

# ILLINOIS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION

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## 117th Congress

Two Senators represent each state in the U.S. Senate and are elected to serve six-year terms. U.S. Senator Dick Durbin (D) of Springfield was elected to represent Illinois for a fifth term in 2020. Tammy Duckworth of Hoffman Estates (D) was elected to the U.S. Senate in 2016. (See pages 16-19 for U.S. Senator photos and biographies.)

In the November 2020 general election, Illinois voters elected 18 candidates to serve in the U.S. House of Representatives for two-year terms. Thirteen Democratic and five Republican U.S. Representatives were elected to serve in the 117th Congress.

The November 2020 general election was historical, with the most women ever elected to serve in Congress. Democrat Marie Newman and Republican Mary Miller — representing districts that were previously held by men — added to the increase of female Representatives. Newman definitively won the general election to represent the 13th District after defeating 16-year incumbent U.S. Rep. Dan Lipinski (D) in the March primary. Miller won the 15th District seat that was previously held by U.S. Rep. John Shimkus (R), who served 12 terms in Congress and opted not to run for reelection. Since 1818, Illinois has had a total of 20 female U.S. Representatives. In 2021, seven are currently representing our state — a record-breaking total.

The 117th Congress serves from Jan. 3, 2021, to Jan. 3, 2023.



A view of the U.S. Capitol in Washington, D.C.



*1st Congressional District*

**BOBBY L. RUSH (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Bobby Rush was born Nov. 23, 1946, in Albany, Georgia. He is an honorably discharged veteran of the U.S. Army and an ordained minister with a master's in theology. He has honorary doctorate degrees from the Virginia University of Lynchburg, Roosevelt University and the Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT). Rush is also the pastor of the Beloved Community Christian Church of God in Christ in Chicago. Congressman

Rush was married to the late Carolyn Rush for 37 years and recently married Minister Evangelist Paulette Rush.



*2nd Congressional District*

**ROBIN KELLY (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Robin Kelly was born April 30, 1956, in New York City. She earned both her B.A. in psychology and her M.A. in counseling from Bradley University and received her Ph.D. in political science from Northern Illinois University. Prior to her election to Congress, Kelly was a member of the Illinois House, served as chief administrative officer

of Cook County and was chief of staff to Illinois Treasurer Alexi Giannoulias. She was elected to Congress in a special election in April 2013. Congresswoman Kelly resides in Matteson with her husband, Dr. Nathaniel Horn, and has two adult children.



*3rd Congressional District*

**MARIE NEWMAN (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Marie Newman was born April 13, 1964, on Chicago's Southwest Side. She earned her B.A. in journalism and business from the University of Wisconsin. Prior to being elected to Congress, Newman was a marketing executive and partner at one of the nation's largest ad agencies before becoming a small-business owner and launching

a successful consulting company. She also served as a spokesperson for Moms Demand Action Illinois, advocating for public safety measures that can protect people from gun violence. She was elected to Congress in 2020. Congresswoman Newman resides in La Grange with her husband and two children.



*4th Congressional District*

**JESÚS G. "CHUY" GARCÍA (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Jesús G. "Chuy" García was born in Los Pinos, Mexico, a small village in the state of Durango. He earned both his bachelor's in political science and his master's in urban planning from the University of Illinois at Chicago. He served as a member in the Illinois Senate from 1993 to 1999 and was a member of the Chicago City Council from

1986 to 1993. Congressman García and his wife, Evelyn, live in Chicago's Little Village neighborhood. They have three adult children and six grandchildren.



*5th Congressional District*

**MIKE QUIGLEY (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Mike Quigley was born Oct. 17, 1958. He earned his bachelor's from Roosevelt University, his master's in public policy from the University of Chicago and his law degree from Loyola University Chicago School of Law. In 1998, Quigley was elected to the Cook County Board of Commissioners, where he served for more than 10 years.

He was first elected to Congress by special election in 2009 and won a full term in 2010. Congressman Quigley and his wife, Barbara, reside in Lakeview.



*6th Congressional District*

**SEAN CASTEN (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Sean Casten was born Nov. 23, 1971. He is a scientist, a clean energy entrepreneur and an author. He earned his B.A. in molecular biology and biochemistry from Middlebury College and his MEM and M.S. in biochemical engineering from the Thayer School of Engineering at Dartmouth College. Casten worked as a clean energy consultant and manager at Arthur D. Little and served as the president and CEO of Turbosteam Corporation. Congressman Casten and his wife, Kara, reside in Downers Grove with their two daughters.



*7th Congressional District*

**DANNY K. DAVIS (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Danny Davis was born Sept. 6, 1941, in Parkdale, Arkansas. He received his B.A. from Arkansas A.M.&N. College, his master's from Chicago State University and his Ph.D. from Union Institute in Cincinnati, Ohio. Davis was a Chicago alderman for 11 years and served on the Cook County Board of Commissioners from 1990 until his

election to Congress in 1996. Congressman Davis is married to Vera G. Davis and has two sons.



*8th Congressional District*

**RAJA KRISHNAMOORTHI (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Raja Krishnamoorthi was born July 19, 1973, in New Delhi, India. He earned his B.S.E. in mechanical engineering and a certificate in public policy from Princeton University before receiving his law degree from Harvard Law School. Krishnamoorthi practiced law and served as a special assistant attorney general for Illinois and as the

Illinois deputy treasurer prior to becoming president of research-oriented small businesses. He was elected to Congress in 2016. Congressman Krishnamoorthi and his wife, Priya, live in Schaumburg with their three children.



*9th Congressional District*

**JANICE D. SCHAKOWSKY (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Jan Schakowsky was born in Chicago on May 26, 1944. She received her B.S. in elementary education from the University of Illinois. Prior to holding public office, she was program director of Illinois Public Action and director of the Illinois State Council of Senior Citizens. She served eight years in the Illinois House and was elected to Congress

in 1998, where she serves as Senior Chief Deputy Whip and chair of the Energy and Commerce Committee Subcommittee on Consumer Protection and Commerce. Congresswoman Schakowsky resides in Evanston with her husband, Robert Creamer. They have three children.



*10th Congressional District*  
**BRAD SCHNEIDER (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Brad Schneider was born Aug. 20, 1961. He earned his bachelor's in industrial engineering and his MBA from Northwestern University. Prior to his election to Congress, Schneider worked in business and management consulting. His ties to the community include service with organizations such as the Jewish United Fund, Chicago

Council on Global Affairs, Waukegan Public Library Foundation, B.E.S.T., Coalition to Reduce Recidivism, and Civic Leadership Foundation. Congressman Schneider and his wife, Julie, live in Deerfield and have two sons.



*11th Congressional District*  
**BILL FOSTER (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Bill Foster was born Oct. 7, 1955, in Madison, Wisconsin. He earned his B.S. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and his Ph.D. in physics from Harvard University. As a physicist for Fermilab for 22 years, he was a member of the team that discovered the top quark, the heaviest known form of matter. Foster was first elected to

Congress by special election in 2008 representing the 14th District. In November 2012, he was elected to serve the newly drawn 11th District. Congressman Foster and his wife, Aesook, reside in Naperville and have two adult children.



*12th Congressional District*  
**MIKE BOST (R)**

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U.S. Rep. Mike Bost was born Dec. 30, 1960. He enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps and was trained as an electronic specialist and radar repairman, receiving an honorable discharge as a Corporal E-4. Bost graduated from the University of Illinois' Certified Firefighter II Academy in 1993. Beginning in 1994, he served 19 years in the Illinois

House. Congressman Bost and his wife, Tracy, reside in Murphysboro. They have three children and 11 grandchildren.



*13th Congressional District*

**RODNEY DAVIS (R)**

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U.S. Rep. Rodney Davis was born Jan. 5, 1970, in Des Moines, Iowa, and raised in Taylorville. He received his B.A. from Millikin University. Davis worked as projects director for former Congressman John Shimkus until his election to Congress in November 2012. In 2020, he was reelected to a fifth term representing the 13th District. Congressman Davis and his wife, Shannon, reside in Taylorville with their daughter and two sons.

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*14th Congressional District*

**LAUREN UNDERWOOD (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Lauren Underwood was born Oct. 4, 1986, in Mayfield Heights, Ohio, and raised in Naperville, Illinois. She earned her bachelor's in nursing from the University of Michigan and dual master's degrees in nursing and public health from John Hopkins University. She is a registered nurse and formerly served as a senior advisor

for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. She also served as an adjunct professor at Georgetown University. She was elected to Congress in 2018. Congresswoman Underwood resides in Naperville.



*15th Congressional District*

**MARY MILLER (R)**

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U.S. Rep Mary Miller was born Aug. 27, 1959, in Oak Park, Illinois. She earned her B.A. in elementary education and her B.S. in business management from Eastern Illinois University. She is a farmer, teacher and business manager. Congresswoman Miller and her husband, Chris, reside in Oakland and have seven children and 17 grandchildren.



*16th Congressional District*  
**ADAM KINZINGER (R)**

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U.S. Rep. Adam Kinzinger was born Feb. 27, 1978, in Kankakee. He earned his bachelor's from Illinois State University, and at age 20, he was elected to serve on the McLean County Board. After five years on the board, Kinzinger joined the U.S. Air Force and serves as a pilot in the Air National Guard with the current rank of lieutenant colonel.

He was elected to Congress in 2010 representing the 11th District and reelected in November 2012 in the newly drawn 16th District. Congressman Kinzinger resides in Channahon.



*17th Congressional District*  
**CHERI BUSTOS (D)**

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U.S. Rep. Cheri Bustos was born Oct. 17, 1961, in Springfield. She earned her bachelor's in political science from the University of Maryland and her master's in public affairs reporting from the University of Illinois at Springfield. Bustos was a journalist in the Quad Cities for nearly two decades until taking a position with a large, non-

profit health care system. She served two terms on the East Moline City Council and was elected to Congress in November 2012. Congresswoman Bustos and her husband, Gerry, reside in Moline and have three sons.



*18th Congressional District*  
**DARIN LaHOOD (R)**

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U.S. Rep. Darin LaHood was born July 5, 1968, in Peoria. He earned his B.A. from Loras College and his J.D. from The John Marshall Law School. He served as a state and federal prosecutor for the U.S. Attorney's office for the District of Nevada in Las Vegas, the Cook County State's Attorney's office and the Tazewell County State's Attorney's office.

LaHood served in the Illinois Senate from 2011 to 2015. He was elected to Congress in a special election in September 2015. Congressman LaHood and his wife, Kristen, reside in Dunlap with their three sons.