



THE CLUB FOR GROWTH FOUNDATION'S

Congressional Scorecard

2021

THE SCORECARD METHODOLOGY

The Club for Growth Foundation's scorecard study is published so the public can monitor the actions and the voting behavior of Members of Congress on economic growth issues.

The Foundation conducted a comprehensive examination of each lawmaker's record on votes related to pro-growth policies and computed an Economic Growth Score on a scale of 0 to 100. A score of 100 indicates the highest support for pro-growth policies.

THE FOUNDATION EXAMINES LEGISLATIVE VOTES RELATED TO PRO-ECONOMIC GROWTH POLICIES, INCLUDING:

- Reducing income tax rates
- Death tax repeal
- Limited government through limited spending and budget reform, including a Balanced Budget Amendment to the United States Constitution
- Social Security reform with personal retirement accounts for younger workers
- Expanding trade freedom (free trade)
- Ending abusive lawsuits through medical malpractice and tort reform
- Replacing the current tax code (flat tax, fair tax)
- Expanding school choice
- Implementing Term Limits
- Regulatory reform and deregulation

Not all of these policies will come up for a vote in each session of Congress.



The Foundation also examines votes on bills that would directly harm these policies.

2021 HOUSE RATINGS

Members of Congress with annual scores AND lifetime scores of 90% or higher

2021 HOUSE RATINGS

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
ALASKA			
Young, Don	203	66%	51%
ALABAMA			
Aderholt, Robert	32	92%	63%
Brooks, Mo	1	100%	87%
Carl, Jerry	32	92%	92%
Moore, Barry	1	100%	100%
Palmer, Gary	32	92%	91%
Rogers, Mike	32	92%	61%
Sewell, Terri	222	0%	7%
ARKANSAS			
Crawford, Eric	32	92%	66%
Hill, French	113	85%	71%
Westerman, Bruce	32	92%	80%
Womack, Steve	113	85%	62%
ARIZONA			
Biggs, Andy	1	100%	100%
Gallego, Ruben	222	0%	8%
Gosar, Paul	32	92%	92%
Grijalva, Raul	222	0%	8%
Kirkpatrick, Ann	222	0%	11%
Lesko, Debbie	113	85%	86%
O'Halleran, Tom	222	0%	7%
Schweikert, David	30	93%	94%
Stanton, Greg	222	0%	5%
CALIFORNIA			
Aguilar, Pete	222	0%	9%
Barragan, Nanette	222	0%	8%
Bass, Karen	222	0%	9%
Bera, Ami	222	0%	5%
Brownley, Julia	222	0%	6%
Calvert, Ken	113	85%	62%
Carbajal, Salud	222	0%	5%
Cardenas, Tony	222	0%	9%
Chu, Judy	222	0%	7%
Correa, Luis	222	0%	14%
Costa, Jim	222	0%	15%
DeSaulnier, Mark	222	0%	8%
Eshoo, Anna	222	0%	8%
Garamendi, John	222	0%	5%
Garcia, Mike	182	78%	68%
Gomez, Jimmy	222	0%	12%
Harder, Josh	222	0%	7%
Huffman, Jared	222	0%	6%
Issa, Darrell	113	85%	74%
Jacobs, Sara	222	0%	0%
Khanna, Ro	222	0%	11%
Kim, Young	182	78%	78%
LaMalfa, Doug	113	85%	72%
Lee, Barbara	222	0%	8%
Levin, Mike	222	0%	4%
Lieu, Ted	222	0%	7%
Lofgren, Zoe	222	0%	8%
Lowenthal, Alan	222	0%	6%
Matsui, Doris	222	0%	7%
McCarthy, Kevin	113	85%	71%
McClintock, Tom	1	100%	97%
McNerney, Jerry	222	0%	6%
Napolitano, Grace	222	0%	6%
Nunes, Devin	171	84%	68%
Obernolte, Jay	113	85%	85%
Panetta, Jimmy	222	0%	9%

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
Pelosi, Nancy	222	0%	6%
Peters, Scott	222	0%	12%
Porter, Katie	222	0%	4%
Roybal-Allard, Lucille	222	0%	6%
Ruiz, Raul	222	0%	7%
Sanchez, Linda	222	0%	8%
Schiff, Adam	222	0%	8%
Sherman, Brad	222	0%	6%
Speier, Jackie	222	0%	9%
Steel, Michelle	113	85%	85%
Swalwell, Eric	222	0%	8%
Takano, Mark	222	0%	8%
Thompson, Mike	222	0%	6%
Torres, Norma	222	0%	7%
Valadao, David	182	78%	48%
Vargas, Juan	222	0%	9%
Waters, Maxine	222	0%	9%
COLORADO			
Boebert, Lauren	1	100%	100%
Buck, Ken	1	100%	98%
Crow, Jason	222	0%	4%
DeGette, Diana	222	0%	8%
Lamborn, Doug	32	92%	93%
Neguse, Joseph	222	0%	6%
Perlmutter, Ed	222	0%	6%
CONNECTICUT			
Courtney, Joe	222	0%	5%
DeLauro, Rosa	222	0%	5%
Hayes, Jahana	222	0%	4%
Himes, James	222	0%	7%
Larson, John	222	0%	6%
DELAWARE			
Rochester, Lisa	222	0%	5%
FLORIDA			
Bilirakis, Gus	182	78%	67%
Buchanan, Vern	182	78%	59%
Cammack, Kat	32	92%	92%
Castor, Kathy	222	0%	6%
Crist, Charlie	222	0%	4%
Demings, Val	222	0%	6%
Deutch, Ted	222	0%	6%
Diaz-Balart, Mario	113	85%	54%
Donalds, Byron	1	100%	100%
Dunn, Neal	171	84%	72%
Frankel, Lois	222	0%	6%
Franklin, Scott	32	92%	92%
Gaetz, Matt	176	81%	84%
Gimenez, Carlos	182	78%	78%
Hastings, Alcee		n/a	7%
Lawson, Al	222	0%	4%
Mast, Brian	110	87%	70%
Murphy, Stephanie	222	0%	11%
Posey, Bill	110	87%	83%
Rutherford, John	113	85%	60%
Salazar, Maria	182	78%	78%
Soto, Darren	222	0%	3%
Steube, Greg	32	92%	97%
Waltz, Michael	113	85%	77%
Wasserman Schultz, Debbie	222	0%	5%
Webster, Daniel	103	91%	75%
Wilson, Frederica	222	0%	6%

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
GEORGIA			
Allen, Rick	32	92%	78%
Bishop, Sanford	222	0%	11%
Bourdeaux, Carolyn	222	0%	0%
Carter, Buddy	32	92%	77%
Clyde, Andrew	1	100%	100%
Ferguson, Drew	113	85%	73%
Greene, Marjorie	1	100%	100%
Hice, Jody	1	100%	96%
Johnson, Henry	222	0%	6%
Loudermilk, Barry	32	92%	87%
McBath, Lucy	222	0%	7%
Scott, Austin	32	92%	78%
Scott, David	222	0%	7%
Williams, Nikema	222	0%	0%
HAWAII			
Case, Ed	221	2%	11%
Kahele, Kaialii	222	0%	0%
IOWA			
Axne, Cindy	222	0%	11%
Feenstra, Randy	113	85%	85%
Hinson, Ashley	113	85%	85%
Miller-Meeks, Mariannette	182	78%	78%
IDAHO			
Fulcher, Russ	1	100%	93%
Simpson, Michael	32	92%	56%
ILLINOIS			
Bost, Mike	113	85%	52%
Bustos, Cheri	222	0%	5%
Casten, Sean	222	0%	4%
Davis, Danny	222	0%	7%
Davis, Rodney	113	85%	51%
Foster, Bill	222	0%	8%
Garcia, Jesus	222	0%	8%
Kelly, Robin	222	0%	6%
Kinzinger, Adam	204	64%	51%
Krishnamoorthi, Raja	222	0%	6%
LaHood, Darin	32	92%	76%
Miller, Mary	1	100%	100%
Newman, Marie	222	0%	0%
Quigley, Mike	222	0%	8%
Rush, Bobby	222	0%	8%
Schakowsky, Janice	222	0%	7%
Schneider, Bradley	222	0%	9%
Underwood, Lauren	222	0%	4%
INDIANA			
Baird, James	32	92%	77%
Banks, Jim	1	100%	93%
Bucshon, Larry	113	85%	64%
Carson, Andre	222	0%	7%
Hollingsworth, Trey	113	85%	85%
Mrvan, Frank	222	0%	0%
Pence, Gregory	32	92%	71%
Spartz, Victoria	113	85%	85%
Walorski, Jackie	113	85%	69%
KANSAS			
Davids, Sharice	222	0%	9%
Estes, Ron	32	92%	78%
LaTurner, Jake	32	92%	92%
Mann, Tracey	1	100%	100%
KENTUCKY			
Barr, Andy	32	92%	71%

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
Comer, James	113	85%	82%
Guthrie, Brett	113	85%	71%
Massie, Thomas	32	92%	93%
Rogers, Harold	182	78%	59%
Yarmuth, John	222	0%	5%
LOUISIANA			
Carter, Troy	222	0%	0%
Graves, Garret	113	85%	77%
Higgins, Clay	103	91%	82%
Johnson, Mike	32	92%	84%
Letlow, Julia	108	89%	89%
Scalise, Steve	113	85%	81%
MASSACHUSETTS			
Auchincloss, Jake	222	0%	0%
Clark, Katherine	222	0%	6%
Keating, William	222	0%	7%
Lynch, Stephen	222	0%	7%
McGovern, James	222	0%	7%
Moulton, Seth	222	0%	6%
Neal, Richard	222	0%	7%
Pressley, Ayanna	213	13%	17%
Trahan, Lori	222	0%	6%
MARYLAND			
Brown, Anthony	222	0%	5%
Harris, Andy	1	100%	89%
Hoyer, Steny	222	0%	6%
Mfume, Kweisi	222	0%	0%
Raskin, Jamie	222	0%	8%
Ruppersberger, C.A.	222	0%	8%
Sarbanes, John	222	0%	6%
Trone, David	222	0%	4%
MAINE			
Golden, Jared	212	17%	16%
Pingree, Chellie	222	0%	6%
MICHIGAN			
Bergman, Jack	175	82%	65%
Dingell, Debbie	222	0%	6%
Huizenga, Bill	176	81%	80%
Kildee, Daniel	222	0%	6%
Lawrence, Brenda	222	0%	5%
Levin, Andy	222	0%	6%
McClain, Lisa	32	92%	92%
Meijer, Peter	176	81%	81%
Moolenaar, John	113	85%	68%
Slotkin, Elissa	222	0%	4%
Stevens, Haley	222	0%	4%
Tlaib, Rashida	216	10%	16%
Upton, Fred	205	63%	53%
Walberg, Tim	32	92%	79%
MINNESOTA			
Craig, Angela	222	0%	4%
Emmer, Tom	113	85%	78%
Fischbach, Michelle	113	85%	85%
Hagedorn, James	113	85%	72%
McCollum, Betty	222	0%	5%
Omar, Ilhan	213	13%	18%
Phillips, Dean	222	0%	8%
Stauber, Pete	182	78%	59%
MISSOURI			
Bush, Cori	213	13%	13%
Cleaver, Emanuel	222	0%	6%
Graves, Sam	32	92%	68%

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
Hartzler, Vicky	32	92%	68%
Long, Billy	32	92%	79%
Luetkemeyer, Blaine	32	92%	68%
Smith, Jason	113	85%	84%
Wagner, Ann	113	85%	66%
MISSISSIPPI			
Guest, Michael	32	92%	81%
Kelly, Trent	32	92%	84%
Palazzo, Steven	32	92%	69%
Thompson, Bennie	220	5%	7%
MONTANA			
Rosendale, Matt	1	100%	100%
NEBRASKA			
Bacon, Don	201	68%	62%
Fortenberry, Jeff	197	73%	58%
Smith, Adrian	32	92%	80%
NEVADA			
Amodei, Mark	113	85%	63%
Horsford, Steven	222	0%	9%
Lee, Suzanne	222	0%	5%
Titus, Dina	222	0%	8%
NEW HAMPSHIRE			
Kuster, Ann	222	0%	7%
Pappas, Christopher	222	0%	5%
NEW JERSEY			
Coleman, Bonnie	222	0%	7%
Gottheimer, Josh	222	0%	8%
Kim, Andy	222	0%	4%
Malinowski, Tom	222	0%	4%
Norcross, Donald	222	0%	5%
Pallone, Frank	222	0%	8%
Pascrell, Bill	222	0%	6%
Payne, Donald	222	0%	7%
Sherrill, Mikie	222	0%	4%
Sires, Albio	222	0%	7%
Smith, Christopher	210	53%	39%
Van Drew, Jeff	208	56%	33%
NEW MEXICO			
Fernandez, Teresa	222	0%	0%
Haaland, Debra		N/A	9%
Herrell, Yvette	1	100%	100%
Stansbury, Melanie	222	0%	0%
NEW YORK			
Bowman, Jamaal	216	10%	10%
Clarke, Yvette	222	0%	9%
Delgado, Antonio	222	0%	4%
Espaillet, Adriano	222	0%	10%
Garbarino, Andrew	205	63%	63%
Higgins, Brian	222	0%	6%
Jacobs, Christopher	197	73%	73%
Jeffries, Hakeem	222	0%	8%
Jones, Mondaire	222	0%	0%
Katko, John	208	56%	36%
Malliotakis, Nicole	201	68%	68%
Maloney, Carolyn	222	0%	7%
Maloney, Sean	222	0%	9%
Meeks, Gregory	222	0%	10%
Meng, Grace	222	0%	8%
Morelle, Joseph	222	0%	4%
Nadler, Jerrold	222	0%	5%
Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria	216	10%	17%

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
Reed, Tom	195	76%	53%
Rice, Kathleen	222	0%	8%
Stefanik, Elise	182	78%	41%
Suozzi, Thomas	222	0%	10%
Tenney, Claudia	200	72%	54%
Tonko, Paul	222	0%	5%
Torres, Ritchie	222	0%	0%
Velazquez, Nydia	222	0%	7%
Zeldin, Lee	176	81%	63%
NORTH CAROLINA			
Adams, Alma	222	0%	5%
Bishop, Dan	1	100%	97%
Budd, Ted	1	100%	98%
Butterfield, G.K.	222	0%	6%
Cawthorn, Madison	103	91%	91%
Foxx, Virginia	1	100%	86%
Hudson, Richard	176	81%	81%
Manning, Kathy	222	0%	0%
McHenry, Patrick	32	92%	81%
Murphy, Greg	113	85%	81%
Price, David	222	0%	5%
Ross, Deborah	222	0%	0%
Rouzer, David	112	86%	79%
NORTH DAKOTA			
Armstrong, Kelly	32	92%	85%
OHIO			
Balderson, Troy	113	85%	72%
Beatty, Joyce	222	0%	4%
Brown, Shontel		n/a	n/a
Carey, Mike		n/a	n/a

2021 SENATE RATINGS

Members of the Senate with annual scores AND lifetime scores of 90% or higher

MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE	MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE	MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE	MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE	MEMBER	RANK	SCORE	LIFE SCORE
ALASKA				HAWAII				MAINE				NEW JERSEY				SOUTH DAKOTA			
Murkowski, Lisa	49	40%	50%	Hirono, Mazie	52	0%	3%	Collins, Susan	50	38%	32%	Booker, Cory	52	0%	9%	Rounds, Mike	43	54%	61%
Sullivan, Dan	39	62%	64%	Schatz, Brian	52	0%	1%	King, Angus	52	0%	3%	Menendez, Robert	52	0%	11%	Thune, John	30	70%	72%
ALABAMA				IOWA				MICHIGAN				NEW MEXICO				TENNESSEE			
Shelby, Richard	35	66%	73%	Ernst, Joni	7	94%	71%	Peters, Gary	52	0%	6%	Heinrich, Martin	52	0%	3%	Blackburn, Marsha	15	92%	89%
Tuberville, Tommy	1	100%	100%	Grassley, Chuck	32	68%	77%	Stabenow, Debbie	52	0%	10%	Lujan, Ben	52	0%	8%	Hagerty, Bill	22	84%	84%
ARKANSAS				IDAHO				MINNESOTA				NEVADA				TEXAS			
Boozman, John	15	92%	70%	Crapo, Mike	32	68%	79%	Klobuchar, Amy	52	0%	5%	Cortez Masto, Catherine	52	0%	2%	Cornyn, John	34	67%	78%
Cotton, Tom	15	92%	82%	Risch, Jim	23	82%	86%	Smith, Tina	52	0%	1%	Rosen, Jacky	52	0%	5%	Cruz, Ted	1	100%	91%
ARIZONA				ILLINOIS				MISSOURI				NEW YORK				UTAH			
Kelly, Mark	52	0%	0%	Duckworth, Tammy	52	0%	3%	Blunt, Roy	45	49%	66%	Gillibrand, Kirsten	52	0%	8%	Lee, Mike	1	100%	99%
Sinema, Krysten	52	0%	11%	Durbin, Richard	52	0%	2%	Hawley, Josh	1	100%	84%	Schumer, Charles	52	0%	3%	Romney, Mitt	40	61%	55%
CALIFORNIA				INDIANA				MISSISSIPPI				OHIO				VIRGINIA			
Feinstein, Dianne	52	0%	6%	Braun, Mike	7	94%	92%	Hyde-Smith, Cindy	24	81%	62%	Brown, Sherrod	52	0%	3%	Kaine, Tim	52	0%	3%
Padilla, Alex	52	0%	0%	Young, Todd	36	65%	67%	Wicker, Roger	37	63%	66%	Portman, Rob	41	58%	62%	Warner, Mark	52	0%	7%
COLORADO				KANSAS				MONTANA				OKLAHOMA				VERMONT			
Bennet, Michael	52	0%	9%	Marshall, Roger	18	86%	71%	Daines, Steve	18	86%	82%	Inhofe, James	26	78%	86%	Leahy, Patrick	52	0%	2%
Hickenlooper, John	52	0%	0%	Moran, Jerry	24	81%	71%	Tester, Jon	52	0%	11%	Lankford, James	7	94%	87%	Sanders, Bernie	51	8%	8%
CONNECTICUT				KENTUCKY				NORTH CAROLINA				OREGON				WASHINGTON			
Blumenthal, Richard	52	0%	4%	McConnell, Mitch	48	42%	72%	Burr, Richard	44	53%	73%	Merkley, Jeff	52	0%	6%	Cantwell, Maria	52	0%	9%
Murphy, Christopher	52	0%	5%	Paul, Rand	1	100%	96%	Tillis, Thom	42	55%	65%	Wyden, Ron	52	0%	8%	Murray, Patty	52	0%	5%
DELAWARE				LOUISIANA				NORTH DAKOTA				PENNSYLVANIA				WISCONSIN			
Carper, Thomas	52	0%	11%	Cassidy, Bill	37	63%	70%	Cramer, Kevin	27	75%	54%	Casey, Robert	52	0%	5%	Baldwin, Tammy	52	0%	4%
Coons, Christopher	52	0%	5%	Kennedy, John	29	73%	81%	Hoeven, John	27	75%	59%	Toomey, Pat	7	94%	92%	Johnson, Ron	7	94%	88%
FLORIDA				MASSACHUSETTS				NEBRASKA				RHODE ISLAND				WEST VIRGINIA			
Rubio, Marco	7	94%	85%	Markey, Edward	52	0%	8%	Fischer, Deb	31	69%	72%	Reed, Jack	52	0%	5%	Capito, Shelley Moore	45	49%	51%
Scott, Rick	1	100%	85%	Warren, Elizabeth	52	0%	10%	Sasse, Ben	18	86%	92%	Whitehouse, Sheldon	52	0%	5%	Manchin, Joe	52	0%	19%
GEORGIA				MARYLAND				NEW HAMPSHIRE				SOUTH CAROLINA				WYOMING			
Ossoff, Tom	52	0%	0%	Cardin, Benjamin	52	0%	3%	Hassan, Margaret	52	0%	2%	Graham, Lindsey	47	46%	66%	Barrasso, John	7	94%	81%
Warnock, Raphael	52	0%	0%	Van Hollen, Chris	52	0%	7%	Shaheen, Jeanne	52	0%	4%	Scott, Tim	18	86%	85%	Lummis, Cynthia	7	94%	85%

LEGISLATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED IN 2021:

The Foundation's study examined all 977 floor votes and, in the end, included 17 House votes and 15 Senate votes. Moreover, this scorecard includes whether a Senator or Representative publicly pledged their opposition to requesting earmarks in appropriations.

COMPUTATION

Scores are computed on a scale of 0 to 100. Each vote or action in the rating is assigned a certain number of points depending on its relative importance. Absences are not counted, though the Foundation reserves the right to do so if, in its judgment, a Member's position was otherwise discernible.

To provide some additional guidance concerning the scores, each lawmaker was ranked. Members with 0% scores are, by default, ranked #435 in

the House and #100 in the Senate. Scores and ranks cannot be directly compared between the House and Senate, as different votes were taken in each chamber. The study also records a "Lifetime Score" for each Member of Congress. This is a simple average of the scores from 2020 and all previous years where the lawmaker earned a score in the Foundation's scorecards.

In some cases a lawmaker was not present for enough votes for a meaningful score or ranking to be computed. In such cases "n.a." for "not applicable" appears. In computing lifetime scores,

years with "n.a." listed instead of a score are not included. Comparing such scores to other members without "n.a." years may be misleading.

ADDITIONAL FACTORS

A study of roll call votes on the floor of the House and Senate and legislative actions is just that. It cannot account for a lawmaker's work in committee, advocacy in his party's caucus meetings, and effectiveness as a leader in advocating pro-growth policies.