



# THE SOUTH CAROLINA BLUES FEDERAL POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

May 2018

## Who Represents South Carolina in the US Congress?



**SEN. LINDSEY GRAHAM**

Serving Since: January 7, 2003  
Re-election: 2020

Member of these Senate Committees:

- Appropriations
- Judiciary
- Armed Services
- Budget

Senior Senator



**SEN. TIM SCOTT**

Serving Since: January 3, 2013  
Re-election: 2022

Member of these Senate Committees:

- Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
- Finance
- Armed Services
- Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
- Small Business and Entrepreneurship
- Special Committee on Aging

Junior Senator

*Each state elects two senators that serve staggered six-year terms where they both represent the entire state.*



1<sup>st</sup> District

**Rep. Mark Sanford**

Committees  
Appropriations  
Judiciary  
Armed Services  
Budget



2<sup>nd</sup> District

**Rep. Joe Wilson**

Committees  
Education and Workforce  
Armed Services  
Foreign Affairs



3<sup>rd</sup> District

**Rep. Jeff Duncan**

Committees  
Energy and Commerce



4<sup>th</sup> District

**Rep. Trey Gowdy**

Committees  
Oversight and Government Reform  
Judiciary  
Intelligence



5<sup>th</sup> District

**Rep. Ralph Norman**

Committees  
Science, Space, and Technology  
Small Business



6<sup>th</sup> District

**Rep. Jim Clyburn**

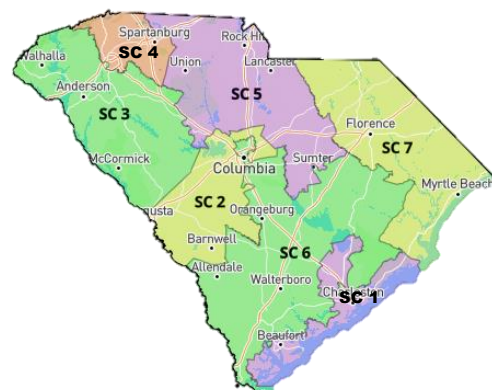
House Assistant  
Democratic Leader



7<sup>th</sup> District

**Rep. Tom Rice**

Committees  
Ways and Means



*All district seats are up for re-election in 2018. Each district elects a representative to the House for a two-year term. Representatives are called congressmen/congresswomen.*



Thank you to SC Blues FedPAC members who attended the South Carolina Democratic Party’s Blue Palmetto Dinner. It was a great night with delicious food and networking with elected officials and hearing the Democratic Party’s vision for the future. Attendees heard from South Carolina Congressman Jim Clyburn, Kentucky’s Secretary of State Alison Grimes, Ohio Congressman Tim Ryan, and other members from the SCDP.

## UPCOMING PAC EVENTS

*Please RSVP via the PAC website. Additional events are added regularly.*

**PAC Breakfast @ Percival**  
Tuesday, May 1, 2018

**Lunch ‘n Learn @ Pipeline**  
Tuesday, May 8, 2018

**PAC Breakfast @ GPC**  
Friday, May 11, 2018

**Lunch ‘n Learn @ Clemson Road**  
Tuesday, May 15, 2018

**Lunch ‘n Learn @ Vantage Way (TN)**  
Thursday, June 14, 2018



**Diana Dzingleski**

Team Lead, Release Coordination

## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

“I got involved with the SC Blues FedPAC for two reasons. The first is that the political environment in this country has become more polarized then ever and everyone appears to be playing partisan politics. I felt that it was important to show bi-partisan support and since the SC Blues FedPAC is a bi-partisan organization, I felt that was the best way to get involved. The second reason is that my son Robert will be voting for the first time in this election cycle and I have been trying to educate him on the importance of understanding the issues, doing independent research on the candidates and getting involved. There is no better way to educate your child than by setting a good example. How could I have asked him to get involved if I was not willing to do so myself?”

## WHAT IS THE SC BLUES FEDPAC?

The SC Blues FedPAC provides us a platform to speak to lawmakers — in a unified voice that they will hear. It gives BlueCross a stronger voice in Washington. It also gives employees a way to participate in the political process. SC Blues FedPAC contributes to candidates and elected officials who are open to our views on healthcare policy issues that are important to BlueCross, our members, and our employees. These contributions are made in accordance with election laws regardless of party affiliation. Participation in the PAC is completely voluntary and is not favored or disadvantaged in anyone’s employment because of a decision to participate, the amount of participation, or a decision to not contribute at all.

