

SEVENTH DISTRICT

COLLIN C. PETERSON, Democrat, of Detroit Lakes, MN; born in Fargo, ND, June 29, 1944; graduated from Glyndon (MN) High School, 1962; B.A., Moorhead State University, 1966: (business administration and accounting); U.S. Army National Guard, 1963–69; CPA, owner and partner; Minnesota State Senator, 1976–86; member: AOPA, Safari Club, Ducks Unlimited, American Legion, Sea Plane Pilots Association, Pheasants Forever, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, Cormorant Lakes Sportsmen Club; three children: Sean, Jason, and Elliott; elected to the 102nd Congress, November 6, 1990; reelected to each succeeding Congress.

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Counties: Becker, Beltrami, Benton, Clay, Clearwater, Douglas, Grant, Hubbard, Kittson, Lake of the Woods, Mahanomen, Marshall, Morrison, Norman, Otter Tail, Pennington, Polk, Pope, Red Lake, Richland, Roseau, Stearns, Stevens, Todd, Traverse, Wadena, and Wilkin. Population (1990), 546,888.

ZIP Codes: 56301–56701

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EIGHTH DISTRICT

JAMES L. OBERSTAR, Democrat, of Chisholm, MN; born in Chisholm, September 10, 1934; graduated, Chisholm High School, 1952; B.A., *summa cum laude*, French and political science, College of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN, 1956; M.A., European area studies, College of Europe, Bruges, Belgium, 1957; Laval University, Canada; Georgetown University, former teacher of English, French, and Creole; served as administrative assistant to the late Congressman John A. Blatnik, 1963–74; administrator of the House Public Works Committee, 1971–74; cochair: Congressional Travel and Tourism Caucus, Democratic Study Group, Great Lakes Task Force; National Water Alliance, Northeast Midwest Congressional Coalition, Steel Caucus, Conference of Great Lakes Congressmen (chairman); married Jean Kurth, 1993; six children: Thomas Edward, Katherine Noelle, Anne-Therese, Monica Rose, Charlie, and Lindy; committee: Transportation and Infrastructure, ranking Democrat; elected to the 94th Congress, November 5, 1974; reelected to each succeeding Congress.

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District Representative.—Jacquelyn Hirvela.	
Brainerd City Hall, 501 Laurel Street, Brainerd, MN 56401	(218) 828–4400
District Representative.—Ken Hasskamp.	
Elk River City Hall, 13065 Orono Parkway, Elk River, MN 55330	(612) 241–0188
District Representative.—Ken Hasskamp.	

Counties: Aitkin, Benton (part), Carlton, Cass, Chisago, Cook, Crow Wing, Isanti, Itasca, Kanabec, Koochiching, Lake, Mille Lacs, Morrison (part), Pine, St. Louis, and Sherburne (part) Cities of Brainerd, Chisholm, Cloquet, Duluth, Elk River, Grand Rapids, Hibbing, International Falls, and Little Falls. Population (1990), 546,887.

ZIP Codes: 55002, 55004, 55006-08, 55012-13, 55017, 55025 (part), 55029-30, 55032, 55036-37, 55040, 55045, 55051, 55056, 55063, 55067, 55069, 55070, 55072, 55073 (part), 55074, 55079-80, 55084, 55092, 55172, 55308-09, 55319, 55330 (part), 55371, 55377, 55398, 55601-07, 55609, 55612-16, 55701-13, 55716-27, 55729, 55731-36, 55738, 55741-42, 55744-55746, 55748-58, 55760-69, 55771-73, 55775, 55777-99, 55801-08, 55810-12, 55815-16, 55974, 56304 (part), 56313, 56317, 56329-30, 56333, 56338, 56342, 56344, 56350, 56353, 56357-59, 56363-64, 56367 (part), 56377 (part), 56379 (part), 56386, 56401, 56425, 56430-31, 56433, 56435, 56441-42, 56444, 56447-50, 56452, 56455-56, 56459, 56461, 56463, 56465-66, 56468-69, 56472-74, 56477, 56479, 56481, 56484-85, 56623, 56626-33, 56636-37, 56639, 56641, 56649, 56653-55, 56657-62, 56668-69, 56672, 56679-81, 56688

MISSISSIPPI

(Population 1995, 2,697,000)

SENATORS

THAD COCHRAN, Republican, of Jackson, MS; born in Pontotoc, MS, December 7, 1937; graduated, Byram High School, 1955; B.A., University of Mississippi, 1959; J.D., University of Mississippi Law School, 1965; received a Rotary Foundation Fellowship and studied international law and jurisprudence at Trinity College, University of Dublin, Ireland, 1963–64; served in U.S. Navy, 1959–61; admitted to Mississippi bar in 1965; board of directors, Jackson Rotary Club, 1970–71; Outstanding Young Man of the Year Award, Junior Chamber of Commerce in Mississippi, 1971; president, young lawyers section of Mississippi State bar, 1972–73; cochairman of the Sunbelt Caucus, 1994; married the former Rose Clayton of New Albany, MS, 1964; two children: Clayton and Katherine; elected to the 93rd Congress, November 7, 1972; reelected to 94th and 95th Congresses; elected to the U.S. Senate, November 7, 1978, for the six-year term beginning January 3, 1979; subsequently appointed by the governor, December 27, 1978, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator James O. Eastland; reelected November 6, 1984; reelected November 6, 1990 without opposition; reelected November 5, 1996; chair: subcommittees on Agriculture, Rural Development and Related Agencies, and Production and Price Competitiveness; committees: Appropriations, Governmental Affairs, Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry and Rules Administration, Joint Committee on the Library, Joint Committee on Printing; elected chairman of the Senate Republican Conference in 1990; reelected chairman, 1992 and 1994.

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TRENT LOTT, Republican, of Pascagoula, MS; born October 9, 1941, in Grenada, MS, son of Chester P. and Iona (Watson) Lott; University of Mississippi, B.P.A., 1963, J.D., 1967; served as field representative for the University of Mississippi, 1963–65; acting law alumni secretary of the Ole Miss Alumni Association, 1966–67; practiced law in Pascagoula in 1967 with Bryan and Gordon law firm; administrative assistant to Congressman William M. Colmer, 1968–72; member: Sigma Nu social fraternity, Phi Alpha Delta legal fraternity, Jackson County Bar Association, American Bar Association, the Masons, First Baptist Church of Pascagoula; married Patricia E. Thompson of Pascagoula, 1964; two children: Chester T., Jr. and Tyler Elizabeth; elected to the 93rd Congress, November 7, 1972; reelected to each succeeding Congress; member, Judiciary Committee, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 93rd Congress; Committee on Rules and Post Office and Civil Service Committee, 94th and 95th Congresses; chairman, House Republican Research Committee, 96th Congress; House Republican Whip, Committee on Rules, 97th–100th Congresses; member, Committee on Small Business, 101st Congress; member, Committee on Budget, 102nd Congress; chairman, Republican Committee on Committees, 102nd Congress; member, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, Joint Committee on the Reorganization of Congress, Secretary of Republican Conference, 103rd Congress; member, Committee on Ethics, 101st and 102nd Congresses; member, Committee on Armed Services, Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, 101st–103rd Congresses; elected on November 8, 1988 to the U.S. Senate for the term beginning January 3, 1989; elected to the 104th Congress; elected Senate majority whip; committees: Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Finance; Rules and Administration; subcommittees: Aviation; Communications; International Trade; Long-Term Growth, Debt and Deficit Reduction.

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