United States Senate

Senator Lindsey Graham
South Carolina Republican

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Bio: https://www.lgraham.senate.gov/public/index.cfm/biography
Twitter: @LindseyGrahamSC

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)

South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

Contact Form: https://www.lgraham.senate.gov/public/index.cfm/e-mail-senator-graham

Began Service in the Senate: 2003

State Offices: Pendleton, Greenville, Rock Hill, Columbia, Florence, Mt. Pleasant

Committee Assignments:
- Appropriations
- Budget (Ranking Member)
- Environment and Public Works
- Judiciary

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

Key Staff: Aaron Strickland, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- District Office Meetings: 2015*

In 2013, staff of Senator Graham met with NPCA leadership and Dr. Mohammud Said of Kenya, winner of NPCA’s Harris Wofford Global Citizen Award.

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# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Graham

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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  |

**Other Notes:**

In recent years, the Senate Peace Corps funding Dear Colleague letter is addressed to Senator Graham as the top Republican of the Appropriations Subcommittee on State/Foreign Operations.
Senator Tim Scott
South Carolina Republican

104 Hart Senate Office Building
P: 202-224-6121

Website: https://www.scott.senate.gov/
Bio: https://www.scott.senate.gov/about/biography
Twitter: @SenatorTimScott

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)

South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:
1,741

Contact Form: https://www.scott.senate.gov/contact/email-me

Began Service in the U. S. Senate: 2013

State Offices: Columbia, Greenville, North Charleston

Committee Assignments:
- Finance
- Health, Education, Labor and Pensions
- Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs
- Small Business

Key Staff: Kunal Parikh, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2017, 2020
- District Office Meetings: None

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**Other Notes**
Rep. Nancy Mace
South Carolina 1st District
Republican

212 Cannon House Office Building
P: 202-225-3176
Website: https://mace.house.gov/
Bio: https://mace.house.gov/about
Twitter: @RepNancyMace

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)

South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

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

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

District Offices: Beaufort

Committee Assignments:
● Oversight and Reform
● Transportation and Infrastructure
● Veterans’ Affairs

Key Staff: Madison Van Every, 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. Joe Wilson
South Carolina 2nd District
Republican

1436 Longworth House Office Building
P: 202-225-2452
Website: https://joewilson.house.gov/
Bio: https://joewilson.house.gov/about/biography
Twitter: @RepJoeWilson

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)
South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2001

District Offices: Aiken, West Columbia

Committee Assignments:
- Armed Services
- Education and Labor
- Foreign Affairs

Representative Wilson sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation. He does not serve on the Foreign Affairs subcommittee responsible for the Peace Corps.

Key Staff: Stephanie Pendarvis, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2012, 2021
- District Office Meetings: None

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## Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Wilson

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| 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 Yes                                  |

**Other Notes:** In 2021, as a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, Representative Wilson voted in favor of advancing the Peace Corps Reauthorization Act.
Rep. Jeff Duncan  
South Carolina 3rd District Republican

2229 Rayburn House Office Building  
P: 202-225-5301

Website: https://jeffduncan.house.gov/  
Bio: https://jeffduncan.house.gov/about  
Twitter: @RepJeffDuncan

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0  
(78 pre-evacuation)  
South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2011

District Offices: Anderson, Clinton

Committee Assignments:
  ● Energy and Commerce

Key Staff: Elise Krekorian, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
  ● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
  ● DC Meetings With Staff: 2017
  ● District Office Meetings: None

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**Other Notes:** In 2020, Congressman Duncan introduced H.R. 6657, legislation calling for (among other things) taking back COVID-19 relief funds to support Peace Corps’ evacuation and readjustment costs for volunteers.
House of Representatives

Rep. William Timmons
South Carolina 4th District
Republican

267 Cannon House Office Building
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Website: https://timmons.house.gov/
Bio: https://timmons.house.gov/about
Twitter: @RepTimmons

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)

South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2019

District Offices: Greenville, Spartanburg

Committee Assignments:
● Financial Services

Key Staff: AT Johnston, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
● DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
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Other Notes
Rep. Ralph Norman
South Carolina 5th District
Republican

569 Cannon House Office Building
P: 202-225-5501

Website: https://norman.house.gov/
Bio: https://norman.house.gov/meet-ralph/
Twitter: @RepRalphNorman

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)

South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2017

District Offices: Rock Hill

Committee Assignments:
- Oversight and Reform
- Homeland Security

Key Staff: Jake Hilkin, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
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**Other Notes:** In 2020, Congressman Norman co-sponsored H.R. 6657, legislation calling for (among other things) taking back COVID-19 relief funds to support Peace Corps’ evacuation and readjustment costs for volunteers.
House of Representatives

Rep. James Clyburn
South Carolina 6th District Democrat

274 Cannon House Office Building
P: 202-225-3315

Website: https://clyburn.house.gov/
Bio: https://clyburn.house.gov/about-me/full-biography
Twitter: @WhipClyburn

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741
(78 pre-evacuation)

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 1993

District Offices: Columbia, Kingstree, Santee

Committee Assignments:
(As a member of House leadership, Representative Clyburn does not sit on any committees)

Key Staff: Matthew Ellison, Foreign Policy Issues

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:
- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2015
- District Office Meetings: None

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Rep. Tom Rice
South Carolina 7th District Republican

460 Cannon House Office Building
P: 202-225-9895

Website: https://rice.house.gov/
Bio: https://rice.house.gov/biography
Twitter: @RepTomRice

South Carolina Current Volunteers: 0
(78 pre-evacuation)

South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961: 1,741

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2013

District Offices: Myrtle Beach, Florence

Committee Assignments:
● Ways and Means

Key Staff: Philipp Clarke, Foreign Policy Issues

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

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