

Midterm Elections: 120th Congress
United MEC Government Affairs Committee

Over the last eight weeks, the hard work of our AFA Government Affairs Committee Members and volunteers has come to life in bases across the system, connecting Members to our Get Out The Vote campaign for the 2026 Midterm Elections.

The GOTV team had conversations with thousands of Members in terminals and crew rooms. We provided assistance and up to date information about the 2026 midterm elections including: voter registration resources, various voting options, overseas voting support, and polling locations. We also introduced Members to AFA Endorsed Candidates who have pledged their support for our contract fights and for legislation that makes our industry safer.

Eligible Flight Attendant voters across the globe made their voices heard and participated in our Democratic process. THANK YOU, for making the time to show Washington that Flight Attendants vote, and our vote matters. Our profession can sometimes make it difficult to participate in the election process. You all made the commitment to get to the polls and support your chosen candidate.

Aviation safety transcends all political parties. Our ability to usher in good aviation legislation, protect our profession and fight for the improvement of our industry hinges on greatly on our elected Representatives. Every time we exercise our right to vote we show Congress that Flight Attendants have an active voice in the democratic process and that we are willing and able to hold them accountable to working Americans.

We have a long history of working with every elected official to drive forward on good aviation legislation, protect and improve collective bargaining and elevate the career we have chosen.

The new Congress will be sworn into Office on January 3rd 2027. Stay tuned for more information about our legislation priorities for the 120th Congress. For past successes and current legislation, go to afacwa.org/vote.

For the 2026 Midterm Elections AFA-CWA/AFL-CIO endorsed 103 candidates. While there are still a few races to be called, we wish to congratulate all the candidates who were successful in their campaigns and will take their place in the 120th Congress.

**Indicates endorsed candidate in a race that has not been called as of 4:30 PM CT*

Alaska	Governor Senate House	*Jonathan Kreiss-Tomkins *Mary Peltola *Bill Hill (AK At-Large)
Arizona	House House House	*Amish Shah AZ-01 Greg Stanton AZ-04 *Joanna Mendoza AZ-06
California	House House House House House House House House House House House	Mike McGuire CA-01 Dr. Richard Pan CA-06 Mark DeSaulnier CA-10 *Connie Chan CA-11 *Aisha Wahab CA-14 Kevin Mullin CA-15 Salud Carbajal CA-24 Judy Chu CA-28 Peter Aguilar CA-33 Robert Garcia CA-42 Marni von Wilpert CA-48
Delaware	House	Sarah McBride (DE At Large)
District of Columbia	Mayoral	Janeese Lewis George
Florida	House House FL House of Rep	*Darren Soto FL-09 Maxwell Frost FL-10 Satin Fye 109
Georgia	House	Hank Johnson GA-04
Hawaii	House	Jill Tokuda HI-02
Illinois	House House House House House House House House	Donna Miller IL-02 Delia Ramirez IL-03 Patty Garcia IL-04 La Shawn K. Ford IL-07 Brad Schneider IL-10 Bill Foster IL-11 Nikki Budzinski IL-13 Eric Sorenson IL-17
Indiana	House State Senate	Andre Carson IN-07 Scott Houldienson IN-01
Iowa	Senate	Josh Turek
Kansas	House	Sharice Davids KS-03
Kentucky	House	Zach Dembo KY-06
Maine	Senate House	Troy Jackson *Matt Dunlap ME-02
Maryland	House House	Johnny Olszewski MD-02 Jamie Raskin MD-08

Massachusetts	Senate House	Ed Markey Katherine Clark MA-05
Michigan	Senate Governor House House House House	Abdul El-Sayed Jocelyn Benson Hillary Scholten MI-03 William Lawrence MI-07 Jeremy Moss MI-11 Rashida Tlaib MI-12
Minnesota	Senate House	Peggy Flanagan Betty McCollum MN-04
Mississippi	Senate House	*Scott Colom Bennie Thompson MS-02
Montana	House	Sam Forstag MT-01
New Hampshire	Senate	Chris Pappas
New Mexico	Senate	Ben Ray Lujan
Nevada	House House	Dina Titus NV-01 Steven Horsford NV-04
New Jersey	House House House	Donald Norcross NJ-01 Rebecca Bennett NJ-07 Nellie Pou NJ-09
New York	House House House House House House	*Chris Gallant NY-01 Claire Valdez NY-07 Hakeem Jeffries NY-08 Brad Lander NY-10 Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez NY-14 Pat Ryan NY-18
North Carolina	House	Richard Ojeda NC-09
Ohio	Senate House House House	Sherrod Brown Brian Poindexter OH-07 Marcy Kaptur OH-09 Emilia Sykes OH-13
Oregon	Senate House House House House	Jeff Merkley Suzanna Bonamici OR-01 Maxine Dexter OR-03 Val Hoyle OR-04 Andrea Salinas OR-06
Pennsylvania	House House House House House	Chris Rabb PA-03 Bob Brooks PA-07 Paige Cognetti PA-08 Janelle Stelson PA-10 Chris Deluzio PA-17

Rhode Island	Senate House	Jack Reed Seth Magaziner RI-02
Tennessee	House	*Justin Pearson TN-09
Texas	Senate House	James Talarico Greg Casar TX-37
Virginia	House House House	Shannon Taylor VA-01 Don Beyer VA-08 James Walkinshaw VA-11
Washington	House House House House	Suzan DelBene WA-01 Rick Larsen WA-02 Emily Randall WA-06 Pramila Jaypal WA-07
Wisconsin	House House	Mark Pocan WI-02 Rebecca Cooke WI-03

***All endorsements are made by the AFA Political Legislative Policy Committee in consultation with the Government Affairs Director and the International President. AFA evaluates incumbent members on their support for the Flight Attendant profession, labor rights, healthcare, and social and democratic issues. New candidates must return an AFA-CWA Candidate Questionnaire in order to be considered for an endorsement from AFA-CWA. Candidates must seek/request an AFA endorsement; we do not weigh in on every race. It is rare for AFA to weigh in on Primary elections. AFA primarily makes endorsements for the Federal Office. Special consideration is given to State and Local candidates who reach out to request our endorsement and have demonstrated a commitment to Flight Attendants.*