



CENTER FOR LEGISLATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY



RATINGS of MASSACHUSETTS 2021



The nation's gold standard to hold nearly 8,000 lawmakers accountable for their voting records.



 ratings.conservative.org

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Letter from the Chairman	3	Massachusetts Senate Vote Descriptions.....	12
About the Center for Legislative Accountability...4		Massachusetts House Statistics.....	15
2021 Winners & Losers.....	6	Massachusetts House Scores.....	16
Massachusetts Senate Statistics	8	Massachusetts House Vote Descriptions.....	24
Massachusetts Senate Scores	9		



LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

The American Conservative Union Foundation's Center for Legislative Accountability is proud to present our *Ratings of Massachusetts* for 2021. Like our *Ratings of Congress*, ACU 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.



Matt Schlapp
Chairman
American Conservative Union Foundation



CENTER FOR
LEGISLATIVE
ACCOUNTABILITY



/acuconservative



/acuconservative



ratings.conservative.org



ABOUT THE CENTER FOR LEGISLATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY

The Center for Legislative Accountability (CLA), an initiative of the American Conservative Union Foundation (ACUF), 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 addition to ACUF's Conservative Political Action Conference (CPAC), the largest gathering of conservatives in the world, the CLA develops conservative policy solutions and educates everyday citizens and activists on the proper role of government. 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.

ACUF

Executive Committee

Matt Schlapp
Chairman

Charlie Gerow
Vice Chairman

Randy Neugebauer
Treasurer

Kimberly Bellissimo
Secretary

Dan Schneider
Executive Vice President

Board Members

Veronica Birkenstock
Gordon Chang

Jonathan Garthwaite
Carolyn D. Meadows

ACU

Executive Committee

Matt Schlapp
Chairman

Charlie Gerow
Vice Chairman

Carolyn D. Meadows
2nd Vice Chair

Bob Beauprez
Treasurer

Kimberly Bellissimo
Secretary

Bill Walton
At-Large

Dan Schneider
Executive Vice President

Board Members

Jackie Arends
Larry Beasley
Morton C. Blackwell
Muriel Coleman
Sander Gerber
Alan M. Gottlieb
Dr. M. Zuhdi Jasser

KT McFarland
Jim McLaughlin
Priscilla O'Shaughnessy
Ron Robinson
Mike Rose
Tim Ryan

Terry Schilling
Matt Smith
Thomas Winter



METHODOLOGY

The CLA's Ratings of Congress and the States illustrate how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. When determining a position on a particular issue, the CLA begins by defining conservatism: the political philosophy that sovereignty resides in the person. Then, we apply the founders' belief that the proper role of government is to protect Life, Liberty and Property.

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.

Each lawmaker is evaluated on a zero to 100 scale, with a score of 100 representing a voting record that is perfectly aligned with conservative principles. Officials who earn a score of 90% or higher are presented with the CLA's highest honor, the Award for Conservative Excellence, while those who earn a score of 80% or higher, but less than 90%, are presented with the Award for Conservative Achievement. Additionally, any lawmaker who earns a score of 10% or lower qualifies for the ACUF's Coalition of the Radical Left.

ANNUAL METRICS


ANALYZE
105,000
BILLS


SELECT
2,000
BILLS


RATE
8,000
ELECTED
OFFICIALS

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. The CLA provides a score for each legislative chamber, which is based upon the average scores of all members within that respective chamber. A legislature's overall score is calculated by averaging each state's two legislative chambers together in order to better reflect the differences in political power between the chambers. (The exception being Nebraska, the nation's only unicameral legislature comprising a single legislative chamber, on which the state's overall score is based.)



CENTER FOR
LEGISLATIVE
ACCOUNTABILITY

Fred McGrath, *Director*
 Francis Finnegan ,
Data Manager

Zoe Reese, *Operations Associate*
 Larry Hart , *Senior Policy Fellow*
 Bryan Axler, *Policy Fellow*



2021 WINNERS & LOSERS

90-100% AWARD FOR CONSERVATIVE EXCELLENCE

1 since last year*

SENATE

FATTMAN, RYAN

2 since last year*

HOUSE

DOOLEY, SHAWN

80-89% AWARD FOR CONSERVATIVE ACHIEVEMENT

1 since last year*

SENATE

N/A

1 since last year*

HOUSE

BERTHIAUME Jr., DONALD

DURANT, PETER

FROST, PAUL

MCKENNA, JOSEPH

ORRALL, NORMAN

SULLIVAN, ALYSON

*Compared to number of qualifying lawmakers in the previous session
Republicans in ALL CAPS, Democrats in initial caps, asterisk indicates Independents/Libertarians/other



 **≤ 10%** COALITION OF THE RADICAL LEFT

 **1** since last year*

SENATE

Barrett, Michael	Finegold, Barry
Brady, Michael	Friedman, Cindy
Brownsberger, William	Gomez, Adam
Chandler, Harriette	Hinds, Adam
Chang-Diaz, Sonia	Jehlen, Patricia
Collins, Nick	Kennedy, Edward
Comerford, Joanne	Lesser, Eric
Creem, Cynthia	Lewis, Jason
Crighton, Brendan	Lovely, Joan
Cronin, John	Montigny, Mark
Cyr, Julian	Moran, Susan
DiDomenico, Sal	Rausch, Rebecca
Eldridge, James	Rush, Michael
Feeney, Paul	Velis, John

 **84** since last year*

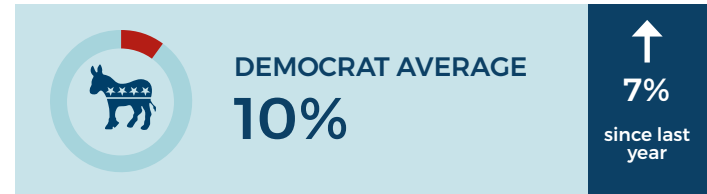
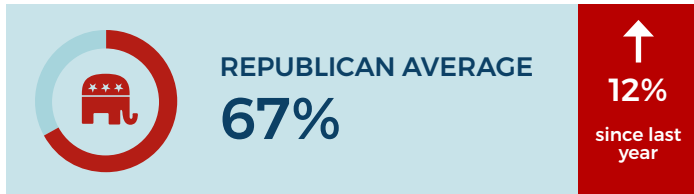
HOUSE

Arciero, James	Domb, Mindy	Hendricks, Christopher	Markey, Christopher	Rogers, John
Ashe, Brian	Donahue, Daniel	Higgins, Natalie	McGonagle Jr., Joseph	Roy, Jeffrey
Ayers, Bruce	Donato Sr., Paul	Hogan, Kate	McMurtry, Paul	Ryan, Daniel
Balser, Ruth	Driscoll Jr., William	Holmes, Russell	Meschino, Joan	Sabadosa, Lindsay
Barber, Christine	DuBois, Michelle	Honan, Kevin	Michlewitz, Aaron	Santiago, Jon
Barrett III, John	Duffy, Patricia	Howard, Vanna	Minicucci, Christina	Schmid III, Paul
Biele, David	Dykema, Carolyn	Hunt, Daniel	Miranda, Liz	Silvia, Alan
Blais, Natalie	Ehrlich, Lori	Kearney, Patrick	Mom, Rady	Stanley, Thomas
Cabral, Antonio	Farley-Bouvier, Tricia	Keefe, Mary	Moran, Frank	Straus, William
Cahill, Daniel	Fernandes, Dylan	Kerans, Sally	Moran, Michael	Tucker, Paul
Campbell, Linda Dean	Ferrante, Ann-Margaret	Khan, Kay	Murphy, James	Turco, Jeffrey
Capano, Peter	Finn, Michael	Kilcoyne, Meghan	Murray, Brian	Tyler, Chynah
Carey, Daniel	Fiola, Carole	Kushmerek, Michael	Nguyen, Tram	Ultrino, Steven
Cassidy, Gerard	Galvin, William	LaNatra, Kathleen	Oakley, Brandy	Vargas, Andres
Chan, Tackey	Garballey, Sean	Lawn, John	O'Day, James	Vitolo, Tommy
Ciccolo, Michelle	Garlick, Denise	LeBoeuf, David	Oliveira, Jacob	Wagner, Joseph
Consalvo, Rob	Gentile, Carmine	Lewis, Jack	Parisella, Jerald	Walsh, Thomas
Coppinger, Edward	Giannino, Jessica	Linsky, David Paul	Peake, Sarah	Whipps, Susannah
Cronin, Claire	Golden, Thomas	Lipper-Garabedian, Kate	Peisch, Alice Hanlon	Williams, Bud
Cusack, Mark	González, Carlos	Livingstone, Jay	Philips, Edward	Zlotnik, Jonathan
Cutler, Josh	Gordon, Kenneth	Madaro, Adrian	Pignatelli, William	
Day, Michael	Gouveia, Tami	Mahoney, John	Puppolo Jr., Angelo	
Decker, Marjorie	Gregoire, Danielle	Malia, Elizabeth	Ramos, Orlando	
Devers, Marcos	Haddad, Patricia	Mariano, Ronald	Robertson, David	
Diggs, Kip	Haggerty, Richard	Mark, Paul	Robinson, Maria	
Doherty, Carol	Hawkins, James		Rogers, David	

*Compared to number of qualifying lawmakers in the previous session
 Republicans in ALL CAPS, Democrats in initial caps, asterisk indicates Independents/Libertarians/other



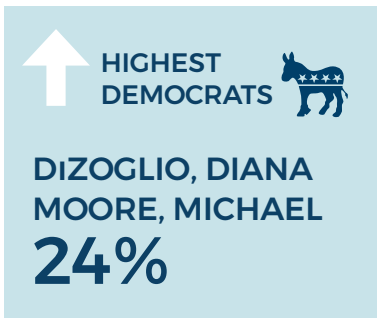
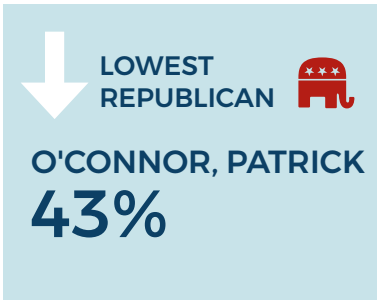
MASSACHUSETTS SENATE STATISTICS



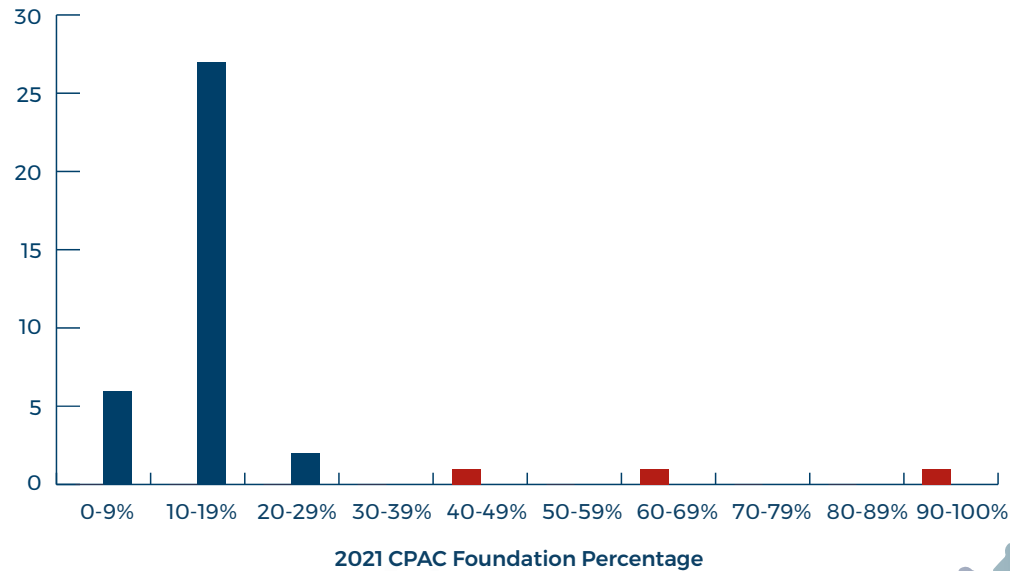
MASSACHUSETTS SENATE CONSERVATIVE RATINGS

RED = REPUBLICANS
3 TOTAL IN SENATE

BLUE = DEMOCRATS
37 TOTAL IN SENATE



OF STATE SENATORS





MASSACHUSETTS SENATE SCORES

MASSACHUSETTS SENATE VOTE DETAIL

Party	Dist.	2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	S 5 (RC 48)	S 9 (RC 19)	S 10 (DiZoglio Amd. 29)	S 10 (Tarr Amd. 42)	S 10 (Tarr Amd. 44)	S 35 (Tarr Amd. 3)	S 35 (DiZoglio Amd. 7)	S 2534	S 2545	S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 4)	S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 2)	S 2564 (Tarr Amd. 1)	H 3770	H 4002 (RC 58)	H 4002 (RC 63)	H 4002 (RC 67)	H 4002 (RC 59)	H 4002 (RC 62)	H 4005	H 4009	H 4011	
Barrett, Michael	D	3rd Middlesex	10%	0%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Boncore, Joseph	D	1st Suffolk and Middlesex	n/a†	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	X	X	
Brady, Michael	D	2nd Plymouth and Bristol	5%	0%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brownsberger, William	D	2nd Suffolk and Middlesex	10%	0%	5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chandler, Harriette	D	1st Worcester	10%	0%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chang-Diaz, Sonia	D	2nd Suffolk	10%	0%	13%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Collins, Nick	D	1st Suffolk	10%	11%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comerford, Joanne	D	Hampshire, Franklin and Worcester	10%	0%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Creem, Cynthia	D	1st Middlesex and Norfolk	10%	0%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crighton, Brendan	D	3rd Essex	10%	0%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cronin, John	D	Worcester and Middlesex	10%	n/a	10%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyr, Julian	D	Cape and Islands	10%	0%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DiDomenico, Sal	D	Middlesex and Suffolk	10%	0%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

+ = Member voted with ACU's position † = Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result did not receive a rating for the 2021 session. Two-thirds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.
 - = Member voted against ACU's position R = Republican D = Democrat I = Independent
 x = Member was absent for vote

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package.
- S 10 (DiZoglio Amd. 29) Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Advancing Discrimination in the Procurement Process for the State Legislature.
- S 10 (Tarr Amd. 42) Strengthening Government Integrity by Ensuring Legislators have Sufficient Time to Review Amendments.
- S 10 (Tarr Amd. 44) Strengthening Government Accountability by Ensuring Public Access to Remote Hearings.
- S 35 (Tarr Amd. 3) Combatting Unemployment Benefit Fraud by Strengthening Penalties and Enforcement.
- S 35 (DiZoglio Amd. 7) Extending the Ability of Restaurants to Offer To-Go Sales of Cocktails.
- S 2534 Imposing a Series of New State Mandates on Local School Sex Education Including a Prohibition on Abstinence-Centered Programming.
- S 2545 Promoting Vote Fraud Under a Disastrous Package Known as the "VOTES Act."
- S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 4) Abusing the Paid Leave System by Forcing Employers to Grant Leave for Voting.
- S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 2) Weakening Election Integrity by Implementing a Permanent Vote-by-Mail Scheme.
- S 2564 (Tarr Amd. 1) Utilizing Federal COVID-19 Relief Funds to Stabilize the Unemployment Insurance System and Prevent Skyrocketing Business Costs.
- H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.
- H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.
- H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.
- H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.
- H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".
- H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.
- H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.
- H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.
- H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.



MASSACHUSETTS SENATE VOTE DETAIL

			2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	S 5 (RC 48)	S 9 (RC 19)	S 10 (DiZoglio Amd. 29)	S 10 (Tarr Amd. 42)	S 10 (Tarr Amd. 44)	S 35 (Tarr Amd. 3)	S 35 (DiZoglio Amd. 7)	S 2534	S 2545	S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 4)	S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 21)	S 2564 (Tarr Amd. 1)	H 3770	H 4002 (RC 58)	H 4002 (RC 63)	H 4002 (RC 67)	H 4002 (RC 59)	H 4002 (RC 62)	H 4005	H 4009	H 4011	
Party	Dist.																										
Rush, Michael	D	Norfolk and Suffolk	10%	11%	8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spilka, Karen	D	2nd Middlesex and Norfolk	n/a†	n/a	2%	-	-	X	X	X	-	X	-	-	X	X	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	X	X	
TARR, BRUCE	R	1st Essex and Middlesex	67%	24%	55%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	
Timilty, Walter	D	Norfolk, Bristol, and Plymouth	19%	6%	17%	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-
Velis, John	D	2nd Hampden and Hampshire	10%	21%	16%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

+ = Member voted with ACU's position † = Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result did not receive a rating for the 2021 session. Two-thirds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.
 - = Member voted against ACU's position R = Republican D = Democrat I = Independent
 x = Member was absent for vote

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package.
- S 10 (DiZoglio Amd. 29) Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Advancing Discrimination in the Procurement Process for the State Legislature.
- S 10 (Tarr Amd. 42) Strengthening Government Integrity by Ensuring Legislators have Sufficient Time to Review Amendments.
- S 10 (Tarr Amd. 44) Strengthening Government Accountability by Ensuring Public Access to Remote Hearings.
- S 35 (Tarr Amd. 3) Combatting Unemployment Benefit Fraud by Strengthening Penalties and Enforcement.
- S 35 (DiZoglio Amd. 7) Extending the Ability of Restaurants to Offer To-Go Sales of Cocktails.
- S 2534 Imposing a Series of New State Mandates on Local School Sex Education Including a Prohibition on Abstinence-Centered Programming.
- S 2545 Promoting Vote Fraud Under a Disastrous Package Known as the "VOTES Act."
- S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 4) Abusing the Paid Leave System by Forcing Employers to Grant Leave for Voting.
- S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 21) Weakening Election Integrity by Implementing a Permanent Vote-by-Mail Scheme.
- S 2564 (Tarr Amd. 1) Utilizing Federal COVID-19 Relief Funds to Stabilize the Unemployment Insurance System and Prevent Skyrocketing Business Costs.
- H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.
- H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.
- H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.
- H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.
- H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".
- H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.
- H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.
- H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.
- H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.



MASSACHUSETTS SENATE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.** (Roll Call #48) Currently, the state's flat tax system taxes all levels of income at 5.05%. ACU opposes harming economic growth by "soaking the rich" with an 80% tax hike and opposed this constitutional amendment. The Senate passed the bill on June 9, 2021 by a vote of 38-2. (The amendment will appear on the November 2022 ballot.)
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package.** (Roll Call #19) ACU supports all sources of energy, believes government should not favor one source of energy over another, opposes reducing economic growth and raising energy costs and opposed this bill. The Senate adopted the Governor's amendments and passed the bill on March 15, 2021 by a vote of 39-1 and the bill was signed into law.
- S 10 (DiZoglio Amd. 29) Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Advancing Discrimination in the Procurement Process for the State Legislature.** The DiZoglio (ACUF Lifetime 24%) amendment #29 to the proposed Senate rules. ACU recognizes this measure unnecessarily drives up taxpayer costs by basing procurement decisions on race and sex as opposed to solely cost, quality and value to taxpayers. ACU believes in equal rights under the law for all, believes it is the duty of government to ensure all law are applied equally, opposes driving up taxpayer costs by awarding projects based on sexual or racial discrimination and opposed this amendment. The Senate adopted the amendment on February 11, 2021 by a vote of 39-0.
- S 10 (Tarr Amd. 42) Strengthening Government Integrity by Ensuring Legislators have Sufficient Time to Review Amendments.** The Tarr (ACUF Lifetime 67%) amendment #42 to the proposed Senate rules. ACU supports strengthening government integrity by ensuring lawmakers are fully aware of the issues they are voting for and supported this amendment. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on February 11, 2021 by a vote of 7-32.
- S 10 (Tarr Amd. 44) Strengthening Government Accountability by Ensuring Public Access to Remote Hearings.** The Tarr (ACUF Lifetime 67%) amendment #44 to the proposed Senate rules. ACU supports strengthening government transparency and accountability by ensuring the public has proper access to the legislative process and supported this amendment. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on February 11, 2021 by a vote of 6-33.
- S 35 (Tarr Amd. 3) Combatting Unemployment Benefit Fraud by Strengthening Penalties and Enforcement.** (Roll Call #23) The Tarr (ACUF Lifetime 67%) amendment #3 to a bill concerning the unemployment insurance trust fund and COVID-19. ACU supports reducing business and hiring costs by combatting fraud within the unemployment insurance system and supported this bill. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on March 18, 2021 by a vote of 9-31.
- S 35 (DiZoglio Amd. 7) Extending the Ability of Restaurants to Offer To-Go Sales of Cocktails.** (Roll Call #20) The DiZoglio (ACUF Lifetime 24%) amendment #7 to a bill concerning the unemployment insurance trust fund and COVID-19. ACU supports a freer market in the alcoholic beverage industry, supports expanding consumer choice and eliminating unnecessary and anti-competitive regulations (opposition to this measure was from package store lobbyists) and supported this amendment as a step in the right direction. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on March 18, 2021 by a vote of 9-30.
- S 2534 Imposing a Series of New State Mandates on Local School Sex Education Including a Prohibition on Abstinence-Centered Programming.** ACU opposes this overreaching mandate imposed on local schools and believes parents are best equipped to educate their children on sensitive issues and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on September 23, 2021 by a vote of 38-1.
- S 2545 Promoting Vote Fraud Under a Disastrous Package Known as the "VOTES Act."** ACUF's Center to Protect Voters and their Voices is a leader in rebuilding the safeguards of our election systems and ensuring that every legal vote count once and only once. ACU opposes this measure which decimates election integrity through a liberal wish list of measures designed to promote fraud such as same-day voter registration, unsolicited mail-in ballots and the counting of ballots 3 days after election day and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on October 6, 2021 by a vote of 36-3 and the bill was carried over to 2022.



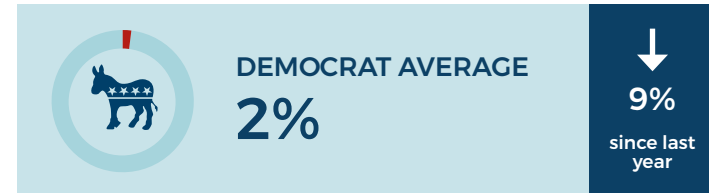
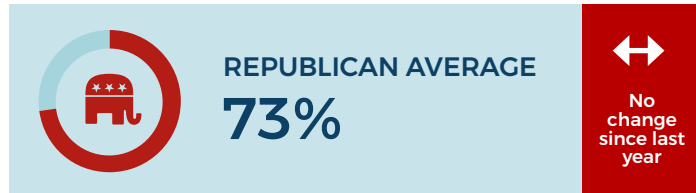
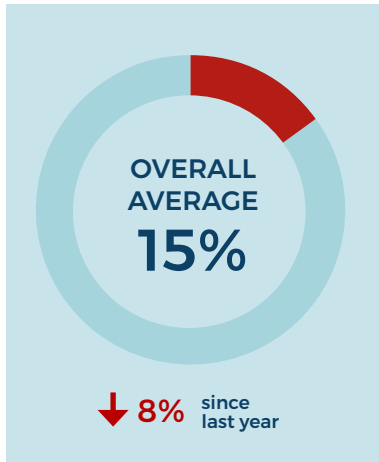
-
10. **S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 4) Abusing the Paid Leave System by Forcing Employers to Grant Leave for Voting.** (Roll Call #94) The Rausch (ACUF Lifetime 10%) amendment #4 to the voting bill. ACU opposes abusing the state's paid leave program and socializing the costs onto other employees and employers and opposed this amendment. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on October 6, 2021 by a vote of 12-26.
-
11. **S 2545 (Rausch Amd. 21) Weakening Election Integrity by Implementing a Permanent Vote-by-Mail Scheme.** (Roll Call #90) The Rausch (ACUF Lifetime 10%) amendment #21 to the voting bill. ACU recognizes that election integrity safeguards, such as reserving absentee voting for individuals who would otherwise be incapable of voting, are designed to help ensure that one person cannot cast the ballot of another (or one person on behalf of many others). ACU opposes weakening election integrity by eliminating safeguards that prevent voter fraud, which disenfranchises eligible voters, and opposed this amendment. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on October 6, 2021 by a vote of 7-31.
-
12. **S 2564 (Tarr Amd. 1) Utilizing Federal COVID-19 Relief Funds to Stabilize the Unemployment Insurance System and Prevent Skyrocketing Business Costs.** (Roll Call #100) The Tarr (ACUF Lifetime 67%) amendment #1 to a bill appropriating federal COVID-19 relief funds. ACU recognizes the state has placed tremendous financial burdens on employers by placing them on the hook to repay \$7 billion in loans over the next 20 years to replenish the unemployment insurance system due to COVID-19. ACU believes it is absurd to dole out the federal relief funds for unnecessary initiatives as opposed to addressing the state's unemployment trust fund crisis and supported this amendment. The Senate failed to adopt the amendment on November 10, 2021 by a vote of 5-32.
-
13. **H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.** (Roll Call #52 - Veto Override of Section 5). ACU recognizes that project labor unnecessarily drive-up taxpayer costs, sometimes as much as 20%, according to the Beacon Hill Institute. ACU opposes this anti-competitive scheme to enrich powerful union bosses, instead supports a free and open competitive bidding process for public works projects that provides the greatest value to taxpayers and opposed this bill. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto of section 5 on July 1, 2021 by a vote of 37-3. (A "No" vote supported the ACU position.)
-
14. **H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.** (Roll Call #58) Override Governor's \$3.5 million reduction to budget item #1595-6370 concerning Regional Transportation Authorities (RTA). ACU supports reducing unnecessary spending and believes government mass transit initiatives such be funded through user fees and opposed this override. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on July 29, 2021 by a vote of 40-0.
-
15. **H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.** (Roll Call #63) Override Governor's reduction to budget item #7004-0101 concerning an earmark for a new position within the office of housing and economic development. ACU opposes driving-up taxpayer costs by creating additional unnecessary bureaucratic positions and opposed this override. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on July 29, 2021 by a vote of 38-2.
-
16. **H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.** (Roll Call #67) Override Governor's stricken language within budget item #2000-0101 concerning reporting of environmental justice initiatives. ACU opposes unnecessarily driving up taxpayer costs and restricting economic growth through radical Leftist environmental justice initiatives and opposed this override. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on July 29, 2021 by a vote of 38-2.
-
17. **H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".** (Roll Call #59) Override Governor's stricken language within budget item #1595-6369 concerning Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority infrastructure projects. ACU opposes delaying core infrastructure projects and unnecessarily driving up taxpayer costs in order to advance a radical Leftist environmental agenda and opposed this override. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on July 29, 2021 by a vote of 39-1.
-



18. **H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.** (Roll Call #62) Override Governor's stricken language within budget item #7004-9316 concerning the raiding of the Housing Preservation and Stabilization Trust Fund. ACU opposes the further socialization of housing costs ultimately drives up housing and rental costs, believes the best way to make housing truly "affordable" is by eliminating unnecessary zoning and land use regulations, and opposed this override. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on July 29, 2021 by a vote of 39-1.
-
19. **H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.** (Roll Call #78) ACU opposes this measure which harms taxpayers – especially during fiscal downturns – by preventing the executive branch from placing limitations or restrictions on hiring, promotion or staffing and opposed this bill. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on September 30, 2021 by a vote of 35-3.
-
20. **H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.** (Roll Call #81) ACU recognizes that the gargantuan levels of taxation imposed by "Taxachusetts" and other liberal states led Congress to enact a \$10,000 limit on State and Local Tax (SALT) deductions. ACU finds it absurd that the state believes it has a right to take a cut under the relief provided through the underlying bill's work around and opposed this bill. The Senate voted to pass the bill on September 30, 2021 by a vote of 35-3.
-
21. **H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.** (Roll Call #83) Requiring the Department of Transitional Assistance to eliminate the asset test for Emergency Assistance to Elderly, Disabled and Children (EAEDC) applicants. ACU supports efforts that help individuals live happier, healthier, and more prosperous lives, opposes measures such as this which furthers government dependency and opposed this bill. The Senate voted to override the governor's veto on September 30, 2021 by a vote of 36-2.
-



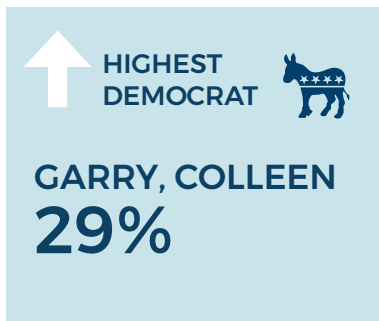
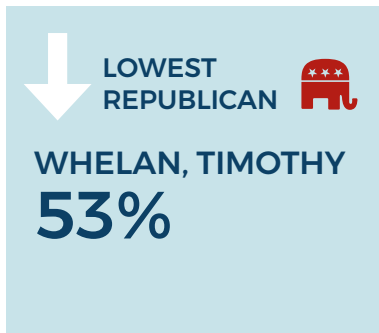
MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE STATISTICS



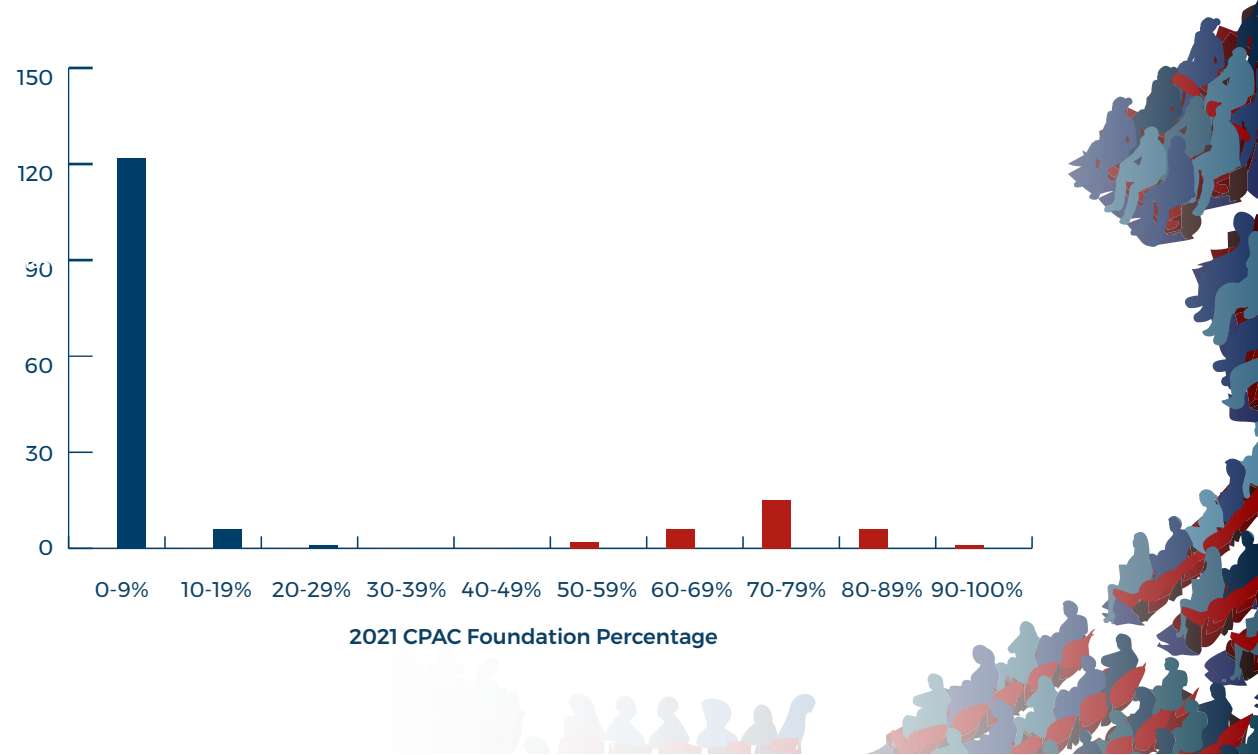
MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE CONSERVATIVE RATINGS

RED = REPUBLICANS
30 TOTAL IN HOUSE

BLUE = DEMOCRATS
129 TOTAL IN HOUSE



OF STATE REPS





MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE SCORES

MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE VOTE DETAIL

			2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	S 5 (RC 38)	S 9 (RC 3)	S 9 (RC 15)	H 68 (Jones Amd. 6)	H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8)	H 3770	H 3871	H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16)	H 3999	H 4002 (RC 76)	H 4002 (RC 80)	H 4002 (RC 81)	H 4002 (RC 86)	H 4002 (RC 87)	H 4005	H 4009	H 4011	
Party	Dist.																						
Arciero, James	D	2nd Middlesex	0%	12%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashe, Brian	D	2nd Hampden	6%	24%	6%	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ayers, Bruce	D	1st Norfolk	0%	13%	5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balsler, Ruth	D	12th Middlesex	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barber, Christine	D	34th Middlesex	0%	0%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barrett III, John	D	1st Berkshire	0%	12%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BARROWS, F. JAY	R	1st Bristol	71%	82%	75%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
BERTHIAUME Jr., DONALD	R	5th Worcester	82%	94%	78%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
Biele, David	D	4th Suffolk	0%	12%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blais, Natalie	D	1st Franklin	0%	6%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BOLDYGA, NICHOLAS	R	3rd Hampden	76%	71%	74%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
Cabral, Antonio	D	13th Bristol	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cahill, Daniel	D	10th Essex	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Campbell, Linda Dean	D	15th Essex	0%	18%	3%	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capano, Peter	D	11th Essex	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

+ = Member voted with ACU's position † = Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result did not receive a rating for the 2021 session. Two-thirds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.
 - = Member voted against ACU's position R = Republican D = Democrat I = Independent
 x = Member was absent for vote

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 1).
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 2).
- H 68 (Jones Amd. 6) Strengthening Government Transparency by Disclosing Legislature Expenditures over \$10k.
- H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8) Strengthening Government Transparency by Making Committees More Publicly Accessible.
- H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.
- H 3871 Weakening Election Integrity and Promoting Leftist Diversity Initiatives Through a Supplemental Appropriations Package.
- H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16) Strengthening Government Accountability by Requiring Publication of Committee Votes.
- H 3999 Forcing Taxpayers to Provide "Free" School Breakfasts and Lunches to All Students.
- H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.
- H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.
- H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.
- H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".
- H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.
- H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.
- H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.
- H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.



MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE VOTE DETAIL

			2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	S 5 (RC 38)	S 9 (RC 3)	S 9 (RC 15)	H 68 (Jones Amd. 6)	H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8)	H 3770	H 3871	H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16)	H 3999	H 4002 (RC 76)	H 4002 (RC 80)	H 4002 (RC 81)	H 4002 (RC 86)	H 4002 (RC 87)	H 4005	H 4009	H 4011	
Party	Dist.																						
Dykema, Carolyn	D	8th Middlesex	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ehrlich, Lori	D	8th Essex	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Elugardo, Nika	D	15th Suffolk	12%	0%	4%	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farley-Bouvier, Tricia	D	3rd Berkshire	0%	6%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FERGUSON, KIMBERLY	R	1st Worcester	71%	71%	64%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
Fernandes, Dylan	D	Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ferrante, Ann-Margaret	D	5th Essex	6%	12%	6%	+	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finn, Michael	D	6th Hampden	6%	19%	6%	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fiola, Carole	D	6th Bristol	0%	13%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FROST, PAUL	R	7th Worcester	82%	76%	69%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
Galvin, William	D	6th Norfolk	6%	12%	6%	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garballey, Sean	D	23rd Middlesex	0%	12%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garlick, Denise	D	13th Norfolk	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garry, Colleen	D	36th Middlesex	29%	41%	32%	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gentile, Carmine	D	13th Middlesex	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Giannino, Jessica	D	16th Suffolk	0%	n/a	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GIFFORD, SUSAN WILLIAMS	R	2nd Plymouth	71%	82%	68%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
Golden, Thomas	D	16th Middlesex	0%	12%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

+ = Member voted with ACU's position † = Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result did not receive a rating for the 2021 session. Two-thirds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.
 - = Member voted against ACU's position R = Republican D = Democrat I = Independent
 x = Member was absent for vote

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 1).
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 2).
- H 68 (Jones Amd. 6) Strengthening Government Transparency by Disclosing Legislature Expenditures over \$10k.
- H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8) Strengthening Government Transparency by Making Committees More Publicly Accessible.
- H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.
- H 3871 Weakening Election Integrity and Promoting Leftist Diversity Initiatives Through a Supplemental Appropriations Package.
- H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16) Strengthening Government Accountability by Requiring Publication of Committee Votes.
- H 3999 Forcing Taxpayers to Provide "Free" School Breakfasts and Lunches to All Students.
- H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.
- H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.
- H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.
- H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".
- H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.
- H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.
- H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.
- H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.



MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE VOTE DETAIL

Member	Party	Dist.	2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	S 5 (RC 38)	S 9 (RC 3)	S 9 (RC 15)	H 68 (Jones Amd. 6)	H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8)	H 3770	H 3871	H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16)	H 3999	H 4002 (RC 76)	H 4002 (RC 80)	H 4002 (RC 81)	H 4002 (RC 86)	H 4002 (RC 87)	H 4005	H 4009	H 4011	
LaNatra, Kathleen	D	12th Plymouth	0%	12%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lawn, John	D	10th Middlesex	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LeBoeuf, David	D	17th Worcester	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lewis, Jack	D	7th Middlesex	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Linsky, David Paul	D	5th Middlesex	0%	6%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lipper-Garabedian, Kate	D	32nd Middlesex	0%	13%	7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Livingstone, Jay	D	8th Suffolk	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LOMBARDO, MARC	R	22nd Middlesex	76%	65%	80%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+
Madaro, Adrian	D	1st Suffolk	0%	6%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mahoney, John	D	13th Worcester	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malia, Elizabeth	D	11th Suffolk	0%	6%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mariano, Ronald	D	3rd Norfolk	0%	13%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mark, Paul	D	2nd Berkshire	0%	6%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Markey, Christopher	D	9th Bristol	6%	18%	6%	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	X	-
McGonagle Jr., Joseph	D	28th Middlesex	0%	18%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MCKENNA, JOSEPH	R	18th Worcester	82%	71%	77%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
McMurtry, Paul	D	11th Norfolk	0%	18%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meschino, Joan	D	3rd Plymouth	0%	13%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

+ = Member voted with ACU's position † = Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result did not receive a rating for the 2021 session. Two-thirds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.
 - = Member voted against ACU's position R = Republican D = Democrat I = Independent
 x = Member was absent for vote

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 1).
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 2).
- H 68 (Jones Amd. 6) Strengthening Government Transparency by Disclosing Legislature Expenditures over \$10k.
- H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8) Strengthening Government Transparency by Making Committees More Publicly Accessible.
- H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.
- H 3871 Weakening Election Integrity and Promoting Leftist Diversity Initiatives Through a Supplemental Appropriations Package.
- H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16) Strengthening Government Accountability by Requiring Publication of Committee Votes.
- H 3999 Forcing Taxpayers to Provide "Free" School Breakfasts and Lunches to All Students.
- H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.
- H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.
- H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.
- H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".
- H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.
- H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.
- H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.
- H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.



MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE VOTE DETAIL

Party	Dist.	2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	S 5 (RC 38)	S 9 (RC 3)	S 9 (RC 15)	H 68 (Jones Amd. 6)	H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8)	H 3770	H 3871	H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16)	H 3999	H 4002 (RC 76)	H 4002 (RC 80)	H 4002 (RC 81)	H 4002 (RC 86)	H 4002 (RC 87)	H 4005	H 4009	H 4011	
Michlewitz, Aaron	D	3rd Suffolk	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minicucci, Christina	D	14th Essex	0%	12%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miranda, Liz	D	5th Suffolk	6%	12%	6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MIRRA, LEONARD	R	2nd Essex	65%	65%	71%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
Mom, Rady	D	18th Middlesex	0%	13%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moran, Frank	D	17th Essex	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moran, Michael	D	18th Suffolk	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Muradian Jr., David	R	9th Worcester	71%	65%	67%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
MURATORE, MATHEW	R	1st Plymouth	65%	71%	64%	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+
Murphy, James	D	4th Norfolk	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Murray, Brian	D	10th Worcester	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nguyen, Tram	D	18th Essex	0%	6%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
O'Day, James	D	14th Worcester	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oakley, Brandy	D	12th Suffolk	6%	n/a	6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oliveira, Jacob	D	7th Hampden	0%	n/a	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ORRALL, NORMAN	R	12th Bristol	82%	71%	78%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
Owens, Steven	D	29th Middlesex	12%	n/a	12%	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parisella, Jerald	D	6th Essex	0%	12%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peake, Sarah	D	4th Barnstable	0%	6%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PEASE, KELLY	R	4th Hampden	76%	n/a	76%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+
Peisch, Alice Hanlon	D	14th Norfolk	0%	12%	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philips, Edward	D	8th Norfolk	0%	n/a	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pignatelli, William	D	4th Berkshire	0%	12%	5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puppolo Jr., Angelo	D	12th Hampden	6%	19%	8%	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ramos, Orlando	D	9th Hampden	0%	n/a	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robertson, David	D	19th Middlesex	6%	24%	12%	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

+ = Member voted with ACU's position † = Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result did not receive a rating for the 2021 session. Two-thirds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.
 - = Member voted against ACU's position R = Republican D = Democrat I = Independent
 x = Member was absent for vote



MASSACHUSETTS HOUSE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS

- S 5 Furthering Wealth Redistribution Through the 4% "Millionaire's Tax" Constitutional Amendment.** (Roll Call #38) Currently, the state's flat tax system taxes all levels of income at 5.05%. ACU opposes harming economic growth by "soaking the rich" with an 80% tax hike and opposed this constitutional amendment. The House passed the bill on June 9, 2021 by a vote of 121-39. (The amendment will appear on the November 2022 ballot.)
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 1).** (Roll Call #3) ACU supports all sources of energy, believes government should not favor one source of energy over another, opposes reducing economic growth and raising energy costs and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on January 28, 2021 by a vote of 144-14 but the Governor returned the bill with amendments.
- S 9 Driving-Up Energy Costs Through a Draconian "Next-Gen Climate" Package (Version 2).** (Roll Call #15) Version with Governor Charlie Baker's amendments. ACU supports all sources of energy, believes government should not favor one source of energy over another, opposes reducing economic growth and raising energy costs and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill with the Governor's amendments on March 18, 2021 by a vote of 145-14 and the bill was signed into law.
- H 68 (Jones Amd. 6) Strengthening Government Transparency by Disclosing Legislature Expenditures over \$10k.** (Roll Call #7) The Jones, Jr. (ACUF Lifetime 71%) amendment #6 to the proposed Joint rules. ACU supports strengthening government transparency and accountability and supported this amendment. The House failed to adopt the amendment on February 24, 2021 by a vote of 34-125.
- H 68 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 8) Strengthening Government Transparency by Making Committees More Publicly Accessible.** (Roll Call #5) The Uyterhoeven (ACUF Lifetime 18%) amendment #8 to the proposed Joint rules. ACU supports strengthening government transparency and accountability and supported this amendment. The House failed to adopt the amendment on February 24, 2021 by a vote of 36-122.
- H 3770 Increasing Taxpayer Costs by Mandating Usage of Project Labor Agreements for Construction of a New Veterans Facility.** (Roll Call #52 - Veto Override of Section 5). ACU recognizes that project labor unnecessarily drive-up taxpayer costs, sometimes as much as 20%, according to the Beacon Hill Institute. ACU opposes this anti-competitive scheme to enrich powerful union bosses, instead supports a free and open competitive bidding process for public works projects that provides the greatest value to taxpayers and opposed this bill. The House voted to override the governor's veto of section 5 on June 30, 2021 by a vote of 130-30.
- H 3871 Weakening Election Integrity and Promoting Leftist Diversity Initiatives Through a Supplemental Appropriations Package.** (Roll Call #42) ACU opposes mail-in ballot voting schemes which weaken election integrity and disenfranchise voters through vote fraud and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on June 10, 2021 by a vote of 131-29 and the bill was later signed into law following a conference committee.
- H 3930 (Uyterhoeven Amd. 16) Strengthening Government Accountability by Requiring Publication of Committee Votes.** (Roll Call #62) The Uyterhoeven (ACUF Lifetime 18%) amendment #16 to the proposed House rules. ACU supports strengthening government transparency and accountability and supported this amendment. The House failed to adopt the amendment on July 7, 2021 by a vote of 41-117.
- H 3999 Forcing Taxpayers to Provide "Free" School Breakfasts and Lunches to All Students.** (Roll Call #106) ACU recognizes students who are from families below certain incomes are already provided no cost lunches under existing law, and this bill is designed to enlarge the "free" meals program to students who can afford it. ACU opposes weakening educational outcomes by forcing schools to divert resources from essential education initiatives, opposes increasing taxpayer burdens to provide "free" meals to children of families who can afford it and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on October 6, 2021 by a vote of 157-0 and the bill was signed into law.



10. **H 4002 Advancing an Additional \$3.5 Million in Unnecessary Mass Transit Funding.** (Roll Call #76) Override Governor's \$3.5 million reduction to budget item #1595-6370 concerning Regional Transportation Authorities (RTA). ACU supports reducing unnecessary spending and believes government mass transit initiatives such be funded through user fees and opposed this override. The House voted to override the governor's veto on July 28, 2021 by a vote of 158-1.
11. **H 4002 Expanding Government Bureaucracy Within the Office of Housing and Economic Development.** (Roll Call #80) Override Governor's reduction to budget item #7004-0101 concerning an earmark for a new position within the office of housing and economic development. ACU opposes driving-up taxpayer costs by creating additional unnecessary bureaucratic positions and opposed this override. The House voted to override the governor's veto on July 28, 2021 by a vote of 141-18.
12. **H 4002 Hiking Taxpayer Costs by Imposing New "Environmental Justice" Mandates on the Executive Branch.** (Roll Call #81) Override Governor's stricken language within budget item #2000-0101 concerning reporting of environmental justice initiatives. ACU opposes unnecessarily driving up taxpayer costs and restricting economic growth through radical Leftist environmental justice initiatives and opposed this override. The House voted to override the governor's veto on July 28, 2021 by a vote of 135-24.
13. **H 4002 Advancing Costly Leftist Climate Initiatives Concerning "Decarbonization" and "Rail Electrification".** (Roll Call #86) Override Governor's stricken language within budget item #1595-6369 concerning Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority infrastructure projects. ACU opposes delaying core infrastructure projects and unnecessarily driving up taxpayer costs in order to advance a radical Leftist environmental agenda and opposed this override. The House voted to override the governor's veto on July 28, 2021 by a vote of 130-29.
14. **H 4002 Advancing Runaway Spending by Channeling an Additional \$5 Million to Government and Affordable Housing Initiatives.** (Roll Call #87) Override Governor's stricken language within budget item #7004-9316 concerning the raiding of the Housing Preservation and Stabilization Trust Fund. ACU opposes the further socialization of housing costs ultimately dives up housing and rental costs, believes the best way to make housing truly "affordable" is by eliminating unnecessary zoning and land use regulations, and opposed this override. The House voted to override the governor's veto on July 28, 2021 by a vote of 151-8.
15. **H 4005 Eliminating a Key Fiscal Safeguard Concerning Hiring and Staffing Levels at the Division of Water Supply Protection within the DCR.** (Roll Call #92) ACU opposes this measure which harms taxpayers – especially during fiscal downturns – by preventing the executive branch from placing limitations or restrictions on hiring, promotion or staffing and opposed this bill. The House voted to override the governor's veto on September 23, 2021 by a vote of 130-28.
16. **H 4009 Expanding the State's Wealth Seizure by Taking a 10% Cut Under the SALT Cap Workaround.** (Roll Call #95) ACU recognizes that the gargantuan levels of taxation imposed by "Taxachusetts" and other liberal states led Congress to enact a \$10,000 limit on State and Local Tax (SALT) deductions. ACU finds it absurd that the state believes it has a right to take a cut under the relief provided through the underlying bill's work around and opposed this bill. The House voted to pass the bill on September 23, 2021 by a vote of 129-29.
17. **H 4011 Increasing Government Dependency by Eliminating Asset Tests to Receive Welfare Under the EAEDC Program.** (Roll Call #97) Requiring the Department of Transitional Assistance to eliminate the asset test for Emergency Assistance to Elderly, Disabled and Children (EAEDC) applicants. ACU supports efforts that help individuals live happier, healthier, and more prosperous lives, opposes measures such as this which furthers government dependency and opposed this bill. The House voted to override the governor's veto on September 23, 2021 by a vote of 130-29.