

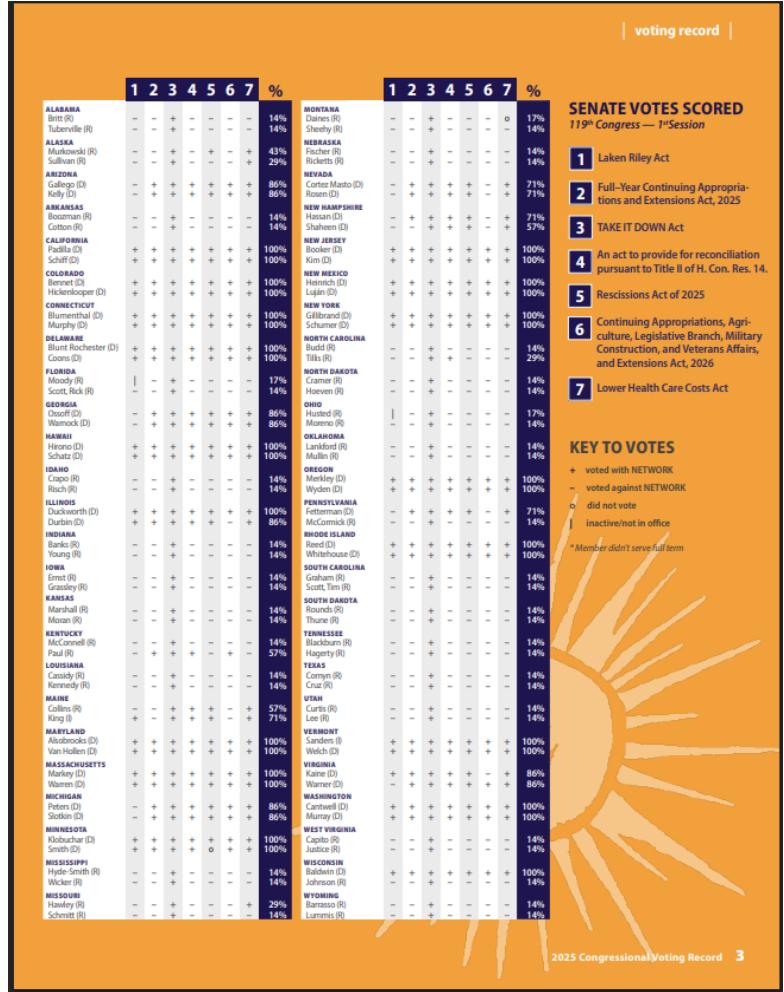


# WELCOME!

**NETWORK's 2025 Voting Record:**  
*Accountability for the Better  
World We All Deserve*

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# NETWORK'S 2025 Voting Record



- Since its founding, NETWORK has scored Members of Congress based on their votes on key bills.
- Did your lawmakers vote to protect our families, health care, food, and freedoms... or did they enrich the ultra-wealthy at our expense?**
  - 191 Members scored 100%.
  - 241 Members scored 14% or worse.
- Accountability** – making sure that our elected leaders are responsive to We The People!

# Health Care Updates

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## Skyrocketing ACA premiums force enrollees to make tough decisions

- The 2025 Republican budget law was the **single largest cut to health care in history**.
- **Everyone, everywhere, will pay higher healthcare costs.**
- **Over 20 million Americans** will see doubled and tripled premiums.
- **Hospitals, clinics, and nursing homes** around the country are already cutting back or closing their doors as a result of the law.
- **Why?**
  - To pay for tax giveaways to billionaires.
  - To inflate the profits of healthcare CEOs, at our expense.

# Food Updates



- **48 million people** in the U.S. live in food-insecure households.
- The big, bad budget law made **the largest cut to SNAP in history**, in order to pay for trillions in tax giveaways to the ultra-wealthy.
- **4 million people** will see the food assistance they need to afford groceries **terminated or substantially cut**.
  - This includes children, seniors, veterans, and individuals with disabilities.
- The law also **shifted SNAP costs to states** for the first time in history – a significant strain on state budgets that will lead to further cuts.

# Housing Updates

- In 2025, President Trump proposed cuts to housing programs, which Congress rejected.
- **Good news:** Congress passed the THUD appropriations bill and it **adequately funds critical programs for the rest of FY26. A major win!**
- Now, two competing housing proposals are moving through Congress:
  - 1) Senate passed the ROAD to Housing bill
  - 2) Housing for the 21st Century package
- Both will have a vote this month.
- House and Senate will likely reach a compromise to merge the two bills.



# Immigration Updates



- **The 2025 budget law:**
  - Significantly boosted **funding for detentions and deportations**.
  - **Raised fees** to renew and maintain lawful status.
  - **Took away health care and food assistance** eligibility from many refugees, asylum seekers, and immigrant families.
- **As a result, we are seeing:**
  - The heartbreaking and deadly militarization of our cities and neighborhoods.
  - 2450% increase in number of people with no criminal record held in ICE detention.
- **Looking ahead:**
  - Senate vote on the SAVE Act, which would disenfranchise millions of U.S. citizens.
  - House markups on draconian immigration bills.
  - **We are pushing for strong oversight, due process, and protections for all our neighbors.**

# Take Action with NETWORK's 2025 Voting Record

- **Read it!**
- **Share it!**
- **Sign up to deliver it!**



# Delivering the Voting Record: February Recess (2/17-2/20)

- **Sign-up!** This allows us to:
  - Track engagement
  - Provide materials (ex. *100% Voter* certificates)
  - Connect you with other advocates
- **Options for delivery**
  - Meetings
  - Drop-off
  - Email
  - Letter to the Editor



# Your Message to Congress

- You don't have to be a policy expert!
- Focus on the issues that you're most passionate about (esp. the Big Bad Budget Law)
- Celebrate the good votes—whether they scored 100% or 14%.
- Express your disappointment and hopes for the year ahead.
- Make it clear that we are watching!



# Final Thoughts...

- Please be sure to report back.
- **We LOVE to see your delivery photos!**
  - *Let us know if we have permission to share them!*
- Let us know how we can support you.
- Your deliveries make a difference.
- Thank you for your ongoing support!

