

# United States Senate



## Senator Mark Kelly Arizona Democrat

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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**Began Service in the U. S. Senate:** December 2020

**State Offices:** Phoenix, Tucson

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Armed Services
- Environment and Public Works
- Select Committee on Intelligence

**Key Staff:** Rachel Miller, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [rachel\\_miller@kelly.senate.gov](mailto:rachel_miller@kelly.senate.gov)

### **Key Caucuses:**

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

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2024
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Kelly

**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>Signed Letter</b> in 2022-2024 <b>Did not sign</b> in 2021
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Support robust international affairs funding</b>	<b>Signed Letter</b> in 2021-2022
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (S. 1203)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor 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
117th Congress (2021-2022) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273) (H.R. 1456)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022
116th Congress (2019-2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation</b>	<b>S. 3700:</b> N/A <b>S. 3642:</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

# United States Senate



## Senator Ruben Gallego Arizona Democrat

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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**Began Service in the Senate:** 2025 (Served in the House since 2015)

**State Offices:** Phoenix, Tucson

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
- Energy and Natural Resources
- Homeland Security and Government Affairs
- Veterans' Affairs

**Key Staff:** Jonathan Tsentas, *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: None
- District Office Meetings: None

(While in the House, staff meetings in DC were held in 2016, 2023, and 2024; A district office meeting was held in 2017)

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Gallego

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

Issue/Legislation	Action
Senate Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	N/A
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>	N/A
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:** As a member of the House, Senator Gallego **signed** Peace Corps funding Dear Colleague letters every year between 2016 and 2024. He **voted against** amendments to cut Peace Corps funding in 2019 and 2023. And, in 2015, he **co-sponsored** the Sam Farr/Nick Castle Peace Corps Enhancement Act.

# House of Representatives



## Rep. David Schweikert Arizona 1st District **Republican**

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2011

**District Offices:** Scottsdale

**Committee Assignments:**

- Ways and Means

**Key Staff:** Anna Claire Stietenroth, *Foreign Policy Issues*,  
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**Key Caucuses:** House Freedom

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

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

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Schweikert

**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 2011-2024
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.	<b>Voted No</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor ( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join in 2024 <b>Did not</b> join in 2013-2023
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
116th 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

# House of Representatives



## Rep. Eli Crane Arizona 2nd District **Republican**

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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

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

**District Offices:** Prescott

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Homeland Security
- Oversight and Government Reform

**Key Staff:** Derrick Miller, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [derrick.miller@mail.house.gov](mailto:derrick.miller@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** House Freedom

### **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. Crane

**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 2023-2024
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	<b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join 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
116th 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. Yassamin Ansari  
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Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61

Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018

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

Began Service in the House of Representatives: 2025 (New Member of Congress)

District Offices: TBD

**Committee Assignments:**

- Natural Resources
- Oversight and Accountability

Key Staff: Zach Freiman, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [zach.freiman@mail.house.gov](mailto:zach.freiman@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:**

**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. Ansari

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

Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	N/A
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	N/A
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	N/A
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	N/A
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	N/A
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>	N/A
116th Congress (2019-2020) <b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>	N/A
116th 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. Greg Stanton Arizona 4th District Democrat

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2019

**District Offices:** Mesa

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Foreign Affairs
- Transportation and Infrastructure

Representative Stanton sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation. He does not sit on the Foreign Affairs subcommittee that considers Peace Corps issues

**Key Staff:** Jennifer Arnold, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [jennifer.arnold@mail.house.gov](mailto:jennifer.arnold@mail.house.gov)

### **Key Caucuses:**

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

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2020\*, 2021, 2023
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Stanton

**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 2019-2024
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	<b>Voted No</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor 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>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join in 2024 <b>Did not</b> join in 2019-2023
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
116th Congress (2019-2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b> A vote was taken 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. Andy Biggs  
Arizona 5th District **Republican**

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2019

**District Offices:** Mesa

**Committee Assignments:**

- Judiciary
- Oversight and Accountability

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**Key Caucuses:** House Freedom

**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. Biggs

**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 2017-2024
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	<b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor 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>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join in 2024 <b>Did not</b> join in 2017-2023
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
116th 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 Biggs **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. In 2023, Congressman Biggs **introduced H.R. 2346**, legislation to cut Peace Corps funding by \$20 million in fiscal year 2024.

# House of Representatives



## Rep. Juan Ciscomani Arizona 6th District **Republican**

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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

**District Offices:** Tucson, Sierra Vista

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Appropriations
- Veterans Affairs

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

**Key Staff:** Caroline Bender, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [caroline.bender@mail.house.gov](mailto:caroline.bender@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Republican Main Street, Problem Solvers

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

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2023, 2024
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Ciscomani

**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 2023-2024
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	<b>Voted No</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024 <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join in 2024 <b>Did not</b> join 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
116th 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. Raul Grijalva Arizona 7th District **Democrat**

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

**Contact Form:** <https://grijalva.house.gov/about-raul/contact-raul/>

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

**District Offices:** Somerton, Tucson

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Education and the Workforce
- Natural Resources

**Key Staff:** Sayanna Molina, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [sayanna.molina@mail.house.gov](mailto:sayanna.molina@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Progressive, Americans Abroad, Bipartisan Refugee Caucus

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

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2011
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2006, 2007, 2010, 2013, 2015, 2016\*, 2019
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Grijalva

**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 2008 <b>Signed on</b> in 2005-2007, 2009-2024
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	<b>Voted No</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024 2023: <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor ( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022)
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join in 2024 <b>Did not</b> join in 2023 <b>Joined</b> in 2013-2022
117th Congress (2021-2022) <b>Menstrual Equity Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>	<b>Co-sponsored</b> in 2021-2022
117th Congress (2021-2022) <b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>	<b>Co-sponsored</b>
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: Co-sponsored</b>
116th 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:** Congressman Grijalva **co-sponsored** Peace Corps Commemorative legislation. In 2021 he **signed** a House letter urging the Department of Education to include Peace Corps Volunteers in reforms to improve the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program.

# House of Representatives



## Rep. Abraham Hamadeh Arizona 8th District **Republican**

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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2025 (New Member of Congress)

**District Offices:** Surprise

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Armed Services
- Veteran's Affairs

**Key Staff:** Cameron Erickson, *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: None
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Hamadeh

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

Issue/Legislation	Action
House Dear Colleague Letter: <b>Peace Corps Funding</b>	N/A
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	N/A
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	N/A
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	N/A
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	N/A
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
116th 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. Paul Gosar  
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**Arizona 2025 Volunteers Sent: 61**

**Arizona Volunteers Since 1961: 4,018**

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**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2011

**District Offices:** Goodyear

**Committee Assignments:**

- Oversight and Accountability
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**Key Caucuses:** House Freedom, Republican Study

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

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: 2011
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2011
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Gosar

**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 2010-2024
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b> A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.	<b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023
118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1273)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor 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>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>	<b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024
<b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>	<b>Did not</b> join in 2024 <b>Did not</b> join in 2013-2023
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
116th 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 Gosar **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.