

# United States Senate



## Senator Markwayne Mullin Oklahoma **Republican**

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**Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8**

**Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422**

**Contact Form:** <https://www.mullin.senate.gov/share-your-opinion/>

**Began Service in the Senate:** 2023 (Previously served in the House of Representatives since 2013)

**District Offices:** Tulsa, Oklahoma City

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Armed Service
- Environment and Public Works
- Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
- Indian Affairs

**Key Staff:** Brenna Larkin, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [brenna\\_larkin@mullin.senate.gov](mailto:brenna_larkin@mullin.senate.gov)

### **Key Caucuses:**

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

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

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Mullin

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

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

**Other Notes:** While serving in the House of Representatives, Congressman Mullin was a **co-sponsor** of Peace Corps Commemorative legislation (2014). He voted **against** passage of the Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273) (2022). As a Congressman, Representative Mullin **did not** sign annual Dear Colleague letters to support increased funding for the Peace Corps (2013-2022).

# United States Senate



## Senator James Lankford Oklahoma **Republican**

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**Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8**

**Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422**

**Contact Form:** <https://www.lankford.senate.gov/contact/email>

**Began Service in the U. S. Senate:** 2015

**State Offices:** Oklahoma City, Tulsa

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Energy and Natural Resources
- Finance
- Homeland Security
- Indian Affairs
- Ethics (vice chair)

**Key Staff:** Grace Higgins, *Peace Corps Issues*, [grace\\_higgins@lankford.senate.gov](mailto:grace_higgins@lankford.senate.gov)

### **Key Caucuses:**

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

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

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# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Lankford

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

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

## Other Notes

# House of Representatives



Rep. Kevin Hern  
Oklahoma 1st District **Republican**

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Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8

Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2019

District Offices: Tulsa

**Committee Assignments:**

- Ways and Means

**Key Staff:** Kirby Tidmore, *Peace Corps Issues*, [kirby.tidmore@mail.house.gov](mailto:kirby.tidmore@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: 2019\*

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Hern

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

Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	<b>Did not</b> sign in 2019–2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: <b>Voted Yes</b>
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>	<b>Has not</b> co-sponsored in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023 ( <b>Voted No</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Other Peace Corps Legislation</b>	
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Has not</b> joined in 2023 2019–2022: <b>Did not</b> join
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>	<b>H.R. 6833: Did not</b> co-sponsor <b>H.R. 6560: Did not</b> co-sponsor
116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019–2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b> A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110	<b>Voted Yes</b>

**Other Notes:** In 2020, Congressman Hern **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. Josh Brecheen**  
**Oklahoma 2nd District Republican**

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**Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8**

**Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422**

**Contact Form:** <https://brecheen.house.gov/contact/>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2023**

**District Offices:** Claremore

**Committee Assignments:**

- Homeland Security

**Key Staff:** Andrew Garcia, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [andrew.garcia@mail.house.gov](mailto:andrew.garcia@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** House Freedom, 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. Brecheen

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

Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	<b>Did not</b> sign in 2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: <b>Voted Yes</b>
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>	<b>Has not</b> co-sponsored in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Other Peace Corps Legislation</b>	
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Has not</b> joined in 2023
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>	N/A
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>	N/A
116th Congress (2019–2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>	N/A
116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019–2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b> A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110	N/A

**Other Notes:**



# House of Representatives



## Rep. Frank Lucas Oklahoma 3rd District **Republican**

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**Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8**

**Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422**

**Contact Form:** <https://lucas.house.gov/zip-code-lookup?form=/contact/email-me>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 1994

**District Offices:** Yukon

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Agriculture
- Financial Services
- Science, Space and Technology (Chair)

**Key Staff:** Brooke Kramer, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [brooke.kramer@mail.house.gov](mailto:brooke.kramer@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:**

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2020\*
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Lucas

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	<b>Did not</b> sign in 2005–2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: <b>Voted No</b>
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>	<b>Has not</b> co-sponsored in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023 ( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Other Peace Corps Legislation</b>	
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Has not</b> joined in 2023 2013-2022: <b>Did not</b> join
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>	<b>H.R. 6833: Did not</b> co-sponsor <b>H.R. 6560: Did not</b> co-sponsor
116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019–2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b> A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110	<b>Voted No</b>

## Other Notes

# House of Representatives



## Rep. Tom Cole Oklahoma 4th District **Republican**

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**Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8**

**Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422**

**Contact Form:** <https://cole.house.gov/contact/email>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2003

**District Offices:** Ada, Lawton, Norman

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Appropriations
- Rules (Chairs)

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

**Key Staff:** Adam Sullivan, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [adam.sullivan@mail.house.gov](mailto:adam.sullivan@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** National Service, Republican Study

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2012, 2017, 2018
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Cole

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	<b>Did not</b> sign in 2005–2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: <b>Voted No</b>
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>	<b>Has not</b> co-sponsored in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023 ( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Other Peace Corps Legislation</b>	
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Has not</b> joined in 2023 2013–2022: <b>Did not</b> join
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>	<b>H.R. 6833: Did not</b> co-sponsor <b>H.R. 6560: Did not</b> co-sponsor
116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019–2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b> A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110	<b>Voted No</b>

**Other Notes:** Representative Cole was a **co-sponsor** of the Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act (2018)

# House of Representatives



**Rep. Stephanie Bice**  
**Oklahoma 5th District Republican**

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**Oklahoma 2023 Volunteers Sent: 8**

**Oklahoma Volunteers Since 1961: 1,422**

**Contact Form:** <https://bice.house.gov/contact>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2021

**District Offices:** Oklahoma City

**Committee Assignments:**

- Appropriations
- House Administration
- Science, Space and Technology

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

**Key Staff:** Jett Thompson, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [jett.thompson@mail.house.gov](mailto:jett.thompson@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Republican Main Street

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community** (\* Denotes Constituent Meeting):

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

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Bice

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Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	<b>Did not</b> sign in 2021-2023
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	2023: <b>Voted No</b>
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>	<b>Has not</b> co-sponsored in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023 ( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023–2024) <b>Other Peace Corps Legislation</b>	
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Has not</b> joined in 2023 2021–2022: <b>Did not</b> join
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
117th Congress (2021–2022) <b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022
116th Congress (2019–2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>	<b>H.R. 6833:</b> N/A <b>H.R. 6560:</b> N/A

## Other Notes