

# United States Senate



## Senator Lindsey Graham South Carolina **Republican**

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

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**Began Service in the Senate:** 2003

**State Offices:** Greenville, Charleston, Pendleton, Rock Hill, Columbia, Florence

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Appropriations
- Budget (Chair)
- Environment and Public Works
- Judiciary

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Senator Graham plays a very important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. This is also because he serves as Chairman of the State/Foreign Operations subcommittee, which has direct jurisdiction over Peace Corps funding

**Key Staff:** Ryan Geary, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [ryan\\_geary@lgraham.senate.gov](mailto:ryan_geary@lgraham.senate.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Climate Solutions

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:** (\*Denotes Constituent Meeting)

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2011–2013, 2015–2017, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2024
- District Office Meetings: 2015\*

In 2013, staff of Senator Graham met with NPCA leadership and Dr. Mohammud Said of Kenya, winner of NPCA's Harris Wofford Global Citizen Award.

# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Graham

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                   | Action                                                                                                       |
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| Senate Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                         | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2006-2010, 2012, 2014, 2016-2025                                                      |
| Senate Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Support robust international affairs funding</b>                                                                                | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2017-2019, 2021-2022<br><b>Did not</b> sign in 2020 (COVID-19 International Response) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (S.1203)</b>                                                                                       | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2022,2023                                  |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Health Force, Resilience Force and Jobs to Fight COVID-19 Act (S. 32)</b>                                                          | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021, 2022                                                                      |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation</b>                                                                                      | <b>S. 3700: Did not</b> co-sponsor<br><b>S. 3642: Did not</b> co-sponsor                                     |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>CORPS Act (S. 3964)</b><br><i>Expand COVID-19 National Service Response Positions (Including Priority Preference for Evacuees)</i> | <b>Co-sponsored</b> in 2021                                                                                  |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Mission Accountability Act (S. 2320)</b><br><i>Legislation opposed by NPCA</i>                                         | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                                                    |

**Other Notes:** In recent years, the Senate Peace Corps funding Dear Colleague letter is addressed to Senator Graham as the top Republican of the Appropriations Subcommittee on State/Foreign Operations

# United States Senate



## Senator Tim Scott South Carolina **Republican**

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://www.scott.senate.gov/contact/email-me>

**Began Service in the U. S. Senate:** 2013

**State Offices:** Columbia, Greenville, North Charleston

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Finance
- Health, Education, Labor and Pensions
- Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs (Chair)
- Small Business

**Key Staff:** Thuc-Nhi Nguyen, *Foreign Policy Issues*,  
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**Key Caucuses:**

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2017, 2020, 2023, 2024
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Senator Scott

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                   | Action                                                                                                       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Senate Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                         | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2014, 2016-2025                                                                       |
| Senate Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Support robust international affairs funding</b>                                                                                | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2017-2019, 2021-2022<br><b>Did not</b> sign in 2020 (COVID-19 International Response) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (S.1203)</b>                                                                                       | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2022-2023                                  |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Health Force, Resilience Force and Jobs to Fight COVID-19 Act (S. 32)</b>                                                          | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021                                                                            |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation</b>                                                                                      | <b>S. 3700: Did not</b> co-sponsor<br><b>S. 3642: Did not</b> co-sponsor                                     |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>CORPS Act (S. 3964)</b><br><i>Expand COVID-19 National Service Response Positions (Including Priority Preference for Evacuees)</i> | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                                                    |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Mission Accountability Act (S. 2320)</b><br><i>Legislation opposed by NPCA</i>                                         | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                                                    |

## Other Notes

# House of Representatives



**Rep. Nancy Mace**  
**South Carolina 1st District**  
**Republican**

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://mace.house.gov/contact>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2021

**District Offices:** Beaufort, Daniel Island

**Committee Assignments:**

- Armed Services
- Oversight and Accountability
- Veterans' Affairs

**Key Staff:** Jon Maslyn, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [jon.maslyn@mail.house.gov](mailto:jon.maslyn@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Republican Main Street

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Mace

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Action                                                                                                                                     |
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| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2021-2025                                                                                                           |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135. | <b>Voted No</b> in 2023                                                                                                                    |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023<br>( <b>Voted No</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                 | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024                                                                                                          |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025<br><b>Did not</b> join in 2021-2024                                                                          |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                             | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                     |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>                                                                                                                                              | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                     |
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| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>                                                                                                                             | <b>H.R. 6833:</b> N/A<br><b>H.R. 6560:</b> N/A                                                                                             |

## Other Notes

# House of Representatives



**Rep. Joe Wilson**  
**South Carolina 2nd District**  
**Republican**

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Bio: <https://joewilson.house.gov/about/biography>

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://joewilson.house.gov/contact/email-me>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2001

**District Offices:** Aiken, West Columbia

**Committee Assignments:**

- Armed Services
- Education and the Workforce
- Foreign Affairs

Representative Wilson sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation

**Key Staff:** Michael MacHarg II, *Foreign Policy Issues*,  
[michael.macharg@mail.house.gov](mailto:michael.macharg@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:**

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2012, 2021
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Wilson

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Action                                                                                                                                      |
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| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2005-2025                                                                                                            |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.                                            | <b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023                                                                                                                    |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023<br>( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024                                                                                                           |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025<br><b>Did not</b> join in 2013-2024                                                                           |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                      |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                      |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>H.R. 6833: Did not</b> co-sponsor<br><b>H.R. 6560: Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                                |
| 116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019-2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b><br>A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110 | <b>Voted Yes</b>                                                                                                                            |

**Other Notes:** In 2021, as a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, Representative Wilson voted **in favor of** advancing the Peace Corps Reauthorization Act.



# House of Representatives



**Rep. Sheri Biggs**  
**South Carolina 3rd District Republican**

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:**

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**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2025 (New Member of Congress)

**District Offices:** Anderson

**Committee Assignments:**

- Foreign Affairs
- Homeland Security
- Science, Space, and Technology

Representative Biggs sits on the Foreign Affairs Committee, which has jurisdiction over most Peace Corps legislation

**Key Staff:** Chris Ringer, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [chris.ringer@mail.house.gov](mailto:chris.ringer@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:**

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

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# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Biggs

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Action                        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2025   |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.                                            | N/A                           |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                 | N/A                           |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                                                            | N/A                           |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025 |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                        | N/A                           |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                         | N/A                           |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | N/A                           |
| 116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019-2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b><br>A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110 | N/A                           |

**Other Notes:**

# House of Representatives



**Rep. William Timmons**  
**South Carolina 4th District**  
**Republican**

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://timmons.house.gov/contact>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2019

**District Offices:** Greer

**Committee Assignments:**

- Financial Services
- Oversight and Accountability

**Key Staff:** Aaron Larson, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [aaron.larson@mail.house.gov](mailto:aaron.larson@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Republican Study

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Timmons

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Action                                                                                                                                      |
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| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2019-2025                                                                                                            |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.                                            | <b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023                                                                                                                    |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023<br>( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024                                                                                                           |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025<br><b>Did not</b> join in 2019-2024                                                                           |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                      |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                      |
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| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | H.R. 6833: <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor<br>H.R. 6560: <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                                |
| 116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019-2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b><br>A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110 | <b>Voted No</b>                                                                                                                             |

## Other Notes

# House of Representatives



**Rep. Ralph Norman**  
**South Carolina 5th District**  
**Republican**

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Bio: <https://norman.house.gov/meet-ralph/>

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://norman.house.gov/contact/>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2017

**District Offices:** Rock Hill

**Committee Assignments:**

- Budget
- Financial Services
- Rules

**Key Staff:** Isaac Lawson, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [isaac.lawson@mail.house.gov](mailto:isaac.lawson@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** House Freedom, Republican Study

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Norman

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Action                                                                                                                                     |
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| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2017-2025                                                                                                           |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million.<br><b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.                                         | <b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023                                                                                                                   |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023<br>( <b>Voted No</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024                                                                                                          |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025<br><b>Did not</b> join in 2017-2024                                                                          |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                     |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                     |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>H.R. 6833: Did not</b> co-sponsor<br><b>H.R. 6560: Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                               |
| 116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019-2020) <b>Walker Amendment:</b><br>A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110 | <b>Voted Yes</b>                                                                                                                           |

**Other Notes:** In 2020, Congressman Norman **co-sponsored** H.R. 6657, legislation calling for (among other things) taking back COVID-19 relief funds to support Peace Corps' evacuation and readjustment costs for volunteers.

# House of Representatives



## Rep. James Clyburn South Carolina 6th District **Democrat**

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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://clyburn.house.gov/contact-me/email-me>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 1993

**District Offices:** Columbia, Kingstree, Santee, Sumter

### **Committee Assignments:**

- Appropriations

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, Representative Clyburn plays an important role in determining how much funding is allocated for various federal programs. He is not a member of the National Security/Department of State subcommittee, which has direct jurisdiction over Peace Corps funding.

**Key Staff:** Emerald Garrett, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [emerald.garrett@mail.house.gov](mailto:emerald.garrett@mail.house.gov)

### **Key Caucuses:**

### **Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: 2015, 2023, 2024
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Clyburn

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Action                                                                                                                                      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2005-2010,<br>2012-2025<br><b>Signed on</b> in 2011                                                                  |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million.<br><b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.                                          | <b>Voted No</b> in 2023                                                                                                                     |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023<br>( <b>Voted Yes</b> when House passed similar legislation in 2022) |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2024                                                                                                           |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025<br><b>Did not</b> join in 2019-2024<br><b>Joined</b> in 2013-2018                                             |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2021-2022                                                                                                      |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Respect for Peace Corps Volunteers Act (H.R. 4188)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 201-2022                                                                                                       |
| 116th Congress (2019-2020)<br><b>Peace Corps Specific COVID-19 Legislation (H.R. 6833 and H.R. 6560)</b>                                                                                                                                                                         | H.R. 6833: <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor<br>H.R. 6560: <b>Did not</b> co-sponsor                                                                |
| 116 <sup>th</sup> Congress (2019-2020) <b>Walker Amendment</b> :<br>A vote on a proposal to offset disaster relief funding by cutting many programs, including elimination of Peace Corps funding for FY 2020 <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 315 to 110 | <b>Voted No</b>                                                                                                                             |

## Other Notes



# House of Representatives



**Rep. Russell Fry**  
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**South Carolina 2025 Volunteers Sent: 36**

**South Carolina Volunteers Since 1961:**  
1,823

**Contact Form:** <https://fry.house.gov/contact>

**Began Service in the House of Representatives:** 2023

**District Offices:** Florence, Surfside Beach

**Committee Assignments:**

- Energy and Commerce
- Judiciary

**Key Staff:** Noah Taicher, *Foreign Policy Issues*, [noah.taicher@mail.house.gov](mailto:noah.taicher@mail.house.gov)

**Key Caucuses:** Republican Study

**Meeting History with the Peace Corps Community:**

- DC Meetings With Lawmaker: None
- DC Meetings With Staff: None
- District Office Meetings: None

*\*Denotes Constituent Meeting*

# Peace Corps Issues and Rep. Fry

**Green** = Actions in support of Peace Corps | **Red** = Actions against Peace Corps

| Issue/Legislation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Action                                                                   |
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| House Dear Colleague Letter:<br><b>Peace Corps Funding</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Did not</b> sign in 2023-2025                                         |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024) <b>Ogles Amendment</b><br>A vote was taken on a proposal to further reduce FY 2024 Peace Corps funding by an additional \$14 million. <b>NPCA opposed this amendment</b> , which was defeated 295 to 135.                                            | <b>Voted Yes</b> in 2023                                                 |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps Reauthorization Act (H.R.1273)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsored in 2024<br><b>Did not</b> co-sponsor in 2023 |
| 118th Congress (2023-2024)<br><b>Peace Corps/AmeriCorps Student Loan Forgiveness Act (H.R. 7457)</b>                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Did not</b> co-sponsored in 2024                                      |
| <b>House Peace Corps Caucus</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Has not</b> joined in 2025<br><b>Did not</b> join in 2023, 2024       |
| 117th Congress (2021-2022)<br><b>Menstrual Equity in the Peace Corps Act (H.R. 1467)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                        | N/A                                                                      |
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