Wisconsin Senator Tammy Baldwin
Democrat (@SenatorBaldwin)
709 Hart Office Building
202-224-5653

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the Senate: 2013 (Served in House of Representatives since 1999)

District Offices: Eau Claire, Green Bay, La Crosse, Madison, Milwaukee, Wausau

Committee Assignments: Appropriations; Health, Education, Labor and Pensions; Commerce, Science, and Transportation

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Senator Baldwin plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. She is not a member of State/Foreign Operations Subcommittee, which has direct jurisdiction over Peace Corps funding.

Key Staff: Blake Souter (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2012*, 2013*
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2011*, 2014*, 2015, 2016*
- District Office Meetings: 2011*, 2013*, 2015*

Senator Baldwin and/or her staff also met regularly with RPCV constituents during her years in the House of Representatives.

From the Website (www.baldwin.senate.gov):

She is Wisconsin's first woman to serve in the U.S. Senate and is the first openly gay member elected to the Senate.

Born in Wisconsin and raised by her grandparents, Tammy graduated from Madison West High School and went on to double-major in political science and mathematics at Smith College. In 1989, she earned her law degree from the University of Wisconsin. In 1986, while in law school, she served on the Madison Common Council, filling an aldermanic vacancy.
(Senator Tammy Baldwin)

**On the Issues**

**Peace Corps Funding:**
Signed Senate “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:
- 2014, 2016-2019: YES

**International Affairs Funding**
- Signed Senate “Dear Colleague” Letters supporting robust international affairs funding
  2017, 2018: YES

**Other**

**Peace Corps Mission Accountability Act (S.2320) - Legislation opposed by NPCA**
- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

  **Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Reform Act of 2018 (S. 2286)**
  (signed into law in 2018)
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor

  **Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (S. 2291)**
- 113th Congress (2013-14): CO-SPONSOR

  **Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (S. 230)**
  (Signed into law 2014)
- 112th Congress (2011-12): N/A
- 113th Congress (2013-14): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation

  **Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011**
  (Signed into law in 2011)
- 112th Congress (2011-12): N/A
- Senator Baldwin also signed a 2014 letter urging U.S. law enforcement to assist with the Kate Puzey murder investigation

  **Peace Corps Improvement and Expansion Act**
  (Not signed into law)
- 111th Congress (2009-10): N/A
Wisconsin Senator Ron Johnson
Republican (@SenRonJohnson)

328 Hart Senate Office Building
202-224-5323

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the Senate: 2011

State Offices: Madison, Milwaukee, Oshkosh

Committee Assignments: Budget; Commerce, Science and Transportation; Foreign Relations; Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

Senator Johnson sits on the Foreign Relations Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation.

Senator Johnson also sits on the Budget Committee, which is charged with putting forth a budget blueprint each year for federal spending, including proposed funding levels for international affairs programs.

Key Staff: Carol Fowler (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2011*-2014*
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2016*, 2017, 2018*
- District Office Meetings: 2011*

NPCA leadership and Dr. Surin Pitsuwan of Thailand, winner of the NPCA's Harris Wofford Global Leadership Award, met with Senator Johnson in 2014.

From The Website (www.ronjohnson.senate.gov):
At the age of 15, Senator Johnson obtained his first tax-paying job as a dishwasher in a Walgreens grill. He rose through the ranks as a soda jerk, fry cook, and finally night manager before reaching the age of 16.

He gained early acceptance to the University of Minnesota, so he skipped his senior year of High School and worked full-time while obtaining his degree in business and accounting. In 1977, after graduating with a BSB-Accounting degree, he started working as an accountant at Jostens. He also continued his education by enrolling in an MBA night program.

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On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

● Signed Senate “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:

International Affairs Funding

● Signed Senate “Dear Colleague” Letters supporting robust international affairs funding
  2017, 2018: NO

Other

Peace Corps Mission Accountability Act (S.2320) - Legislation opposed by NPCA
● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Reform Act of 2018 (S. 2286) (signed into law in 2018)
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (S. 2291)
● 113th Congress (2013-14): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (S. 230) (Signed into law 2014)
● 112th Congress (2011-12): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation
● 113th Congress (2013-14): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011 (Signed into law in 2011)
● 112th Congress (2011-12): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation
● Senator Johnson also signed a 2014 letter urging U.S. law enforcement to assist with the Kate Puzey murder investigation

Peace Corps Improvement and Expansion Act (Not signed into law)
● 111th Congress (2009-10): N/A
Wisconsin Representative Bryan Steil
Republican—1st District (@RepBryanSteil)

1408 Longworth House Office Building
202-225-3031

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 1st District as of September 2016: 33
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2019

District Offices: Janesville

Committee Assignments: Financial Services

Key Staff: Charlotte Davis (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: 2019*

From the Website (steilforwisconsin.com):

Steil is a Janesville native, Craig High School graduate, and member of St. John Vianney Parish in Janesville. He has a history of private sector experience, public service, and community involvement.

Bryan Steil has spent the last nine years working in manufacturing in southeastern Wisconsin and has seen firsthand how Washington limits economic growth.
In 2016, Bryan was appointed and unanimously confirmed to serve on the University of Wisconsin Board of Regents by the Wisconsin State Senate. As a Regent, Steil helps oversee the UW System, which has more than a $6 billion budget and serves nearly 180,000 students at 26 different campuses. He has proven to be a consistent advocate for providing high-quality and affordable education.

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(Representative Bryan Steil)
On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

● Signed House “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding: 2019: NO
● 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: NO (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
● 115th Congress (2017-18): N/A

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): N/A

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): N/A

Other

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)

● 115th Congress (2017-18): N/A
● 114th Congress (2015-16): N/A

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (HR 4578)

● 113th Congress (2013-2014): N/A

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
(Signed into law in 2014)

● 113th Congress (2013-14): N/A

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
(Signed into law in 2011)

● 112th Congress (2011-12): N/A

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Wisconsin Representative Mark Pocan
Democrat—2nd District (@repmarkpocan)

1421 Longworth House Office Building
202-225-2906

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 2nd District as of September 2016: 47
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2013

District Offices: Beloit, Madison

Committee Assignments: Appropriations

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Congressman Pocan plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. He is not a member of State/Foreign Operations Subcommittee, which has direct jurisdiction over Peace Corps funding.

Key Staff: Leslie Zelenko (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2013*, 2014*, 2016* (2)
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2014*, 2017
- District Office Meetings: 2012*-2013*

From the Website (www.pocan.house.gov):

At eight-years-old, Representative Pocan got his start in politics delivering literature door-to-door for his father, who served as a long-time Kenosha alder, and by the age of 12, he was attending city council meetings. Rep. Pocan received his degree from the University of Wisconsin—Madison, and then followed in his parents’ footsteps and opened his own small business, a union specialty printing shop that he continues to run today.
(Representative Mark Pocan)

On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

● Signed House “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:
  2013-2017: YES  
  2018-19: NO

● 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: NO (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
● 115th Congress (2017-18): MEMBER
● 2013-2016: MEMBER

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): CO-SPONSOR

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): CO-SPONSOR
● 2013-2016: CO-SPONSOR

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): CO-SPONSOR
● 115th Congress (2017-18): CO-SPONSOR
● 2013-2016: CO-SPONSOR

Other

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)

● 115th Congress (2017-18): CO-SPONSOR
● 114th Congress (2015-16): CO-SPONSOR

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (HR 4578)

● 113th Congress (2013-2014): CO-SPONSOR

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
(Signed into law in 2014)

● 113th Congress (2013-14): CO-SPONSOR
● 1/13/14 House Vote to Support Commemorative (passed 387 – 7) YES

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
(Signed into law in 2011)

● 112th Congress (2011-12): N/A
Wisconsin Representative Ron Kind
Democrat—3rd District @RepRonKind

1502 Longworth House Office Building
202-225-5506

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 3rd District as of September 2016: 23
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 1997

District Offices: Eau Claire, La Crosse

Committee Assignments: Ways and Means

Key Staff: Ben Hutterer (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
  ● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2011*, 2012*
  ● District Office Meetings: 2013* (w/ staff)

From the Website (www.kind.house.gov):

Ron is a graduate of La Crosse Logan High School. His success in academics and football there brought him to Harvard University where he earned a Bachelor’s degree. Later, Ron earned a Master’s degree from the London School of Economics and a Law Degree from the University of Minnesota.
(Representative Ron Kind)

On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

- Signed House “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:
  - 2005-2012: NO
  - 2013-2019: YES
- Co-Sponsored Peace Corps Funding Legislation:
  - 2008: NO
- 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: NO (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus

- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
- 115th Congress (2017-18) Did not join
- 2013-2016: Did not join

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)

- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)

- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
- 2013-2016: Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)

- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
- 2013-2016: Did not co-sponsor

Other

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
  (Signed into law in 2018)

- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
- 114th Congress (2015-16): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (HR 4578)

- 113th Congress (2013-2014): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
  (Signed into law in 2014)

- 111th Congress (2009-10): CO-SPONSOR
- 112th Congress (2011-12): CO-SPONSOR
- 113th Congress (2013-14): Did not co-sponsor
- 1/13/14 House Vote to Support Commemorative (passed 387 – 7) YES

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
  (Signed into law in 2011)

- 112th Congress (2011-12): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation

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Wisconsin Representative Gwen Moore
Democrat—4th District (@RepGwenMoore)

2252 Rayburn House Office Building
202-225-4572

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 4th District as of September 2016: 27
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2005

District Offices: Milwaukee

Committee Assignments: Ways and Means

Key Staff: Izmira Aitch (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- District Office Meetings: 2012 (w/ Moore)

From the Website (www.gwenmoore.house.gov):

Born in Racine, Wisconsin in 1951, Congresswoman Moore was raised in Milwaukee. The eighth of nine children, Rep. Moore’s father was a factory worker and her mother was a public school teacher. Congresswoman Moore attended North Division High School in Milwaukee where she served as Student Council President. After graduation, Rep. Moore started college at Milwaukee’s Marquette University as a single, expectant mother on welfare who could only complete her education with the help of TRIO. Congresswoman Moore earned a B.A. in Political Science from Marquette University, and went on to serve as a community leader, spearheading the start-up of a community credit union as a Volunteers in Service to America (VISTA) volunteer for which she earned the national “VISTA Volunteer of the Decade” award from 1976-1986.
(Representative Gwen Moore)

On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

● Co-Sponsored Peace Corps Funding Legislation: 2008-2009: YES
● 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: NO (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not join
● 2013-2016: Did not join

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): CO-SPONSOR

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 114th Congress (2015-16): CO-SPONSOR
● 113th Congress (2013-14): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): CO-SPONSOR
● 2013-2016: CO-SPONSOR

Other

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)

● 115th Congress (2017-18): CO-SPONSOR
● 114th Congress (2015-16): CO-SPONSOR

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (HR 4578)

● 113th Congress (2013-2014): CO-SPONSOR

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
(Signed into law in 2014)

● 111th Congress (2009-10): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation
● 112th Congress (2011-12): CO-SPONSOR
● 113th Congress (2013-14): CO-SPONSOR
● 1/13/14 House Vote to Support Commemorative (passed 387 – 7) YES

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
(Signed into law in 2011)

● 112th Congress (2011-12): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation
● Representative Moore also signed a 2014 letter to federal authorities urging more involvement in the investigation of the death of Peace Corps Volunteer Kate Puzey

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Wisconsin Representative
F. James Sensenbrenner
Republican—5th District (@JimPressOffice)

2449 Rayburn House Office Building
202-225-5101

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 5th District as of September 2016: 16
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 1979

District Offices: Brookfield

Committee Assignments: Judiciary; Foreign Affairs

Congressman Sensenbrenner sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps related legislation.

Key Staff: Erik Kinney (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2013, 2017, 2018, 2019
- District Office Meetings: None

From the Website (www.sensenbrenner.house.gov):

Jim was born in Chicago and later moved to Wisconsin with his family. He graduated from the Milwaukee Country Day School and did his undergraduate studies at Stanford University, where he majored in political science. He then earned his law degree at the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1968. Throughout his public life, Jim has been at the forefront of efforts to preserve the sanctity of life, eliminate wasteful government spending and protect the interests of American taxpayers. He has regularly been cited by the National Taxpayers Union as one of the most fiscally responsible House Members and is well known for completing his financial disclosure forms down to the penny.
(Representative F. James Sensenbrenner)

On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

● Signed House “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:
  2005-2019: NO
● Co-Sponsored Peace Corps Funding Legislation:
  2008-2009: NO.
● 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: YES (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not join
● 2013-2016: Did not join

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 2013-2016: Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 2013-2016: Did not co-sponsor

Other

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)

● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 114th Congress (2015-16): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (HR 4578)

● 113th Congress (2013-2014): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
(Signed into law in 2014)

● 111th Congress (2009-10): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation
● 112th Congress (2011-12): Did not co-sponsor
● 113th Congress (2013-14): Did not co-sponsor
● 1/13/14 House Vote to Support Commemorative (passed 387 – 7) YES

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
(Signed into law in 2011)

● 112th Congress (2011-12): Part of unanimous vote that passed the legislation
Wisconsin Representative Glenn Grothman
Republican—6th District (@RepGrothman)

1427 Longworth House Office Building
202-225-2476

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 6th District as of September 2016: 16
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2015

District Offices: Fond du Lac,

Committee Assignments: Oversight & Government Reform; Education and the Workforce

Key Staff: Samantha Baker (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
  ● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
  ● DC Meetings With Staff: 2015 - 2018
  ● District Office Meetings: None

From the Website:

Glenn represented the 20th State Senate District in the Wisconsin Legislature. He was first elected in 2004, where he successfully unseated a moderate Republican State Senator. He was re-elected in 2008 and 2012. He served as a Representative to the Wisconsin State Assembly from 1993 through 2003.

Glenn's time in office has been marked by his passionate advocacy for jobs, tax reform, welfare reform, education reform, and pro-life causes. Glenn has served on the Legislature's budget-writing committee for several terms, where he advocates for lower taxes and limited government spending.
On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding:
- 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: YES (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus
- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not join
- 114th Congress (2015-16): Did not join

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)
- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)
- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
- 114th Congress (2015-16): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)
- 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
- 114th Congress (2015-16) Did not co-sponsor

Other
Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)
- 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
- 114th Congress (2015-16): Did not co-sponsor

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
(Signed into law in 2014)
(Not Applicable)

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
(Signed into law in 2011)
(Not Applicable)
7th District

Currently Vacant
(A special election is scheduled for May 12, 2020)

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 7th District as of September 2016: 18
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives:

District Offices:

Committee Assignments:

Key Staff:

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
  ● DC Meetings With Lawmaker:
  ● DC Meetings With Staff:
  ● District Office Meetings:

From The Website:

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Currently Vacant
(A special election is scheduled for May 12, 2020)

On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding
● Signed House “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:
  2011-2019:
● 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: NO

Peace Corps Caucus
● 116th Congress (2019-2020):
● 115th Congress (2017-18):
● 2013-2016:

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)
● 116th Congress (2019-2020):

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)
● 116th Congress (2019-2020):
● 115th Congress (2017-18):
● 2013-2016:

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)
● 116th Congress (2019-2020):
● 115th Congress (2017-18):
● 2013-2016:

Other
Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)
● 115th Congress (2017-18):
● 114th Congress (2015-16):

Peace Corps Equity Act of 2014 (HR 4578)
● 113th Congress (2013-2014):

Peace Corps Commemorative Legislation (HR 915)
(Signed into law in 2014)
● 112th Congress (2011-12):
● 113th Congress (2013-14):

Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act of 2011
(Signed into law in 2011)
● 112th Congress (2011-12):

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Wisconsin Representative
Mike Gallagher (@RepGallagher)
Republican—8th District

1230 Longworth House Office Building
202-225-5665

Wisconsin Current Volunteers: 165
(Wisconsin Volunteers in 1965: 368)
Volunteers in the 8th District as of September 2016: 18
Wisconsin Volunteers Since 1961: 6,425

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2017

District Offices: Appleton

Committee Assignments: Armed Services; Transportation and Infrastructure

Key Staff: Charles Morrison (Foreign Policy Issues)

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community (* Denotes Constituent Meeting):
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

From the Website (https://gallagher.house.gov/about)
Mike is a 7th generation Wisconsin native, born and raised in Green Bay with his family, including his brother who served as a Peace Corps volunteer.

Mike joined the Marine Corps when he graduated from college and served for seven years on active duty as a Counterintelligence/Human Intelligence Officer and Regional Affairs Officer for the Middle East/North Africa, eventually earning the rank of Captain. He deployed twice to Al Anbar Province, Iraq as a commander of intelligence teams, served on General Petraeus’s Central Command Assessment Team in the Middle East, and worked for three years in the intelligence community, including tours at the National Counterterrorism Center and the Drug Enforcement Agency. Mike also served as the lead Republican staffer for Middle East, North Africa and Counterterrorism on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Mike worked in the private sector at a global energy and supply chain management company in Green Bay. After earning his degree from Princeton University, Mike earned a master’s degree in Security Studies from Georgetown University, a second in Strategic Intelligence from National

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Intelligence University, and his PhD in International Relations from Georgetown.

(Representative Mike Gallagher)

On the Issues

Peace Corps Funding

● Signed House “Dear Colleague” Letters on Peace Corps Funding:
  2017-19: NO
● 6/18/19 House vote on Walker Amendment, which included eliminating FY2020 Peace Corps Funding: NO (Final vote was 110 Yes, 315 No...Walker amendment was not passed)

Peace Corps Caucus

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a member
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not join
● 114th Congress (2015-16): N/A

Peace Corps Reauthorization Legislation (HR 3456)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor

Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (HR 1411)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 114th Congress (2015-16): N/A

Peace Corps Stamp Act (HR 325)

● 116th Congress (2019-2020): Not currently a co-sponsor
● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 114th Congress (2015-16) N/A

Other

Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (HR 2259)
(Signed into law in 2018)

● 115th Congress (2017-18): Did not co-sponsor
● 114th Congress (2015-16): N/A