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Martin McLaughlin

Martin McLaughlin (Republican Party) is a member of the Illinois House of Representatives, representing District 52. He assumed office on January 13, 2021. His current term ends on January 8, 2025.

McLaughlin (Republican Party) ran for re-election to the Illinois House of Representatives to represent District 52. He won in the general election on November 8, 2022.

Martin McLaughlin

Republican Party
Illinois House of Representatives District 52
Tenure
2021 - Present
Term ends
January 8, 2025
Years in position
2
Predecessor
David McSweeney (R)
Compensation
Base salary $70,645/year
Per diem $255/day
Elections and appointments
Last elected November 8, 2022
Education
Bachelor's Illinois Wesleyan University, 1987
Personal
Profession Business owner
Contact
Official website
Personal Facebook
Personal LinkedIn

Biography

Martin McLaughlin earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from Illinois Wesleyan University in 1987. McLaughlin's career experience includes owning an investment advisory firm.[1][2]

Committee assignments

This membership information was last updated in March 2021. Ballotpedia completes yearly updates of committee membership. If you would like to send us an update, email us at editor@ballotpedia.org.

2021-2022

McLaughlin was assigned to the following committees:

- Cybersecurity, Data Analytics, and IT Committee
- Elections & Campaign Finance Committee
- Ethics & Elections Committee
- Judiciary - Civil Committee
- Prescription Drug Affordability & Accessibility Committee
- Appropriations-General Service Committee
- Revenue & Finance Committee

Sponsored legislation

The following table lists bills sponsored by this legislator. Bills are monitored by BillTrack50 and sorted by action history. The following list may not be comprehensive. To see all bills sponsored by this person, click on the legislator's name in the title of the table.

Bills Sponsored By: Martin McLaughlin

IL HR1021 - URGES CARDIOVASCULAR SCREENING
Urges state agencies to expand comprehensive cardiovascular screening programs to allow for earlier identification of patients at risk of cardiovascular events. Urges state agencies to explore ways to collaborate with federal and national agencies...
01/10/2023: Resolution Adopted by Voice Vote

IL HB5808 - CONTROLLED SUB-CARENTANIL
Amends the Illinois Controlled Substances Act. Provides that if a controlled substance analog is at least 5 times as potent as the controlled substance on which it is an analog, then the weight of the controlled substance

Elections

2022

See also: *Illinois House of Representatives elections, 2022*

General election

General election for Illinois House of Representatives District 52

Incumbent Martin McLaughlin defeated Mary Morgan in the general election for Illinois House of Representatives District 52 on November 8, 2022.

	Candidate	%	Votes
✓	**Martin McLaughlin** (R)	52	22,475
	Mary Morgan (D) ℄	46	19,818
	Total votes: 42,293		

BP Incumbents are **bolded and underlined**. Source
℄ Candidate completed the Ballotpedia Candidate Connection survey.
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Democratic primary election

Democratic primary for Illinois House of Representatives District 52

Mary Morgan advanced from the Democratic primary for Illinois House of Representatives District 52 on June 28, 2022.

	Candidate	%	Votes
✓	Mary Morgan ℄	100.0	6,378
	Total votes: 6,378		

BP There were no incumbents in this race. The results have been certified. Source
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Republican primary election

Republican primary for Illinois House of Representatives District 52

Incumbent Martin McLaughlin advanced from the Republican primary for Illinois House of Representatives District 52 on June 28, 2022.

	Candidate	%	Votes
✓	**Martin McLaughlin**	100.0	7,927
	Total votes: 7,927		

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2020

See also: *Illinois House of Representatives elections, 2020*

General election

General election for Illinois House of Representatives District 52

Martin McLaughlin defeated Marci Sueiter and Alia Sarfraz in the general election for Illinois House of Representatives District 52 on November 3, 2020.

	Candidate	%	Votes
✓	Martin McLaughlin (R) ℄	54	31,426
	Marci Sueiter (D) ℄	43	24,962
	Alia Sarfraz (G) ℄	2	1,521
	Total votes: 57,909		

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Republican primary election

Republican primary for Illinois House of Representatives District 52

Martin McLaughlin advanced from the Republican primary for Illinois House of Representatives District 52 on March 17, 2020.

	Candidate	%	Votes
✓	Martin McLaughlin ℄	100	6,526
	Total votes: 6,526		

BP There were no incumbents in this race. The results have been certified. Source
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2016

See also: *Illinois State Senate elections, 2016*

Elections for the Illinois State Senate were held in 2016. The primary election was held on March 15, 2016, and the general election was held on November 8, 2016. The candidate filing deadline was November 30, 2015.[3] Dan McConchie (R) was supported in the seat on April 20, 2016, after Dan Duffy (R) resigned.

Incumbent Dan McConchie defeated Rolfe Mozeleb in the Illinois State Senate District 26 general election.[4][5]

Illinois State Senate, District 26 General Election, 2016			[hide]
Party	Candidate	Vote %	Votes
Republican	✓ **Dan McConchie** Incumbent	59.33%	33,432
Democratic	Rolfe Mozeleb	40.82%	23,738
	Total Votes		**57,170**

Source: Illinois State Board of Elections ↗

Dan McConchie defeated Casey Urlacher and Martin McLaughlin in the Illinois State Senate District 26 Republican primary.[6][7]

Illinois State Senate, District 26 Republican Primary, 2016			[hide]
Party	Candidate	Vote %	Votes
Republican	✓ **Dan McConchie**	36.58%	13,646
Republican	Casey Urlacher	32.81%	12,236
Republican	Martin McLaughlin	30.62%	11,418
	Total Votes		**37,295**

2016 primary

Main article: *Battleground Illinois primary elections, 2016*

McLaughlin is backed by prominent Chicago newspapers, while McConchie is backed by the outgoing state senator.

Race background

Below were key endorsements for McConchie and McLaughlin. Urlacher's website did not list any endorsements.[8][9][10][11]

Key endorsements	[hide]
McConchie	**McLaughlin**
State Sen. Michael Connelly	State Rep. Ed Sullivan Jr.
U.S. Rep. Randy Hultgren	Realtors Political Action Committee
Family PAC Illinois	Chicago Tribune
Illinois Center Right Coalition	Chicago Sun-Times
Illinois Citizens for Life PAC	Northwest Herald
Illinois Federation for Right to Life PAC	Daily Herald
Illinois Gun Owners PAC	

Campaign themes

2022

Ballotpedia survey responses

See also: Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection

Martin McLaughlin did not complete Ballotpedia's 2022 Candidate Connection survey.

2020

CANDIDATE CONNECTION

Martin McLaughlin completed Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection survey in 2020. The survey questions appear in bold and are followed by answer(s) in brackets for the candidate. Ballotpedia's responses, Candidates are allowed three required questions for this survey, but they may answer additional optional questions as well.

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Who are you? Tell us about yourself.

Please list below 3 key messages of your campaign. What are the main points you want voters to remember about your goals for your time in office?

What areas of public policy are you personally passionate about?

Note: *Ballotpedia reserves the right to edit Candidate Connection survey responses. Any edits made by Ballotpedia will be clearly marked with [brackets] for the public. If the candidate disagrees with an edit, he or she may request the full removal of the survey response from Ballotpedia.org. Ballotpedia does not edit or correct typographical errors unless the candidate's campaign requests it.*

Scorecards

See also: *State legislative scorecards* and *State legislative scorecards in Illinois*

A scorecard evaluates a legislator's voting record. Its purpose is to inform voters about the legislator's political positions. Because scorecards have varying purposes and methodologies, each scorecard should be considered on its own merits. For example, an advocacy group's scorecard may assess a legislator's voting record on one issue while a state newspaper's scorecard may evaluate the voting record in its entirety.

Ballotpedia is in the process of developing an encyclopedic list of published scorecards. Some states have a limited number of available scorecards or scorecards produced only by select groups. It is Ballotpedia's goal to incorporate all available scorecards regardless of ideology or number.

Click here for an overview of legislative scorecards in all 50 states. To contribute to the list of Illinois scorecards, email suggestions to editor@ballotpedia.org.

2021

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Footnotes

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Political offices

Preceded by	Illinois House of Representatives District 52	Succeeded by
David McSweeney (R)	2021-Present	

Current members of the Illinois House of Representatives [show]

State of Illinois
Springfield (capital)