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Alan Seabaugh

Alan Seabaugh (Republican Party) is a member of the Louisiana House of Representatives, representing District 5. He assumed office in 2020. His current term ends on January 8, 2024.

Seabaugh (Republican Party) is running for election to the Louisiana State Senate to represent District 31. He declared candidacy for the primary election on October 14, 2023.

He was first elected to the chamber in a special election on October 2, 2020.[1]

In the 2024 legislative session, 13 members of the House formed the Louisiana Legislative Conservative Coalition. Seabaugh, the chair of the coalition, sought to pull the Louisiana House of Representatives toward a more conservative direction and to instill conservative principles in state government.

Seabaugh announced on November 3, 2023, that he decided not to run for U.S. Senate in 2024, and instead endorsed Bill Cassidy.[2][3]

Biography

Seabaugh earned his B.A. from Louisiana State University in 1990 and his J.D. from Louisiana State University in 1993. His professional experience includes serving as a law partner of Seabaugh & Jeffries law firm in Bossier City, Louisiana, and an Allied Attorney with the Alliance Defense Fund.

Committee assignments

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

2021-2022

Seabaugh was assigned to the following committees:

- Judiciary Committee
- Administration of Criminal Justice Committee
- Civil Law and Procedure Committee

2019-2020

Seabaugh was assigned to the following committees:

- Civil Law and Procedure Committee
- Labor and Industrial Relations Committee
- House Insurance Committee, Vice Chair

2015 legislative session

At the beginning of the 2015 legislative session, Seabaugh served on the following committees:

Louisiana committee assignments, 2015	Rank
Ways and Means, Vice Chair	
Health and Welfare	
Joint Legislative Capital Outlay	

2012-2013

In the 2012-2013 legislative session, Seabaugh served on the following committees:

- Civil Law and Procedure, Vice Chair
- Insurance
- Retirement

2011-2012

In the 2011-2012 legislative session, Seabaugh served on the following committees:

- Commerce Committee, Louisiana House of Representatives
- Education Committee, Louisiana House of Representatives
- Judiciary Committee, Louisiana House of Representatives

Sponsored legislation

The following table lists bills sponsored by this legislator. Bills are monitored by Bill Track 50 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 page.

Bills Sponsored By: Alan Seabaugh
LA SB393 - Designates the crime of possession of … 4th ACT To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95.10(1) and to enact R.S. 14:2(B)(29) and 95.10(1), relative to crimes of violence; to designate the crime of possession of firearm or carrying concealed weapon by a person convicted of certain crimes of violence. 04/18/2022 - Effective date 4/18/2022
LA SB437 - Authorizes the creation of Louisiana Ti… Authorizes the creation of Louisiana Timber and Agriculture Enterprises (LTAE) and provides relating thereto. (8/1/22) (3RD ENGROSSED SG ES See Note)

Elections

2022

See also: Louisiana State Senate elections, 2023

Louisiana elections use the majority-vote system. All candidates compete in the same primary, and a candidate can win the election outright by receiving more than 50 percent of the vote. If no candidate does, the top two vote recipients from the primary advance to the general election, regardless of their partisan affiliation.

General election

The primary will occur on October 14, 2023. The general election will occur on November 18, 2023. General election candidates will be added here following the primary.

Nonpartisan primary election

Nonpartisan primary for Louisiana State Senate District 31
Alan Seabaugh is running in the primary for Louisiana State Senate District 31 on October 14, 2023.

	Candidate
	Alan Seabaugh (R)

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Candidates competed for Ballotpedia Candidate Connection survey.
Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection survey allows candidates to share what they would vote for/against on the Ballotpedia Candidate Connection Survey.
Bolded text is emphasized if the topic of discussion is a ballot measure.
Contact us if you see a mistake.

2019

See also: Louisiana House of Representatives elections, 2019

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Nonpartisan primary election

Nonpartisan primary for Louisiana House of Representatives District 5
Alan Seabaugh, Brian Salvatore, and Kevin Wilson ran in the primary for Louisiana House of Representatives District 5 on October 12, 2019.

	Candidate	Votes	%
✓	**Alan Seabaugh** (R)	4,8	8,055
	Brian Salvatore (R)	4,2	4,208

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Candidates were **bolded and underlined** if they actually have been contacted by Ballotpedia.
Total votes: 12,075
Candidates competed for Ballotpedia Candidate Connection survey.
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2015

See also: Louisiana House of Representatives elections, 2015

Elections for the Louisiana House of Representatives took place in 2015. A primary election was held on October 24, 2015, with a general election held in districts where necessary on November 21, 2015. The signature filing deadline for candidates seeking to run in this election was September 28, 2015, at 4:00 p.m. CDT.[4]

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For information about which offices are nonpartisan or partisan, see this article. Incumbent Alan Seabaugh (R) defeated Kevin Wilson (R) in the October 24 primary.[5][6]

Louisiana House of Representatives, District 5 Primary Election, 2015			Votes
Party	Candidate	Vote %	Votes
Republican	✓ Alan Seabaugh (Incumbent)	71.7%	5,705
Democratic	Kevin Wilson	28.3%	2,827
	Total Votes		**8,783**

2014

See also: United States Senate elections in Louisiana, 2014

Seabaugh announced on November 3, 2013, that he decided not to run for U.S. Senate in 2014, and instead endorsed Bill Cassidy.[7][8]

2011

See also: Louisiana House of Representatives elections, 2011

On October 22, 2011, Seabaugh won re-election to District 5 of the Louisiana House of Representatives. He defeated Cynthia Norton Robertson (R) in the October 22 primary. Louisiana uses a blanket primary system. Because Seabaugh and Robertson were the only two candidates on October 22, there was no chance of their race became the overall winner.[9]

Louisiana House of Representatives, District 5 Blanket Primary, 2011			Votes
Party	Candidate	Vote %	Votes
Republican	✓ Alan Seabaugh (Incumbent)	79.1%	6,032
Republican	Cynthia Norton Robertson	20.7%	1,578
	Total Votes		**7,609**

2010

Seabaugh won election to the 5th District seat of the Louisiana House of Representatives in a special election on October 2, 2010. He defeated Harold Turner.[10]

Louisiana House of Representatives Special Election, District 5 (2010)	
Candidates	**Votes**
✓ Alan Seabaugh (R)	6,681
Harold Turner (R)	3,776

Campaign themes

2022

Ballotpedia survey responses

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CANDIDATE CONNECTION

Alan Seabaugh has not yet completed Ballotpedia's 2023 Candidate Connection survey. Send a message to Alan Seabaugh asking him to fill out the survey. If you are Alan Seabaugh, click here to fill out Ballotpedia's 2023 Candidate Connection survey.

Who fills out Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection survey?

- 6,067 candidates completed the survey in 2022. This number represented 9.9% of all 68,747 candidates Ballotpedia covered that year. Ballotpedia's 2022 Candidate Connection survey was the largest U.S. candidate survey. Survey respondents included U.S. Representative Jaime Herrera Beutler, North Carolina Supreme Court Justice Trey Allen, and Los Angeles County Sheriff Robert Luna. Read the 2022 report for more information about that year's respondents.
- 694 candidates completed the survey in 2021. This number represented 13.5% of all 5,136 candidates Ballotpedia covered in 2021. Out of the 694 candidates who completed Ballotpedia's candidate survey, 147 won their election. Candidates from 36 states completed the survey. Noteworthy respondents included Virginia Governor Glenn Youngkin and Boston Mayor Michelle Wu. Read the 2021 report for more information about that year's respondents.

You can ask Alan Seabaugh to fill out this survey by using the button below or emailing: Alan@AlanSeabaugh.com.

2019

Ballotpedia survey responses

See also: Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection

Alan Seabaugh did not complete Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection survey.

Campaign donors

2011

In 2011, Seabaugh received $253,134 in campaign donations. The top contributors are listed below.[11]

Louisiana House of Representatives 2011 election - Campaign Contributions

Scorecards

See also: State legislative scorecards and State legislative scorecards in Louisiana

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 report 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, while others have produced only by select groups. It is Ballotpedia's goal to incorporate all available scorecards regardless of ideology or content.

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Personal

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Seabaugh and his wife, Laura, have four children.

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