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2015-2016 LEGISLATOR BUSINESS VOTE RATINGS

At Associated Industries of Missouri, we make sure your business' voice is heard in the Missouri Capitol. We regularly testify on issues that are important to your business and our team of lobbyists helps ensure legislators know where we stand on issues.

Part of the political process is holding legislators accountable for the positions they take, either for or against issues that would make Missouri a better place to do business. Equally important is helping to stop the regular assault on employers by trial attorneys and others.

Not every vote rating system is the same, so we want to explain how we rated legislators' votes in the following pages. We assembled the most important issues in each legislative session, assigned a weighted value based on the importance of that issue, and a legislator received points if they voted in accordance with AIM's position on that particular bill. We then total the scores for each legislator for each session and average them to obtain the AIM Score for the two-year period.

Several things that are not reflected in the score are very important to us as we work in the Capitol to pass pro-employer legislation. Committee chairmen and women have great power to either advance or not advance legislation. And sometimes, legislators will filibuster and block a bill that is favorable to business. There is no accurate way to reflect these activities in a vote rating system, but they are still factors in our ability to accomplish our legislative agenda.

An upward facing green arrow indicates the legislator supported the business position on the bill. A red downward facing arrow indicates the legislator either voted against the business position on the bill or the legislator was absent for the vote when AIM was advocating for passage of the bill. A legislator's absence on one vote could keep them from getting a higher score, even though the absence may be unavoidable. Nonetheless, these vote ratings generally show an accurate picture of the support we receive from legislators on issues important to business.

If you have questions on the scores, please call the AIM office at (573) 634-2246.

First Name	Last Name	District	Party	2016 LEGISLATIVE SESSION				2015 LEGISLATIVE SESSION								
				AIM SCORE 2015-16	Tort Reform: Expert Witness SB 591 3rd Reading	Tort Reform: Collateral Source SS #2 SB 847 3rd Reading	Manufacturing Services CCS HCS SCS SB 823 TAFP	Sales/Use Taxes: Transportation Funding: Fuel Tax Increase SS SB 623 3rd Reading	Income Taxes: Apportionment SB 19	Medical Malpractice Punitive Damages SB 239	Right To Work HB 116	Unemployment Modernization HB 150	Local Ordinance Pre-emption HB 722	Commercial Laundries SB 20	DNR Implementation Impact Reports SB 142	Environmental Issues SB 445
Dan	Brown	16	R	88	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Maria	Chappelle-Nadal	14	D	18	↓	↓	↑	↓	↓	↓	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑
Mike	Cunningham	33	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
S. Kiki	Curls	9	D	37	↓	↓	↑	↓	↑	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑	↑
Bob	Dixon	30	R	93	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Ed	Emery	31	R	88	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Dan	Hegeman	12	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Jason	Holsman	7	D	49	↓	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑	↑
Joe	Keaveny	4	D	37	↓	↓	↑	↑	↓	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑	↑
Mike	Kehoe	6	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Will	Kraus	8	R	88	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Doug	Libla	25	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Brian	Munzlinger	18	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Jamilah	Nasheed	5	D	55	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑	↓	↑
Bob	Onder	2	R	88	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Mike	Parson	28	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
David	Pearce	21	R	93	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑
Ron	Richard	32	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Jeanie	Riddle	10	R	86	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Gary	Romine	3	R	81	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
David	Sater	29	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Rob	Schaaf	34	R	75	↓	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Kurt	Schaefer	19	R	88	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Dave	Schatz	26	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Eric	Schmitt	15	R	75	↓	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Jill	Schupp	24	D	30	↓	↓	↑	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑
Scott	Sifton	1	D	37	↓	↓	↑	↓	↑	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑
Ryan	Silvey	17	R	68	↓	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Wayne	Wallingford	27	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Gina	Walsh	13	D	44	↓	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↑
Jay	Wasson	20	R	100	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
Paul	Wieland	22	R	93	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↓	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑