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#### ★ Alabama

Representative Demetrius C. Newton  
*Speaker Pro Tempore*  
Representative Bob McKee  
*ALEC State Chair*

#### ★ Alaska

Representative Joseph P. Green  
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Senator Pete Kelly  
*ALEC State Chair*

#### ★ Arizona

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Senator John Wettaw

*Senate President Pro Tempore*

Senator Russell W. Bowers

*Senate Majority Leader*

Representative Lori S. Daniels

*House Majority Leader/ALEC State Chair*

Representative Wes Marsh

*ALEC Trade and Transportation*

*Task Force Chair*



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Senator Stanley Russ

*Senate Majority Leader*

Representative Steve Faris

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**Honorable Bobby Hogue**

*former Speaker/1998 Immediate Past ALEC National Chairman*



## California

**Senator Ray Haynes**

*Senate Minority Whip/*

*1999 ALEC First Vice Chair*

Assemblyman Rod Pacheco

*Assembly Minority Leader*

Assemblyman Howard Kaloogian

*ALEC State Chair*



## Colorado

**Senate President Ray Powers**

*ALEC National Director/*

*1995 ALEC National Chairman*

**Speaker Russell George**

Senator Douglas Lamborn

*Senate President Pro Tempore*

Senator Tom Blickensderfer

*Senate Majority Leader*

**Senator David Owen**

*ALEC National Director/State Chair*

Representative William G. Kaufman

*Speaker Pro Tempore*

Representative Doug Dean

*House Majority Leader*



## Connecticut

**Governor John G. Rowland**

**Lt. Governor Jodi Rell**

Senator M. Adela Eads

*Senate Minority Leader*

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*House Minority Leader*

Representative John Harkins  
*ALEC State Chair*

### Delaware

#### **Speaker Terry R. Spence**

Senator Thomas B. Sharp  
*President Pro Tempore*  
Senator Thurman Adams  
*Senate Majority Leader*  
Senator Steven Amick  
*Senate Minority Leader*  
Representative Wayne Smith  
*House Majority Leader*  
Representative Robert Gilligan  
*House Minority Leader*  
Representative Charles Welch  
*House Majority Whip*  
Delegate Joe DiPinto  
*ALEC State Chair*

### Florida

#### **Speaker John Thrasher**

Senator Jack Latvala  
*Senate Republican Leader*  
Representative Dennis L. Jones  
*Speaker Pro Tempore*  
Representative Jerry L. Maygarden.  
*House Majority Leader*

#### **Representative Debby Sanderson**

*ALEC National Director/  
State Chair*

### Georgia

Representative Len Walker  
*House Majority Leader*  
Representative Robert Irvin  
*House Minority Leader*  
**Representative Earl Ehrhart**  
*ALEC National Director/  
State Chair*

### Hawaii

Representative David Stegmaier  
*ALEC State Chair*

### Idaho

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Senator James Risch

*Senate Majority Leader*

Representative Frank Bruneel

*House Majority Leader*

Senator Sheila Sorensen

*ALEC State Chair*

## Illinois

**Senate President James "Pate" Philip**

*Majority Leader*

Representative Lee Daniels

*House Minority Leader*

Senator Doris Karpel

*ALEC State Chair*

Senator Kirk Dillard

*ALEC Civil Justice Task Force Chair*

## Indiana

**Speaker John Gregg**

Senator Robert Garton

*Senate President Pro Tempore*

Senator Joseph W. Harrison

*Senate Majority Leader*

Representative Paul Mannweiler

*House Republican Leader*

Representative Robert Behning

*ALEC State Chair*

## Iowa

**Senate President Mary Kramer**

**Speaker Ron J. Corbett**

Senator Donald Redfern

*Senate President Pro Tempore*

Senator Stewart Iverson, Jr.

*Senate Majority Leader*

Senator Michael E. Gronstal

*Senate Minority Leader*

Representative Christopher C. Rants

*Speaker Pro Tempore*

Representative Brent Siegrist

*House Majority Leader*

Representative David Schrader

*House Minority Leader*

Representative Sandy Greiner

*ALEC State Chair*

Representative Dolores Mertz

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*Task Force Chair*

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**Senate President Richard L. Bond**

Representative Doug Mays

*Speaker Pro Tempore*


Representative Kent Glasscock

*House Majority Leader***Representative Susan Wagle***ALEC National Director*

Representative Anthony Powell

*ALEC State Chair* **Kentucky**

Senator Richard Roeding

*ALEC State Chair* **Louisiana****Governor Mike Foster****Speaker "Hunt" Downer, Jr.**

Representative Donald Ray Kennard

*1999 ALEC Secretary*

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*Speaker Pro Tempore*

Senator Noble Ellington

*ALEC State Chair*

Representative Glenn Ansardi

*ALEC State Vice Chair* **Maine**

Representative Jean Ginn Marvin

*ALEC State Chair* **Maryland**

Senator Martin G. Madden

*Senate Minority Leader*

Delegate Robert H. Kittleman

*House Minority Leader*

Delegate Nancy Stocksdales

*ALEC State Chair*

Delegate Martha Klima

*ALEC Telecommunications and Information Technology*

Task Force Chair

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Representative William McManus, II

*ALEC State Chair*

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**Lt. Governor Dick Posthumus**

Senator John Schwarz

*Senate President Pro Tempore***Senator Philip Hoffman***ALEC National Director*


Representative Patricia Birkholz

*House Speaker Pro Tempore*

Representative Andrew Raczkowski

*House Majority Leader*

Representative Mary Ann Middaugh

*ALEC State Chair* **Minnesota****Speaker Steven Sviggum**

Representative Lynda Boudreau

*Co-Speaker Pro Tempore*

Senator Linda Runbeck

*ALEC State Chair* **Mississippi****Speaker Tim Ford**

Senator Tommy Gollot

*Senate President Pro Tempore***Senator William Hewes, III***ALEC National Director*

Representative Jim Barnett

*ALEC State Chair* **Missouri**

Senator Ronnie DePasco

*Senate Majority Leader*

Senator Steven Ehlmann

*Senate Minority Leader*

Representative Gary Burton

*ALEC State Chair* **Montana**

Senator Ken Miller

*ALEC State Chair* **Nebraska****Speaker of the Legislature****Doug Kristensen**

George Coordsen

*Chairperson, Exec. Board of Leg. Council*

Senator Pat Engel

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**Speaker Joseph Dini, Jr.****Senator William J. Raggio***Senate Majority Leader/**ALEC National Director/1993 ALEC National Chairman***Senator Dean Rhoads***ALEC National Director**Assemblyman Lynn Hettric**Assembly Minority Leader**Senator Randolph Townsend**ALEC State Chair* **New Hampshire***Speaker Nancy Stickney**Representative Gary Daniels**ALEC State Chair* **New Jersey****Senate President Donald Di Francesco***Assemblyman Nicholas Felice**Assembly Speaker Pro Tempore**Assemblywoman Clare Farragher**ALEC State Chair* **New Mexico***Representative Ted Hobbs**House Minority Floor Leader**Representative Terry Marquardt**ALEC State Chair* **New York****Governor George Pataki***Senator Joseph Bruno**Senate President Pro Tempore/Majority Leader***Senator Owen Johnson***Senate Vice President Pro Tempore/ALEC 1987 National  
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## ★ North Dakota

### **Speaker Francis Wald**

Senator Wayne Stenehjem  
*Senate President Pro Tempore*  
Senator Gary Nelson  
*Senate Majority Leader*  
Representative John Dorso  
*House Majority Leader*  
Representative Merle Boucher  
*House Minority Leader*  
Representative Alan Carlson  
*ALEC State Chair*

## ★ Ohio

**Speaker Jo Ann Davidson**  
**Representative Dale Van Vyven**  
*ALEC National Director/  
1996 ALEC National Chairman*  
Senator Robert Cupp  
*Senate President Pro Tempore*  
Representative Randall Gardner  
*Speaker Pro Tempore*  
Representative Pat Tiberi  
*House Majority Floor Leader*  
Senator Lynn Wachtmann  
*ALEC State Chair*

## ★ Oklahoma

**Governor Frank Keating**  
**Lt. Governor Mary Fallin**  
**Senator Jim Dunlap**  
*1999 ALEC Treasurer*  
Representative Fred Morgan  
*House Minority Leader*  
*ALEC State Chair*  
Representative Doug Miller  
*ALEC State Chair*

## ★ Oregon

**Senate President Brady Adams**  
**Speaker Lynn Snodgrass**  
Senator Randy Miller  
*Senate President Pro Tempore*  
Senator Gene Derfler  
*Senate Majority Leader*  
Representative Ken Strobeck



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Representative Jim Welsh  
*ALEC Energy, Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture  
Task Force Chair*

### Pennsylvania

**Speaker Matthew J. Ryan**  
Senator Robert Jubelirer  
*Senate President Pro Tempore*  
Senator F. Joseph Loeper  
*Senate Majority Leader*  
Representative John Perzel  
*House Majority Leader*  
Representative Robert Flick  
*ALEC State Chair*  
Representative Howard Fargo  
*ALEC Tax & Fiscal Policy Task Force Chair*

### Rhode Island

**Speaker John B. Harwood**  
Representative Gerard Martineau  
*House Majority Leader*  
Representative Robert Watson  
*House Minority Leader*  
Senator Michael Flynn  
*ALEC State Chair*

### South Carolina

**Speaker David Wilkins**  
Representative Terry Haskins  
*Speaker Pro Tempore*  
Representative Robert Harrell, Jr.  
*House Majority Leader*  
Senator William Mescher  
*ALEC State Chair*

### South Dakota

**Speaker Roger Hunt**  
Representative Robert Harrell *House Majority Leader*  
Representative Kristie Fiegen  
*ALEC State Chair*

### Tennessee

**Representative Steve McDaniel**  
*House Minority Leader/1999 ALEC Second Vice Chair*  
Senator Ben Atchley  
*Senate Minority Leader*  
Representative James Boyer

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**Representative D. R. "Tom" Uher**

*House Speaker Pro Tempore/ALEC State Chair*

Senator Teel Bivins

*Senate President Pro Tempore*

Representative Kent Grusendorf

*ALEC Education Task Force Chair*

 **Utah****Speaker Martin Stephens**

Senator Lyle Hillyard

*Senate Majority Leader*

Representative Kevin Garn

*House Majority Leader*

Representative Marda Dillree

*ALEC State Chair*

 **Vermont**

Senator John H. Bloomer, Jr.

*Senate Minority Leader*

Representative Walter Freed

*House Minority Leader*

Representative Frank Mazur

*ALEC State Chair*

 **Virginia**

Senator Walter A. Stosch


*Senate Republican Floor Leader*

Representative Vance Wilkins, Jr.

*House Republican Leader*

Senator Stephen Martin

*ALEC State Chair*

 **Washington****Co-Speaker Clyde Ballard**

Representative Barbara Lisk

*House Republican Leader*

Senator Val Stevens

*ALEC State Chair*

Representative Kathy Lambert

*ALEC Criminal Justice Task Force Chair*

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Senator Vic Sprouse

*Senate Minority Leader*

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Wisconsin

**Governor Tommy Thompson****Speaker Scott Jensen**

Senator Michael Ellis

*Senate Minority Leader*

Assemblywoman Margaret Farrow

*Assembly Speaker Pro Tempore*

Assemblyman Steven Foti

*Assembly Majority Leader*

Senator Robert Welch

*ALEC State Chair*

Representative Dan Vrakas

*ALEC Commerce and Economic**Development Task Force Chair***Wyoming****Governor Jim Geringer****Senate President Jim Twiford****Speaker Eli Debout**

Senator Henry Coe

*Senate Minority Leader*

Representative Harry Tipton

*Speaker Pro Tempore*

Representative Rick Tempest

House Majority Leader/ALEC State Chair

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## ALEC Alumni

### Gubernatorial Alumni

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Michigan

*First elected in Nov. 1990**1993 Thomas Jefferson Freedom Award Recipient*

Governor Mike Foster

Louisiana

*First elected in Nov. 1995*

Governor Jane Dee Hull

Arizona

*First elected in Nov. 1993*

Governor Jim Geringer

Wyoming

*First elected in Nov. 1994*

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Governor George Pataki  
New York  
*First elected in Nov. 1994*

Governor John Rowland  
Connecticut  
*First elected in Nov. 1994*

Governor Tommy Thompson  
Wisconsin  
*First elected in Nov. 1986*  
*1991 Thomas Jefferson Freedom Award Recipient*

### **Past Governors**

Governor George Allen  
Virginia, 1994-1998  
*ALEC Jefferson Scholar/*  
*1996 Thomas Jefferson Freedom Award*

Governor Phil Batt  
Idaho, 1995-1999

Governor David Beasley  
South Carolina, 1995-1999

Governor Terry Branstad  
Iowa, 1983-1999  
*ALEC Founding Member/*  
*1996 ALEC Pioneer Award*

Governor Jim Edgar  
Illinois, 1991-1999

Governor Arne Carlson  
Minnesota, 1991-1999

### **ALEC Alumni Serving in 106<sup>th</sup> Congress**

#### **U.S. Senate**

Senator Spencer Abraham (R-MI)  
Senator Wayne Allard (R-CO)  
Senator Ben Nighthorse Campbell (R-CO)  
*Chairman, Indian Affairs Committee*  
Senator Paul Coverdell (R-GA)  
*Republican Conference Secretary*  
Senator Michael B. Enzi (R-WY)  
Senator Tim Hutchinson (R-AR)  
Senator James M. Inhofe (R-OK)  
Senator Jon Kyl (R-AZ)

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*Chairman, Select Committee on Intelligence*  
Senator Craig Thomas (R-WY)

## U.S. House of Representatives

### Speaker of the House Dennis Hastert

Representative Spencer Bachus (R-AL)  
Representative Richard H. Baker (R-LA)  
Representative James A. Barcia (D-MI)  
Representative Bill Barrett (R-NE)  
Representative Charles F. Bass (R-NH)  
Representative John A. Boehner (R-OH)  
Representative Leonard L. Boswell (D-IA)  
Representative F. A. Boyd (D-FL)  
Representative Kevin Brady (R-TX)  
Representative Dan Burton (R-IN)

### *Chairman, House Government Reform Committee*

Representative David Camp (R-MI)  
Representative Howard Coble (R-NC)  
Representative Michael Collins (R-GA)  
Representative Merrill Cook (R-UT)  
Representative Philip M. Crane (R-IL)  
Representative Barbara Cubin (R-WY)  
Representative Pat Danner (D-MO)  
Representative James O. Davis (D-FL)  
Representative Tom DeLay (R-TX)

### *House Majority Whip*

Representative Peter Deutsch (D-FL)  
Representative John T. Doolittle (R-CA)  
Representative Robert L. Ehrlich (R-MD)  
Representative Thomas W. Ewing (R-IL)  
Representative Mark Foley (R-FL)  
Representative Bob Franks (R-NJ)  
Representative Rodney Frelinghuysen (R-NJ)  
Representative Paul E. Gillmor (R-OH)  
Representative Virgil H. Goode (D-VA)  
Representative Lindsey Graham (R-SC)  
Representative James C. Greenwood (R-PA)  
Representative Gil Gutknecht (R-MN)  
Representative Richard Hastings (R-WA)  
Representative Joel Hefley (R-CO)  
Representative Henry J. Hyde (R-IL)

### *Chairman, House Judiciary Committee/*

### *ALEC Founding Member/1998 ALEC Pioneer Award Recipient*

Representative Ernest J. Istook (R-OK)  
Representative Nancy L. Johnson (R-CT)  
Representative Sam Johnson (R-TX)  
Representative Walter B. Jones (R-NC)  
Representative John R. Kasich (R-OH)

### *Chairman, House Budget Committee*

Representative Jack Kingston (R-GA)  
Representative Jerry Lewis (R-CA)  
Representative John Linder (R-GA)

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- Representative Scott McInnis (R-CO)
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- Representative John L. Mica (R-FL)
- Representative Jerry Moran (R-KS)
- Representative Robert W. Ney (R-OH)
- Representative Anne M. Northup (R-KY)
- Representative John E. Peterson (R-PA)
- Representative Joseph R. Pitts (R-PA)
- Representative Jim Ramstad (R-MN)
- Representative James E. Rogan (R-CA)
- Representative Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R-FL)
- Representative Lucille Roybal-Allard (D-CA)
- Representative Edward Royce (R-CA)
- Representative Matt Salmon (R-AZ)
- Representative Robert W. Schaffer (R-CO)
- Representative Nick Smith (R-MI)
- Representative Bob Stump (R-AZ)
- Chairman, House Veterans' Committee*
- Representative James M. Talent (R-MO)
- Chairman, House Small Business Committee*
- Representative W. J. "Billy" Tauzin (R-LA)
- Representative Todd Tiahrt (R-KS)
- Representative Gerald C. Weller (R-IL)
- Representative Roger Wicker (R-MS)
- Representative Don Young (R-AK)
- Chairman, House Resources Committee*

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