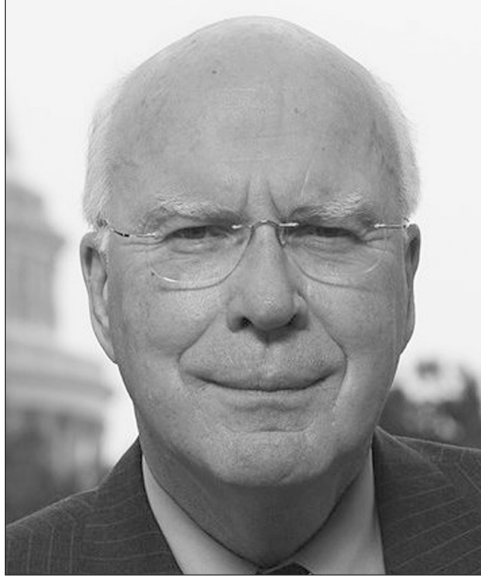


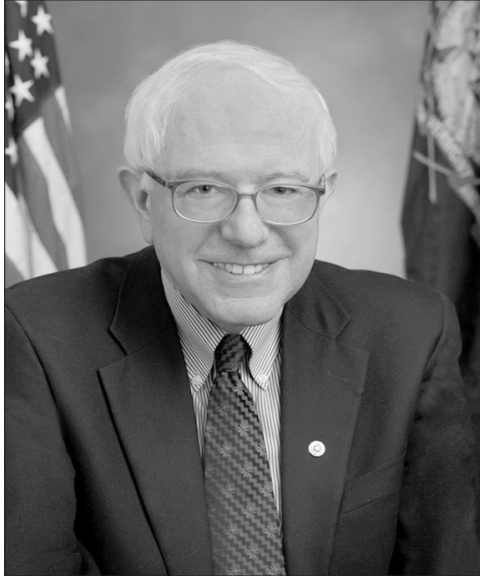
CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION
UNITED STATES SENATOR



SENATOR PATRICK LEAHY
United States Senator - Democrat, Vermont

Patrick Leahy of Middlesex was elected to the United States Senate (1974) and remains the only Democrat – and, when elected at 34, the youngest person – elected to this office from Vermont. In December 2008, Leahy became the longest serving senator from Vermont. Leahy was born in Montpelier and grew up near the Statehouse. He graduated from Saint Michael’s College (1961) and received his Juris Doctoris from Georgetown University Law Center (1964). He served eight years as State’s Attorney in Chittenden County and was selected (1974) as one of three outstanding prosecutors in the United States. In his sixth term, Leahy is the fourth most senior member of the Senate, a senior member of the Agriculture and Appropriations Committees, and Chairman of both the Judiciary Committee and the State and Foreign Operations Appropriations Subcommittee. He is co-chair of the Senate National Guard Caucus and co-chair of the Congressional Internet Caucus. He co-authored the Northeast Interstate Dairy and the Milk Income Loss Compensation program and is the father of the national organic standards and a variety of other farm, conservation and environmental initiatives, including efforts to protect Lake Champlain. He wrote the charter for the first-responder grant program (2001) and the Innocence Protection Act (enacted 2004). He wrote the first law in the world banning the export of landmines, and the Leahy War Victim’s Fund is used worldwide to help landmine victims. Leahy and his wife, Marcelle Pomerleau Leahy, native of Newport, Vt., live on a tree farm in Middlesex and have five grandchildren. Post Office Address: 199 Main Street, Burlington, VT, 05401, or United States Senate, Washington, DC, 20510.

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION
UNITED STATES SENATOR



SENATOR BERNARD SANDERS
United States Senator - Independent, Vermont

Bernard Sanders of Burlington, Chittenden County, was born in Brooklyn, New York, on September 8, 1941. Sanders was elected to the United States Senate in 2006 and served in the United States House from 1991-2006. He is the longest-serving Independent in the history of the House of Representatives. Before his election to Congress, Sanders served as Mayor of Burlington (1981-1989). His accomplishments as Mayor included building affordable housing, revitalizing the City's waterfront and downtown and supporting the arts. He was chosen as one of the twenty best mayors in the country by U.S. News and World Report. In the Senate, he serves on the Energy and Natural Resources; Environment and Public Works; Health, Education, Labor and Pensions; Veterans' Affairs; and Budget Committees. He is a supporter of progressive tax reform, national health care, affordable housing, family farms, a higher minimum wage, workers rights and a national energy policy emphasizing conservation. He is the founder and former chair of the House Progressive Caucus, which has grown to over 50 members. He is married to Jane O'Meara Sanders, and they have 4 children. Before being elected mayor he worked as a writer, documentary producer, and Director of the American People's History Society. Vermont Phone Number 800-339-9834 or 1-802-860-0697. Vermont Fax (802) 860-6370. Post office address: One Church Street, 2nd Floor, Burlington, VT, 05401-4417.

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION REPRESENTATIVE TO CONGRESS



REPRESENTATIVE PETER WELCH **United States Representative to Congress - Democrat, Vermont**

Peter Welch currently serves as Vermont's Democratic member to the United States House of Representatives.

Welch was born in Springfield, Massachusetts in 1947 into a family of six children. He attended Holy Name Grammar School and Cathedral High School. After graduating from Holy Cross College in 1969, he was selected to be in the first class of Robert F. Kennedy Fellows. This honor allowed him to continue the civil rights work he began in college, helping families in Chicago overcome discriminatory housing policies. Welch graduated from the University of California Berkeley, Boalt Hall in 1973.

Settling in Vermont, Welch worked as a public defender and then started the firm of Welch, Graham & Manby, of which he served as partner.

In 1980, Welch was elected to represent Windsor County in the State Senate. In 1985 he was unanimously elected by his colleagues to serve as President Pro Tem of the Vermont Senate, becoming the first Democrat to hold this leadership position in state history. He served as President Pro Tem from 1985 to 1988. Welch returned to the Senate in 2001 and his colleagues again unanimously elected him President Pro Tem in 2003. He served as President Pro Tem from 2003 to 2006.

STATE OFFICERS
EXECUTIVE BRANCH
GOVERNOR



GOVERNOR JAMES DOUGLAS

Governor James (Jim) Douglas was elected to the Vermont House of Representatives in 1972—the same year he graduated from Middlebury College—serving as assistant majority leader in his second term and majority leader in his third term. In 1979 he became a top aide to Governor Richard Snelling.

In 1980, Governor Douglas was elected Secretary of State, a post he held until 1992. He was elected State Treasurer in 1994 and served until being elected Governor in 2002.

He is currently vice chairman of the National Governors Association Health and Human Services Committee, lead governor for energy policy for the Coalition of Northeastern Governors and a member of the Secretary of Homeland Security's State and Local Advisory Council.

He is past president of the Council of State Governments and chairman of the New England Governors Council.

Active in many community organizations, he's past president of the Addison County Chamber of Commerce and Porter Medical Center, was master of his Masonic Lodge, treasurer of the State 4-H Foundation and president of the Vermont Conference of the United Church of Christ. He has served on the boards of the Mary Johnson Day Care Center, the Counseling Service of Addison County, the Vermont Symphony Orchestra and the United Ways of Addison County and Vermont. He has been elected by the people of Middlebury to serve as Town Moderator for more than 20 years.

The First Lady of Vermont is Dorothy Foster Douglas; they have two grown sons, Matthew and Andrew.

STATE OFFICERS
EXECUTIVE BRANCH
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR



LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BRIAN E. DUBIE

Brian Dubie was sworn in as Vermont's 85th lieutenant governor on January 9, 2003. In November 2008, Vermont voters re-elected him to serve a fourth term in office.

Lt. Governor Dubie is a strong proponent of creating good jobs and growing Vermont's economy, restraining state spending, and deploying new, green energy sources. He has championed the Green Valley Initiative – to honor our shared environmental values as we grow Vermont's green technology sector, our housing sector and our overall economy. He has led efforts to protect Vermont's children, to help older Vermonters enjoy better health and an improved quality of life, and to provide a world-class education for Vermont's children that will prepare them to compete successfully in the global economy.

Lt. Governor Dubie chairs the Governor's Homeland Security Advisory Council, the Governor's Commission on Healthy Aging, and the Vermont Aerospace and Aviation Association. He co-chairs the Governor's Fuel and Food Task Force, and chairs the Washington-based Aerospace States Association.

He is married and the father of four children, residing in the same Vermont town where he grew up. He is a graduate of the University of Vermont (Mechanical Engineering), a former aerospace engineer and a former F-16 pilot with the Vermont Air National Guard. In addition to serving as lieutenant governor, he is also a Captain with American Airlines and a Colonel with the U.S. Air Force Reserve. He is a Certified Tree Farmer, and with his brother, Mark, is a co-owner and co-operator of a 20,000-tap maple sugaring operation, Dubie Family Sugarworks.

STATE OFFICERS
EXECUTIVE BRANCH
STATE TREASURER



STATE TREASURER JEB SPAULDING

Jeb (George B.) Spaulding, Democrat, was born in Washington, D.C. on December 28, 1952, raised in Manchester, Massachusetts, and became a resident of Montpelier in 1976. He is married to Susan Morse Spaulding and they have two daughters. He was first elected Vermont State Treasurer in November 2002 and will serve as President of the National Association of State Treasurers in 2009.

As Treasurer, he serves on the boards of the Vermont Student Assistance Corporation, the Vermont Economic Development Authority, the Vermont Housing Finance Agency, the Vermont Municipal Bond Bank, and several other state-sponsored entities.

Jeb served eight terms in the Vermont Senate from 1985-2000. During that period, he chaired several committees, including the Senate Appropriations Committee, the Joint Fiscal Committee, the Senate Education Committee, and the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules.

He was founder and General Manager of WNCS-FM in Montpelier and a general partner in Precision Media, Inc., which operated radio stations in New England. He was the Director of Career and Workforce Development at the Vermont Department of Education, Director of the Vermont Academy of Science and Technology at Vermont Technical College and an adjunct instructor in the Communications Department at Norwich University. He has been very involved at the community level, serving as a board member of numerous civic organizations.

Jeb graduated from the University of Vermont with a B.A., 1975 and a M.Ed. in 1993.

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STATE OFFICERS
EXECUTIVE BRANCH
SECRETARY OF STATE



SECRETARY OF STATE DEBORAH L. MARKOWITZ

Deborah L. Markowitz of Montpelier, Washington County, Democrat, was born in Tarrytown, New York, on September 14, 1961. She is married to Paul Markowitz and they have three children. Ms. Markowitz graduated with honors from the University of Vermont, with a degree in philosophy and political science in 1983, and earned her Juris Doctorate degree from Georgetown University Law Center in 1987, magna cum laude and Order of the Coif. After law school she returned to Vermont to clerk with Justice Louis Peck of the Vermont Supreme Court. Following this clerkship she joined the law firm Langrock, Sperry, Parker and Wool. In 1990, Ms. Markowitz became the founding director of the Vermont League of Cities and Towns (VLCT) Municipal Law Center. She has been adjunct faculty at Vermont Law School and Woodbury College. Ms. Markowitz has served as the President of the National Association of Secretaries of State, a member of the Board of Advisors of the Federal Elections Assistance Commission, and she has been awarded an Aspen-Rodel Fellowship in Public Leadership. In Vermont, Ms. Markowitz serves on the Commission on Judicial Operations and on the boards of the Central Vermont Community Action Agency, the Vermont Women's Business Center, and the Vermont Girl Scout Council. She is the founder of the Vermont Women's Leadership Initiative. Business Phone: 828-2148. Post Office Address: 26 Terrace Street, Montpelier 05609-1101.

STATE OFFICERS
EXECUTIVE BRANCH
AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS



AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS THOMAS M. SALMON

Thomas M. Salmon, CPA of St. Johnsbury, Caledonia County, was born in Bellows Falls, VT on July 28, 1963. During his youth, he attended Bellows Falls public schools and worked at the St Johnsbury Trucking Company loading dock (Bellows Falls Terminal). He graduated from Boston College with a Bachelors of Science in Accounting and began an accounting career in auditing with the international CPA firm Coopers and Lybrand. Auditor Salmon has been a Certified Public Accountant since 1993 and is a member of the Vermont Society of CPAs, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Certified Fraud Examiners Association and various community boards. Auditor Salmon is an enlisted member of the Navy Reserves serving in a Seabees unit and was deployed to Iraq with Naval Mobile Construction Battalion No. 27 on June 21, 2008. He is married with four children.

I am honored to serve as your Vermont State Auditor. I decided to run for public office after experiencing, firsthand, the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina as a Naval Reservist which brought home the need for everyone to contribute what they can to their communities. In my first term, I implemented positive reforms within the Auditor's Office while increasing financial communication statewide. From State Street to Main Street to School Street, confusion costs Vermonters millions. We can do better and the team of professionals I have assembled in the Auditor's Office is a credit to our State. I am grateful for my experience in a variety of sectors both private and public (Accounting, Auditing, Social Services, Education, Real Estate, Job Training, Transportation, Military, and Sales) to compliment my work as State Auditor to serve this great state of Vermont.

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STATE OFFICERS
EXECUTIVE BRANCH
ATTORNEY GENERAL



ATTORNEY GENERAL WILLIAM H. SORRELL

William H. Sorrell of Burlington, Chittenden County, was born in Burlington, Vermont on March 9, 1947. He graduated from the University of Notre Dame (A.B., 1970), Cornell Law School (J.D., 1974). He served as Chittenden County Deputy State's Attorney, 1975-1977; Chittenden County State's Attorney, 1977-1978 and 1989-1992; engaged in the private practice of law with the firm of McNeil, Murray & Sorrell, 1978-1989. He served as Secretary of Administration under Governor Howard Dean from August 1992 until his appointment as Attorney General on May 1, 1997. He was re-elected to full terms in November 1998, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2006 and 2008. In 2008, in gratitude for his service as board chair, the American Legacy Foundation endowed in his name an annual lecture on tobacco issues. In 2003, he received the prestigious Kelly-Wyman Award, presented annually to the nation's outstanding Attorney General. In addition to his service to the Legacy Foundation, he served as president of the National Association of Attorneys General 2004-2005; on the Judicial Nominating Board; as president of United Cerebral Palsy of Vermont; as secretary of the Vermont Coalition of the Handicapped; as Burlington's representative on the board of the Winooski Valley Park District. Attorney General Sorrell is the son of the late Chittenden County Senator Esther Sorrell and the late U.S. Marshal Thomas Sorrell. He has a daughter and a son in college. Home phone: 660-1962. Office phone: 828-3173. POST OFFICE ADDRESS: 109 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05609-1001.