%	20%	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Mike Aylesworth	R	75%	74%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Beau Baird	R	86%	72%	80%	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	+	+	+	+	X	+	-	+	+
Brad Barrett	R	81%	77%	82%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Steve Bartels	R	80%	75%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	X	+	-	+	-	+	+
John Bartlett	D	17%	20%	18%	X	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	X	+	-	+	-	-	X
Maureen Bauer	D	19%	15%	24%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Robert Behning	R	85%	80%	86%	+	+	+	+	X	+	X	+	+	+	-	-	+	X	+	+
Bruce Borders	R	69%	80%	81%	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Pat Boy	D	13%	20%	22%	-	-	+	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Chris Campbell	D	7%	20%	18%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Martin Carbaugh	R	73%	83%	86%	+	+	+	X	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Becky Cash	R	87%	N/A	87%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	X	+	-	-	+	+	+	+
Robert Cherry	R	79%	81%	81%	+	+	+	+	-	+	X	+	+	+	-	-	+	X	+	+
Edward Clere	R	31%	67%	76%	-	-	+	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-
Cory Criswell	R	81%	N/A	81%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+
Kendell Culp	R	75%	N/A	75%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	-	+
Michelle Davis	R	81%	80%	84%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Edward DeLaney	D	6%	22%	21%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Dale DeVon	R	75%	80%	86%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Ryan Dvorak	D	7%	34%	31%	-	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Karen Engleman	R	75%	80%	82%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Sue Errington	D	6%	17%	21%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Rita Fleming	D	25%	41%	38%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-

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Mark Genda	R	75%	N/A	75%	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Philip GiaQuinta	D	13%	15%	21%	-	+	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Chuck Goodrich	R	81%	80%	85%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Mitch Gore	D	38%	21%	31%	-	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Robb Greene	R	88%	N/A	88%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+
Craig Haggard	R	88%	N/A	88%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Dave Hall	R	75%	N/A	75%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Carey Hamilton	D	13%	15%	22%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Earl Harris	D	7%	16%	20%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-
Ragen Hatcher	D	7%	17%	22%	-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Ryan Hatfield	D	21%	26%	31%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	X	-	+	-	-	-
Robert Heaton	R	73%	83%	85%	+	+	X	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Dave Heine	R	64%	77%	77%	X	X	+	X	-	X	+	+	+	X	-	-	+	-	+	+
Matt Hostettler	R	92%	93%	86%	+	+	+	X	+	+	X	+	+	+	+	-	+	X	+	+
Carolyn Jackson	D	6%	18%	21%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Chris Jeter	R	80%	86%	87%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	X	+
Blake Johnson	D	19%	17%	22%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Jack Jordan	R	81%	82%	85%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Chris Judy	R	87%	88%	89%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	X	+	-	-	+	+	+	+
Michael Karickhoff	R	73%	70%	81%	+	+	X	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Joanna King	R	79%	80%	82%	+	+	+	+	X	X	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Sheila Klinker	D	25%	20%	38%	-	+	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Ryan Lauer	R	75%	83%	83%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Cindy Ledbetter	R	81%	73%	82%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+

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Matt Lehman	R	80%	81%	84%	+	+	+	X	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Shane Lindauer	R	80%	80%	85%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	X	-	+	+
Jim Lucas	R	80%	81%	87%	+	+	+	X	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Randy Lyness	R	81%	78%	80%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Ethan Manning	R	87%	83%	83%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	X	+	+
Chris May	R	75%	80%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Peggy Mayfield	R	75%	83%	85%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Julie McGuire	R	80%	N/A	80%	+	+	+	+	-	+	X	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+
Wendy McNamara	R	69%	68%	77%	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Jennifer Meltzer	R	75%	N/A	75%	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Doug Miller	R	75%	83%	86%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Kyle Miller	D	19%	N/A	19%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Justin Moed	D	29%	N/A	40%	-	+	X	-	-	-	-	+	X	-	+	-	+	-	-	-
Robert Morris	R	80%	80%	87%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	X	-	+	+
Alan Morrison	R	73%	76%	87%	+	X	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Charles Moseley	D	19%	23%	28%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	-	-
Todd Huston	R	N/A	N/A	84%	+	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X
Sharon Negele	R	67%	80%	79%	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	X
Tim O'Brien	R	75%	80%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Julie Olthoff	R	75%	76%	82%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Renee Pack	D	13%	20%	22%	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Lindsay Patterson	R	79%	N/A	79%	+	+	+	+	X	X	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Zach Payne	R	N/A	89%	89%	X	X	+	+	+	+	+	X	+	X	+	X	X	-	X	+
Tonya Pfaff	D	25%	22%	27%	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Kyle Pierce	R	81%	N/A	81%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+

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Gregory Porter	D	7%	20%	17%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
J.D. Prescott	R	88%	87%	86%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+
Jim Pressel	R	81%	74%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Cherrish Pryor	D	6%	16%	17%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Elizabeth Rowray	R	69%	83%	83%	X	X	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	X	-	-	+	-	+	+
Donna Schaibley	R	80%	79%	81%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	-	+	+
Robin Shackelford	D	7%	14%	22%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	X
Harold Slager	R	75%	76%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Ben Smaltz	R	81%	76%	86%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Vernon Smith	D	14%	21%	21%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	+	-	X	-
Craig Snow	R	87%	82%	88%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	-	+	+
Edmond Soliday	R	73%	80%	81%	+	+	+	+	-	X	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Mike Speedy	R	80%	74%	87%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	X	-	+	+
Gregory Steuerwald	R	81%	76%	84%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+
Vanessa Summers	D	7%	17%	19%	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Lorissa Sweet	R	87%	N/A	87%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	X	+	-	-	+	+	+	+
Jake Teshka	R	80%	79%	85%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	X	-	-	+	-	+	+
Jeffrey Thompson	R	75%	80%	84%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Jerry Torr	R	69%	80%	84%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	-
Heath VanNatter	R	87%	91%	88%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	X	-	+	-	+	+
Ann Vermilion	R	62%	70%	78%	+	+	+	+	-	-	X	-	+	+	-	-	+	X	+	X
Timothy Wesco	R	75%	80%	87%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+
Victoria G. Wilburn	D	23%	N/A	23%	X	X	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	X	-	-	+	-	-	-
Dennis Zent	R	73%	77%	84%	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	X	+	-	-	+	-	+	+

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HB 1008 Diminishing the Influence of ESG Scores.

This bill requires state officials to publish any findings that they may obtain that suggest that financial corporations are using environmental, social, and governance (ESG) guidelines when making investment decisions. It also prohibits the Indiana Public Retirement System from using ESG to make its investment decisions. CPAC believes that the government shouldn't invest the money of retirees on the basis of decisions impacted by ESG scores and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on April 24, 2023 by a vote of 66-29 and the bill later became law.

HB 1212 Protecting Personal Information from the Government.

This bill prohibits state agencies from requiring nonprofit organizations or individuals to provide the government with personal information in certain circumstances. It also prohibits political subdivisions from requiring grant recipients to provide the government with a list of nonprofit groups to whom the grant recipient has made donations. CPAC supports protecting non-profits from backdoor disclosure mandates and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on April 24, 2023 by a vote of 74-20 and the bill later became law.

HB 1323 Second Amendment Financial Privacy Act in Indiana.

This bill prohibits entities from releasing data concerning who owns or has applied to own a handgun to the federal government. This restriction can only be circumvented if the entity is asked to release information concerning the suspect of a crime. CPAC supports efforts to reduce the government's inappropriate surveillance of gun owners and supported this bill. The House passed this bill on February 7, 2023 by a vote of 81-13 and the bill later became law.

HB 1334 Exterminating Unsolicited Absentee Ballot Applications.

This bill states that voters may not be sent applications for absentee ballots unless they expressly ask for one. It also requires the elector to provide, when filling out their ballot application, an identification number from their ID. CPAC supports efforts to strengthen election integrity and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on April 11, 2023 by a vote of 64-30 and the bill later became law.

HB 1365 Expanding the Definition of Machine Gun.

This bill expands the definition of machine gun to include accessories that convert guns into automatic weapons. This means that the state may now ban auto sears, glock switches, and other such items. CPAC supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on April 3, 2023 by a vote of 70-24 and the bill later became law.



HB 1407 Strengthening Parental Rights.

This bill recognizes that parents have the right to raise their child in a manner consistent with their biological sex. It also lets them decline to allow their child to receive puberty blockers or other grotesque transgender-related treatments. CPAC supports strengthening parental rights and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 22, 2023 by a vote of 58-34 but the bill was not taken up by the Senate.

HB 1421 Reforming Energy Regulations.

This bill requires the Utility Commission to grant or deny a certificate of public convenience within 240 days of an application to receive such's submission. The bill also makes it more difficult for projects to receive green energy financial incentives without a full knowledge of the costs and expenses of the project. CPAC supports efforts to reduce the burdensome nature of many bureaucratic regulations, opposes wantonly doling out taxpayer funds and incentives without proper oversight, and supported this bill. The House passed this bill on March 28, 2023 by a vote of 65-29 and the bill later became law.

HB 1447 No Porn in Indiana's Public Schools.

This bill prohibits school libraries from containing books that possess obscene material or materials harmful to children. It also sets up a complaints process whereby parents may express their belief that a book is not appropriate for kids. CPAC opposes the distribution of pornography to children in schools, supports increased parental involvement in schools, and supported this bill. The Senate passed this bill on April 27, 2023 by a vote of 69-28 and the bill later became law.

HB 1569 No Gender Reassignment for Prisoners.

This bill prevents the Department of Corrections from using any state or federal resources to pay for sexual reassignment therapy for prisoners. CPAC opposes using taxpayer funds to pay for grotesque and unethical procedures and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 14, 2023 by a vote of 68-24 and the bill later became law.

HB 1608 Strengthening Parental Rights in Education.

This bill requires that parents be notified by the school if their child requests that different pronouns be used to refer to them. It also prohibits the teaching of sexuality to all children in grades K-3. CPAC supports parental rights in education and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on April 24, 2023 by a vote of 63-29 and the bill later became law.

SB 7 Interfering in the Relationship Between Employers and Employees.

This bill prohibits physicians and employers from entering into non-compete agreements. CPAC believes that the government should not interfere with the private negotiations between employers and employees and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on April 17, 2023 by a vote of 81-17 and the bill later became law.



SB 344 Funding the Government's Central Planning Efforts.

This bill establishes the Northeast Indiana Strategic Development Fund. This fund will be used to help increase the number of start-ups in that region of Indiana and to facilitate the strategic planning process. CPAC opposes government measures that strengthen central planning and opposed this bill. The House passed this bill on April 27, 2023 by a vote of 93-1 and the bill later became law.

SB 380 Increasing School Transparency in Indiana.

This bill requires each school corporation to publish the graduation rate for each school in its corporation. CPAC supports increasing transparency in schools and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on April 13, 2023 by a vote of 94-0 and the bill later became law.

SB 390 Pushing Solar Power In Indiana.

This bill sets up a new bureaucracy in the Indiana Office of Energy Development that will push for the creation of more solar and wind projects. It then allows the new center to establish an incentive fund that rewards communities for promoting renewable energy. CPAC supports all forms of energy, believes that the government should not favor one form of energy over another, and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on March 28, 2023 by a vote of 86-8 and the bill later became law.

SB 391 Sharing Revenue with Charter Schools.

This bill requires unused public school buildings to be sold to charter schools. It also increases the length of time for which a charter may be in place from 7 to 15 years. CPAC supports efforts to promote the growth of charter schools and supported this bill as a step in the right direction. The House passed the bill on April 27, 2023 by a vote of 65-31 and the bill later became law.

SB 480 No Radical Gender Surgeries for Minors in Indiana.

This bill prohibits physicians from knowingly providing gender transition procedures to minors. CPAC opposes the performance of grotesque and unethical procedures on children and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on March 27, 2023 by a vote of 65-30 and the bill was later signed into law.