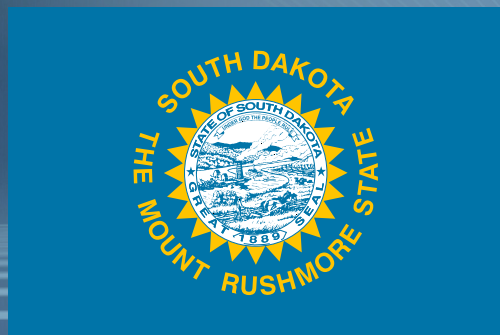
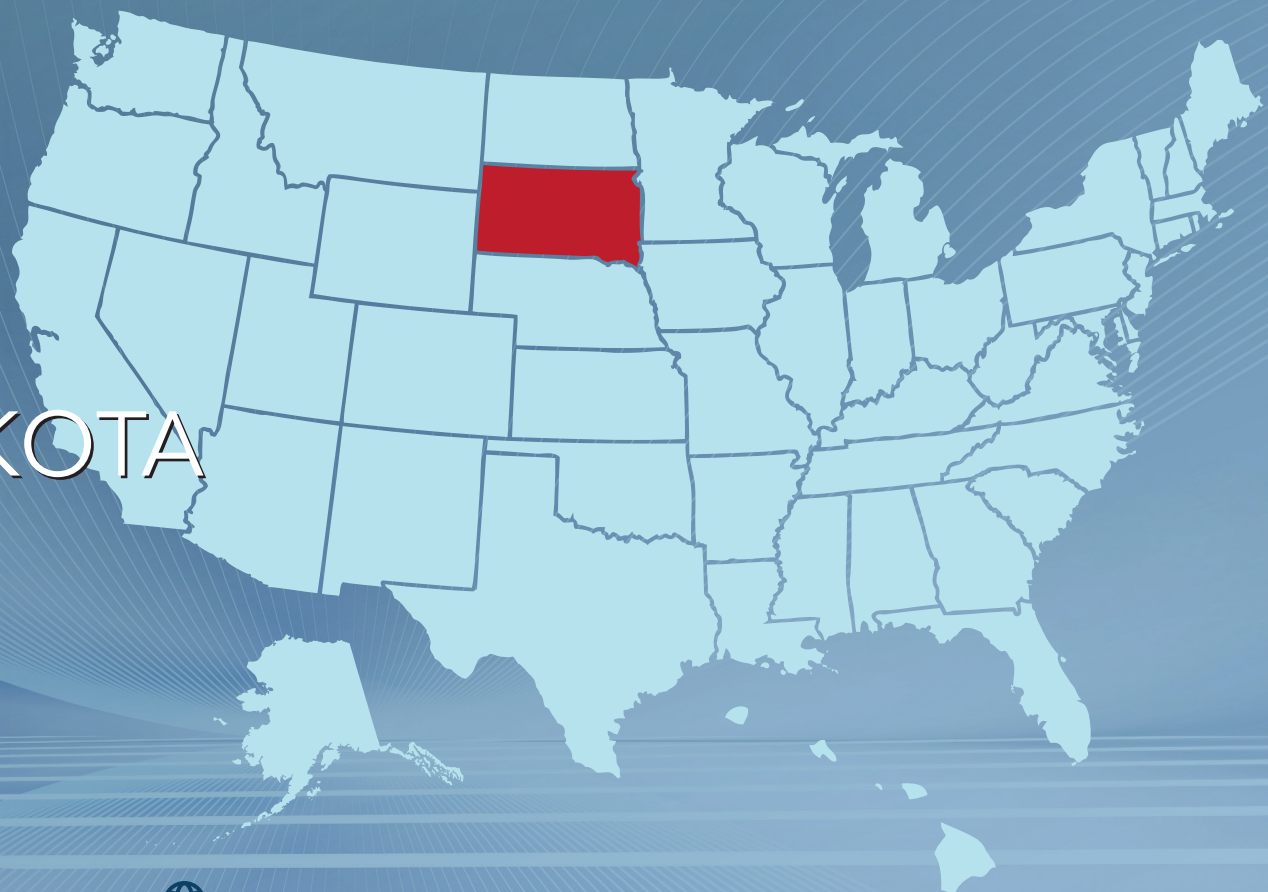




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## LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Dear Fellow Conservative,

The American Conservative Union Foundation is proud to present our ratings of the 2018 meeting of the South Dakota Legislature. Like our *Ratings of Congress*, which date back 47 years, our state ratings are meant to reflect how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. We begin with our philosophy, i.e., conservatism is the political philosophy that sovereignty resides in the person, and then apply our understanding of government (its essential role is to defend Life, Liberty and Property).

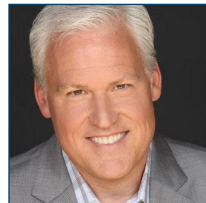
Because our ratings are designed to educate the public about how consistently elected officials adhere to conservatism, we carefully examine the entire docket of legislation introduced in each state every year. We select the most meaningful bills and publish the results after the dust has settled. ACUF state ratings—launched in 2011 with ratings for five states—have become a nationally recognized resource for evaluating over 8,000 elected officials comprising each of America's 99 state legislative chambers.

Each election cycle, Tennesseans choose leaders whose vision for the state most closely matches their own, hoping that candidates' promises will be kept. ACUF's ratings measure whether those promises were fulfilled or forsaken. With nearly a decade of data on state legislators' voting records and average scores for every legislative chamber, citizens in every state can assess how effectively their lawmakers have applied conservative philosophy to the role of government.

We at ACUF believe, as Ronald Reagan once said, that freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We hope that by providing this unique tool, these ratings will empower Americans to exercise their right to protect our unique American democracy from tyranny.

Sincerely,

Matt Schlapp  
Chairman  
American Conservative Union Foundation



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## SELECTING THE VOTES

ACU researched and selected a range of bills before the South Dakota Legislature that determine a member's adherence to conservative principles. We selected bills that focus on Ronald Reagan's philosophy of the "three-legged stool": **1) fiscal and economic:** taxes, budgets, regulation, spending, healthcare, and property; **2) social and cultural:** 2nd amendment, religion, life, welfare, and education; and **3) government integrity:** voting, individual liberty, privacy, and transparency. This wide range of issues are designed to give citizens an accurate assessment that conveys which of South Dakota's elected leaders best defend the principles of a free society: Life, Liberty and Property.

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## 2018 WINNERS & LOSERS

### 90-100% AWARD FOR CONSERVATIVE EXCELLENCE

#### SENATE

JENSEN

NELSON

TAPIO

#### HOUSE

BRUNNER

CLARK

CONZET

DENNERT

DISANTO

HOWARD

JAMISON

### <= 10% COALITION OF THE RADICAL LEFT

#### SENATE

n/a

#### HOUSE

n/a

### 80-89% AWARD FOR CONSERVATIVE ACHIEVEMENT

#### SENATE

BOLIN

CURD

GREENFIELD

MONROE

NETHERTON

OTTEN

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#### HOUSE

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KETTWIG

LATTERELL

LIVERMONT

MAY

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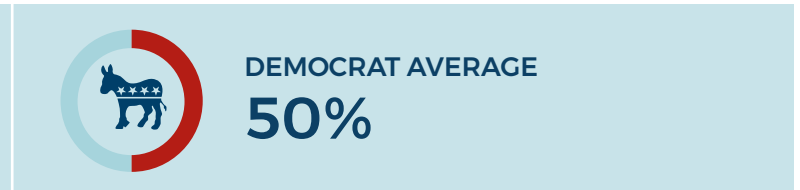
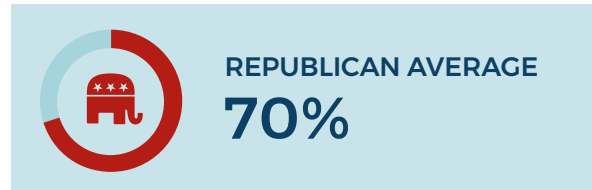
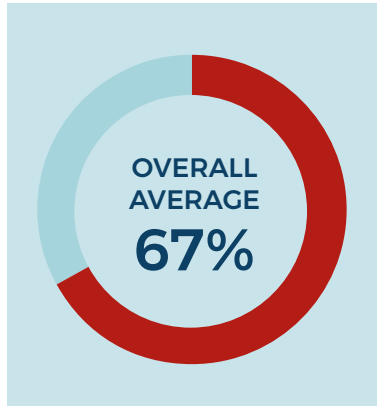
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# SOUTH DAKOTA SENATE STATISTICS



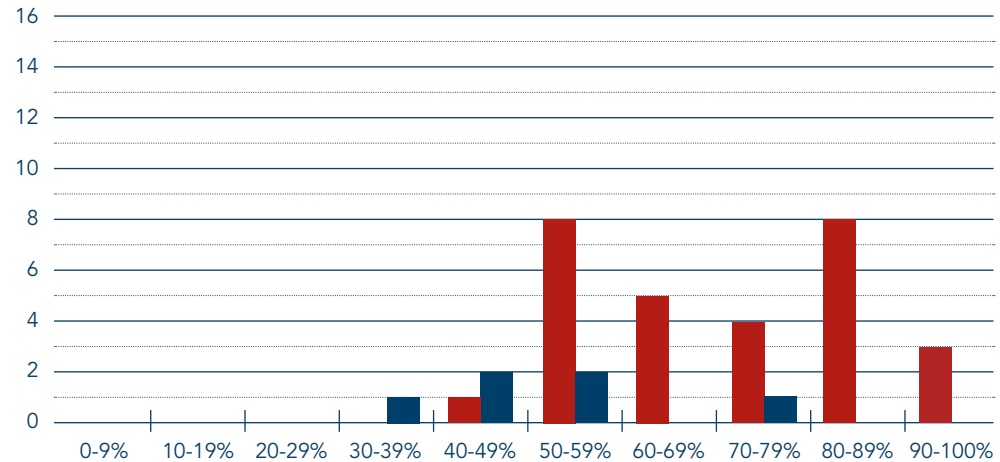
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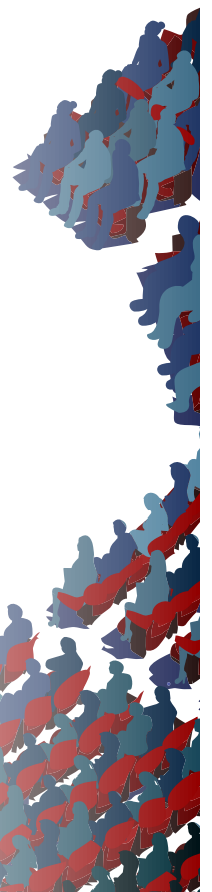
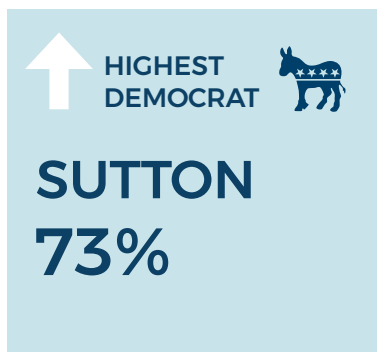
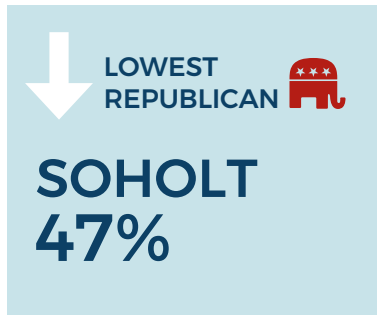
BLUE = DEMOCRATS



# OF STATE SENATORS



2018 ACUF PERCENTAGE





## SOUTH DAKOTA SENATE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS

1. **SCR 2 Reaffirming the Right to Work.** This resolution reaffirms the right to work provisions within both the South Dakota Constitution and Labor Management Relations Act which protect an individual from forced union membership. ACU supports the right to work without joining a union and supported this resolution. The resolution passed the Senate on January 22, 2018 by a vote of 28-5.

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2. **SB 84 Increasing Government Transparency by Requiring Disclosure of Settlement Agreements.** This bill is designed to increase government transparency by preventing local governments from withholding or keeping secret any settlement agreements. Under the bill, any lawsuit that a local government settles is open to public record requests (except personal or other security-related records). ACU supports increased government transparency and believes that those who pay out these settlements (taxpayers) have a right to know how their funds are used and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 1, 2018 by a vote of 21-13.

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3. **SB 137 Permitting Minors to Hunt with a Guardian.** This bill allows individuals under 16 years of age to hunt if they are accompanied by a hunting "mentor," which is defined as a parent, guardian or other competent adult. The hunting mentor must be a resident of South Dakota, have completed a hunting safety course, and hold a valid hunting license. ACU supports hunting reforms that expand individual liberties and help minors learn safe hunting practices and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 5, 2018 by a vote of 30-4.

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4. **HB 1026 Reducing Licensing Requirements for Cosmetologists.** This bill reduces from 2,100 to 1,500 the number of educational/credit hours an individual wishing to practice cosmetology must obtain from a licensed school of cosmetology. In addition, the bill decreases the number of hours required for an apprenticeship, and makes it easier to work as a cosmetology instructor. ACU opposes the proliferation of licensing requirements which are primarily designed to restrict competition and supported this bill as a step in the right direction. The Senate passed the bill on February 5, 2018 by a vote of 34-0.

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5. **SB 110 Strengthening Pre-Abortion Counseling to Protect Life.** This bill amends the state's pre-abortion counseling law so as to ensure a woman is properly educated on the fact that "an abortion will terminate the life of a whole, separate, unique, living human being." The bill also details the non-compliance of Planned Parenthood's pre-abortion counseling and the statements made by the organization, including the line: "Politicians in South Dakota require us to tell you the following." ACU believes abortion is a human tragedy, supports restrictions on the practice and informing patients and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 6, 2018 by a vote of 27-8.

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6. **SR2 Affirming the Property Rights of South Dakotans.** This resolution affirms the legislature's support for strong property right protections for all South Dakotans, including protections against the abuse of eminent domain as permitted under the disastrous Supreme Court decision in *Kelo v. City of New London*. ACU Foundation's Center for 21st Century Property Rights is a leading voice on these issues and works to protect the property rights of all Americans. ACU believes the power of eminent domain should be strictly limited, that property owners should be properly compensated, and property should never be taken for private interests and supported this resolution. The Senate failed to pass the resolution on February 22, 2018 by a vote of 15-20.

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7. **SB 173 Easing Regulations on Craft Breweries.** This bill reduces numerous anti-competitive regulatory barriers within the craft brewing industry. Under the bill, the annual production limit for a craft brewer is increased from 5,000 barrels to 30,000 barrels, and brewers are able to self-distribute up to 1,500 barrels in the state and sell directly to a retail outlet (both previously prohibited). ACU believes in a free market for all beverages and supported this bill as a step in the right direction. The Senate passed the bill on February 22, 2018 by a vote of 35-0.

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8. **SB 193 Banning Sanctuary Cities.** This bill prohibits any local government from adopting sanctuary policies which prevent local authorities from cooperating with federal immigration authorities and authorizes the state's attorney general to fine localities that fail to comply. ACU supports the enforcement of federal immigration laws and supported this bill. The Senate defeated the bill on February 23, 2018 by a vote of 15-20.

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9. **HB 1157 Permitting Alcohol Manufacturers to Sponsor Events.** This bill allows alcohol manufacturers to sponsor events held by charitable, civic or veterans groups. ACU supports expanding free speech, believes charities are the best governor of their sponsors, and supports promoting charitable actions by reducing regulatory burdens and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on February 27, 2018 by a vote of 34-0.
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10. **HB 1199 Barring Collective Bargaining at State Institutions of Higher Education.** This bill prohibits collective bargaining for all Board of Regents employees at the state's institutions of higher education and specialty schools. ACU opposes public sector collective bargaining which raises tuition rates and taxpayer costs and supported this bill. The Senate defeated the bill on February 27, 2018 by a vote of 16-18.
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11. **HB 1271 Permitting Individuals to Carry Firearms in Non-Public Schools and Churches.** This bill expands Second Amendment rights by lifting the government ban on an individual carrying a firearm in a non-public school, church or house of worship. ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 1, 2018 by a vote of 28-6.
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12. **HB 1083 Expanding Concealed Carry Reciprocity.** This bill establishes a new "enhanced" concealed carry license which allows individuals to carry a concealed firearm in neighboring states such as Nebraska and Minnesota that currently don't recognize the state's "standard" concealed carry license. To obtain an enhanced concealed carry license, one must be at least 21 years old and submit to a fingerprint background check. ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 5, 2018 by a vote of 30-1.
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13. **HB 1056 Hiking Property Taxes to Expand Spending.** This bill hikes the maximum tax levy that a municipality can assess on a property owner in order to further increase education spending. ACU opposes this costly tax hike, especially after the passage of HB 1182 in 2016, which increased the state's sales tax in order to increase education spending and provide teacher pay raises and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 8, 2018 by a vote of 29-3.
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14. **HB 1320 Increasing Spending within the FY 2019 Budget.** This budget bill provides yet another increase in spending (up 12 percent from 2016 levels) and provides numerous pay increases for government officials as well as higher appropriations for Medicaid. Increasing per capita Medicaid spending has a negative impact on the economy and family prosperity, which is illustrated by the ACU Foundation's Family Prosperity Index. ACU believes the state should rein in spending and use any increased revenue collections to reduce taxes (which were significantly hiked in 2015-2016) and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 9, 2018 by a vote of 29-3.
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15. **SB 94 Equalizing Opportunities for Homeschooled Students.** This bill makes homeschooled students eligible for the state's Opportunity Scholarship Program if they meet the same eligibility requirements as public and private school students, such as SAT or ACT scores. ACU supports increasing opportunities for homeschooled students and equal treatment relative to those who attend public schools and supported this bill. The Senate failed to override the governor's veto on March 26, 2018 by a vote of 21-10 (two-thirds of the entire Senate was needed).
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# SOUTH DAKOTA SENATE SCORES

## SOUTH DAKOTA SENATE VOTE DETAIL

	Party	Dist.	SCR 2	SB 84	SB 137	HB 1026	SB 110	SR 2	SB 173	SB 193	HB 1157	HB 1199	HB 1271	HB 1083	HB 1056	HB 1320	SB 94	ACU Votes	Votes Cast	2018 %	2017 %	LIFETIME AVG
BOLIN	R	16	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	12	15	80%	59%	66%
CAMMACK	R	29	E	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	9	14	64%	68%	68%
CRONIN	R	23	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	E	-	-	-	7	14	50%	64%	52%
CURD	R	12	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	-	+	12	14	86%	76%	74%
EWING	R	31	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	-	8	15	53%	68%	61%
Frerichs	D	1	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	7	15	47%	43%	36%
GREENFIELD	R	2	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	13	15	87%	91%	78%
HAYERLY	R	35	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	E	8	14	57%	68%	59%
Heinert	D	26	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	E	7	14	50%	36%	32%
JENSEN	R	33	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	14	15	93%	95%	91%
Kennedy	D	18	-	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	6	15	40%	n/a	40%
Killer	D	27	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	-	+	E	-	+	8	14	57%	42%	33%
KLUMB	R	20	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	11	15	73%	86%	73%
KOLBECK	R	13	+	-	-	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	9	15	60%	n/a	60%
LANGER	R	25	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	11	15	73%	67%	68%
MAHER	R	28	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	11	15	73%	77%	84%
MONROE	R	24	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	12	15	80%	82%	72%
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Nesiba	D	15	-	E	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	-	-	E	-	-	E	4	12	33%	n/a	33%
NETHERTON	R	10	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	13	15	87%	100%	84%
NOVSTRUP	R	3	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	+	10	15	67%	77%	74%
OTTEN	R	6	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	13	15	87%	77%	78%
PARTRIDGE	R	34	E	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	E	-	-	-	8	13	62%	71%	57%
PETERS	R	9	+	-	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	E	8	14	57%	64%	54%
RUSCH	R	17	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	+	10	15	67%	68%	64%
RUSSELL	R	30	+	+	E	E	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	11	13	85%	77%	82%





### SOUTH DAKOTA SENATE VOTE DETAIL

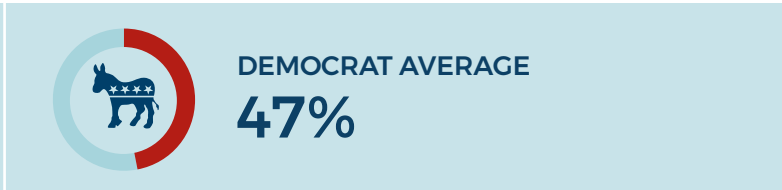
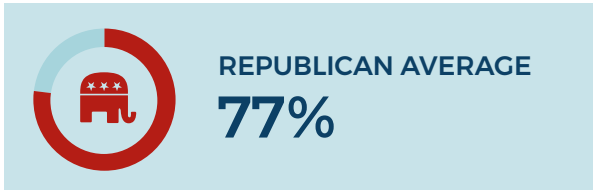
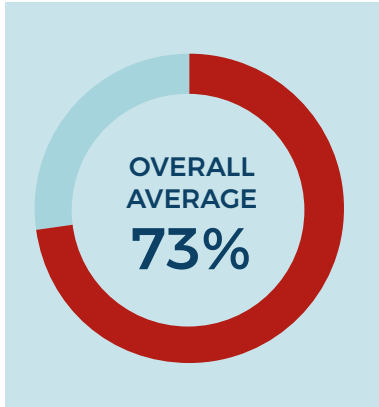
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STALZER	R	11	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	12	15	80%	82%	79%
Sutton	D	21	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	11	15	73%	41%	49%
TAPIO	R	5	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	E	-	+	12	13	92%	n/a	92%
TIDEMANN	R	7	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	-	8	15	53%	55%	46%
WHITE	R	22	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	-	8	15	53%	55%	56%
WIIK	R	4	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	11	15	73%	73%	68%
YOUNGBERG	R	8	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	E	+	-	-	+	8	14	57%	n/a	57%

“+” Member voted with ACU’s position  
 “-” Member voted against ACU’s position  
 “X” Member was absent for vote  
 “E” Member was excused for vote

† Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result the 2018 percentage was not rated. 2/3rds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.



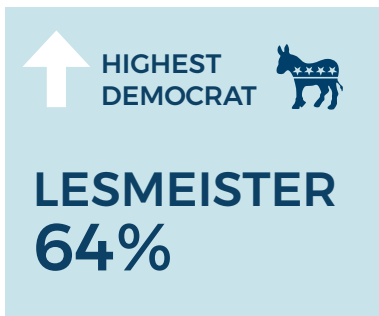
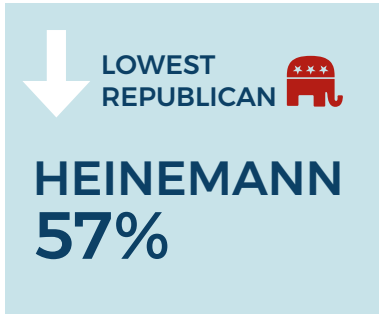
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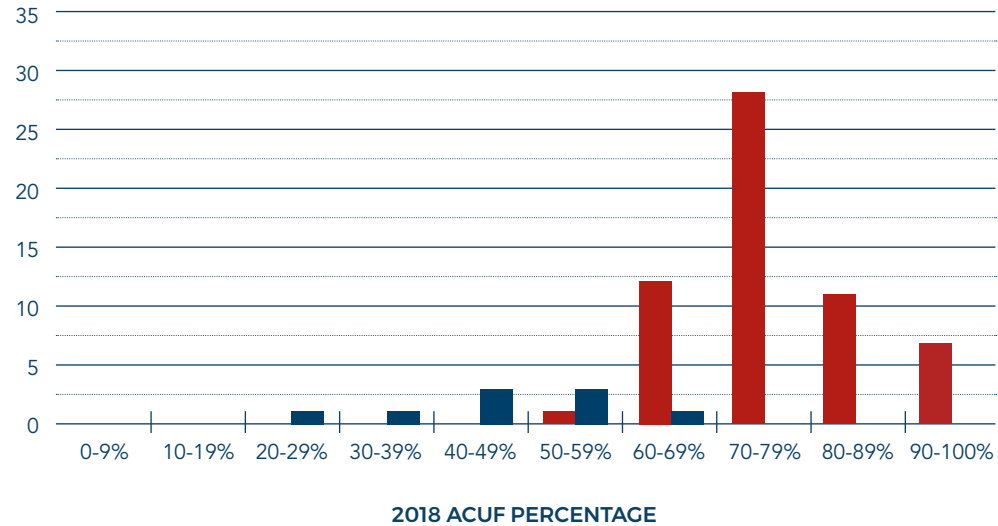
## SOUTH DAKOTA HOUSE CONSERVATIVE RATINGS

RED = REPUBLICANS

BLUE = DEMOCRATS



# OF STATE REPS





## SOUTH DAKOTA HOUSE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS

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2. **SCR 2 Reaffirming the Right to Work.** This resolution reaffirms the right to work provisions within both the South Dakota Constitution and Labor Management Relations Act which protect an individual from forced union membership. ACU supports the right to work without joining a union and supported this resolution. The House passed the resolution on January 30, 2018 by a vote of 59-9.

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3. **HB 1157 Permitting Alcohol Manufacturers to Sponsor Events.** This bill allows alcohol manufacturers to sponsor events held by charitable, civic or veterans groups. ACU believes charities are the best governor of their sponsors, supports expanding free speech and promoting charitable actions by reducing regulatory burdens and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 7, 2018 by a vote of 40-27.

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4. **HB 1199 Barring Collective Bargaining at State Institutions of Higher Education.** This bill prohibits collective bargaining for all Board of Regents employees at the state's institutions of higher education and specialty schools. ACU opposes public sector collective bargaining which raises tuition rates and taxpayer costs and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 13, 2018 by a vote of 37-28.

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5. **HB 1250 Raising the Smoking Age to 21 Years.** This bill raises the smoking age for cigarettes and other tobacco products from 18 to 21 years of age. ACU opposes this arbitrary age restriction that is above the age required to vote or serve one's country in the armed forces and opposed this bill. The House failed to pass the bill on February 14, 2018 by a vote of 21-45.

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6. **HB 1271 Permitting Individuals to Carry Firearms in Non-Public Schools and Churches.** This bill expands Second Amendment rights by lifting the government ban on an individual carrying a firearm in a non-public school, church or house of worship. ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 14, 2018 by a vote of 57-7.

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7. **HB 1150 Mandating Crew Sizes on Trains.** This bill mandates that every freight train or "light engine" train carry a two-person crew. ACU opposes this mandate which drives up the cost of business and creates different rules for trains operating across state lines and opposed this bill. The House defeated the bill on February 21, 2018 by a vote of 12-53.

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8. **SB 110 Strengthening Pre-Abortion Counseling to Protect Life.** This bill amends the state's pre-abortion counseling law to ensure a woman is properly educated on the fact that "an abortion will terminate the life of a whole, separate, unique, living human being." The bill also details the non-compliance of Planned Parenthood's pre-abortion counseling and the statements made by the organization, including the line: "Politicians in South Dakota require us to tell you the following." ACU believes abortion is a human tragedy, supports restrictions on the practice and informing patients and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 26, 2018 by a vote of 56-9.

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9. **SB 94 Equalizing Opportunities for Homeschooled Students.** This bill makes homeschooled students eligible for the state's Opportunity Scholarship Program if they meet the same eligibility requirements as public and private school students, such as SAT or ACT scores. ACU supports increasing opportunities for homeschoolers and equal treatment relative to those who attend public schools and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on February 27, 2018 by a vote of 64-1, but it was vetoed by the governor.

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10. **SB 137 Permitting Minors to Hunt with a Guardian.** This bill allows individuals under 16 years of age to hunt if they are accompanied by a hunting "mentor," which is defined as a parent, guardian or other competent adult. The hunting mentor must be a resident of South Dakota, have completed a hunting safety course, and hold a valid hunting license. ACU supports hunting reforms that expand individual liberties and help minors learn safe hunting practices and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on March 5, 2018 by a vote of 44-20.

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11. **SB 173 Easing Regulations on Craft Breweries.** This bill reduces numerous anti-competitive regulatory barriers within the craft brewing industry. Under the bill, the annual production limit for a craft brewer is increased from 5,000 barrels to 30,000 barrels, and brewers are able to self-distribute up to 1,500 barrels in the state and sell directly to a retail outlet (both previously prohibited). ACU believes in a free market for all beverages and supported this bill as a step in the right direction. The House passed the bill on March 6, 2018 by a vote of 63-3.
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12. **HB 1083 Expanding Concealed Carry Reciprocity.** This bill establishes a new "enhanced" concealed carry license which allows individuals to carry a concealed firearm in neighboring states such as Nebraska and Minnesota that currently don't recognize the state's "standard" concealed carry license. To obtain an enhanced concealed carry license, one must be at least 21 years old and submit to a fingerprint background check. ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on March 7, 2018 by a vote of 63-3.
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13. **HB 1056 Hiking Property Taxes to Expand Spending.** This bill hikes the maximum tax levy that a municipality can assess on a property owner in order to further increase education spending. ACU opposes this costly tax hike, especially after the passage of HB 1182 in 2016, which increased the state's sales tax in order to increase education spending and provide teacher pay raises and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on March 8, 2018 by a vote of 50-15.
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14. **HB 1320 Increasing Spending within the FY 2019 Budget.** This budget bill provides yet another increase in spending (up 12 percent from 2016 levels) and provides numerous pay increases for government officials as well as higher appropriations for Medicaid. Increasing per capita Medicaid spending has a negative impact on the economy and family prosperity, which is illustrated by the ACU Foundation's Family Prosperity Index. ACU believes the state should rein in spending and use any increased revenue collections to reduce taxes (which were significantly hiked in 2015-2016) and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on March 9, 2018 by a vote of 49-17.
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# SOUTH DAKOTA HOUSE SCORES

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Ahlers	D	25	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	7	14	50%	n/a	50%
ANDERSON	R	16	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	11	13	85%	60%	63%
BARTELS	R	5	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
BARTHEL	R	10	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
Bartling	D	21	+	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	8	14	57%	52%	38%
BEAL	R	12	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	-	9	14	64%	71%	68%
Bordeaux	D	26A	+	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	E	E	E	+	-	-	3	11	27%	32%	21%
BRUNNER	R	29	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	14	93%	76%	81%
CAMPBELL	R	35	+	+	-	E	E	E	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	8	11	73%	76%	77%
CARSON	R	20	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	65%
CHASE	R	22	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	n/a	79%
CLARK	R	9	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	13	14	93%	n/a	93%
CONZET	R	32	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	E	11	12	92%	43%	65%
DENNERT	R	3	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	14	93%	n/a	93%
DIEDRICH	R	34	+	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	14	64%	n/a	64%
DISANTO	R	35	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	14	93%	84%	82%
DUVALL	R	24	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	13	69%	57%	58%
FRYE-MUELLER	R	30	-	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	14	79%	n/a	79%
GLANZER	R	22	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
GOODWIN	R	30	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	E	+	E	+	+	+	+	10	12	83%	n/a	83%
GOSCH	R	23	-	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	10	13	77%	n/a	77%
GREENFIELD	R	2	-	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	14	79%	75%	79%
HAUGAARD	R	10	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	E	-	-	9	13	69%	81%	74%
Hawley	D	7	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	8	14	57%	38%	31%
HEINEMANN	R	8	-	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	8	14	57%	71%	64%



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HOLMES	R	14	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	71%	56%
HOWARD	R	33	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	13	14	93%	n/a	93%
HUNHOFF	R	18	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	9	14	64%	45%	53%
JAMISON	R	12	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	E	-	12	13	92%	n/a	92%
JENSEN	R	16	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	n/a	79%
JOHNS	R	31	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	9	14	64%	48%	55%
JOHNSON	R	33	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	14	64%	n/a	64%
KAISER	R	3	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	11	14	79%	86%	80%
KARR	R	11	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	n/a	79%
KETTWIG	R	4	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	12	14	86%	n/a	86%
LAKE	R	23	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
LATTERELL	R	6	-	+	-	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	13	85%	86%	80%
Lesmeister	D	28A	+	-	+	E	E	E	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	7	11	64%	n/a	64%
LIVERMONT	R	27	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	14	86%	n/a	86%
LUST	R	34	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	14	64%	57%	60%
MARTY	R	28B	-	+	-	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	11	14	79%	76%	77%
MAY	R	27	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+	11	13	85%	81%	76%
McCleerey	D	1	+	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	6	14	43%	33%	31%
McPHERSON	R	32	+	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	1	1	n/a†	n/a	n/a
MICKELSON	R	13	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	71%	65%
MILLS	R	4	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
OTTEN	R	6	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	12	14	86%	60%	70%
PETERSON, K.	R	19	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	71%	65%
PETERSON, S.	R	13	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
PISCHKE	R	25	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	12	14	86%	n/a	86%
QUALM	R	21	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	86%	80%
RASMUSSEN	R	17	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	E	+	E	E	E	8	10	80%	71%	66%
REED	R	7	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%



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ROUNDS	R	24	+	+	-	-	+	+	E	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	13	69%	52%	63%
ROZUM	R	20	+	+	E	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	13	69%	57%	55%
SCHAEFER	R	26B	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	57%	65%
SCHOENFISH	R	19	+	+	+	-	+	E	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	9	13	69%	71%	65%
Smith	D	15	+	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	5	14	36%	n/a	36%
Soli	D	15	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	0	0	n/a†	39%	24%
STEINHAUER	R	9	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	12	14	86%	67%	65%
STEVENS	R	18	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	E	+	-	+	+	-	-	8	13	62%	43%	48%
TULSON	R	2	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	E	+	+	+	-	-	10	13	77%	62%	60%
TURBIVILLE	R	31	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	E	E	+	-	-	9	12	75%	n/a	75%
WIESE	R	8	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	n/a	79%
WILLADSEN	R	11	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	11	14	79%	67%	66%
Wismer	D	1	+	-	+	E	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	6	13	46%	29%	33%
YORK	R	5	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	10	14	71%	n/a	71%
ZIKMUND	R	14	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	12	14	86%	68%	71%

“+” Member voted with ACU’s position  
 “-” Member voted against ACU’s position  
 “X” Member was absent for vote  
 “E” Member was excused for vote

† Legislator did not vote on enough of the selected bills and as a result the 2018 percentage was not rated. 2/3rds of the selected bills must be voted on to receive a score.