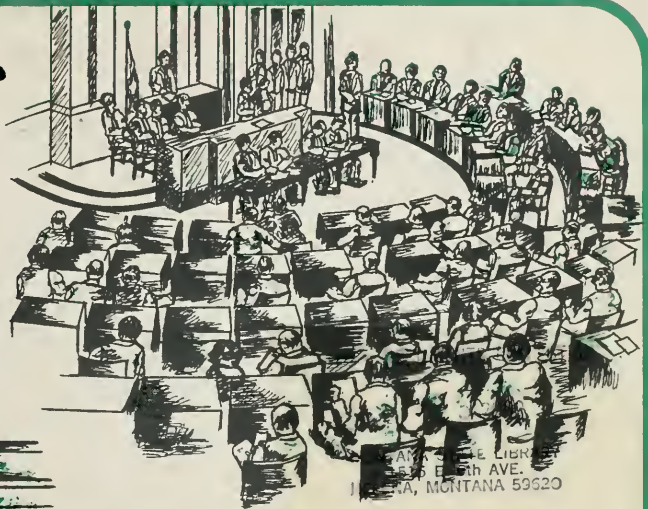


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# INTRODUCTION

The Montana Legislature is comprised of a 50-member Senate and of a 100-member House of Representatives. The Legislature meets every odd-numbered year for 90 days. The Legislature convenes in Helena at noon on the first Monday in January; if Monday happens to be January 1, the Legislature convenes on the first Wednesday.

Members of the Senate serve four-year terms; half of them are elected every two years. House members are elected every two years. While the Legislature is in session, members receive \$34.98 per day in salary and \$40 per day in expenses.

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Pat Williams (D) .....	U.S. Congressman, Western District
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Frank Murray (D) .....	Secretary of State
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E.V. "Sonny" Omholt (R) .....	State Auditor
Georgia Ruth Rice (D) .....	Superintendent of Public Instruction
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**50 Members**

**26 Republicans  
24 Democrats**

**49 Men  
1 Woman**

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Phone: 434-5310

Business address: Box 32, Galata 59444

Phone: 432-3915

Helena address: 807 8th Ave.

Phone: 442-7527

Occupation: Farmer-Rancher

Born December 9, 1934

Wife's name: Beth; three children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Finance & Claims

Labor & Employment Relations

## **ANDERSON, MIKE — (R) District 40**

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Phone: 587-4254

Helena address: 1705 Wilder

Phone: 442-3587

Occupation: Rancher—Insurance Agent

Born April 9, 1939

Wife's name: Jeannie; five children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Bills & Journal

Fish & Game

Education

Judiciary

## **BLAYLOCK, CHET — (D) District 35**

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Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 931 East State

Phone: 443-4419

Occupation: Teacher

Born November 13, 1924

Wife's name: Milly; five children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Education

Rules

## **BOYLAN, PAUL F. — (D) District 38**

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Phone: 586-5531

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 2020 East 5th

Phone: 442-3152

Occupation: Farmer-Rancher

Born June 26, 1919

Wife's name: Mildred; three children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1969-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Finance & Claims

**BROWN, BOB — (R) District 10**

Home address: Route 2, Whitefish 59937

Phone: 862-2822

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 802 Broadway

Phone: 443-5305

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born December 11, 1947

Wife's name: Susan Kay

Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74; Senate,  
1975-77

Standing committee assignments:

Bills & Journal

Education, Chairman

State Administration

Taxation

**BROWN, STEVE — (D) District 15**

Home address: 917 Cannon, Helena 59601

Phone: 443-5108

Business address: 1400 11th Ave., Helena 59601

Phone: 442-8711

Helena address: Same as above

Occupation: Attorney

Born May 19, 1947

Wife's name: Sharon; one child

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary

Legislative Administration

Natural Resources

**CONOVER, MAX — (D) District 36**

Home address: Broadview 59015

Phone: 667-4396

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1101 11th Ave.

Phone: 442-8191

Occupation: Farmer-Rancher

Born November 2, 1912

Wife's name: Laverne; three children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Local Government

**DOVER, HAROLD L. — (R) District 24**

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Phone: 538-5653

Business address: 620 Crowley, Lewistown

Phone: 538-8763

Helena address: 836 12th

Phone: 443-4212

Occupation: Building Contractor

Born October 1, 1933

Wife's name: Marian; three children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Bills & Journal; Chairman

Business & Industry

Labor & Employment Relations

Natural Resources, Vice Chairman

**ETCHART, MARK — (R) District 2**

Home address: 514 6th Ave. N., Glasgow 59230

Phone: 228-2181

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 705 6th Ave.

Phone: 442-6377

Occupation: Rancher

Born September 31, 1923

Wife's name: Delores; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1961-63-67; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Finance & Claims

Highways & Transportation, Chairman

Natural Resources

**FASBENDER, LARRY — (D) District 17**

Home address: Rt. 1, Box 23, Fort Shaw 59443

Phone: 264-3045

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 4 Wood Court

Occupation: Farmer

Born August 18, 1942

Wife's name: Retta Rae; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71-73-74;  
Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Finance & Claims

**GALT, JACK E. — (R) District 23**

Home address: Martinsdale 59053

Phone: 572-3350

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 309 N. Ewing

Phone: 442-8745

Occupation: Rancher

Born April 18, 1923

Wife's name: Louise; seven children

Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture, Chairman

Committee on Committees, Chairman

Fish & Game, Vice Chairman

Judiciary

**GOODOVER, PAT M. — (R) District 22**

Home address: 803 Forest Ave., Great Falls 59404

Phone: 453-2186

Business address: 1124 Central Ave., Great Falls

Phone: 727-8222

Helena address: 714 Cherry

Phone: 442-4251

Occupation: Travel Agent—Real Estate Broker

Born September 17, 1916

Wife's name: Skip

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry, Vice Chairman

Fish & Game

Taxation, Vice Chairman

**GRAHAM, CARROLL A. — (D) District 29**

Home address: Rural Route, Lodge Grass 59050

Phone: 639-2679

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 400 S. Roberts

Phone: 442-6933

Occupation: Rancher

Born December 14, 1913

Wife's name: Nelle Yvette; two children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1961-63-65-67-69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Highways & Transportation

Legislative Administration

Rules

**HAFFERMAN, WILLIAM F. — (D) District 11**

Home address: Rt. 3, Box 1274, Libby 59923

Phone: 293-4825

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 2217 9th Ave.

Phone: 442-0609

Occupation: Retired

Born November 12, 1908

Wife's name: Agnes; two children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1961-63-65-67-69-71-79

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations

State Administration

**HAGER, THOMAS O. — (R) District 30**

Home address: 150 Norris Ct., Billings 59101

Phone: 252-3960

Business address: Box 1767, Billings 59103

Phone: 373-5858

Helena address: 1824 Fifth

Phone: 442-4039

Occupation: Egg Producer

Born February 2, 1938

Wife's name: Connye; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74-75; Senate, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Business & Industry

Highways & Transportation, Vice Chairman

Taxation

**HAZELBAKER, FRANK — (R) District 41**

Home address: Box 430, Dillon 59725

Phone: 683-5343

Business address: 15 S. Idaho, Dillon

Phone: 683-4212

Helena address: 301 W. Lawrence

Phone: 449-5500

Occupation: Insurance

Born August 5, 1912

Wife's name: Agnes; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1941-43-45-61-63; Senate, 1967-69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry, Chairman

Highways & Transportation

Legislative Administration, Vice Chairman

Rules, Vice Chairman

**HEALY, JOHN E. (JACK) — (D) District 44**

Home address: 624 W. Granite St., Butte 59701

Phone: 723-4927

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Retired

Born September 23, 1907

Wife's name: Irene; one child

Service in Legislature: House, 1961-63-65-67-69-  
71-73-74; Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Highways & Transportation

Judiciary

**HIMSL, MATT — (R) District 9**

Home address: 305 4th Ave. E., Kalispell 59901

Phone: 257-2492

Business address: 4th Ave. E. & Center St., Kalispell

Phone: 257-6950

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Retired

Born September 17, 1912

Wife's name: Lois; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71; Senate,  
1973-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Finance & Claims, Chairman

Public Health

**JERGESON, GREG — (D) District 3**

Home address: Box 8, Star Rt. 71, Chinook 59523

Phone: 357-2518

Business address: Farm number

Phone: 357-3483

Helena address: 24 S. Ewing, B-23

Phone: 443-6022

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born December 29, 1950

Not married

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Natural Resources

Rules

State Administration

**KOLSTAD, ALLEN C. — (R) District 5**

Home address: Box 648, Chester 59522

Phone: 627-2211

Business address: Same as above

Phone: 627-2223; 395-4244

Helena address: 801 Floweree

Phone: 442-7834

Occupation: Farmer-Rancher

Born December 24, 1931

Wife's name: Iva; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-74;  
Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture, Vice Chairman

Business & Industry

Committee on Committees

Highways & Transportation

Legislative Administration, Chairman

Rules



**LENSINK, EVERETT R. — (R) District 39**

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Phone: 587-4306

Business address: 300 No. Willson, Bozeman

Phone: 587-1245

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Physician (Ophthalmology)

Born February 27, 1930

Wife's name: Mary; four children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary, Chairman

Public Health

**LOCKREM, LLOYD C., Jr. — (R) District 32**

Home address: 2750 Gregory Drive South, Billings  
59102

Phone: 656-4453

Business address: 123 S. 23, Billings

Phone: 252-9307

Helena address: Coach House Inn

Phone: 442-6080

Occupation: Contractor

Born November 10, 1934

Wife's name: Rose; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-74-75;  
Senate, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Finance & Claims

Local Government, Vice Chairman

Natural Resources

**LOWE, WILLIAM R. — (R) District 33**

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Phone: 248-8194

Business address: Box 1956, Billings 59103

Phone: 245-6119

Helena address: 1109 Breckenridge

Phone: 442-2627

Occupation: Construction & Properties

Born February 21, 1915

Wife's name: Connie; three children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1971-73-74-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Labor & Employment Relations, Chairman

Natural Resources

**McCALLUM, GEORGE — (R) District 12**

Home address: Niarada 59852

Phone: 741-5677

Business address: Plains 59859

Phone: 826-3081

Helena address: 222 Meadow Drive

Phone: 442-3674

Occupation: Rancher

Born July 8, 1919

Wife's name: Verdie; four children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1971-73-74-75-  
77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Committee on Committees

Education

Local Government, Chairman

Taxation

**MANLEY, JOHN E. — (D) District 14**

Home address: Drummond 59832

Phone: 288-3414

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 832½ Breckenridge

Phone: 443-6239

Occupation: Rancher

Born February 8, 1928

Wife's name: Janet; four children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Fish & Game

Natural Resources

Taxation

**MANNING, DAVE — (D) District 25**

Home address: Box 388, Hysham 59038

Phone: 342-5683

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 105 Carson

Phone: 443-1637

Occupation: Contractor

Born February 28, 1897

Wife's name: Ruth; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1933 through 1939;

Senate, 1941 through 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Highways & Transportation

Taxation

**MATHERS, WILLIAM L. — (R) District 26**

Home address: 314 So. Merriam, Miles City 59301

Phone: 232-4425

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 618 Madison

Phone: 442-6388

Occupation: Rancher

Born September 29, 1923

Wife's name: Charlotte; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1961-63; Senate,

1965-67-69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Rules

**MEHRENS, JOHN (SANDY) — (D) District 45**

Home address: 200 Hickory, Anaconda 59711

Phone: 563-2205

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Not available

Occupation: Retired

Born September 22, 1926

Wife's name: Helen; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71-73-74;

Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Labor & Employment Relations

**NELSON, HAROLD C. — (R) District 7**

Home address: 704 3rd St. S.E., Cut Bank 59427

Phone: 873-2168

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 400 Floweree

Phone: 442-2962

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born October 20, 1909

Wife's name: Lois; four children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Bills & Journal, Vice Chairman

Finance & Claims

Labor & Employment Relations, Vice Chairman

**O'HARA, JESSE — (R) District 18**

Home address: 257 21st Ave. N.W., Great Falls  
59404

Phone: 761-0088

Business Address: CMR High School 791-2377

Helena address: 541 Peosta

Phone: 443-1258

Occupation: Guidance Counselor

Born November 15, 1943

Not married

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Judiciary

Local Government

**NORMAN, BILL — (D) District 47**

Home address: 440 Connell Ave., Missoula 59801

Phone: 543-7914

Business address: Missoula General Hospital

Phone: 543-6771

Helena address: 1539 11th Ave.

Phone: 443-5949

Occupation: Physician

Born April 2, 1922

Wife's name: Laura; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Public Health

Taxation

**OLSON, S.A. — (R) District 28**

Home address: P.O. Box 928, Glendive 59330

Phone: 365-4141

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Physician

Born November 26, 1908

Widowed; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary, Vice Chairman

Public Health, Chairman

**PALMER, BOB — (D) District 48**

Home address: 228 Woodford, Missoula 59801

Phone: 728-0389

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1539 11th Ave.

Occupation: Teacher

Born May 16, 1943

Wife's name: Mary

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77; Senate,  
1979

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations

Public Health

**PETERSON, ROBERT R. — (D) District 42**

Home address: 3049 Atherton Lane, Butte 59701

Phone: 494-5951

Business address: 401 S. Main

Phone: 723-4788

Helena address: Not available

Occupation: Businessman

Born September 30, 1932

Wife's name: Lila Jean; four children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Bills & Journal

Business & Industry

Local Government

**RASMUSSEN, A.T. (TOM) — (R) District 16**

Home address: 731 Stuart, Helena 59601

Phone: 443-2588

Business address: 1300 N. Montana, Helena

Phone: 443-2121

Helena address: Same as above

Occupation: Optometrist

Born November 20, 1940

Wife's name: Karen; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975; Senate,  
1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Legislative Administration

Local Government

Public Health, Vice Chairman

State Administration

**REGAN, PAT — (D) District 31**

Home address: 204 Mountain View, Billings 59101

Phone: 259-8944

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 710 Harrison

Phone: 442-7409

Occupation: Teacher

Born September 21, 1923

Husband's name: Thomas; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Finance & Claims

**ROSKIE, GEORGE F. — (R) District 21**

Home address: 3440 6th Ave. So., Great Falls 59405

Phone: 761-6060

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 900 Lincoln Ave.

Phone: 442-4466

Occupation: Realtor

Born August 28, 1912

Wife's name: Norma; two children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Committee on Committees

Natural Resources, Chairman

State Administration, Vice Chairman

Taxation

**RYAN, PATRICK L. — (D) District 19**

Home address: 3104 2nd Ave. S., Great Falls 59405

Phone: 761-9667

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 819 No. Davis

Phone: 443-6048

Occupation: Parole Officer

Born May 15, 1928

Wife's name: Shirley; six children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977; Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Public Health

State Administration

**SEVERSON, ELMER — (R) District 46**

Home address: Box 28, Rt. 1, Stevensville 59870

Phone: 777-3313

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1412 N. Benton

Phone: 442-8205

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born May 3, 1922

Wife's name: Bea; six children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977; Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Labor & Employment Relations

Taxation

**SMITH, ED B. — (R) District 1**

Home address: R.R. 1, Box 11, Dagmar 59219

Phone: 483-5484

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 321 N. California

Phone: 442-2078

Occupation: Farmer—Businessman

Born May 7, 1920

Wife's name: Juliet; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education, Vice Chairman

Finance & Claims

Fish & Game, Chairman

Rules

**SMITH, RICHARD G. — (D) District 8**

Home address: Box 411, Columbia Falls 59912

Phone: 892-5998

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Not available

Occupation: Machinist

Born December 20, 1936

Wife's name: Myrna; five children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Labor & Employment Relations

**STEPHENS, STAN — (R) District 4**

Home address: 422 3rd Street, Havre 59501

Phone: 265-4919

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 801 Floweree

Phone: 442-6509

Occupation: Businessman

Born September 16, 1929

Wife's name: Ann; two children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1969-71-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Rules, Chairman

**STIMATZ, LAWRENCE G. — (D) District 43**

Home address: 1615 C. St., Box 3762, Butte 59701

Phone: 792-6979

Business address: Metals Building, Butte

Phone: 723-5493

Helena address: 2015 9th Ave.

Phone: 443-5740

Occupation: Lawyer

Born May 25, 1919

Wife's name: Peggy; eleven children

Service in Legislature: House, 1961-67-69; Senate,  
1979

Standing committee assignments:

Finance & Claims

Fish & Game

**STORY, PETER R. — (R) District 37**

Home address: Emigrant 59027

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Serendipity Apartments

Phone: 443-5470

Occupation: Rancher

Born December 19, 1932

Wife's name: Eileen; five children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1973-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Finance & Claims, Vice Chairman

Local Government

Natural Resources

State Administration, Chairman

**THIESSEN, CORNIE R. — (D) District 27**

Home address: Box 195, Lambert 59243

Phone: 774-3400

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1203 Winne Ave.

Phone: 442-8414

Occupation: Farmer-Rancher

Born July 7, 1910

Wife's name: Ailee; two children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1959-61-63-65-67-  
69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Finance & Claims  
Natural Resources  
Rules

**THOMAS, BILL — (D) District 20**

Home address: 3440 12th Ave. So., Great Falls  
59405

Phone: 761-8013

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 925 Maple

Phone: 443-7403

Occupation: Teacher

Born January 17, 1942

Wife's name: Patsie; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975; Senate,  
1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education  
Finance & Claims  
Local Government

**TOWE, THOMAS E. — (D) District 34**

Home address: 2739 Gregory Drive So., Billings  
59102

Phone: 656-2163

Business address: 2525 6th Ave. N.

Phone: 248-7337

Helena address: 1035 Mill Road

Occupation: Attorney

Born June 25, 1937

Wife's name: Ruth; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74; Senate,  
1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary  
Taxation

**TURNAGE, JEAN A. — (R) District 13**

Home address: P.O. Box 450, Polson 59850

Phone: 883-5660

Business address: 312 1st St. E., Polson

Phone: 883-5367

Helena address: 1710 8th Ave.

Phone: 443-7264

Occupation: Lawyer

Born March 10, 1926

Wife's name: Eula Mae

Service in Legislature: House, 1963; Senate, 1965-  
67-69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Committee on Committees  
Judiciary  
Rules  
Taxation, Chairman

**VAN VALKENBURG, FRED R. — (D) District 50**

Home address: 820 Hart, Missoula 59801

Phone: 728-7094

Business address: 240 N. Higgins

Phone: 543-8222

Helena address: 801½ Stuart

Phone: 443-5796

Occupation: Attorney

Born May 3, 1948

Wife's name: Carol; one child

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Bills & Journal

Fish & Game

Judiciary

**WATT, ROBERT D. — (D) District 49**

Home address: 451 Kensington, Missoula 59801

Phone: 549-8215

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1806 Golden

Phone: 442-4024

Occupation: Retired

Born August 27, 1899

Wife's name: Mabel

Service in Legislature: House, 1963-65-69-71-73-74;

Senate, 1975-77-79

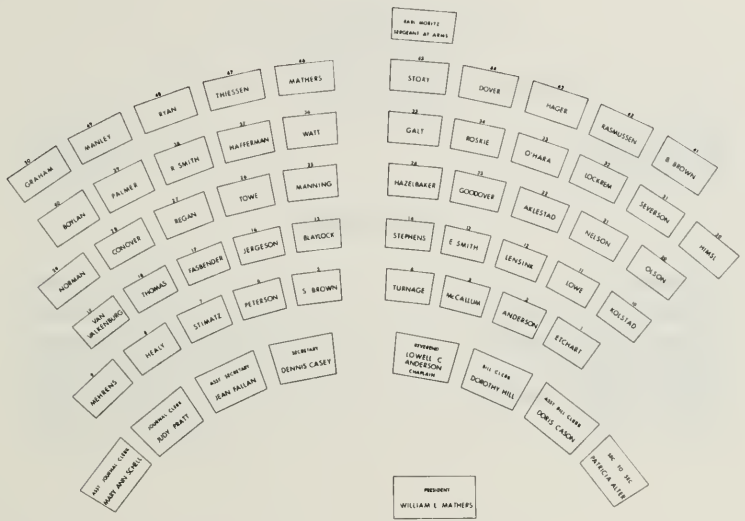
Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

Taxation



MONTANA STATE SENATE  
46th LEGISLATURE



**THE  
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**100 Members**

**55 Democrats  
45 Republicans**

**87 Men  
13 Women**

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Speaker Pro Tempore ..... Joe Brand  
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Majority Whip ..... John Vincent  
Minority Floor Leader ..... Jack Ramirez  
Minority Whip ..... Robert Sivertsen**

## HOUSE STAFF

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Chaplain .....	Rev. William Burkhardt
Bills Clerk .....	Pat Tyanich
Journal Clerk .....	Jo Ann Owens
Bills Coordinator .....	Shaun DeVine
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Secretary to the Majority Leader .....	Nancy Aagenes
Secretary to the Minority Leader .....	Martha Brass
Chief Stenographer .....	Wanda Gough

# HOUSE MEMBERS

## **ANDERSON, ROBERT LEWIS — (R) District 16**

Home address: Box 8, Bigfork 59911  
Phone: 837-4320  
Business address: School Dist. 38, 837-5247  
Helena address: 1118 Livingston  
Phone: 443-3933  
Occupation: Teacher  
Born November 27, 1942  
Wife's name: Bonnie; two children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education  
Judiciary

## **AZZARA, JAMES — (D) District 96**

Home address: 305 S. 4th West, Missoula 59801  
Phone: 549-2477  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: Not available  
Occupation: Teacher—Businessman  
Born February 24, 1949  
Not married  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Local Government  
Public Health  
State Administration

## **BAETH, WILLIAM R. (BILL) — (D) District 21**

Home address: 805 Minnesota Ave., Libby 59923  
Phone: 293-4465  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1010 5th  
Phone: 443-5425  
Occupation: Retired  
Born July 2, 1909  
Widowed; nine children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71-73-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Highways & Transportation, Chairman  
State Administration

## **BARDANOUE, FRANCIS — (D) District 6**

Home address: R.R., Harlem 59526  
Phone: 353-2397  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1507 Broadway  
Phone: 442-2471  
Occupation: Farmer—Rancher  
Born December 10, 1917  
Wife's name: Venus; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1959 through 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Appropriations, Chairman  
Rules  
State Administration

**BENGTSON, ESTHER G. — (D) District 59**

Home address: Shepherd 59079

Phone: 373-5742

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1034 N. Davis

Phone: 443-5688

Occupation: Teacher—Farmwife

Born October 30, 1927

Husband's name: Lawrence; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Appropriations

**BENNETT, W.F. — (R) District 15**

Home address: Box 1516, Columbia Falls 59912

Phone: 892-3207

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1710 8th

Phone: 443-7264

Occupation: Physician & Surgeon

Born February 11, 1920

Wife's name: Martha; two children

Service in Legislature: Senate, 1967-69-71; House,  
1979

Standing committee assignments:

Public Health

State Administration

**BERTELSEN, VERNER L. — (R) District 27**

Home address: Ovando 59854

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 820 Getchell

Phone: 442-3042

Occupation: Rancher

Born July 19, 1918

Wife's name: Judy; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

Natural Resources

Taxation

**BRAND, JOE — (D) District 28**

Home address: 800 Montana Ave., Deer Lodge  
59722

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 106 Humbolt Loop

Occupation: Train Conductor

Born October 3, 1925

Wife's name: Betty Jane; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71-73-74-  
75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Rules

State Administration, Chairman

**BURNETT, JAMES H. (JIM) — (R) District 71**

Home address: Luther 59051

Phone: 446-2489

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1233 Highland

Phone: 442-2738

Occupation: Rancher

Born July 1, 1917

Wife's name: Betty; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Natural Resources

Taxation

**CONROY, THOMAS R. — (D) District 58**

Home address: 607 W. 3rd St., Hardin 59034

Phone: 665-2216

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 535 Logan

Phone: 442-6996

Occupation: Rancher

Born November 12, 1934

Wife's name: Colleen; six children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Fish & Game

Judiciary

**COONEY, MIKE — (D) District 83**

Home address: P.O. Box 3331, Butte 59701

Phone: 494-2089

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 409 South Fee

Phone: 442-6559

Occupation: Student

Born September 3, 1954

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Highways & Transportation

Natural Resources

**CURTISS, AUBYN A. — (R) District 20**

Home address: Deep Creek Road, Fortine 59918

Phone: 882-4448

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 713 Knight

Phone: 443-0451

Occupation: Homemaker

Born July 1, 1925

Husband's name: David; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Fish & Game

Judiciary

Natural Resources

**DAILY, FRED (FRITZ) — (D) District 87**

Home address: 1057 W. Steel, Butte 59701

Phone: 723-8634

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 422 South Davis

Phone: 442-6295

Occupation: Teacher

Born October 31, 1945

Wife's name: Connie; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Fish & Game

Judiciary

**DASSINGER, E.N. (ERNIE) — (D) District 50**

Home address: 1490 Oak, Box 206, Forsyth 59327

Phone: 356-2264

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Locomotive Engineer

Born June 6, 1931

Wife's name: Jackie; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Labor & Employment Relations

Taxation, Vice Chairman

**DAY, WILLIAM M. (WILLIE) — (D) District 54**

Home address: Bloomfield Rt., Glendive 59330

Phone: 687-3606

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 727 8th Ave.

Phone: 443-6203

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born January 1, 1926

Wife's name: Katherine; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture, Chairman

Judiciary

**DONALDSON, GENE — (R) District 29**

Home address: 3890 Helberg Dr., Helena 59601

Phone: 227-5846

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Same as above

Occupation: Rancher

Born November 16, 1934

Wife's name: Beverly; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

State Administration

**DOZIER, ROBERT — (D) District 61**

Home address: 3923 3rd Ave. So., Billings 59101

Phone: 245-7743

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1032 Breckenridge

Phone: 443-5948

Occupation: Firefighter

Born November 16, 1938

Wife's name: Marion; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

Taxation

**DUSSAULT, ANN MARY — (D) District 95**

Home address: Rt. 2, Mullan Rd., Missoula 59801

Phone: 549-4024

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1030 Monroe

Phone: 443-1056

Occupation: Music Therapist

Born May 23, 1946

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Rules, Chairman

**ELLERD, ROBERT A. (BOB) — (R) District 75**

Home address: 2206 Bridger Dr., Bozeman 59715

Phone: 587-7286

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Associate Mgr.,

Livestock Marketing Association

Born January 26, 1918

Widower; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Business & Industry

Labor & Employment Relations

**ELLIS, HOWARD L. — (R) District 93**

Home address: Rt. 4, Pittsville, Missoula 59801

Phone: 258-6837

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1735 Sierra Rd.

Phone: 458-5586

Occupation: Co-owner—food store

Born November 26, 1921

Wife's name: Helen E.; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Fish & Game



**ELLISON, ORVAL — (R) District 73**

Home address: West Boulder Rt., McLeod 59052  
Phone: 222-3525  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1321 Walnut  
Phone: 442-0413  
Occupation: Rancher  
Born July 6, 1921  
Wife's name: Emma M.; one child  
Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Business & Industry  
Fish & Game

**ERNST, GENE N. — (R) District 47**

Home address: Box 39, Stanford 59479  
Phone: 566-2564  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1430 Hauser  
Phone: 442-2063  
Occupation: Farmer  
Born December 8, 1927  
Wife's name: Geraldine; four children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Agriculture  
Highways & Transportation

**EUDAILY, RALPH S. — (R) District 100**

Home address: 234 Kensington Ave., Missoula  
59801  
Phone: 549-1201  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1440 Missoula Ave.  
Phone: 442-9735  
Occupation: Retired  
Born September 28, 1913  
Wife's name: Doris; two children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education  
Judiciary

**FABREGA, JAY — (R) District 44**

Home address: 812 Grizzly Drive, Great Falls 59404  
Phone: 452-9113  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 315½ North Warren  
Phone: 442-8086  
Occupation: Aluminum and Glass Contractor  
Born May 17, 1933  
Wife's name: Julie; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Highways & Transportation  
Public Health, Welfare & Safety  
Taxation

**FAGG, HARRISON G. — (R) District 63**

Home address: 1414 Mystic Drive, Billings 59102

Phone: 252-5898

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1810 Winne

Phone: 442-9071

Occupation: Architect

Born October 27, 1931

Wife's name: Darlene; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations

Natural Resources

Taxation

**FEDA, G.C. (JERRY) — (R) District 4**

Home address: 206 2nd Ave. N., Glasgow 59230

Phone: 228-2110

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 428 8th Ave.

Phone: 443-6472

Occupation: Real Estate and Railroad Engineer

Born June 7, 1926

Wife's name: Audrey; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Highways & Transportation

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

State Administration

**FRATES, GENE — (D) District 60**

Home address: 1601 Bitterroot Dr., Billings 59101

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 613 1st St.

Phone: 442-3579

Occupation: Retired

Born January 20, 1906

Wife's name: Onata; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Highways & Transportation

Public Health, Welfare & Safety, Vice Chairman

**GERKE, HAROLD E. — (D) District 62**

Home address: 202 Mtn. View, Billings 59101

Phone: 245-5397

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 2024 Lockey

Phone: 443-2249

Occupation: Semi-retired Businessman

Born May 1, 1912

Wife's name: Vera; one child

Service in Legislature: House, 1965-67-69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Rules, Vice Chairman

**GESEK, PATRICIA (PAT) — (D) District 19**

Home address: 211 Central, Whitefish 59937

Phone: 862-4700

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 500 Geddes

Phone: 442-6730

Occupation: Businesswoman

Born July 1, 1931

Husband's name: Bob; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**GILLIGAN, PETER J., Jr. — (D) District 38**

Home address: P.O. Box 6413, Great Falls 59406

Phone: 452-7213

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 819 North Davis

Phone: 443-6048

Occupation: Teacher

Born October 19, 1940

Wife's name: Clary; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education, Chairman

Taxation

**GOULD, R. BUDD — (R) District 98**

Home address: 2121 35th Ave., Missoula 59801

Phone: 549-4236

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 622 Breckenridge

Phone: 443-4346

Occupation: Disabled

Born May 10, 1937

Wife's name: Rosalia; one child

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**HAND, BILL — (D) District 82**

Home address: 30 S. Arizona St., Dillon 59725

Phone: 683-4420

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 301 W. Lawrence

Phone: 443-6367

Occupation: Mining Engineer

Born August 21, 1924

Wife's name: Helen; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Appropriations

**HARPER, HAL — (D) District 30**

Home address: 221 S. Cooke

Phone: 442-0584

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Same as above

Occupation: Construction Worker

Born November 3, 1948

Wife's name: Debbie

Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Labor & Employment Relations

Natural Resources, Vice Chairman

**HARRINGTON, DAN W. — (D) District 88**

Home address: 1201 N. Excelsior, Butte 59701

Phone: 792-0332

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1900 Broadway

Occupation: Teacher

Born February 12, 1938

Wife's name: Patricia; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations, Vice Chairman

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

Taxation

**HAYNE, HARRIET — (R) District 14**

Home address: Box 285, Dupuyer 59432

Phone: 472-3263

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Homemaker—Rancher

Born September 11, 1922

Husband's name: Jack; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

State Administration

**HEMSTAD, ANDREA (ANDY) — (R) District 40**

Home address: 2725 Eighth Avenue No., Great Falls  
59404

Phone: 727-7101

Business address: 1205 1st Ave. N.W., Great Falls 59404

Phone: 791-2282

Helena address: 915 12th

Phone: 442-8298

Occupation: Teacher

Born March 13, 1952

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**HIRSCH, LES J. — (D) District 52**

Home address: Broadus Stage, Miles City 59301

Phone: 232-1067

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1614 Grant

Phone: 442-2921

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born September 18, 1947

Wife's name: Donna; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Fish & Game, Vice Chairman

Taxation

**HOLMES, POLLY — (D) District 67**

Home address: 1620 Ave. F., Billings 59102

Phone: 252-5323

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1134 9th Ave.

Phone: 443-5239

Occupation: Homemaker

Born May 10, 1923

Husband's name: Robert; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary

Public Health, Welfare & Safety, Chairman

**HUENNEKENS, HERB — (D) District 68**

Home address: 3216 Rimrock Rd., Billings 59102

Phone: 656-2861

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Retired Meteorologist—Rancher

Born June 26, 1912

Wife's name: Helen; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Natural Resources

Rules

Taxation, Chairman

**HURWITZ, BURT L. — (R) District 45**

Home address: Box 304, White Sulphur Springs  
59645

Phone: 547-3580

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 705 E. State

Phone: 442-5556

Occupation: Rancher

Born August 16, 1911

Wife's name: June; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Local Government

**IVERSON, DENNIS — (R) District 9**

Home address: Box 66, Whitlash 59545

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 496 So. Park

Phone: 443-0599

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born September 4, 1943

Wife's name: Donna; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary

Natural Resources

**JENSEN, WILLIAM (RAY) — (R) District 25**

Home address: St. Ignatius 59865

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1811 Lockey

Phone: 442-5874

Occupation: Dairy Farmer

Born July 13, 1922

Wife's name: Faye; seven children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Business & Industry

Fish & Game

**JOHNSON, VICKI — (D) District 72**

Home address: Star Rt., Columbus 59019

Phone: 322-4336

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 6868 Applegate Dr.

Phone: 458-9310

Occupation: Public Relations

Born October 14, 1954

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture, Vice Chairman

Fish & Game

Taxation

**JOHNSTON, GEORGE R. — (D) District 13**

Home address: 504 3rd St. S.E., Cut Bank 59427

Phone: 873-2188

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 712 Highland

Phone: 442-3659

Occupation: Farmer—Engineer

Born July 16, 1912

Wife's name: Mary; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Fish & Game

Natural Resources

State Administration

**KANDUCH, JOE F., Sr. — (D) District 89**

Home address: Barker Creek, Anaconda 59711

Phone: 563-6017

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 712 Gilbert

Phone: 442-3411

Occupation: Retired

Born December 20, 1915

Wife's name: Karin; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Highways & Transportation, Vice Chairman

State Administration

**KEEDY, MICHAEL H. — (D) District 18**

Home address: 498 Van Sant Road, Kalispell 59901

Phone: 257-4031

Business address: Box 1154

Phone: 755-7382

Helena address: 1118 Livingston

Phone: 443-3933

Occupation: Lawyer

Born April 7, 1943

Wife's name: Carol; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Fish & Game

Judiciary

Natural Resources

**KEMMIS, DANIEL — (D) District 94**

Home address: P.O. Box 8687, Missoula 59801

Phone: 728-3077/721-1835

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 738 8th

Phone: 443-0438

Occupation: Attorney

Born December 5, 1945

Wife's name: Jeanne; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Judiciary

Local Government

**KESSLER, GERALD R. — (D) District 66**

Home address: 34 Ave. B, Billings 59102 — 237 A

Phone: 248-3506

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 819 N. Davis

Phone: 443-6022

Occupation: Teacher

Born December 1, 1948

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Local Government

Natural Resources

**KEYSER, KERRY — (R) District 81**

Home address: Box 126, Ennis 59729

Phone: 682-4664

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 447 So. Park

Phone: 443-4163

Occupation: Highway Patrolman

Born January 27, 1929

Wife's name: Marilyn; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Highways & Transportation

Judiciary

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**KROPP, PAUL K. — (R) District 5**

Home address: 502 East 6th St., Box 520, Malta  
59538

Phone: 654-1768

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1726 Lockey

Phone: 443-5634

Occupation: Rancher—Businessman

Born December 3, 1919

Wife's name: Pearl; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1971-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Highways & Transportation

State Administration

**KVAALLEN, OSCAR S. — (R) District 53**

Home address: Lambert 59243

Phone: 774-3736

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1914 E. 8th Ave.

Phone: 442-9686

Occupation: Rancher—Farmer

Born January 1, 1921

Wife's name: Ruth; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1959-61-63-65-67-  
69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Education

Rules

**LIEN, EDWARD — (D) District 49**

Home address: SR 231, Box A33, Wolf Point 59201

Phone: 525-3673

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 101 South California

Phone: 442-9233

Occupation: Farmer

Born July 19, 1928

Wife's name: Eldora; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Highways & Transportation

Taxation



**LORY, EARL C. — (R) District 99**

Home address: 4795 Miller Creek Rd., Missoula  
59801

Phone: 543-7379

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 916½ Logan

Phone: 442-5588

Occupation: Retired

Born June 25, 1906

Widowed; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Judiciary

Legislative Administration

**McBRIDE, KATHLEEN — (D) District 85**

Home address: 3111 Carter St., Butte 59701

Phone: 494-3769

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1215 11th

Phone: 442-7568

Occupation: Geologist

Born July 17, 1952

Husband's name: John

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

Natural Resources

State Administration

**LUND, ART — (R) District 2**

Home address: Box 806, Scobey 59263

Phone: 783-5566

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1716 5th

Phone: 443-5293

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born July 28, 1920

Wife's name: Cleo; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1963-65-69-71-73-  
74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Education

**MAGONE, JOSEPH M. — (D) District 24**

Home address: Rt. 1, Box S, Superior 59872

Phone: 822-4429

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1211 Highland

Occupation: Millwright

Born June 14, 1923

Wife's name: Edris; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Highways & Transportation

Legislative Administration

State Administration

**MANNING, RICHARD E. — (D) District 35**

Home address: 810 7th Ave. N., Great Falls 59401  
Phone: 761-0810  
Business address: 761-3958  
Helena address: 1032 Breckenridge  
Phone: 443-5948  
Occupation: Laborer  
Born July 25, 1926  
Wife's name: Jody; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Appropriations  
Labor & Employment Relations

**MANUEL, REX — (D) District 11**

Home address: R.R. 1, Box 42, Fairfield 59436  
Phone: 467-2622  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 534 Hollins  
Phone: 442-5569  
Occupation: Farmer—Businessman  
Born June 11, 1930  
Wife's name: Jeannine; five children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Appropriations  
Fish & Game

**MARKS, ROBERT L. (BOB) — (R) District 80**

Home address: Box 116, Clancy 59634  
Phone: 933-5589  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: Same as above  
Occupation: Rancher—Businessman  
Born January 11, 1932  
Wife's name: Barbara; six children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Appropriations  
Fish & Game

**MENAHAN, WILLIAM (RED) — (D) District 90**

Home address: 1304 W. 8th, Anaconda 59711  
Phone: 563-2985  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 515 8th Ave.  
Phone: 442-5821  
Occupation: Teacher  
Born August 16, 1935  
Wife's name: Shirley; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Appropriations  
Labor & Employment Relations

**METCALF, JERALD L. (JERRY) — (D) District 31**

Home address: 201 Vawter, Helena 59601

Phone: 443-5836

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Same as above

Occupation: Antique Dealer

Born June 8, 1936

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Fish & Game

Legislative Administration, Chairman

Natural Resources

**MEYER, DARRYL — (R) District 42**

Home address: 5306 4th Ave. South, Great Falls  
59405

Phone: 761-2437

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 24 S. Ewing C-17

Phone: 443-3222

Occupation: President, Montana Auto College

Born May 22, 1937

Wife's name: Gail; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Highways & Transportation

Legislative Administration

**MOORE, JACK K. — (R) District 41**

Home address: 1200 32nd St. So. #85, Great Falls  
59405

Phone: 761-5323

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 708 Dearborn

Phone: 442-9460

Occupation: Retired Colonel, USAF

Born November 9, 1921

Wife's name: Geri

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Local Government

Rules

**NATHE, DENNIS G. — (R) District 1**

Home address: R.R. 1, Redstone 59257

Phone: 895-2527

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 132 Wedgwood

Phone: 443-4016

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born December 12, 1938

Wife's name: Della; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Natural Resources

**NORDTVEDT, KENNETH, Jr. — (R) District 77**

Home address: 118 Sourdough Rd., Bozeman 59715  
Phone: 586-3263  
Business address: MSU, Physics Dept.  
Phone: 994-3614  
Helena address: 101 Fairway Dr.  
Phone: 442-5856  
Occupation: Research Physicist  
Born April 16, 1939  
Wife's name: Peggy; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education  
Taxation

**OBBERG, DANNY — (D) District 8**

Home address: 612 16th St., Havre 59501  
Phone: 265-5098  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1413 Helena Ave. #9  
Occupation: Railroad Brakeman  
Born November 4, 1951  
Not married  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Business & Industry  
Education  
Local Government

**O'CONNELL, HELEN G. — (D) District 34**

Home address: 703 4th Ave. S.W., Great Falls 59405  
Phone: 453-5873  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 2480 E. Broadway  
Phone: 442-0386  
Occupation: Housewife  
Born July 15, 1917  
Husband's name: Clarence; four children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Labor & Employment Relations  
Public Health, Welfare & Safety  
State Administration, Vice Chairman

**PAVLOVICH, ROBERT J. (BOB) — (D) District 86**

Home address: 2751 Yale Ave., Butte 59701  
Phone: 792-4507  
Business address: 1375 Harrison Ave.  
Phone: 723-9936  
Helena address: 422 So. Davis  
Phone: 442-6295  
Occupation: Tavern Owner  
Born June 6, 1929  
Wife's name: Kathleen; seven children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Judiciary  
Labor & Employment Relations  
Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**PISTORIA, PAUL G. — (D) District 39**

Home address: 2421 Central Ave., Great Falls 59401  
Phone: 453-3665  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 301 W. Lawrence  
Phone: 443-5225  
Occupation: Retired  
Born February 19, 1907  
Wife's name: Kathryn  
Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education  
Local Government  
State Administration

**PORTER, HOWARD C. — (R) District 65**

Home address: 2412 Ash, Billings 59101  
Phone: 248-8850  
Business address: 238 Stapleton Bldg., Billings 59101  
Phone: 248-5966  
Helena address: 201 12th B-4  
Phone: 442-5769  
Occupation: Businessman  
Born May 5, 1913  
Wife's name: Dorothy; two children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education  
Labor & Employment Relations  
State Administration

**QUILICI, JOE — (D) District 84**

Home address: 3040 Kossuth, Butte 59701  
Phone: 792-5772  
Business address: [REDACTED] 730 S. ARIZONA  
Phone: [REDACTED] 723-3258  
Helena address: 422 S. Davis  
Phone: 442-6295  
Occupation: Glazier  
Born July 6, 1921  
Wife's name: Georgia Ann; five children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1971-73-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Business & Industry, Chairman  
Legislative Administration  
Natural Resources

**RAMIREZ, JACK — (R) District 64**

Home address: 4042 Pine Cove Rd., Billings 59102  
Phone: 656-5857  
Business address: Box 2529, Billings 59103  
Phone: 252-3441  
Helena address: 200 N. Montana  
Phone: 442-0186  
Occupation: Lawyer  
Born July 14, 1939  
Wife's name: Carol; two children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Rules

**REICHERT, ARLYNE E. — (D) District 37**

Home address: 1409 4th Ave. So., Great Falls 59406

Phone: 452-5492

Business address: McLaughlin Research Institute,  
1625 3rd Ave. N.

Phone: 761-5833

Helena address: 450 N. Hoback

Phone: 443-4989

Occupation: Research Assistant

Born January 14, 1926

Widowed; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Education

Local Government, Vice Chairman

Taxation

**ROBBINS, HERSHEL M. — (D) District 46**

Home address: 915 1st East, Roundup 59072

Phone: 323-2169

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 2230 5th

Phone: 442-2060

Occupation: Creamery Owner

Born December 24, 1922

Wife's name: Audrey; seven children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government, Chairman

Taxation

**ROBBINS, KEN — (D) District 91**

Home address: Conner 59827

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Serendipity Apts. B-13, 6 So. Park

Phone: 443-5163

Occupation: Liquor Store Owner

Born August 13, 1915

Wife's name: Bunny; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Fish & Game

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**ROSENTHAL, JONAS H. — (D) District 43**

Home address: 206 8th St. North, Great Falls 59401

Phone: 453-5804

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Not available

Occupation: Director, Big Brothers & Big Sisters of  
Great Falls

Born February 14, 1950

Not married

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Highways & Transportation

Judiciary

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**ROTH, AUDREY G. — (R) District 10**

Home address: Box 489, Big Sandy 59520

Phone: 386-2481

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1337 9th

Phone: 442-8113

Occupation: Homemaker—Rancher

Born September 12, 1916

Husband's name: Arthur; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Judiciary

**SALES, WALTER R. — (R) District 79**

Home address: Stagecoach Trail, Manhattan 59741

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 101 Fairway Dr.

Phone: 442-5856

Occupation: Rancher

Born August 15, 1927

Wife's name: Shirley; five children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

State Administration

**SCHULTZ, JAMES M. — (R) District 48**

Home address: 1210 7th Ave. N., Lewistown 59457

Phone: 538-3355

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1102 8th

Phone: 442-1458

Occupation: Retired

Born May 13, 1922

Wife's name: Jessie; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Agriculture

Fish & Game

**SCULLY, JOHN P. — (D) District 76**

Home address: P.O. Box 1172, Bozeman 59715

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 639 W. Main

Phone: 443-2907

Occupation: Attorney

Born September 23, 1946

Wife's name: Toni; one child

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Judiciary, Chairman

Natural Resources

**SEIFERT, CARL A. — (R) District 26**

Home address: R.R., Box 45B, Polson 59860  
Phone: 883-2846  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 2198 N. Benton  
Phone: 442-2454  
Occupation: Farmer—Rancher—Businessman  
Born July 2, 1938  
Wife's name: Peggy; four children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1973-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Judiciary  
Labor & Employment Relations

**SHELDEN, ARTHUR H. (ART) — (D) District 22**

Home address: Rt. 1, Box 1650, Libby 59923  
Phone: 293-4716  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1220 8th  
Phone: 443-6063  
Occupation: Retired  
Born October 31, 1905  
Wife's name: Ruth; four children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1959-61-63-71-73-  
74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Business & Industry  
Natural Resources, Chairman

**SIVERTSEN, ROBERT (BOB) — (R) District 7**

Home address: P.O. Box 2226, Havre 59501  
Phone: 395-4457  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: Not available  
Occupation: Farmer—Rancher—Businessman  
Born September 11, 1937  
Not married  
Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Rules  
Taxation

**SMITH, CARL M. — (R) District 57**

Home address: Olive 59343  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 1311 Highland  
Phone: 442-5423  
Occupation: Rancher  
Born August 29, 1901  
Wife's name: Inez; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1961-63-65-69-71-  
73-74-75-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Agriculture  
State Administration



**SOUTH, CARROLL V. — (D) District 51**

Home address: 506 Miss. Ave., Miles City 59301

Phone: 232-4252

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 624 Gilbert

Phone: 442-5232

Occupation: Contractor

Born December 14, 1941

Wife's name: Lois; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations, Vice Chairman

Local Government

**SPIPKER, BARBARA (BOBBY) — (R) District 32**

Home address: 801 Harrison, Helena 59601

Phone: 442-0564

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Same as above

Occupation: Homemaker

Born February 13, 1938

Husband's name: William

Service in Legislature: House, 1979

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Natural Resources

**STAIGMILLER, JOHN B. — (D) District 33**

Home address: P.O. Box 422, Cascade 59421

Phone: 468-2867

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1912 6th

Phone: 442-4467

Occupation: Retired

Born January 26, 1907

Wife's name: June; four children

Service in Legislature: House, 1967-69-71-73-74-75-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Fish & Game, Chairman

State Administration

**STOBIE, CHRIS H. — (R) District 23**

Home address: Rt. 2, Box 44, Thompson Falls 59873

Phone: 827-4224

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Businessman

Born March 12, 1932

Wife's name: Ruby; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry

Labor & Employment Relations

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**TEAGUE, WES — (D) District 69**

Home address: 336 Monroe, Billings 59101  
Phone: 259-3757  
Business address: 248-5800  
Helena address: 443-1143  
Occupation: Teacher—Small Businessman  
Born January 1, 1941  
Not married  
Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education  
Judiciary, Vice Chairman  
Labor & Employment Relations

**THOFT, ROBERT — (R) District 92**

Home address: R.R. 1, Box 45, Stevensville 59870  
Phone: 777-3177  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: Serendipity Apts., 6 So. Park  
Phone: 443-5987  
Occupation: Rancher  
Born July 13, 1929  
Wife's name: Alice; three children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1979  
Standing committee assignments:  
Fish & Game  
Natural Resources

**TROPILA, JOE — (D) District 36**

Home address: 209 2nd St. N.W., Great Falls 59404  
Phone: 453-1124  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: 809 N. Davis  
Phone: 443-6048  
Occupation: Self-employed  
Born May 31, 1935  
Wife's name: Mary; four children  
Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Business & Industry  
Highways & Transportation  
Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**UHDE, JACK BRIAN — (D) District 17**

Home address: 721 3rd St. W., Kalispell 59901  
Phone: 257-6016  
Business address: Same as above  
Helena address: Not available  
Occupation: Real Estate  
Born August 27, 1957  
Wife's name: Mary Yuricic  
Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79  
Standing committee assignments:  
Education, Vice Chairman  
Highways & Transportation  
Judiciary

**UNDERDAL, MELVIN — (R) District 12**

Home address: Box 605, Shelby 59474

Phone: 434-5932

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 917 Hauser

Phone: 442-1544

Occupation: Farmer—Rancher

Born April 22, 1912

Wife's name: Clara; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations

Taxation

**VINCENT, JOHN — (D) District 78**

Home address: 209 E. Lamme, Bozeman 59715

Phone: 586-6790

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1111 8th

Occupation: Teacher

Born September 16, 1942

Wife's name: Peggy; one child

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Business & Industry, Vice Chairman

Rules

**VINGER, ORREN C. — (R) District 3**

Home address: 517 Johnson, Wolf Point 59201

Phone: 653-1706

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1944 Cannon

Phone: 442-5618

Occupation: M.D.U. Division Manager

Born March 20, 1934

Wife's name: Elaine; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Local Government

Taxation

**WALDRON, STEVE — (D) District 97**

Home address: 2344 W. Kent, Missoula 59801

Phone: 549-1939

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 208 Breckenridge

Occupation: Millworker

Born September 19, 1946

Service in Legislature: 1977-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Local Government

**WILLIAMS, J. MELVIN — (D) District 70**

Home address: 511 8th Ave., Box 245, Laurel 59044

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 1015 Knight

Phone: 442-8053

Occupation: Retired

Born September 28, 1910

Wife's name: "Gene"; three children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations, Chairman

Taxation

**WOOD, L.E. (GENE) — (R) District 55**

Home address: 221 River Ave., Glendive 59330

Phone: 365-4230

Business address: Readi-Mix

Phone: 365-2718

Helena address: 1000 Stuart

Phone: 442-2931

Occupation: Businessman

Born April 16, 1918

Wife's name: Lillian; eight children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Highways & Transportation

**WYRICK, HAROLD A. — (R) District 56**

Home address: R.R. 3, Baker 59313

Phone: 778-2305

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: Colonial Inn

Phone: 443-2100

Occupation: Rancher

Born April 28, 1910

Wife's name: Sarah; eight children

Service in Legislature: House, 1975-77-79

Standing committee assignments:

Labor & Employment Relations

Public Health, Welfare & Safety

**YARDLEY, DAN — (D) District 74**

Home address: 202 South 8th St., Livingston 59047

Phone: 222-0220

Business address: Same as above

Helena address: 24 S. Ewing #24

Phone: 443-5984

Occupation: Attorney

Born October 15, 1928

Wife's name: Jo Anne; two children

Service in Legislature: House, 1969-71-73-74-75-79

Standing committee assignments:

Appropriations

Education

# HOUSE 46th ASSEMBLY

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# STANDING COMMITTEES

## AGRICULTURE

### SENATE MEMBERS (8)

5 REP., 3 DEM.

Galt, Jack E., Chr. (R)  
Kolstad, Allen C., V-Chr. (R)  
Alkestad, Gary (R)  
Boylan, Paul F. (D)  
Conover, Max (D)  
Graham, Carroll A. (D)  
Hager, Tom (R)  
Nelson, Harold C. (R)

Council Staff: Scott Curey  
M, W, F - 1:30 p.m., Room 415

### HOUSE MEMBERS (17)

10 DEM., 7 REP.

Day, William M. (Willie), Chr. (D)  
Johnson, Vicki, V-Chr. (D)  
Bengtson, Esther G., (D)  
Brand, Joe (D)  
Conroy, Thomas R. (D)  
Dassinger, E.N. (D)  
Ellerd, Robert A. (R)  
Ernst, Gene N. (R)  
Hand, Bill (D)  
Hayne, Harriet (R)  
Hirsch, Les (D)  
Jensen, William (R)  
Kanduch, Joe F., Sr. (D)  
Lien, Edward (D)  
Roth, Audrey (R)  
Schultz, James M. (R)  
Smith, Carl (R)

Council Staff: Bob Lane  
M, W, F - 1:30 p.m., Room 1 Capitol Annex

# APPROPRIATIONS

## SENATE MEMBERS

See Senate  
Committee Listing  
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## HOUSE MEMBERS (17)

10 DEM., 7 REP.

Bardanouve, Francis, Chr. (D)  
South, Carroll, V-Chr. (D)  
Bengtson, Esther G. (D)  
Ellis, Howard L. (R)  
Gesek, Patricia E. (D)  
Hand, Bill (D)  
Hurwitz, Burt (R)  
Kvaalen, Oscar S. (R)  
Lund, Art (R)  
Manning, Richard E. (D)  
Manuel, Rex (D)  
Marks, Robert L. (R)  
Menahan, William (Red) (D)  
Moore, Jack K. (R)  
Waldron, Steve (D)  
Wood, L.E. (Gene) (R)  
Yardley, Dan (D)

M through S - 8:00 a.m., Room 104

# BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

## SENATE MEMBERS (10)

6 REP., 4 DEM.

Hazelbaker, Frank W., Chr. (R)  
Goodover, Pat M., V-Chr. (R)  
Blaylock, Chet (D)  
Dover, Harold L. (R)  
Hager, Tom (R)  
Kolstad, Allen C. (R)  
Lowe, William R. (Bill) (R)  
Mehrens, John (Sandy) (D)  
Peterson, Bob (D)  
Regan, Pat (D)

Council Staff: Bob Pyfer

M through S - 10:00 a.m., Room 404

## HOUSE MEMBERS (19)

11 DEM., 8 REP.

Quilici, Joe, Chr. (D)  
Vincent, John, V-Chr. (D)  
Cooney, Mike (D)  
Ellerd, Robert A. (R)  
Ellison, Orval S. (R)  
Frates, Gene (D)  
Harper, Hal (D)  
Hemstad, Andrea (R)  
Jensen, William (R)  
Kessler, Gerald R. (D)  
Metcalf, Jerry (D)  
Meyer, Darryl (R)  
Nathe, Dennis G. (R)  
Oberg, Danny (D)  
Robbins, Ken (D)  
Shelden, Arthur H. (D)  
Spilker, Barbara (Bobby) (R)  
Stobie, Chris H. (R)  
Tropila, Joe (D)

Council Staff: Shaun Simon

M through S - 8:00 a.m., Room 437



# BILLS & JOURNAL

## SENATE MEMBERS (7)

4 REP., 3 DEM.

Dover, Harold L., Chr. (R)  
Nelson, Harold C., V-Chr. (R)  
Anderson, Mike (R)  
Brown, Bob (R)  
Palmer, Bob (D)  
Peterson, Robert R. (Bob) (D)  
Van Valkenburg, Fred (D)

On call

## HOUSE MEMBERS

See House  
Committee Listing  
Under Legislative Administration

# COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

## SENATE MEMBERS (5)

5 REP.

Galt, Jack E., Chr. (R)  
Kolstad, Allen C. (R)  
McCallum, George (R)  
Roskie, Goerge F. (R)  
Turnage, Jean A. (R)

On Call

## HOUSE MEMBERS

House committee members  
are appointed by  
the Speaker

## EDUCATION

### SENATE MEMBERS (10)

6 REP., 4 DEM.

Brown, Bob, Chr. (R)  
Smith, Ed B., V-Chr. (R)  
Anderson, Mike (R)  
Blaylock, Chet (D)  
Fasbender, Larry (D)  
McCallum, George (R)  
O'Hara, Jesse A. (R)  
Severson, Elmer D. (R)  
Smith, Richard G. (D)  
Thomas, Bill (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS (17)

10 DEM., 7 REP.

Gilligan, Peter J., Jr., Chr. (D)  
Uhde, Jack Brian, V-Chr. (D)  
Anderson, Robert (R)  
Daily, Fred (Fritz) (D)  
Eudaily, Ralph S. (R)  
Kemmis, Daniel (D)  
Kvaalen, Oscar S. (R)  
Lory, Earl C. (R)  
Lund, Art (R)  
Magone, Joseph M. (D)  
Nordtvedt, Kenneth L., Jr. (R)  
Oberg, Danny (D)  
Pistoria, Paul G. (D)  
Porter, Howard C. (R)  
Reichert, Arlyne (D)  
Teague, Wes (D)  
Yardley, Dan (D)

Council Staff: Bob Pyfer

M, W, F - 1:30 p.m., Room 402

Council Staff: Jim Oppedahl

M, W, F - 1:30 p.m., Room 5 Capitol Annex

## FINANCE AND CLAIMS

### SENATE MEMBERS (13)

7 REP., 6 DEM.

Himsl, Matt V., Chr. (R)  
Story, Pete V., V-Chr. (R)  
Aklestad, Gary (R)  
Boylan, Paul F. (D)  
Etchart, Mark (R)  
Fasbender, Larry (D)  
Lockrem, Lloyd C., Jr. (R)  
Nelson, Harold C. (R)  
Regan, Pat (D)  
Smith, Ed B. (R)  
Stimatz, Lawrence G. (D)  
Thiessen, Cornie R. (D)  
Thomas, Bill (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS

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Committee Listing  
under Appropriations

## FISH AND GAME

### SENATE MEMBERS (7)

4 REP., 3 DEM.

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Manley, John E. (D)  
Stimatz, Lawrence G. (D)  
Van Valkenburg, Fred (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS (17)

10 DEM., 7 REP.

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Conroy, Thomas R. (D)  
Curtiss, Aubyn A. (R)  
Daily, Fred (Fritz) (D)  
Ellis, Howard L. (R)  
Ellison, Orval S. (R)  
Jensen, William (R)  
Johnson, Vicki (D)  
Johnston, George R. (D)  
Keedy, Michael H. (D)  
Manuel, Rex (D)  
Marks, Robert L. (Bob) (R)  
Metcalf, Jerry (D)  
Robbins, Ken (D)  
Schultz, James M. (R)  
Thoft, Bob (R)

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T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 402

Council Staff: Jim Lear  
T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 1 Capitol Annex

# HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORTATION

## SENATE MEMBERS (7)

4 REP., 3 DEM.

Etchart, Mark, Chr. (R)  
Hager, Tom, V-Chr. (R)  
Graham, Carroll A. (D)  
Hazelbaker, Frank W. (R)  
Healy, John E. (Jack) (D)  
Kolstad, Allen C. (R)  
Manning, Dave (D)

## HOUSE MEMBERS (16)

9 DEM., 7 REP.

Baeth, William R. (Bill), Chr. (D)  
Kanduch, Joe F., Sr., V-Chr. (D)  
Cooney, Mike (D)  
Ernst, Gene N. (R)  
Fabrega, Jay (R)  
Feda, G.D. (Jerry) (R)  
Frates, Gene (D)  
Keyser, Kerry (R)  
Kropp, Paul K. (R)  
Lien, Edward (D)  
Magone, Joseph M. (D)  
Meyer, Darryl (R)  
Rosenthal, Jonas H. (D)  
Tropila, Joe (D)  
Uhde, Jack Brian (D)  
Wood, L.E. (Gene) (R)

Council Staff: Shaun Simon  
T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 410

Council Staff: Bob Lane  
T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 1B Capitol Annex

## JUDICIARY

### SENATE MEMBERS (10)

6 REP., 4 DEM.

Lensink, Everett R., Chr. (R)  
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Anderson, Mike (R)  
Brown, Steve (D)  
Galt, Jack E. (R)  
Healy, John E. (Jack) (D)  
O'Hara, Jesse A. (R)  
Towe, Thomas E. (D)  
Turnage, Jean A. (R)  
Van Valkenburg, Fred (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS (19)

11 DEM., 8 REP.

Scully, John P., Chr. (D)  
Teague, Wes, V-Chr. (D)  
Anderson, Robert L. (R)  
Conroy, Thomas R. (D)  
Curtiss, Aubyn A. (R)  
Daily, Fred (Fritz) (D)  
Day, William M. (D)  
Eudaily, Ralph S. (R)  
Holmes, Polly (D)  
Iverson, Dennis (R)  
Keedy, Michael H. (D)  
Kemmis, Daniel (D)  
Keyser, Kerry (R)  
Lory, Earl C. (R)  
Pavlovich, Robert J. (D)  
Rosenthal, Jonas H. (D)  
Roth, Audrey (R)  
Seifert, Carl A. (R)  
Uhde, Jack Brian (D)

Council Staff: Joan Mayer  
M through S - 10:00 a.m., Room 331

Council Staff: Larry Weinberg  
M through S - 8:00 a.m., Room 436

# LABOR & EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS

## SENATE MEMBERS (9)

5 REP., 4 DEM.

Lowe, William R., Chr. (R)  
Nelson, Harold C., V-Chr. (R)  
Aklestad, Gary (R)  
Dover, Harold L. (R)  
Hafferman, William F. (D)  
Mehrens, John (Sandy) (D)  
Palmer, Bob (D)  
Severson, Elmer D. (R)  
Smith, Richard G. (D)

## HOUSE MEMBERS (17)

10 DEM.

Williams, J. Melvin, Chr. (D)  
Harrington, Dan W., V-Chr. (D)  
Dassinger, E.N. (D)  
Dozier, Robert (D)  
Ellerd, Robert A. (R)  
Fagg, Harrison G. (R)  
Harper, Hal (D)  
Manning, Richard E. (D)  
Menahan, William (Red) (D)  
O'Connell, Helen G. (D)  
Pavlovich, Robert J. (D)  
Porter, Howard C. (R)  
Seifert, Carl A. (R)  
Stobie, Chris H. (R)  
Teague, Wes (D)  
Underdal, Melvin (R)  
Wyrick, Harold A. (R)

Council Staff: Jim Oppedahl  
T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 404

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T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 5 Capitol Annex

## LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

### SENATE MEMBERS (5)

3 REP., 2 DEM.

Kolstad, Allen C., Chr. (R)  
Hazelbaker, Frank W., V-Chr. (R)  
Brown, Steve (D)  
Graham, Carroll A. (D)  
Rasmussen, A.T. (Tom) (R)

On call

### HOUSE MEMBERS (5)

3 DEM., 2 REP.

Metcalf, Jerry, Chr. (D)  
Magone, Joseph M., V-Chr. (D)  
Lory, Earl C. (R)  
Meyer, Darryl (R)  
Quilici, Joe (D)

On call



## LOCAL GOVERNMENT

### SENATE MEMBERS (9)

5 REP., 4 DEM.

McCallum, George, Chr. (R)  
Lockrem, Lloyd C., V-Chr. (R)  
Conover, Max (D)  
O'Hara, Jesse A. (R)  
Peterson, Bob (D)  
Rasmussen, A.T. (Tom) (R)  
Story, Pete V. (R)  
Thomas, Bill (D)  
Watt, Robert D. (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS (17)

10 DEM., 7 REP.

Robbins, Hershel M., Chr. (D)  
Reichert, Arlyne, V-Chr. (D)  
Azzara, James (D)  
Bertelsen, Verner L. (R)  
Donaldson, Gene (R)  
Gould, R. Budd (R)  
Hurwitz, Burt L. (R)  
Kemmis, Daniel (D)  
Kessler, Gerald R. (D)  
McBride, Kathleen (D)  
Moore, Jack K. (R)  
Ober, Danny (D)  
Pistoria, Paul G. (D)  
Sales, Walter R. (R)  
South, Carroll V. (D)  
Vinger, Orren C. (R)  
Waldron, Steve (D)

Council Staff: Dennis Taylor  
T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 405

Council Staff: Scott Curey  
T, Th, S - 1:30 p.m., Room 3 Capitol Annex

## NATURAL RESOURCES

### SENATE MEMBERS (10)

6 REP., 4 DEM.

Roskie, George F., Chr. (R)  
Dover, Harold L., V-Chr. (R)  
Brown, Steve (D)  
Etchart, Mark (R)  
Jergeson, Greg (D)  
Lockrem, Lloyd C., Jr. (R)  
Lowe, William R. (Bill) (R)  
Manley, John E., (D)  
Story, Pete (R)  
Thiessen, Cornie R. (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS (19)

11 DEM., 8 REP.

Shelden, Arthur H. (Art), Chr. (D)  
Harper, Hal, V-Chr. (D)  
Bertelsen, Verner L. (R)  
Burnett, James H. (Jim) (R)  
Cooney, Mike (D)  
Curtiss, Aubyn A. (R)  
Fagg, Harrison G. (R)  
Huennekens, Herb (D)  
Iverson, Dennis (R)  
Johnston, George R. (D)  
Keedy, Michael H. (D)  
Kessler, Gerald R. (D)  
McBride, Kathleen (D)  
Metcalf, Jerry (D)  
Nathe, Dennis G. (R)  
Quilici, Joe (D)  
Scully, John P. (D)  
Spilker, Barbara (Bobby) (R)  
Thoft, Bob (R)

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Council Staff: Debbie Schmidt

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## **PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & SAFETY (HUMAN SERVICES)**

### **SENATE MEMBERS (7)**

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Rasmussen, A.T. (Tom), V-Chr. (R)  
Himsl, Matt V. (R)  
Lensink, Everett R. (R)  
Norman, Bill (D)  
Palmer, Bob (D)  
Ryan, Patrick L. (D)

### **HOUSE MEMBERS (19)**

**11 DEM., 8 REP.**

Holmes, Polly, Chr. (D)  
Frates, Gene, V-Chr. (D)  
Azzara, James (D)  
Bennett, W.F. (R)  
Dozier, Robert (D)  
Fabrega, Jay (R)  
Feda, G.C. (Jerry) (R)  
Gesek, Patricia E. (D)  
Gould, R. Budd (R)  
Harrington, Dan W. (D)  
Hemstad, Andrea (R)  
Keyser, Kerry (R)  
O'Connell, Helen G. (D)  
Pavlovich, Robert J. (D)  
Robbins, Ken (D)  
Rosenthal, Jonas H. (D)  
Stobie, Chris H. (R)  
Tropila Joe (D)  
Wyrick, Harold A. (R)

Council Staff: Dennis Taylor  
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Council Staff: Karen Hedblom  
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## RULES

### SENATE MEMBERS (10) 6 REP., 4 DEM.

Stephens, Stan, Chr. (R)  
Hazelbaker, Frank W. (R)  
Blaylock, Chet (D)  
Graham, Carroll A. (D)  
Jergeson, Greg (D)  
Kolstad, Allen C. (R)  
Mathers, William L. (R)  
Smith, Ed B. (R)  
Thiessen, Cornie R. (D)  
Turnage, Jean A. (R)

On call

### HOUSE MEMBERS (10) 6 DEM., 4 REP.

Dussault, Ann Mary, Chr. (D)  
Gerke, Harold E., V-Chr. (D)  
Bardanouve, Francis (D)  
Brand, Joe (D)  
Huennekens, Herb (D)  
Kvaalen, Oscar S. (R)  
Moore, Jack K. (R)  
Ramirez, Jack (R)  
Sivertsen, Robert (R)  
Vincent, John (D)

On call

# STATE ADMINISTRATION

## SENATE MEMBERS (7)

4 REP., 3 DEM.

Story, Pete, Chr. (R)  
Roskie, George F., V-Chr. (R)  
Brown, Bob (R)  
Hafferman, William F. (D)  
Jergeson, Greg (D)  
Rasmussen, A.T. (Tom) (R)  
Ryan, Patrick L. (D)

## HOUSE MEMBERS (19)

11 DEM., 8 REP.

Brand, Joe, Chr. (D)  
O'Connell, Helen G., V-Chr. (D)  
Azzara, James (D)  
Baeth, William R. (Bill) (D)  
Bardanouve, Francis (D)  
Bennett, W.F. (R)  
Donaldson, Gene (R)  
Feda, G.C. (Jerry) (R)  
Hayne, Harriet (R)  
Johnston, George R. (D)  
Kanduch, Joe F., Sr. (D)  
Kropp, Paul K. (R)  
Magone, Joseph M. (D)  
McBride, Kathleen (D)  
Pistoria, Paul G. (D)  
Porter, Howard C. (R)  
Sales, Walter R. (R)  
Smith, Carl M. (R)  
Staigmiller, John B. (D)

Council Staff: Kathleen Harrington  
M through S - 10:00 a.m., Room 442

Council Staff: Stan Zezotarski  
M through S - 8:00 a.m., Room 431

## TAXATION

### SENATE MEMBERS (12)

7 REP., 5 DEM.

Turnage, Jean A., Chr. (R)  
Goodover, Pat M., V-Chr. (R)  
Brown, Bob (R)  
Hager, Tom (R)  
Manley, John E. (D)  
Manning, Dave (D)  
McCallum, George (R)  
Norman, Bill (D)  
Roskie, George F. (R)  
Severson, Elmer D. (R)  
Towe, Thomas E. (D)  
Watt, Robert D. (D)

### HOUSE MEMBERS (19)

11 DEM., 8 REP.

Huennekens, Herb, Chr. (D)  
Dassinger, E.N., V-Chr. (D)  
Bertelsen, Verner L. (R)  
Burnett, James H. (Jim) (R)  
Dozier, Robert (D)  
Fabrega, Jay (R)  
Fagg, Harrison G. (R)  
Gilligan, Peter J., Jr. (D)  
Harrington, Dan W. (D)  
Hirsch, Les J. (D)  
Johnson, Vicki (D)  
Lien, Edward (D)  
Nordtvedt, Kenneth L. (R)  
Reichert, Arlyne (D)  
Robbins, Hershel M. (D)  
Sivertsen, Robert (R)  
Underdal, Melvin (R)  
Vinger, Orren C. (R)  
Williams, J. Melvin (D)

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# OCCUPATION OF LEGISLATORS, 1979

## OCCUPATION

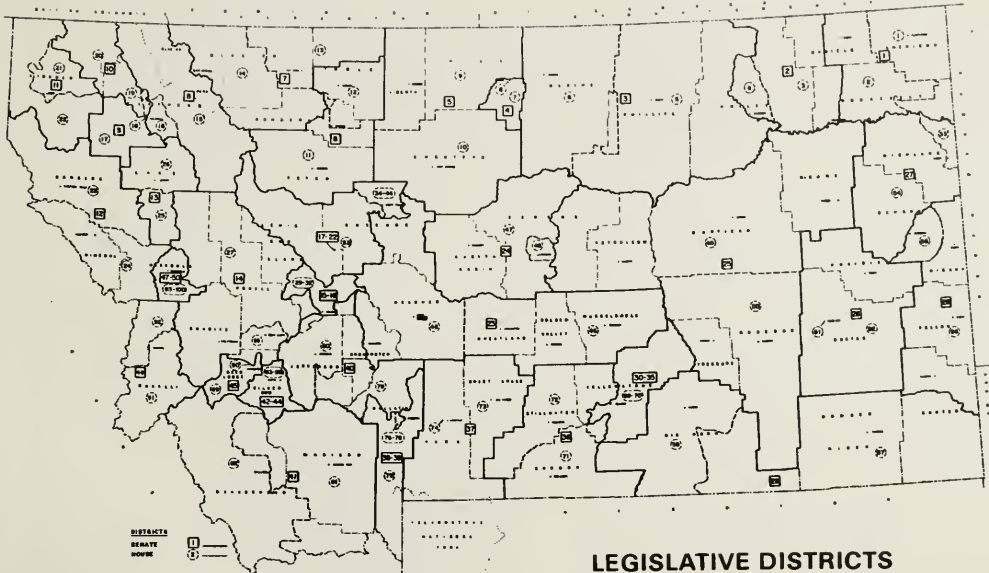
SENATE		HOUSE
20	Agribusiness	28
10	Farmer-rancher	10
8	Rancher	12
1	Farmer	4
1	Other	2
5	Businessman	8
4	Retired	13
5	Teacher/Educator	11
5	Lawyer	5
3	Physician	1
2	Other professional	5
4	Contractor	2
1	Labor and crafts	5
	Homemaker	6
1	Other	16

# LEGISLATIVE EXPERIENCE OF MONTANA LEGISLATORS

## 1979

<u>Senate</u>		<u>House</u>
26	5th or more session	22
19	2nd - 4th session	55
5	1st session	23





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