Senator Richard Durbin
Illinois Democrat

711 Hart Senate Office Building
P: 202–224–2152

Website: https://www.durbin.senate.gov/
Bio: https://www.durbin.senate.gov/about-dick-durbin
Twitter: @SenatorDurbin

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://www.durbin.senate.gov/contact/email

Began Service in the Senate: 1997

State Offices: Chicago, Springfield, Carbondale, Rock Island

Committee Assignments:
- Agriculture
- Appropriations
- Judiciary (Chair)
- Rules

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Senator Durbin plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. He is also a member of the State/Foreign Operations subcommittee, which has direct jurisdiction over Peace Corps funding.

Key Staff: Chris Homan, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2011*
- District Office Meetings: 2019*

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## Peace Corps Issues and Senator Durbin

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Did not sign in 2020 (COVID–19 International Response)                                                                                   |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (S. 4466) | Has not co-sponsored in 2022                                                                                                           |
S. 3642: Did not co–sponsor                                                                                                               |
| 116th Congress (2019–2020) CORPS Act (S. 3964)  
Legislation opposed by NPCA | Did not co–sponsor                                                                                                                     |

### Other Notes:

Senator Durbin was a co–sponsor of the Peace Corps Equity Act (2014), the Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act (2011) and the Peace Corps Improvement and Expansion Act (2010).
United States Senate

Senator Tammy Duckworth
Illinois Democrat

524 Hart Senate Office Building
P: 202–224–2854

Website: https://www.duckworth.senate.gov/
Bio: https://www.duckworth.senate.gov/about-tammy/biography
Twitter: @SenDuckworth

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre-evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://www.duckworth.senate.gov/help/email-tammy

Began Service in the U. S. Senate: 2017

State Offices: Chicago, Springfield, Carbondale, Rock Island, Belleville

Committee Assignments:

- Armed Services
- Commerce, Science and Transportation
- Environment and Public Works
- Small Business

Key Staff: Ethan Whiting, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2014
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2013–2014, 2019, 2020*
- District Office Meetings: None

In June 2014, then Rep. Duckworth met with NPCA leadership and Dr. Surin Pitsuwan of Thailand, winner of the 2014 Harris Wofford Global Citizen Award.

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Other Notes
House of Representatives

Rep. Bobby Rush
Illinois 1st District Democrat

2188 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–4372

Website: https://rush.house.gov/
Bio: https://rush.house.gov/about/biography
Twitter: @RepBobbyRush

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://rush.house.gov/contact/email-me

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 1993

District Offices: Chicago

Committee Assignments:
● Agriculture
● Energy and Commerce

Key Staff: Nishith Pandya, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
● DC Meetings With Staff: 2013*
● District Office Meetings: None

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## Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Rush

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| House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding     | **Did not** sign in 2005–2011, 2022  
**Signed on** in 2012–2021                                    |
| House Peace Corps Caucus                               | **Has not** joined in 2021, 2022  
2019–2020: **Did not** join  
2013–2018: **Joined**                                           |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1456) | **Co–sponsored** in 2021-2022  
116th Congress (2019–2020): **Did not** co–sponsor                |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467) | **Has not** co–sponsored in 2021-2022                                 |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188) | **Has not** co–sponsored in 2021-2022                                 |
H.R. 6560: **Co–sponsor**                                         |
| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110 | **Voted No**                                                            |

### Other Notes:
Representative Rush was a **co–sponsor** of the Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (2018) and the Kate Puzey Peace Corps Volunteer Protection Act (2011).
Rep. Robin Kelly
Illinois 2nd District Democrat

2416 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–0733

Website: https://robinkelly.house.gov/
Bio: https://robinkelly.house.gov/about
Twitter: @RepRobinKelly

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0 (148 pre-evacuation)
Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://robinkelly.house.gov/contact/email-me

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2013

District Offices: Chicago, Kankakee, Matteson

Committee Assignments:
- Energy and Commerce
- Oversight and Reform

Key Staff: Matthew McMurray, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

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### Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Kelly

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Signed on in 2017–2022                                                           |
| House Peace Corps Caucus                                                         | Has not joined in 2021, 2022  
2013–2020: Did not join                                                            |
116th Congress (2019–2020): Did not co–sponsor                                      |
H.R. 6560: Did not co–sponsor                                                      |
| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110 | Voted No                                                                                     |

### Other Notes

- Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020. NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110.
Rep. Marie Newman  
Illinois 3rd District Democrat  
1022 Longworth House Office Building  
P: 202–225–5701  
Website: https://newman.house.gov/  
Bio: https://newman.house.gov/about  
Twitter: @RepMarieNewman

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0  
(148 pre-evacuation)  
Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://newman.house.gov/contact

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2021 (New Member of Congress)

District Offices: Chicago

Committee Assignments:  
● Transportation and Infrastructure  
● Small Business

Key Staff: Marcus Garza, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:  
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None  
● DC Meetings With Staff: None  
● District Office Meetings: None

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| Peace Corps Specific COVID–19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)    | **H.R. 6833:** N/A  
**H.R. 6560:** N/A |

**Other Notes**
Rep. Jesus “Chuy” Garcia
Illinois 4th District Democrat

1519 Longworth House Office Building
P: 202–225–8203

Website: https://chuygarcia.house.gov/
Bio: https://chuyforcongress.com/about
Twitter: @RepChuyGarcia

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265
(148 pre–evacuation)

Contact Form: https://chuygarcia.house.gov/contact/email-me

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2019

District Offices: Chicago

Committee Assignments:
● Financial Services
● Transportation and Infrastructure
● Natural Resources

Key Staff: Naomi Lake, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
● DC Meetings With Staff: None
● District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Garcia

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| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110 | Voted No |

### Other Notes
Representative Mike Quigley plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs as a member of the Appropriations Committee. He does not sit on the State/Foreign Operations subcommittee, which determines funding levels for international affairs programs, including Peace Corps.
# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Quigley

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| House Peace Corps Caucus                                                          | Has not joined in 2021  
2013–2020: Did not join                                                          |
116th Congress (2019–2020): Did not co–sponsor                                  |
H.R. 6560: Did not co–sponsor                                                  |
| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110 | Voted No                                                                 |

**Other Notes:** Representative Quigley co–sponsored the Peace Corps Equity Act (2014) and Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2012).
House of Representatives
Rep. Sean Casten
Illinois 6th District Democrat

2440 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–4561

Website: https://casten.house.gov/
Bio: https://casten.house.gov/about
Twitter: @RepCasten

Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Contact Form: https://casten.house.gov/zip-code-lookup?form=/contact/email-me

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2019

District Offices: Barrington, Glen Ellyn

Committee Assignments:
- Financial Services
- Science, Space and Technology
- Select Committee on the Climate Crisis

Key Staff: Amanda Shafer, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

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## Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Casten

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| 117th Congress (2021–2022)  
Health Force, Resilience Force and Jobs to Fight COVID–19 Act (H.R. 460) | **Has not** co–sponsored in 2021-2022 |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022)  
Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1456) | **Has not** co–sponsored in 2021-2022  
116th Congress (2019–2020): **Did not** co–sponsor |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022)  
Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467) | **Has not** co–sponsored in 2021-2022 |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022)  
Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188) | **Has not** co–sponsored in 2021-2022 |
| 116th Congress (2019–2020)  
H.R. 6560: **Co–sponsor** |
| **116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment:** A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 | NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110  
**Voted No** |

### Other Notes
Rep. Danny Davis
Illinois 7th District Democrat

2159 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–5006
Website: https://davis.house.gov/
Bio: https://davis.house.gov/biography/
Twitter: @RepDannyDavis

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://davisforms.house.gov/contact/

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 1997

District Offices: Chicago

Committee Assignments:
● Oversight and Reform
● Ways and Means

Key Staff: Caleb Gilchrist, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
● DC Meetings With Staff: 2007, 2011
● District Office Meetings: None

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## Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Davis

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116th Congress (2019–2020): Did not co-sponsor |
| 117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188) | Has not co-sponsored in 2021-2022 |
H.R. 6560: Did not co-sponsor |
| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110 | Voted No |

**Other Notes:** Representative Davis co-sponsored Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2012).
Illinois Current Volunteers: 0  Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265
(148 pre–evacuation)

Contact Form: https://krishnamoorthi.house.gov/contact/email

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2017

District Offices: Schaumburg

Committee Assignments:
  ● Oversight and Reform
  ● Intelligence

Key Staff: Devon Harris, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
  ● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
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Other Notes
House of Representatives

Rep. Jan Schakowsky
Illinois 9th District Democrat

2367 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–2111

Website: https://schakowsky.house.gov/
Bio: https://schakowsky.house.gov/about
Twitter: @janschakowsky

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)
Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://schakowsky.house.gov/zip-code-lookup?form=/contact/email-me

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 1999

District Offices: Glenview, Chicago

Committee Assignments:
● Budget
● Energy and Commerce

Key Staff: Kate Durkin, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2015*, 2016*, 2019
● District Office Meetings: None

In 2019, Representative Schakowsky met with filmmaker Luis Argueta of Guatemala, NPCA’s winner of the Harris Wofford Global Leadership Award. Constituent and Schakowsky friend Ken Lehman was the volunteer who befriended Argueta more than fifty years ago.

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**Other Notes:** Rep. Schakowsky was a co–sponsor of the Peace Corps Equity Act (2014), Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2009–2012) and the Kate Puzey Act (2011). She also signed a December 2021 House letter supporting increased Peace Corps funding for FY 2022.
Rep. Bradley Schneider
Illinois 10th District Democrat

300 Cannon House Office Building
P: 202–225–4835

Website: https://schneider.house.gov/
Bio: https://schneider.house.gov/about
Twitter: @RepSchneider

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://schneider.house.gov/zip-code-lookup?form=/contact/email

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2017 (previously served in 2013–2014)

District Offices: Lincolnshire

Committee Assignments:
- Foreign Affairs
- Ways and Means

Representative Schneider sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation

Key Staff: Tommy Brown, Foreign Policy Issues

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

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**Other Notes:** Representative Schneider co–sponsored Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2014).
Rep. Bill Foster
Illinois 11th District Democrat

2366 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–3515
Website: https://foster.house.gov/
Bio: https://foster.house.gov/about/full–biography
Twitter: @RepBillFoster

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265)
(148 pre–evacuation)

Contact Form: https://foster.house.gov/contact/email-me

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2013 (previously served from 2009–2010)

District Offices: Aurora, Joliet

Committee Assignments:
- Financial Services
- Science, Space and Technology

Key Staff: Maggie Schmidt, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2011*
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

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Other Notes
Rep. Mike Bost
Illinois 12th District Republican

1211 Longworth House Office Building
P: 202–225–5661

Website: https://bost.house.gov/
Bio: https://bost.house.gov/about/full–biography
Twitter: @RepBost

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://bost.house.gov/zip-code-lookup?form=/contact/email

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2015

District Offices: Alton, Carbondale, Granite City, Mt. Vernon, O’Fallon

Committee Assignments:
● Agriculture
● Transportation and Infrastructure
● Veterans Affairs

Key Staff: Noah Barger, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
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● DC Meetings With Staff: None
● District Office Meetings: None

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Other Notes
Rep. Rodney Davis
Illinois 13th District Republican

2079 Rayburn House Office Building
P: 202–225–2371

Website: https://rodneydavis.house.gov/
Bio: https://rodneydavis.house.gov/biography/
Twitter: @RodneyDavis

Illinois Current Volunteers: 0  Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265
(148 pre–evacuation)

Contact Form: https://rodneydavis.house.gov/contact/

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2013

District Offices: Champaign, Decatur, Edwardsville, Normal, Taylorville, Springfield

Committee Assignments:
- Agriculture
- House Administration
- Transportation and Infrastructure

Key Staff: David Ross, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2013*, 2014, 2017
- District Office Meetings: 2021*

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**Other Notes**
As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Representative Underwood plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. She does not sit on the State/Foreign Operations subcommittee, which determines funding levels for international affairs programs, including Peace Corps.

**Key Staff:** Jack Diamatteo, *Foreign Policy Issues*

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2019
- District Office Meetings: 2021* (virtual)

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Underwood

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| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 | Voted No |

**Other Notes**

NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110.
Rep. Mary Miller
Illinois 15th District Republican

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Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form: https://marymiller.house.gov/contact

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2021 (New Member of Congress)

District Offices: Effingham, Danville

Committee Assignments:
● Agriculture
● Education and Labor

Key Staff: Christina Barry, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
● DC Meetings With Staff: None
● District Office Meetings: None

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Other Notes
Rep. Adam Kinzinger  
Illinois 16th District Republican

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Illinois Current Volunteers: 0  
(148 pre–evacuation)

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

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Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2011

District Offices: Ottawa, Watseka, Rockford

Committee Assignments:
  ● Energy and Commerce  
  ● Foreign Affairs

Representative Kinzinger sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation.

Key Staff: Sebastian DeLuca, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
  ● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None  
  ● DC Meetings With Staff: 2013  
  ● District Office Meetings: None

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## Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Kinzinger

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**Other Notes:** Representative Kinzinger co–sponsored Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2014). In 2021, as a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, he voted in favor of advancing the Peace Corps Reauthorization Act.
Rep. Cheri Bustos
Illinois 17th District Democrat

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Illinois Current Volunteers: 0
(148 pre-evacuation)
Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

Contact Form:
Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2013
District Offices: Peoria, Rock Island, Rockford

Committee Assignments:
- Agriculture
- Appropriations

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Representative Bustos plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. She does not sit on the State/Foreign Operations subcommittee, which determines funding levels for international affairs programs, including Peace Corps

Key Staff: Brian Belongia, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2021
- District Office Meetings: 2013*

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H.R. 6560: Did not co–sponsor                                       |
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| 116th Congress (2019–2020) Walker Amendment: A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 NPCA opposed this amendment, which was defeated 315 to 110 | Voted No |

**Other Notes:** Representative Bustos co–sponsored Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2014).
Rep. Darin LaHood  
Illinois 18th District Republican  

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P: 202–225–6201  
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Illinois Current Volunteers: 0  
(148 pre–evacuation)  

Illinois Volunteers Since 1961: 9,265

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Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2015

District Offices: Peoria, Springfield, Jacksonville, Bloomington

Committee Assignments:  
● Ways and Means

Key Staff: Mary Ellen Richardson, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:  
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None  
● DC Meetings With Staff: 2016, 2017  
● District Office Meetings: 2021* (virtual)

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## Peace Corps Issues and Rep. LaHood

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