



The Congressional America250 Caucus

Background:

In 2016, Congress established the U.S. Semiquincentennial Commission (PL 114-196) and charged it with the task of organizing and coordinating the 250th anniversary of the founding of our nation, culminating in 2026. Sixteen private citizens were chosen by House and Senate Democratic and Republican leadership to serve on the Commission, as well as four currently elected members from each chamber (also equally divided by party and selected by the leadership). These eight elected Commissioners are proud to serve as co-chairs of this bipartisan, bicameral caucus.

Goals of the Caucus:

The Congressional America 250 Caucus serves several purposes. It will:

- Assist in the planning of congressional activities surrounding the America250 commemoration;
- Act as a communications vehicle to enable the elected members of the Commission to keep colleagues in Congress — as well as partners and public officials in their respective districts and states — informed about the activities of the Commission;
- Encourage input from Members of Congress regarding activities and programs that should be considered for America’s 250th anniversary observance; and
- Further the relationship of the Commission to the entire Congress.

Co-Chairs:

The co-chairs of the caucus are the eight elected Members of Congress who serve as Commissioners:

- Rep. Robert Aderholt (AL-04)
- Rep. Dwight Evans (PA-03)
- Rep. Maria Elvira Salazar (FL-27)
- Rep. Bonnie Watson Coleman (NJ-12)
- Sen. Shelley Moore Capito (R-WV)
- Sen. Lisa Murkowski (R-AK)
- Sen. Alex Padilla (D-CA)
- Sen. Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH)

Membership:

These are the Members of the America250 Caucus as of **September 2024**:

House of Representatives (169)

- Rep. Alma Adams (NC-12)
- Rep. Pete Aguilar (CA-33)
- Rep. Mark Amodei (NV-02)
- Rep. Gabe Amo (RI-01)
- Rep. Jodey Arrington (TX-19)

- Rep. Brian Babin (TX-36)
- Rep. Don Bacon (NE-02)
- Rep. Andy Barr (KY-06)
- Rep. Nanette Barragan (CA-44)
- Rep. Joyce Beatty (OH-03)
- Rep. Ami Bera (CA-06)
- Rep. Donald Beyer, Jr. (VA-08)
- Rep. Stephanie Bice (OK-05)
- Rep. Gus Bilirakis (FL-12)
- Rep. Sanford Bishop, Jr. (GA-02)
- Rep. Lisa Blunt Rochester (DE-00)
- Rep. Brendan Boyle (PA-02)
- Rep. Shontel Brown (OH-11)
- Rep. Tim Burchett (TN-02)
- Rep. Michael Burgess (TX-26)
- Rep. Ken Calvert (CA-41)
- Rep. Salud Carbajal (CA-24)
- Rep. Mike Carey (OH-15)
- Rep. Jerry Carl (AL-01)
- Rep. André Carson (IN-07)
- Rep. Buddy Carter (GA-01)
- Rep. John Carter (TX-31)
- Rep. Troy Carter (LA-02)
- Rep. Matthew Cartwright (PA-08)
- Rep. Joaquin Castro (TX-20)
- Rep. Judy Chu (CA-28)
- Rep. Juan Ciscomani (AZ-06)
- Rep. Yvette Clarke (NY-09)
- Rep. Emanuel Cleaver II (MO-05)
- Rep. Ben Cline (VA-06)
- Rep. Steve Cohen (TN-09)
- Rep. Jim Costa (CA-21)
- Rep. Eli Crane (AZ-02)
- Rep. Jasmine Crockett (TX-30)
- Rep. Don Davis (NC-01)
- Rep. Madeleine Dean (PA-04)
- Rep. Rosa DeLauro (CT-03)
- Rep. Chris DeLuzio (PA-17)
- Rep. Scott DesJarlais (TN-04)
- Rep. Debbie Dingell (MI-12)
- Rep. Lloyd Doggett (TX-35)
- Rep. Jeff Duncan (SC-03)
- Rep. Jake Ellzey (TX-06)
- Rep. Veronica Escobar (TX-16)
- Rep. Ron Estes (KS-04)
- Rep. Brian Fitzpatrick (PA-01)
- Rep. Chuck Fleischmann (TN-03)
- Rep. Lizzie Fletcher (TX-07)
- Rep. Valerie Foushee (NC-04)
- Rep. Scott Franklin (FL-18)
- Rep. Russ Fulcher (ID-01)
- Rep. John Garamendi (CA-08)
- Rep. Andrew Garbarino (NY-02)
- Rep. Sylvia Garcia (TX-29)
- Rep. Jimmy Gomez (CA-34)
- Rep. Paul Gosar (AZ-04)
- Rep. Josh Gottheimer (NJ-05)
- Rep. Al Green (TX-09)
- Rep. H. Morgan Griffith (VA-09)
- Rep. Raul Grijalva (AZ-07)
- Rep. Glenn Grothman (WI-06)
- Rep. Michael Guest (MS-03)
- Rep. Harriet Hageman (WY-00)
- Rep. French Hill (AR-02)
- Rep. Jim Himes (CT-04)
- Rep. Ashley Hinson (IA-01)
- Rep. Chrissy Houlahan (PA-06)
- Rep. Steny Hoyer (MD-05)
- Rep. Richard Hudson (NC-08)
- Rep. Darrell Issa (CA-50)
- Rep. Glenn Ivey (MD-04)
- Rep. Johnathan Jackson (IL-01)
- Rep. Pramila Jayapal (WA-07)
- Democratic Leader Hakeem Jeffries (NY-08)
- House Speaker Mike Johnson (LA-04)
- Rep. Tom Kean, Jr. (NJ-07)
- Rep. Mike Kelly (PA-16)
- Rep. Trent Kelly (MS-01)
- Rep. Jen Kiggans (VA-02)
- Rep. Dan Kildee (MI-05)
- Rep. Andy Kim (NJ-03)
- Rep. Raja Krishnamoorthi (IL-08)
- Rep. Doug LaMalfa (CA-01)
- Rep. John Larson (CT-01)
- Rep. Bob Latta (OH-05)
- Rep. Mike Lawler (NY-17)
- Rep. Barbara Lee (CA-12)
- Rep. Mike Levin (CA-49)
- Rep. Ted Lieu (CA-36)
- Rep. Zoe Lofgren (CA-18)
- Rep. Barry Loudermilk (GA-11)
- Rep. Frank Lucas (OK-03)
- Rep. Seth Magaziner (RI-02)
- Rep. Nicole Malliotakis (NY-11)
- Rep. Michael McCaul (TX-10)
- Rep. Lisa McClain (MI-09)
- Rep. Jennifer McClellan (VA-04)
- Rep. Tom McClintock (CA-05)

- Rep. Rich McCormick (GA-06)
- Rep. Jim McGovern (MA-02)
- Rep. Grace Meng (NY-06)
- Rep. Dan Meuser (PA-09)
- Rep. Kweisi Mfume (MD-07)
- Rep. Carol Miller (WV-01)
- Rep. Marcus Molinaro (NY-19)
- Rep. John Moolenaar (MI-04)
- Rep. Alex X. Mooney (WV-02)
- Rep. Barry Moore (AL-02)
- Rep. Blake Moore (UT-01)
- Rep. Joseph Morelle (NY-25)
- Rep. Seth Moulton (MA-06)
- Rep. Kevin Mullin (CA-15)
- Rep. Gregory Murphy, M.D. (NC-03)
- Rep. Joe Neguse (CO-02)
- Rep. Troy Nehls (TX-22)
- Rep. Dan Newhouse (WA-04)
- Rep. Donald Norcross (NJ-01)
- Rep. Ralph Norman (SC-05)
- Rep. Eleanor Holmes Norton (DC-00)
- Rep. Burgess Owens (UT-04)
- Rep. Frank Pallone (NJ-06)
- Rep. Gary Palmer (AL-06)
- Rep. Chris Pappas (NH-01)
- Rep. Scott Perry (PA-10)
- Rep. August Pfluger (TX-11)
- Rep. Chellie Pingree (ME-01)
- Rep. Stacey Plaskett (VI-00)
- Rep. Bill Posey (FL-08)
- Rep. Ayanna Pressley (MA-07)
- Rep. Jamie Raskin (MD-08)
- Rep. David Rouzer (NC-07)
- Rep. Chip Roy (TX-21)
- Rep. Michael Rulli (OH-06)
- Rep. Pat Ryan (NY-18)
- Rep. Mary Gay Scanlon (PA-05)
- Rep. Hillary Scholten (MI-03)
- Rep. Bobby Scott (VA-03)
- Rep. Mikie Sherrill (NJ-11)
- Rep. Mike Simpson (ID-02)
- Rep. Michelle Steel (CA-45)
- Rep. Elise Stefanik (NY-21)
- Rep. Bryan Steil (WI-01)
- Rep. Mark Takano (CA-39)
- Rep. Glenn “GT” Thompson (PA-15)

- Rep. Bennie Thompson (MS-02)
- Rep. Dina Titus (NV-01)
- Rep. Paul Tonko (NY-20)
- Rep. Norma Torres (CA-35)
- Rep. Shri Thanedar (MI-13)
- Rep. Lori Trahan (MA-03)
- Rep. David Trone (MD-06)
- Rep. Jeff Van Drew (NJ-02)
- Rep. Derrick Van Orden (WI-03)
- Rep. Marc Veasey (TX-33)
- Rep. Tim Walberg (MI-05)
- Rep. Daniel Webster (FL-11)
- Rep. Brad Wenstrup (OH-02)
- Rep. Bruce Westerman (AR-04)
- Rep. Susan Wild (PA-07)
- Rep. Roger Williams (TX-25)
- Rep. Nikema Williams (GA-05)
- Rep. Frederica S. Wilson (FL-24)
- Rep. Joe Wilson (SC-02)
- Rep. Robert Wittman (VA-01)

Senate (24)

- Sen. Marsha Blackburn (R-TN)
- Sen. Richard Blumenthal (D-CT)
- Sen. Cory Booker (D-NJ)
- Sen. Tom Carper (D-DE)
- Sen. Bill Cassidy (R-LA)
- Sen. Susan Collins (R-ME)
- Sen. Tom Cotton (R-AR)
- Sen. Kevin Cramer (R-ND)
- Sen. Mike Crapo (R-ID)
- Sen. John Fetterman (D-PA)
- Sen. Chuck Grassley (R-IA)
- Sen. Cindy Hyde-Smith (R-MS)
- Sen. Tim Kaine (D-VA)
- Sen. Mike Lee (R-UT)
- Sen. Cynthia Lummis (R-WY)
- Sen. Amy Klobuchar (D-MN)
- Sen. Joe Manchin III (D-WV)
- Sen. Chris Murphy (D-CT)
- Sen. James Risch (R-ID)
- Sen. Mike Rounds (R-SD)
- Sen. Eric Schmitt (R-MO)
- Sen. Thom Tillis (R-NC)
- Sen. Raphael Warnock (D-GA)
- Sen. Roger Wicker (R-MS)