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# Sam Caligiuri

**Sam Caligiuri** is a former Republican member of the Connecticut State Senate, representing District 16 from 2007 to 2011. He served as Senate Deputy Minority Leader in his final term. Caligiuri ran for U.S. Congress in 2010.[1]

He was a member/President of the Waterbury Board of Aldermen from 1997 to 2002 and Acting Mayor of Waterbury from 2001 to 2002.

**Sam Caligiuri**

Republican Party

**Prior offices**

**Connecticut State Senate District 16**

Successor: Joe Markley
Predecessor: Christopher S. Murphy

**Personal**

**Profession** Attorney

## Biography

Caligiuri earned his M.A. from Boston College, his M.A. in Religion from Yale Divinity School and his J.D. from The Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law. His professional experience includes working as Deputy Legal Counsel for the Office of the Governor of Connecticut from 1995 to 1997, Adjunct Faculty for the University of Connecticut School of Law and Partner of Day Pitney Limited Liability Partnership.

## Committee assignments

- Appropriations Committee, Connecticut Senate
- Education Committee, Connecticut Senate
- Insurance and Real Estate Committee, Connecticut Senate
- Internship Committee, Connecticut Senate
- Regulation Review Committee, Connecticut Senate

## Elections

### 2008

On November 4, 2008, Caligiuri won re-election to the 16th District Seat in the Connecticut State Senate, defeating Mark Orsini (I).[2]

| Connecticut State Senate, District 16 (2008) | |
|---|---|
| Candidates | Votes |
| ✔ Sam Caligiuri (R) | 25,362 |
| Mark Orsini (I) | 7,784 |

## Campaign donors

### 2008

In 2008, Caligiuri collected $67,947 in donations.[3]

His five largest contributors in 2008 were:

| Donor | Amount |
|---|---|
| Public Fund | $49,690 |
| Sam Caligirui | $1,500 |
| Carmel Natelli | $161 |
| Al Natelli | $161 |
| George Hajjar | $100 |

## Personal

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Caligiuri and his wife, Lori, have two children.

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## Footnotes

1. ↑ Sam for Congress - officials campaign site
2. ↑ *Connecticut Secretary of State*, "2008 General Election Results," November 4, 2008
3. ↑ *Follow the Money*, "2008 contributions," accessed December 11, 2014

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