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**February Regional Grassroots Meeting Agenda**

**Agenda**

**Welcome Remarks Andrew Holt**

**State Legislature Update Bianca Alonso Weiss**

**IFAPAC Stephanie Sheridan**

**Grassroots Updates Andrew Holt**

* House Gaps – 146
* Senate Gaps – 19
  + 165 total gaps
* House Coverage Percentage – 67%
* Senate Coverage Percentage – 81%
  + 70% Federal Coverage

*Key House Committee Gaps*

* + Ways & Means
    - 5 Gaps:
      * IA CD4- Randy Feenstra
      * MN CD7- Michelle Fischbach
      * NY CD24- Claudia Tenney
      * PA CD3- Dwight Evans
      * PA CD11- Lloyd Smucker
  + Financial Services
    - 18 Gaps
      * CO CD7- Brittany Petterson
      * GA CD5- Nikema Williams
      * IL CD6- Sean Casten
      * IN CD9- Erin Houchin
      * IA CD3- Zach Nunn
      * MA CD7- Ayanna Pressley
      * MI CD12- Rashida Tlaib
      * NV CD4- Steven Horsford
      * NJ CD5- Josh Gottheimer
      * NY CD5- Gregory Meeks
      * NY CD7- Nydia Velazquez
      * NY CD15- Ritchie Torres
      * NY CD17- Michael Lawler
      * NC CD13- Wiley Nickel
      * SC CD4- William Timmons
      * TX CD17- Pete Sessions
      * TX CD29- Sylvia Garcia
* Total percentage of US House Districts with a relationship:
  + January 2023: 62%
  + February 2023:67%
* Total number of US House Gaps:
  + January 2023: 166
  + February 2023: 146
* Total number of States without US House Gaps:
  + January 2023: 7
  + February 2023: 12
* Total number of States with US House Gaps:
  + January 2023: 43
  + February 2023: 38

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| State | Total US House Gaps | State | Total US House Gaps |
| Alabama | 3 | Nebraska | 0 |
| Alaska | 1 | Nevada | 2 |
| Arizona | 0 | New Hampshire | 0 |
| Arkansas | 0 | New Jersey | 4 |
| California | 11 | New Mexico | 2 |
| Colorado | 5 | New York | 19 |
| Connecticut | 1 | North Carolina | 3 |
| Delaware | 1 | North Dakota | 0 |
| Florida | 10 | Ohio | 7 |
| Georgia | 4 | Oklahoma | 0 |
| Hawaii | 1 | Oregon | 4 |
| Illinois | 9 | Pennsylvania | 8 |
| Indiana | 4 | Rhode Island | 1 |
| Iowa | 3 | South Carolina | 3 |
| Kansas | 3 | South Dakota | 0 |
| Kentucky | 2 | Tennessee | 1 |
| Louisiana | 4 | Texas | 8 |
| Maine | 0 | Utah | 0 |
| Maryland | 4 | Vermont | 1 |
| Massachusetts | 3 | Virginia | 5 |
| Michigan | 6 | Washington | 4 |
| Minnesota | 4 | West Virginia | 0 |
| Mississippi | 1 | Wisconsin | 0 |
| Missouri | 1 | Wyoming | 1 |
| Montana | 1 | Idaho | 0 |

*Key Senate Committee Gaps*

* + Finance
    - 3 Gaps
      * Sen. Sherrod Brown, OH
      * Sen. Sheldon Whitehouse, RI
      * Sen. Maggie Hassan, NH
  + Banking
    - 8 Gaps
      * Sen. Sherrod Brown, OH
      * Sen. JD Vance, OH
      * Sen. Tina Smith, MN
      * Sen. Raphael Warnock, GA
      * Sen. Cynthia Lummis, WY
      * Sen. Jon Kennedy, LA
      * Sen. Katie Britt, AL,
      * Sen. John Fetterman, PA
* Total percentage of US Senate Seats with a relationship: 81%
* Total number of US Senate Gaps: 19
* Total number of States without US Senate Gap: 34
* Total number of States with US Senate Gap: 16

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| State | Total Senate Gaps | State | Total Senate Gaps |
| Alabama | 2 | Nebraska | 1 |
| Alaska | 0 | Nevada | 1 |
| Arizona | 0 | New Hampshire | 1 |
| Arkansas | 0 | New Jersey | 0 |
| California | 0 | New Mexico | 0 |
| Colorado | 1 | New York | 0 |
| Connecticut | 0 | North Carolina | 0 |
| Delaware | 0 | North Dakota | 0 |
| Florida | 0 | Ohio | 2 |
| Georgia | 2 | Oklahoma | 1 |
| Hawaii | 0 | Oregon | 0 |
| Illinois | 1 | Pennsylvania | 1 |
| Indiana | 0 | Rhode Island | 1 |
| Iowa | 0 | South Carolina | 0 |
| Kansas | 1 | South Dakota | 0 |
| Kentucky | 0 | Tennessee | 0 |
| Louisiana | 1 | Texas | 0 |
| Maine | 0 | Utah | 0 |
| Maryland | 0 | Vermont | 0 |
| Massachusetts | 0 | Virginia | 0 |
| Michigan | 0 | Washington | 0 |
| Minnesota | 1 | West Virginia | 0 |
| Mississippi | 0 | Wisconsin | 0 |
| Missouri | 1 | Wyoming | 1 |
| Montana | 0 | Idaho | 0 |

**Grassroots Meeting Page Holt**

* <https://leaders.naifa.org/2023-naifa-grassroots-regional-meetings>

One stop shop for committee rosters, regional call links, agendas and materials.

**Grassroots Training Course Holt**

* New Financial Security Advocate Academy
* <https://academy.congressfoundation.org/pages/27/naifa-home>

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**Next Meetings**

**Western Regional Chair Meeting: February 21st, 2023 at 3pm EST**

**Eastern Regional Chair Meeting: February 22nd, 2023 at 10am EST**

**Central Regional Chair Meeting: February 23rd, 2023 at 11am EST**

**Reminders**

Cook Catch Up [sign up](http://go.nationaljournal.com/Cook-Catch-Up-Virtual-Series.html)

**Signature Events**

***Advocate:***

Congressional Conference

Congressional Conference is the annual fly-in to Washington, D.C. The event includes sessions with current legislators, updates from NAIFA Government Relations. and key insights from policy analysts. The event also entails pre-arranged meetings for members with their legislators.

Dates: May 22-23, 2022

Location: JW Marriott in Washington DC

Register: <https://conference.naifa.org/2023>

**Quick Links:**

1. Log Relationships
   1. [www.naifa.org/advocate](http://www.naifa.org/advocate)
2. Congressional Conference Registration
   1. <https://conference.naifa.org/2023>
3. State Bill Tracking
   1. <https://advocacy.naifa.org/state/bill-tracking>
4. State Day on the Hill’s
   1. <https://advocacy.naifa.org/statelegislativedays>