

United States Senate



Senator Chuck Grassley Iowa **Republican**

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Iowa 2023 Volunteers Sent: 13

Iowa Volunteers Since 1961: 2,518

Contact Form: <https://www.grassley.senate.gov/constituents/questions-and-comments>

Began Service in the Senate: 1981

State Offices: Cedar Rapids, Des Moines, Waterloo, Council Bluffs, Sioux City, Davenport

Committee Assignments:

- Agriculture
- Budget
- Finance
- Judiciary (ranking)
- Taxation
- International Narcotics Control (vice chair)

Key Staff: James Rice, *Foreign Policy Issues*, james_rice@grassley.senate.gov

Key Caucuses:

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2019*
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2014, 2016*, 2018, 2020*, 2022*, 2023*
- District Office Meetings: 2022*

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Peace Corps Issues and Senator Grassley

Green = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

Issue/Legislation	Action
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2006–2010, 2012, 2014, 2016–2023
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: Support robust international affairs funding	Did not sign in 2017–2019, 2021, 2022 Did not sign in 2020 (COVID–19 International Response)
118th Congress (2023–2024) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (S.1203)	Has not co-sponsored in 2023 Did not co-sponsor in 2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) Health Force, Resilience Force and Jobs to Fight COVID–19 Act (S. 32)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021–2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) Peace Corps Specific COVID–19 Legislation	S. 3700: Did not co-sponsor S. 3642: Did not co-sponsor
116th Congress (2019–2020) CORPS Act (S. 3964) <i>Expand COVID–19 National Service Response Positions (Including Priority Preference for Evacuees)</i>	Did not co-sponsor
116th Congress (2019–2020) Peace Corps Mission Accountability Act (S. 2320) <i>Legislation opposed by NPCA</i>	Did not co-sponsor

Other Notes

United States Senate



Senator Joni Ernst

Iowa **Republican**

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Iowa 2023 Volunteers Sent: 13

Iowa Volunteers Since 1961: 2,518

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Began Service in the U. S. Senate: 2015

State Offices: Des Moines, Davenport, Cedar Rapids, Sioux City, Council Bluffs

Committee Assignments:

- Agriculture
- Armed Services
- Environment and Public Works
- Small Business

Key Staff: Adam Kozloski, *Peace Corps Issues*, adam_kozloski@ernst.senate.gov

Key Caucuses: Republican Main Street

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2016*, 2017, 2018, 2019*, 2020*, 2022*, 2023*
- District Office Meetings: 2015*, 2022*

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Peace Corps Issues and Senator Ernst

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Issue/Legislation	Action
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2016–2023
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: Support robust international affairs funding	Did not sign in 2017–2019, 2021, 2022 Did not sign in 2020 (COVID–19 International Response)
118th Congress (2023–2024) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (S.1203)	Has not co-sponsored in 2024 Did not co-sponsor in 2022,2023
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116th Congress (2019–2020) Peace Corps Mission Accountability Act (S. 2320) <i>Legislation opposed by NPCA</i>	Did not co-sponsor

Other Notes

House of Representatives



Rep. Mariannette
Miller–Meeks
Iowa 1st District Republican

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Iowa 2023 Volunteers Sent: 13

Iowa Volunteers Since 1961: 2,518

Contact Form: <https://millermeeks.house.gov/contact>

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2021

District Offices: Davenport, Iowa City

Committee Assignments:

- Education and the Workforce
- Energy and Commerce
- Veterans' Affairs

Key Staff: Blake Dickerson, *Foreign Policy Issues*, blake.dickerson@mail.house.gov

Key Caucuses: Republican Main Street

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. Miller–Meeks

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2021-2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) Ogles Amendment A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. NPCA opposed this amendment , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: Did not vote
118th Congress (2023–2024) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)	Has not co-sponsored in 2024 Did not co-sponsor in 2023 (Voted Yes when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) Other Peace Corps Legislation	
House Peace Corps Caucus	Has not joined in 2023 2021-2022: Did not join
117th Congress (2021–2022) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 6118)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021-2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 1411)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021-2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) 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

House of Representatives



Rep. Ashley Hinson
Iowa 2nd District Republican

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Iowa 2023 Volunteers Sent: 13

Iowa Volunteers Since 1961: 2,518

Contact Form: <https://hinson.house.gov/contact>

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2021

District Offices: Cedar Rapids, Waterloo, Dubuque

Committee Assignments:

- Appropriations
- Budget

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Representative Hinson 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: Julia Reese, *Foreign Policy Issues*, julia.reese@mail.house.gov

Key Caucuses: Republican Study

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. Hinson

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2021-2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) Ogles Amendment A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. NPCA opposed this amendment , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: Voted No
118th Congress (2023–2024) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)	Has not co-sponsored in 2024 Did not co-sponsor in 2023 (Voted Yes when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
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House Peace Corps Caucus	Has not joined in 2023 2021-2022: Did not join
117th Congress (2021–2022) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 6118)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021-2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 1411)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021-2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) 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

House of Representatives



Rep. Zach Nunn
Iowa 3rd District **Republican**

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Iowa 2023 Volunteers Sent: 13

Iowa Volunteers Since 1961: 2,518

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Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2023

District Offices: Des Moines, Creston, Ottumwa

Committee Assignments:

- Agriculture
- Financial Services

Key Staff: Ashley Gutwein, *Foreign Policy Issues*, ashley.gutwein@mail.house.gov

Key Caucuses: Republican Study

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. Nunn

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House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) Ogles Amendment A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. NPCA opposed this amendment , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: Voted No
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118th Congress (2023–2024) Other Peace Corps Legislation	
House Peace Corps Caucus	Has not joined in 2023
117th Congress (2021–2022) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 6118)	N/A
117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 1411)	N/A
116th Congress (2019–2020) Peace Corps Specific COVID–19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)	N/A
116 th 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	N/A

Other Notes

House of Representatives



Rep. Randy Feenstra
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Iowa 2023 Volunteers Sent: 13

Iowa Volunteers Since 1961: 2,518

Contact Form: <https://feenstra.house.gov/contact>

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2021

District Offices: Sioux City, Fort Dodge

Committee Assignments:

- Agriculture
- Budget
- Ways and Means

Key Staff: Jeff Tomkowitz, *Foreign Policy Issues*, jeff.tomkowitz@mail.house.gov

Key Caucuses: Republican Main Street

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2023*
- District Office Meetings: 2021 (virtual)

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Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Feenstra

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2021-2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) Ogles Amendment A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. NPCA opposed this amendment , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: Voted Yes
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