

United States Senate



Senator Deb Fischer Nebraska **Republican**

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Nebraska 2023 Volunteers Sent: 4

Nebraska Volunteers Since 1961: 1,487

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Began Service in the Senate: 2013

State Offices: Kearney, Lincoln, Omaha, Scottsbluff

Committee Assignments:

- Agriculture
- Armed Services
- Commerce, Science and Transportation
- Rules
- Ethics

Key Staff: Caryn Hamner, *Foreign Policy Issues*, caryn_hamner@fischer.senate.gov

Key Caucuses:

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2018, 2023
- District Office Meetings: None

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Peace Corps Issues and Senator Fischer

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 2014, 2016–2023
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: Support robust international affairs funding	Did not sign in 2017–2019, 202, 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
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 Pete Ricketts Nebraska **Republican**

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Nebraska 2023 Volunteers Sent: 4

Nebraska Volunteers Since 1961: 1,487

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Began Service in the U. S. Senate: 2023 (New Member of the Senate; Appointed to fill the unexpired term of Ben Sasse)

State Offices: Omaha, Scottsbluff

Committee Assignments:

- Environment and Public Works
- Foreign Relations
- Aging

Key Staff: Andrew Pantino, *Foreign Policy Issues*,
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Key Caucuses:

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2023
- District Office Meetings: None

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Peace Corps Issues and Senator Ricketts

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

Other Notes

House of Representatives



Rep. Mike Flood Nebraska 1st District **Republican**

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Nebraska 2023 Volunteers Sent: 4

Nebraska Volunteers Since 1961: 1,487

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Began Service in the House of Representatives: July 2022

District Offices: Lincoln

Committee Assignments:

- Financial Services
- Oversight and Accountability
- Small Business

Key Staff: Curt Bliamptis, *Foreign Policy Issues*, curt.bliamptis@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: None

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Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Flood

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Issue/Legislation	Action
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
118th Congress (2023–2024) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)	Has not co-sponsored in 2024 Did not co-sponsor in 2023 (Voted No when House passed legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) Other Peace Corps Legislation	
House Peace Corps Caucus	Has not joined in 2023 2022: Did not join
117th Congress (2020–2021) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)	Did not co-sponsor in 2022
117th Congress (2020–2021) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)	Did not co-sponsor in 2022
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. Don Bacon
Nebraska 2nd District Republican

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Nebraska 2023 Volunteers Sent: 4

Nebraska Volunteers Since 1961: 1,487

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Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2017

District Offices: Omaha

Committee Assignments:

- Agriculture
- Armed Services

Key Staff: Valerie Foy, *Foreign Policy Issues*, valerie.foy@mail.house.gov

Key Caucuses: National Service, Climate Solutions, Republican Main Street, Problem Solves, Republican Study

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

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

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Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Bacon

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2017–2022 Did sign on 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
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 legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) Other Peace Corps Legislation	
House Peace Corps Caucus	Has not joined in 2023 2017–2022: Did not join
117th Congress (2021–2022) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021–2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)	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: Did not co-sponsor H.R. 6560: Did not co-sponsor
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	Voted Yes

Other Notes

House of Representatives



Rep. Adrian Smith Nebraska 3rd District **Republican**

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Nebraska 2023 Volunteers Sent: 4

Nebraska Volunteers Since 1961: 1,487

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Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2007

District Offices: Grand Island, Scottsbluff

Committee Assignments:

- Ways and Means

Key Staff: Joel Keralis, *Foreign Policy Issues*, joel.keralis@mail.house.gov

Key Caucuses:

Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2010, 2011*
- District Office Meetings: None

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Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Smith

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: Peace Corps Funding	Did not sign in 2007–2023
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
118th Congress (2023–2024) Peace Corps Reauthorization Act	Hasn't co-sponsored in 2023 (Voted No when House passed legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) Other Peace Corps Legislation	
House Peace Corps Caucus	Has not joined in 2023 2013–2022: Did not join
117th Congress (2021–2022) Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)	Did not co-sponsor in 2021–2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)	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: Did not co-sponsor H.R. 6560: Did not co-sponsor
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