

## How to Read the U.S. House of Representatives 2005–2006 Arts Voting Record

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- 1** **Amendment offered by Representative Bob Beauprez (R-CO) to decrease NEA funding for FY 2007 and redirect \$30 million to the Wildland Fire Management budget of the U.S. Forest Service.**  
Date: 18-May-06  
Result: Failed by a vote of 112 to 306  
Citation: 109th Congress, 2nd session, roll-call vote 166  
Pro-arts: no
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- 2** **Amendment offered by Representative Bob Beauprez (R-CO) to decrease NEA funding for FY 2006 and redirect \$30 million to the Wildland Fire Management budget of the U.S. Forest Service.**  
Date: 19-May-05  
Result: Failed by a vote of 122 to 298  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 195  
Pro-arts: no
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- 3** **Amendment offered by Representative Joel Hefley (R-CO) to decrease NEA funding for FY 2006 by \$15 million and provide a corresponding increase to the Payments in Lieu of Taxes (PILT) program at the Department of Interior.**  
Date: 19-May-05  
Result: Failed by a vote of 109 to 311  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 191  
Pro-arts: no
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- 4** **Amendment offered by Representative Dave Obey (D-WI) to restore \$100 million to the budget of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. The amendment was cosponsored by Reps. Nita Lowey (D-NY) and Jim Leach (R-IA).**  
Date: 23-Jun-05  
Result: Succeeded by a vote of 284 to 140  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 305  
Pro-arts: yes
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- 5** **Amendment offered by Representative Jeb Hensarling (R-TX) as a substitute budget resolution. The amendment included nonbinding language expressing the sense of the House that several programs ought to be eliminated, including the NEA and the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.**  
Date: 17-Mar-05  
Result: Failed by a vote of 102 to 320  
Citation: 109th Congress, 1st session, roll-call vote 83  
Pro-arts: no
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- 6** **Membership in the Congressional Arts Caucus as of 2-16-07. The list is maintained by the office of Caucus Co-Chair Representative Louise Slaughter (D-NY).**  
Pro-arts: yes
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- 7** **Cosponsorship of H.R. 1120 in the 109th Congress, offered by Representatives Jim Ramstad (R-MN) and Ben Cardin (D-MD), allowing artists and creators to claim a tax deduction for the fair market value of gifts of their own work to nonprofit arts organizations for mission-related use.**  
Result: To be reintroduced in the 100th Congress  
Pro-arts: yes
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- 8** **Co-signed a Congressional Arts Caucus “Dear Colleague” letter in either 2005 or 2006 or both, asking House appropriators for a funding increase for the NEA. The letters were initiated by Caucus Co-Chairs Representatives Slaughter (D-NY) and Chris Shays (R-CT).**  
Pro-arts: yes
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- 9** **Co-signed a Congressional Arts Caucus “Dear Colleague” letter in either 2005 or 2006 or both, asking for a funding increase for the Department of Education’s arts education grant programs. The letters were initiated by Caucus Co-Chairs Representatives Slaughter (D-NY) and Shays (R-CT) as well as Representative Jerrold Nadler (D-NY).**  
Pro-arts: yes
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<b>ALABAMA</b>									
4 Aderholt, Robert (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
6 Bachus, Spencer (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
1 Bonner, Jo (R)	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
5 Cramer, Robert (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
7 Davis, Artur (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
2 Everett, Terry (R)	●	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
3 Rogers, Mike (R)	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
<b>ALASKA</b>									
1 Young, Don (R)	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
<b>ARIZONA</b>									
6 Flake, Jeff (R)	*	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
2 Franks, Trent (R)	*	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
8 Giffords, Gabrielle (D) <i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
7 Grijalva, Raul (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
5 Mitchell, Harry (D) <i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						●			
4 Pastor, Ed (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
1 Renzi, Rick (R)	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
3 Shadegg, John (R)	*	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
<b>ARKANSAS</b>									
1 Berry, Marion (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
3 Boozman, John (R)	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
4 Ross, Mike (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
2 Snyder, Vic (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
<b>CALIFORNIA</b>									
43 Baca, Joe (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○
31 Becerra, Xavier (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
28 Berman, Howard (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
50 Bilbray, Brian (R) <i>Didn't take office until 06/15/06</i>						○	○		
45 Bono, Mary (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
44 Calvert, Ken (R)	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
48 Campbell, John (R) <i>Didn't take office until 12/07/05</i>	○					○	○	○	○
23 Capps, Lois (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
18 Cardoza, Dennis (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
20 Costa, Jim (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
53 Davis, Susan (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
4 Doolittle, John (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
26 Dreier, David (R)	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
14 Eshoo, Anna (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
17 Farr, Sam (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
51 Filner, Bob (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
24 Gallegly, Elton (R)	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
36 Harman, Jane (D)	●	*	*	*	●	●	○	●	○
2 Herger, Wally (R)	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
15 Honda, Mike (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
52 Hunter, Duncan (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
49 Issa, Darrell (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
12 Lantos, Tom (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
9 Lee, Barbara (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
41 Lewis, Jerry (R)	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
16 Lofgren, Zoe (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
3 Lungren, Daniel (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
5 Matsui, Doris (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
22 McCarthy, Kevin (R) <i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
25 McKeon, Howard (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○

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**CALIFORNIA (cont.)**

11	McNerney, Jerry (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
37	Millender-McDonald, Juanita (D)		●	*	*	●	●	○	○	●	●
42	Miller, Gary (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
7	Miller, George (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
38	Napolitano, Grace (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
21	Nunes, Devin (R)		●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
8	Pelosi, Nancy (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
19	Radanovich, George (R)		○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
46	Rohrabacher, Dana (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
34	Roybal-Allard, Lucille (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
40	Royce, Edward (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
39	Sanchez, Linda (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●
47	Sanchez, Loretta (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
29	Schiff, Adam (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
27	Sherman, Brad (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○
32	Solis, Hilda (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
13	Stark, Pete (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
10	Tauscher, Ellen (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
1	Thompson, Mike (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○
35	Waters, Maxine (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
33	Watson, Diane (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
30	Waxman, Henry (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
6	Woolsey, Lynn (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●

**COLORADO**

1	DeGette, Diana (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
5	Lamborn, Doug (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
4	Musgrave, Marilyn (R)		*	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
7	Perlmutter, Ed (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
3	Salazar, John (D)		○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
6	Tancredo, Tom (R)		○	*	*	○	○	○	○	○	○
2	Udall, Mark (D)		●	○	●	●	●	●	○	○	●

**CONNECTICUT**

2	Courtney, Joseph (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
3	DeLauro, Rosa (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
1	Larson, John (D)		*	*	*	●	*	●	○	●	●
5	Murphy, Christopher (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						●			
4	Shays, Christopher (R)		●	*	*	●	●	●	●	●	●

**DELAWARE**

1	Castle, Michael (R)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
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**FLORIDA**

9	Bilirakis, Gus (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
2	Boyd, Allen (D)		●	●	●	*	●	○	○	○	○
3	Brown, Corrine (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
5	Brown-Waite, Ginny (R)		○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
13	Buchanan, Vern (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						●			
11	Castor, Kathy (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
4	Crenshaw, Ander (R)		●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
21	Diaz-Balart, Lincoln (R)		●	●	●	○	*	○	○	○	○
25	Diaz-Balart, Mario (R)		○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
24	Feeney, Tom (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
23	Hastings, Alcee (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○
8	Keller, Ric (R)		○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
22	Klein, Ron (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
14	Mack, Connie (R)		●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○

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<b>INDIANA (cont.)</b>										
7	Carson, Julia (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
2	Donnelly, Joe (D)						○			
8	Ellsworth, Brad (D)						○			
9	Hill, Baron (D)						○			
6	Pence, Mike (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
3	Souder, Mark (R)	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
1	Visclosky, Peter (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
<b>IOWA</b>										
3	Boswell, Leonard (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
1	Brale, Bruce (D)						○			
5	King, Steven (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
4	Latham, Tom (R)	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
2	Loeb sack, David (D)						○			
<b>KANSAS</b>										
2	Boyda, Nancy (D)						○			
3	Moore, Dennis (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
1	Moran, Jerry (R)	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○
4	Tia hrt, Todd (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
<b>KENTUCKY</b>										
6	Chandler, Ben (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
4	Davis, Geoff (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
2	Lewis, Ron (R)	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
5	Rogers, Harold (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
1	Whitfield, Ed (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
3	Yarmuth, John (D)						●			
<b>LOUISIANA</b>										
5	Alexander, Rodney (R)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○
6	Baker, Richard (R)	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
7	Boustany, Charles (R)	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
2	Jefferson, William (D)	●	●	●	●	*	●	○	●	●
1	Jindal, Bobby (R)	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
4	McCrery, Jim (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
3	Melancon, Charles (D)	●	●	●	●	*	○	○	●	○
<b>MAINE</b>										
1	Allen, Thomas (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
2	Michaud, Michael (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
<b>MARYLAND</b>										
6	Bartlett, Roscoe (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
7	Cummings, Elijah (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
1	Gilchrest, Wayne (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
5	Hoyer, Steny (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	○
2	Ruppersberger, Dutch (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
3	Sarbanes, John (D)						○			
8	Van Hollen, Christopher (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
4	Wynn, Albert (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b>										
8	Capuano, Michael (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
10	Delahunt, William (D)	●	●	●	●	*	○	○	●	●
4	Frank, Barney (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
9	Lynch, Stephen (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●
7	Markey, Edward (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
3	McGovern, James (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
5	Meehan, Martin (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○

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<b>MASSACHUSETTS (cont.)</b>									
2 Neal, Richard (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
1 Olver, John (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○
6 Tierney, John (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
<b>MICHIGAN</b>									
4 Camp, Dave (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
14 Conyers, John (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
15 Dingell, John (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
3 Ehlers, Vernon (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
2 Hoekstra, Peter (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
5 Kildee, Dale (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
13 Kilpatrick, Carolyn (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
9 Knollenberg, Joe (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
12 Levin, Sander (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
11 McCotter, Thaddeus (R)	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	○	●
10 Miller, Candice (R)	○	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
8 Rogers, Mike (R)	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
1 Stupak, Bart (D)	*	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
6 Upton, Fred (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
7 Walberg, Timothy (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○			
<b>MINNESOTA</b>									
6 Bachmann, Michelle (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○			
5 Ellison, Keith (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○			
2 Kline, John (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
4 McCollum, Betty (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
8 Oberstar, James (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
7 Peterson, Collin (D)	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	●	●
3 Ramstad, Jim (R)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
1 Walz, Timothy (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○			
<b>MISSISSIPPI</b>									
3 Pickering, Charles (R)	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
4 Taylor, Gene (D)	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
2 Thompson, Bennie (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●
1 Wicker, Roger (R)	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
<b>MISSOURI</b>									
2 Akin, Todd (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
7 Blunt, Roy (R)	*	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
3 Carnahan, Russ (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
1 Clay, William Lacy (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
5 Cleaver, Emanuel (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●
8 Emerson, Jo Ann (R)	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
6 Graves, Sam (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
9 Hulshof, Kenny (R)	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
4 Skelton, Ike (D)	○	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	○
<b>MONTANA</b>									
1 Rehberg, Dennis (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
<b>NEBRASKA</b>									
1 Fortenberry, Jeff (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
3 Smith, Adrian (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○			
2 Terry, Lee (R)	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
<b>NEVADA</b>									
1 Berkley, Shelley (D)	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	●	●
2 Heller, Dean (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○			
3 Porter, Jon (R)	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○

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**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

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1	Shea-Porter, Carol (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○	

**NEW JERSEY**

1	Andrews, Robert (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○
7	Ferguson, Mike (R)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
11	Frelinghuysen, Rodney (R)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
5	Garrett, Scott (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
12	Holt, Rush (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
2	LoBiondo, Frank (R)		●	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	●
6	Pallone, Frank (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
8	Pascrell, Bill (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
10	Payne, Donald (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
9	Rothman, Steven (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○
3	Saxton, Jim (R)		●	●	●	○	●	○	●	○	●
13	Sires, Albio (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 11/08/06</i>							○		
4	Smith, Christopher (R)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○

**NEW MEXICO**

2	Pearce, Steve (R)		○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
3	Udall, Tom (D)		●	●	●	*	●	●	●	●	●
1	Wilson, Heather (R)		○	○	○	*	●	○	○	○	○

**NEW YORK**

5	Ackerman, Gary (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
24	Arcuri, Michael (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○		
1	Bishop, Tim (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○
11	Clarke, Yvette (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○		
7	Crowley, Joseph (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
17	Engel, Eliot (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
13	Fossella, Vito (R)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
20	Gillibrand, Kirsten (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○		
19	Hall, John (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○		
27	Higgins, Brian (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
22	Hinchey, Maurice (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●
2	Israel, Steve (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
3	King, Peter (R)		○	●	●	●	*	○	○	○	○
29	Kuhl, Randy (R)		●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
18	Lowey, Nita (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
14	Maloney, Carolyn (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
4	McCarthy, Carolyn (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
23	McHugh, John (R)		●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
21	McNulty, Michael (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
6	Meeks, Gregory (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
8	Nadler, Jerrold (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
15	Rangel, Charles (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●
26	Reynolds, Thomas (R)		*	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
16	Serrano, Jose (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
28	Slaughter, Louise (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
10	Towns, Edolphus (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○
12	Velazquez, Nydia (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
25	Walsh, James (R)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
9	Weiner, Anthony (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●

**NORTH CAROLINA**

1	Butterfield, G.K. (D)		●	*	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
6	Coble, Howard (R)		○	○	●	●	*	○	○	○	○
2	Etheridge, Bob (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●

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<b>NORTH CAROLINA (cont.)</b>											
5	Foxx, Virginia (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
8	Hayes, Robin (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	
3	Jones, Walter (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	
10	McHenry, Patrick (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
7	McIntyre, Mike (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	
13	Miller, Brad (D)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
9	Myrick, Sue (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
4	Price, David (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	
11	Shuler, Heath (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
12	Watt, Melvin (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	
<b>NORTH DAKOTA</b>											
1	Pomeroy, Earl (D)	●	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	
<b>OHIO</b>											
8	Boehner, John (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
1	Chabot, Steve (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
5	Gillmor, Paul (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	
7	Hobson, David (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	
11	Jones, Stephanie Tubbs (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	
4	Jordan, Jim (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
9	Kaptur, Marcy (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	
10	Kucinich, Dennis (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	
14	LaTourette, Steven (R)	●	*	*	●	●	○	○	○	○	
15	Pryce, Deborah (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	
16	Regula, Ralph (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	
17	Ryan, Tim (D)	●	●	●	*	●	●	●	●	●	
2	Schmidt, Jean (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 08/02/05</i>						○	○	○	○
18	Space, Zachary (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
13	Sutton, Betty (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						●			
12	Tiberi, Patrick (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	
3	Turner, Michael (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	
6	Wilson, Charles (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
<b>OKLAHOMA</b>											
2	Boren, Dan (D)	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	
4	Cole, Tom (R)	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	
5	Fallin, Mary (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
3	Lucas, Frank (R)	●	*	*	○	●	○	○	○	○	
1	Sullivan, John (R)	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
<b>OREGON</b>											
3	Blumenauer, Earl (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	
4	DeFazio, Peter (D)	○	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	
5	Hooley, Darlene (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	
2	Walden, Greg (R)	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	
1	Wu, David (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b>											
4	Altmire, Jason (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
1	Brady, Robert (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	
10	Carney, Christopher (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>						○			
15	Dent, Charles (R)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	
14	Doyle, Michael (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	
3	English, Phil (R)	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	●	
2	Fattah, Chaka (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	
6	Gerlach, Jim (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	
17	Holden, Tim (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	
11	Kanjorski, Paul (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	

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8	Murphy, Patrick (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○			
18	Murphy, Timothy (R)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
12	Murtha, John (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
5	Peterson, John (R)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
16	Pitts, Joseph (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
19	Platts, Todd (R)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
13	Schwartz, Allyson (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
7	Sestak, Joseph (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○			
9	Shuster, Bill (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
<b>RHODE ISLAND</b>												
1	Kennedy, Patrick (D)		*	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○
2	Langevin, James (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>												
3	Barrett, J. Gresham (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
1	Brown, Henry (R)		●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
6	Clyburn, James (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●	○
4	Inglis, Bob (R)		●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
5	Spratt, John (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
2	Wilson, Joe (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
<b>SOUTH DAKOTA</b>												
1	Herseth, Stephanie (D)		○	○	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
<b>TENNESSEE</b>												
7	Blackburn, Marsha (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
9	Cohen, Steve (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							●			
5	Cooper, Jim (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	○
1	Davis, David (R)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							●			
4	Davis, Lincoln (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
2	Duncan, John (R)		●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
6	Gordon, Bart (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●
8	Tanner, John (D)		●	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
3	Wamp, Zach (R)		●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
<b>TEXAS</b>												
6	Barton, Joe (R)		●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
23	Rodriguez, Ciro (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○			
8	Brady, Kevin (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
26	Burgess, Michael (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
31	Carter, John (R)		●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
11	Conaway, Mike (R)		●	●	*	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
28	Cuellar, Henry (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
7	Culberson, John (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
25	Doggett, Lloyd (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
17	Edwards, Chet (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
1	Gohmert, Louie (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
20	Gonzalez, Charles (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●	●
12	Granger, Kay (R)		●	●	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
9	Green, Al (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●	●
29	Green, Gene (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
4	Hall, Ralph (R)		●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
5	Hensarling, Jeb (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
15	Hinojosa, Ruben (D)		●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
18	Jackson Lee, Sheila (D)		●	*	*	●	●	○	○	○	●	●
30	Johnson, Eddie Bernice (D)		●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●
3	Johnson, Sam (R)		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
22	Lampson, Nick (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>							○			

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**TEXAS (cont.)**

24	Marchant, Kenny (R)	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
10	McCaul, Michael (R)	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
19	Neugebauer, Randy (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
27	Ortiz, Solomon (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
14	Paul, Ron (R)	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
2	Poe, Ted (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
16	Reyes, Silvestre (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○
32	Sessions, Pete (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
21	Smith, Lamar (R)	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○
13	Thornberry, Mac (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○

**UTAH**

1	Bishop, Rob (R)	*	*	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
3	Cannon, Chris (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
2	Matheson, Jim (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●

**VERMONT**

1	Welch, Peter (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○				
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**VIRGINIA**

9	Boucher, Rick (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
7	Cantor, Eric (R)	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○
1	Davis, Jo Ann (R)	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○
11	Davis, Tom (R)	●	●	●	*	●	○	○	○	○
2	Drake, Thelma (R)	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○
4	Forbes, J. Randy (R)	○	●	○	○	*	○	○	○	○
5	Goode, Virgil (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
6	Goodlatte, Bob (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
8	Moran, Jim (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
3	Scott, Bobby (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
10	Wolf, Frank (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○

**WASHINGTON**

3	Baird, Brian (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○
6	Dicks, Norm (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●
4	Hastings, Doc (R)	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○
1	Inslee, Jay (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
2	Larsen, Rick (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
7	McDermott, Jim (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●
5	McMorris, Cathy (R)	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
8	Reichert, David (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
9	Smith, Adam (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●

**WEST VIRGINIA**

2	Capito, Shelley Moore (R)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
1	Mollohan, Alan (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○
3	Rahall, Nick (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●

**WISCONSIN**

2	Baldwin, Tammy (D)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
8	Kagen, Steve (D)	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>					○				
3	Kind, Ron (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	○	
4	Moore, Gwen (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	
7	Obey, David (D)	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	
6	Petri, Thomas (R)	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	
1	Ryan, Paul (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	
5	Sensenbrenner, Jlm (R)	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	

**WYOMING**

1	Cubin, Barbara (R)	○	○	○	●	*	○	○	○	○
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## How to Read the U.S. Senate 2006 Arts Support Record

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Co-signed a “Dear Colleague” letter in 2006, asking Senate appropriators for a funding increase for the NEA and NEH. The letter was initiated by Senator Norm Coleman (R-MN).

Pro-arts: yes

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2

Cosponsorship of S.372, offered by Senators Patrick Leahy (D-VT) and Robert Bennett (R-UT), allowing artists and creators to claim a tax deduction for the fair market value of gifts of their own work to nonprofit arts organizations for mission-related use.

Result: Bill has been re-introduced in the 110th Congress as S. 548

Pro-arts: yes

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3

Membership in the Senate Cultural Caucus. The list is maintained by the office of Caucus Co-Chair Senator Kennedy (D-MA).

Pro-arts: yes

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<b>Senator</b>	<b>Party-State</b>			
Lisa A. Murkowski	R-AK	●	○	●
Ted Stevens	R-AK	○	●	●
Jeff Sessions	R-AL	○	○	○
Richard C. Shelby	R-AL	○	○	○
Blanche Lincoln	D-AR	●	○	○
Mark Pryor	D-AR	●	○	○
Jon L. Kyl	R-AZ	○	○	○
John McCain	R-AZ	○	○	○
Barbara Boxer	D-CA	●	○	●
Dianne Feinstein	D-CA	○	●	●
Wayne A. Allard	R-CO	○	○	○
Ken Salazar	D-CO	○	○	○
Christopher J. Dodd	D-CT	●	●	●
Joseph I. Lieberman	I-CT	●	●	○
Joseph R. Biden	D-DE	●	○	○
Thomas R. Carper	D-DE	○	○	○
Mel Martinez	R-FL	●	○	○
Bill Nelson	D-FL	○	○	○
Saxby Chambliss	R-GA	○	○	○
Johnny Isakson	R-GA	○	○	●
Daniel K. Akaka	D-HI	●	○	●
Daniel K. Inouye	D-HI	○	○	○
Charles E. Grassley	R-IA	○	○	○
Tom Harkin	D-IA	●	○	○
Larry Craig	R-ID	○	○	●
Michael D. Crapo	R-ID	●	○	○
Richard J. Durbin	D-IL	●	●	●
Barack Obama	D-IL	●	○	○
Evan Bayh	D-IN	○	○	●
Richard G. Lugar	R-IN	○	●	○
Sam Brownback	R-KS	○	○	○
Pat Roberts	R-KS	○	○	○
Jim Bunning	R-KY	○	○	○
Mitch McConnell	R-KY	○	○	○
Mary L. Landrieu	D-LA	○	○	○
David Vitter	R-LA	○	○	○
Edward M. Kennedy	D-MA	●	●	●
John F. Kerry	D-MA	●	●	○
Benjamin L. Cardin	D-MD	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Barbara A. Mikulski	D-MD	●	○	○
Susan M. Collins	R-ME	●	○	●
Olympia J. Snowe	R-ME	●	○	○
Carl Levin	D-MI	●	○	○
Debbie Stabenow	D-MI	●	○	●
Norm Coleman	R-MN	●	○	●
Amy Klobuchar	D-MN	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Christopher S. Bond	R-MO	○	○	○
Claire McCaskill	D-MO	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Thad Cochran	R-MS	○	●	●
Trent Lott	R-MS	○	○	○

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<b>Senator</b>	<b>Party-State</b>			
Max Baucus	D-MT		●	○
Jon Tester	D-MT	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Richard Burr	R-NC		○	○
Elizabeth Dole	R-NC		○	○
Kent Conrad	D-ND		○	●
Byron L. Dorgan	D-ND		○	○
Chuck Hagel	R-NE		○	○
Benjamin Nelson	D-NE		●	○
Judd Gregg	R-NH		○	○
John E. Sununu	R-NH		○	○
Frank Lautenberg	D-NJ		●	○
Robert Menendez	D-NJ		●	○
Jeff Bingaman	D-NM		●	●
Pete V. Domenici	R-NM		○	○
John Ensign	R-NV		○	○
Harry Reid*	D-NV		○	○
Hillary Rodham Clinton	D-NY		●	○
Charles E. Schumer	D-NY		●	○
Sherrod Brown	D-OH	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
George V. Voinovich	R-OH		○	○
Thomas A. Coburn	R-OK		○	○
James M. Inhofe	R-OK		○	○
Gordon H. Smith	R-OR		○	○
Ron Wyden	D-OR		●	○
Robert P. Casey	D-PA	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Arlen Specter	R-PA		○	○
Jack Reed	D-RI		●	○
Sheldon Whitehouse	D-RI	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Jim DeMint	R-SC		○	○
Lindsey O. Graham	R-SC		○	○
Tim Johnson	D-SD		●	●
John Thune	R-SD		○	○
Lamar Alexander	R-TN		○	○
Bob Corker	R-TN	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
John Cornyn	R-TX		○	○
Kay Bailey Hutchison	R-TX		○	○
Robert F. Bennett	R-UT		○	●
Orrin G. Hatch	R-UT		●	○
John Warner	R-VA		○	●
James H. Webb	D-VA	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Patrick J. Leahy	D-VT		●	●
Bernard Sanders	I-VT	<i>Didn't take office until 01/04/07</i>		
Maria Cantwell	D-WA		●	●
Patty Murray	D-WA		●	○
Russ Feingold	D-WI		●	○
Herbert H. Kohl	D-WI		●	○
Robert C. Byrd	D-WV		○	○
Jay Rockefeller	D-WV		●	○
Michael B. Enzi	R-WY		○	○
Craig Thomas	R-WY		○	○

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