



*"Working Together
For All Iowans"*

2018

RECORD OF THE IOWA GENERAL ASSEMBLY & GOVERNOR

This voting record covers only recorded floor votes of the Iowa Senate and Iowa House that are of utmost importance to labor. Thus, unfortunately, not all of our priorities are in the record, and we must use other means to determine legislators' positions on those issues until such time as there is an official vote. This record does, however, serve as a tool to help Iowa trade unionists access whether or not their elected representatives support a agenda that benefits all workers, organized or not.

This year we will also begin the practice of scoring the Governor's actions so members can understand the record of this branch of Government. Legislation that the IFL supported or opposed that a Governor signs, vetoes, or line-item vetoes will also be scored as well.

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Voting Record of the Iowa Senate—2018

The agenda of the Senate is controlled by the Senate Majority Leader, and the Senate President presides over the proceedings of the Iowa Senate.

These are the Senators responsible for setting the agenda of the Iowa Senate.

Senate Majority Leader

Fmr. Sen. Bill Dix (R) (resigned March 12th, 2018)

Sen. Jack Whitver (R) (March 14th, 2018 - Present)



President of the Senate

Sen. Jack Whitver (R) (through March 14th, 2018)

Sen. Charles Schneider (R) (March 14th - current)



Iowa Senate 2018 Recorded Votes on Labor Bills and Amendments

#	Bill Name & IFL Position	Bill Description
1	<i>HF 2230—School Funding Passed Senate 28-21 IFL Position was “no” Signed By Governor in a different form (see below).</i>	Again this year, the Iowa Federation of Labor believed that the amount for school funding was set too low at 1%. The Federation believes that there should be at least 4%, yet the legislature’s priority was tax cuts for the wealthy.
2	<i>HF 2230—School Funding (voting on amended bill) Passed Senate 28-21 IFL Position was “no” Signed By Governor</i>	After disagreeing with the House initially over transportation funding, the House later changed its position to address that issue in another bill. Again, the Iowa Federation of Labor rejects the idea that 1% growth is keeping up with inflation and that this legislature has misplaced priorities.
3	<i>SF 2305 - Criminalizing Workers’ Compensation Passed Senate 28-22 IFL Position was “no” Died in Senate</i>	This bill would have set up a special prosecutor in the Insurance Division that was aimed only at prosecuting fraud in the case of workers. As soon as a company would accuse an individual of fraud, the claim would stop. There were many problematic parts of this bill, including the idea that this division would be funded in part by successful prosecutions, leaving open the possibility of a runaway prosecutor going after legitimate claims.
4	<i>SF 2383 - 1st Senate Tax Cut Passed Senate 29-21 IFL Position was “no” Died in Senate</i>	This \$1.2 billion tax cut aimed primarily at cutting taxes for the wealthiest Iowans is unaffordable for a state budget that is making mid-year budget cuts. While some parts of the bill we applaud such as eliminating many corporate tax credits, the entire package was unacceptable and unbalanced for Iowans.
5	<i>SF 2117 - “De-Appropriations Bill” Passed Senate 28-21 IFL Position was “no” Signed By Governor</i>	This mid-year budget cut was the second year in a row that mid-year budget cuts were deemed necessary by the Governor. These cuts were aimed mainly at the university system, and in particular the University of Iowa and Iowa State University.
6	<i>HF 2233—Mechanic’s Liens Passed Senate 26-21 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	This bill allowed the amount demanded in a lien only to be adjusted downward and does not allow increases. This bill shortened the notice period for a public construction project, and also required one type of notice along with the certified statement that a notice was given.
7	<i>HF 2297—Boiler Inspections Passed Senate 26-21 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	This bill adjusted the law to no longer require an external inspection of a steel hot water boiler in a year when an internal inspection was done. It also only requires internal inspections for boilers taking more than six months in order to clean the vessel. This also exempts inspections for 120 gallons or less, and 200,000 BTUs or less.
8	<i>HF 2253 - LEASE PURCHASE BIDS— Passed Senate 27-20 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	<p>Lease-purchase is a provision in Iowa law that allowed public entities to enter into contracts with builders who would put up the initial monies for a project and then sell or lease that back to the public entity over a period of time.</p> <p>This change in “lease-purchase” bids for public entities took a valuable tool away from public entities when building projects. Lease-purchase now conforms to Iowa’s lowest bidder laws, similar to what happened when this legislature banned project labor agreements for local entities.</p>

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9	<i>SF 481 - Immigration Laws - Passed Senate 28-18 IFL Position was "no" Governor Signed into Law</i>	<p>This law (which was opposed by many law enforcement groups) allows and requires law enforcement to hold people that they might suspect might have committed a immigration violation or they would lose all state funding.</p> <p>Not only does this violate due-process rights of individuals, law enforcement already cooperates with Immigration and Custom Enforcement (ICE) on these matters and this bill was unnecessary, punitive, and political.</p>
10	<i>SF 2417 - Governor's Tax Cut Passed Senate 28-20 IFL Position was "no" Signed By Governor</i>	<p>This bill was based off of the Governor's original tax cut plan. This tax cut also was unaffordable in a time when the state budget is going through mid year budget cuts. This tax cut was massively skewed toward the wealthiest lowans, and leaves Iowa in a difficult position meeting the state budget needs going forward.</p>

Iowa Senate 2018 Recorded Votes

		R	Voted Right (<i>IFL Position</i>)							A	Absent or Not Voting							
		W	Voted Wrong							%	Percent of Right Votes							
		D/R	Dist	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	W	A	2018%	Life-time%
Allen	Chaz	D	15	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Behn	Jerry	R	24	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5
Bertrand	Rick	R	7	W	W	W	W	W	A	A	A	W	W	0	7	3	0	10
Bisignano	Tony	D	17	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	93
Bolkcom	Joe	D	43	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	97
Boutlton	Nate	D	16	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	100
Bowman	Tod	D	29	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	R	9	0	1	90	97
Breitbach	Michael	R	28	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	6
Brown	Waylon	R	26	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Carlin	Jim	R	3	W	W	R	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	1	9	0	10	4
Chapman	Jake	R	10	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5
Chelgren	Mark	R	41	W	A	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	A	0	8	2	0	9
Costello	Mark	R	12	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	7
Danielson	Jeff	D	30	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	W	R	R	9	1	0	90	97
Dawson	Dan	R	8	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Dix	Bill	R	25	W	W	W	W	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	4	0	0	6
Dotzler	Bill	D	31	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	96
Dvorsky	Bob	D	37	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	R	9	0	1	90	94

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Edler	Jeff	R	36	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Feenstra	Randy	R	2	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	6
Garrett	Julian	R	13	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5
Greene	Thomas	R	44	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Guth	Dennis	R	4	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4
Hart	Rita	D	49	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	9	0	1	90	98
Hogg	Rob	D	33	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Horn	Wally	D	35	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	92
Jochum	Pam	D	50	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	93
Johnson	Craig	R	32	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Johnson	David	NP	1	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	45
Kapucian	Tim	R	38	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	8
Kinney	Kevin	D	39	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Kaayenbrink	Tim	R	5	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5
Lofgren	Mark	R	46	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Lykam	Jim	D	45	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	96
Mathis	Liz	D	34	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
McCoy	Matt	D	21	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	88

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		W	Voted Wrong							%	Percent of Right Votes								
		D/R	Dist	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	W	A	2018%	Life-time%	
Petersen	Janet	D	18	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	96	
Quirnbach	Herman	D	23	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	100	
Ragan	Amanda	D	27	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	98	
Rozenboom	Ken	R	40	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5	
Schneider	Charles	R	22	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4	
Schultz	Jason	R	9	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3	
Segebart	Mark	R	6	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	7	
Shipley	Tom	R	11	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	8	
Sinclair	Amy	R	14	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	6	
Smith	Roby	R	47	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	10	
Sweeney	Annette	R	25	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	W	0	1	0	0	6	
Taylor	Rich	D	42	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	98	
Whitver	Jack	R	19	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5	
Zaun	Brad	R	20	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	9	
Zumbach	Dan	R	48	W	W	W	W	W	A	A	A	W	W	0	7	3	0	6	

Voting Record of the Iowa House - 2018

The agenda of the House is controlled by the Speaker of the Iowa House and the House majority leader.

These are the Representatives responsible for the agenda of the Iowa House.

Speaker of the House

Rep. Linda Upmeyer (R)



House Majority Leader

Rep. Chris Hagenow (R)



Iowa House 2018 Recorded Votes on Labor Bills and Amendments

#	Bill Name & IFL Position	Bill Description
1	<i>HF 2230—School Funding Passed House - 57-40 IFL Position was “no” Signed By Governor</i>	Again this year, the Iowa Federation of Labor believed that the amount for school funding was set to low at 1%. The Federation believes that there should be at least 4%, yet the legislature’s priority was tax cuts for the wealthy.
2	<i>HF 2297—Boiler Inspections Passed House 57-40 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	This bill adjusted the law to no longer require an external inspection of a steel hot water boiler in a year when an internal inspection was done. It also only requires internal inspections for boilers taking more than six months in order to clean the vessel. This also exempts inspections for 120 gallons or less, and 200,000 BTUs or less.
3	<i>HF 2253 - LEASE PURCHASE BIDS— Passed House 59-39 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	Lease-purchase is a provision in Iowa law that allowed public entities to enter into contracts with builders who would put up the initial monies for a project and then sell or lease that back to the public entity over a period of time. This change in “lease-purchase” bids for public entities took a valuable tool away from public entities when building projects. Lease-purchase now conforms to Iowa’s lowest bidder laws, similar to what happened when this legislature banned project labor agreements for local entities.
4	<i>SF 2117 - “De-Appropriations Bill” Passed House 59-41 IFL Position was “no” Signed By Governor</i>	This mid-year budget cut was the second year in a row that mid-year budget cuts were deemed necessary by the Governor. These cuts were aimed mainly at the university system, and in particular the University of Iowa and Iowa State University.
5	<i>HF 2253 - LEASE PURCHASE BIDS— Passed House 59-41 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	See #3 - This vote was taken to conform to the Senate’s version.
6	<i>HF 2233—Mechanic’s Liens Passed House 57-40 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	This bill allowed the amount demanded in a lien only to be adjusted downward and does not allow increases. This bill shortened the notice period for a public construction project, and also required one type of notice along with the certified statement that a notice was given.

Iowa House 2018 Recorded Votes on Labor Bills and Amendments

#	Bill Name & IFL Position	Bill Description
7	<i>HF 2297—Boiler Inspections Passed House 58-40 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	See #2 - This second vote was taken to conform to the Senate’s version
8	<i>SF 481 - Immigration Laws - Passed Senate 55-45 IFL Position was “no” Governor Signed into Law</i>	<p>This law (which was opposed by many law enforcement groups) allows and requires law enforcement to hold people that they might suspect might have committed a immigration violation or they would lose all state funding.</p> <p>Not only does this violate due-process rights of individuals, law enforcement already cooperates with Immigration and Custom Enforcement (ICE) on these matters and this bill was unnecessary, punitive, and political.</p>
9	<i>Amendment H-8395 to HF 2493 (Economic Development Appropriations) IFL Position was “yes” Vote failed—57-41</i>	This amendment prohibits the Department of Workforce Development from closing field offices as well as satellite offices, or reducing the number of local workforce regions without legislative approval.
10	<i>SF 2417 - Governor’s Tax Cut Passed House 54-32 IFL Position was “no” Signed By Governor</i>	This bill was based off of the Governor’s original tax cut plan. This tax cut also was unaffordable in a time when the state budget is going through mid year budget cuts. This tax cut was massively skewed toward the wealthiest lowans, and leaves Iowa in a difficult position meeting the state budget needs going forward.

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Abdul-Samad	Ako	D	35	R	A	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	9	0	1	90	98
Anderson	Marti	D	36	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Bacon	Robert	R	48	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	A	0	9	1	0	3
Baltimore	Chip	R	47	W	A	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	9	1	0	4
Baudler	Clel	R	20	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	A	0	9	1	0	4
Baxter	Terry	R	8	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Bearinger	Bruce	D	64	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Bennett	Liz	D	65	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	9	0	1	90	96
Bergan	Michael	R	55	W	R	W	W	W	W	R	R	W	W	3	7	0	30	5
Best	Brian	R	12	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Bloomingtondale	Jane	R	51	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Bossman	Jacob	R	6	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	0
Breckenridge	Wes	D	29	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	9	0	1	90	99
Brown-Powers	Timi	D	61	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Carlson	Gary	R	91	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Cohoon	Dennis	D	87	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Cownie	Peter	R	42	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Deyoe	Dave	R	49	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Dolecheck	Cecil	R	24	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4
Finkenauer	Abby	D	99	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Fisher	Dean	R	72	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Forbes	John	D	40	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	R	9	0	1	90	99
Fry	Joel	R	27	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Gaines	Ruth Ann	D	32	A	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	8	0	2	80	94

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Gaskill	Mary	D	81	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	100
Gassman	Tedd	R	7	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Grassley	Pat	R	50	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Gustafson	Stan	R	25	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Hagenow	Chris	R	43	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Hager	Kristi	R	56	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Hall	Chris	D	13	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	97
Hanusa	Mary	R	16	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4
Heartsill	Greg	R	28	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Heaton	Dave	R	84	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	R	R	W	2	8	0	20	6
Heddens	Lisa	D	46	R	R	A	R	R	R	A	R	R	A	7	0	3	70	96
Hein	Lee	R	96	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Highfill	Jake	R	39	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Hinson	Ashley	R	67	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Holt	Steve	R	18	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Holz	Chuck	R	5	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Hunter	Bruce	D	34	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	98
Huseman	Daniel	R	3	A	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	9	1	0	3
Isenhardt	Charles	D	100	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Jacoby	Dave	D	74	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	9	0	1	90	95
Jacobsen	Jon	R	22	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	0
Jones	Megan	R	2	W	W	A	W	W	W	W	R	W	W	1	8	1	10	4
Kacena	Tim	D	14	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Kaufmann	Bobby	R	73	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4

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Kearns	Jerry	D	83	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Kerr	David	R	88	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Klein	Jarad	R	78	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	2
Koester	Kevin	R	38	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	R	W	W	1	9	0	10	4
Kressig	Bob	D	59	R	R	A	R	R	A	R	R	R	A	7	0	3	70	95
Kurth	Monica	D	89	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Landon	John	R	37	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Lensing	Vicki	D	85	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Lundgren	Shan- non	R	57	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4
Mascher	Mary	D	86	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	9	0	1	90	98
Maxwell	David	R	76	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4
McConkey	Charlie	D	15	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	W	R	R	9	1	0	90	97
McKean	Andy	R	58	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	5
Meyer	Brian	D	33	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Miller	Helen	D	9	R	A	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	8	0	2	80	94
Miller	Phil	D	82	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	100
Mohr	Gary	R	94	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Mommsen	Norlin	R	97	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Moore	Tom	R	21	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	4
Nielsen	Amy	D	77	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	98
Nunn	Zach	R	30	W	W	A	W	W	A	W	W	W	A	0	8	2	0	3
Oldson	Jo	D	41	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	95
Olson	Rick	D	31	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	97
Ourth	Scott	D	26	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99

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		D/R	Dist	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	R	W	A	2018 %	Lifetime %
Paustian	Ross	R	92	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Pettengill	Dawn	R	75	A	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	9	1	0	3
Prichard	Todd	D	52	R	R	A	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	8	0	2	80	96
Rizer	Ken	R	68	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	A	0	9	1	0	3
Rogers	Walt	R	60	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Running-Marquardt	Kirsten	D	69	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	97
Salmon	Sandy	R	63	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Sexton	Mike	R	10	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Sheets	Larry	R	80	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Sieck	David	R	23	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	A	W	0	9	1	0	3
Smith	Mark	D	71	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	98
Smith	Ras	D	62	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	98
Staed	Art	D	66	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Steckman	Sharon	D	53	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Taylor	Rob	R	44	W	W	A	W	W	A	W	W	W	W	0	8	2	0	3
Taylor	Todd	D	70	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Thede	Phyllis	D	93	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	100
Upmeyer	Linda	R	54	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Vander Linden	Guy	R	79	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Watts	Ralph	R	19	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	A	0	9	1	0	3
Wessel-Kroeschell	Beth	D	45	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Wheeler	Sklyer	R	4	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Wills	John	R	1	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Winckler	Cindy	D	90	R	R	R	R	R	R	A	R	R	R	9	0	1	90	97

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Windschitl	Matt	R	17	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	10	0	0	3
Wolfe	Mary	D	98	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	10	0	0	100	99
Worthan	Gary	R	11	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	R	W	W	1	9	0	10	4
Zumbach	Loius	R	95	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	R	W	1	9	0	10	4

Record of the Governor - 2018

The Governor decides what laws passed by the legislature to sign or veto.

The Governor also has the ability to veto line-items out of budget bills without vetoing the entire bill.

Governor



Kim Reynolds (R)

#	Bill Name & IFL Position	Bill Description
1	HF 2230—School Funding IFL Position was “Veto” Signed By Governor	Again this year, the Iowa Federation of Labor believed that the amount for school funding was set to low at 1%. The Federation believes that there should be at least 4%, yet the legislature’s priority was tax cuts for the wealthy.
2	HF 2297—Boiler Inspections IFL Position was “Veto” Governor Signed into Law	This bill adjusted the law to no longer require an external inspection of a steel hot water boiler in a year when an internal inspection was done. It also only requires internal inspections for boilers taking more than six months in order to clean the vessel. This also exempts inspections for 120 gallons or less, and 200,000 BTUs or less.
3	HF 2233—Mechanic’s Liens IFL Position was “Veto” Governor Signed into Law	This bill allowed the amount demanded in a lien only to be adjusted downward and does not allow increases. This bill shortened the notice period for a public construction project, and also required one type of notice along with the certified statement that a notice was given.
4	HF 2253 - LEASE PURCHASE BIDS IFL Position was “Veto” Governor signed into law.	Lease-purchase is a provision in Iowa law that allowed public entities to enter into contracts with builders who would put up the initial monies for a project and then sell or lease that back to the public entity over a period of time. This change in “lease-purchase” bids for public entities took a valuable tool away from public entities when building projects. Lease-purchase now conforms to Iowa’s lowest bidder laws, similar to what happened when this legislature banned project labor agreements for local entities.
5	SF 2117 - “De-Appropriations Bill” IFL Position was “Veto” Governor signed into law.	This mid-year budget cut was the second year in a row that mid-year budget cuts were deemed necessary by the Governor. These cuts were aimed mainly at the university system, and in particular the University of Iowa and Iowa State University.
6	SF 481 - Immigration Laws - IFL Positon was “Veto” Governor Signed into Law	This law (which was opposed by many law enforcement groups) allows and requires law enforcement to hold people that they might suspect might have committed a immigration violation or they would lose all state funding. Not only does this violate due-process rights of individuals, law enforcement already cooperates with Immigration and Custom Enforcement (ICE) on these matters and this bill was unnecessary, punitive, and political.
7	SF 2417 - Governor’s Tax Cut IFL Position was “Veto” Governor signed into law.	This bill was based off of the Governor’s original tax cut plan. This tax cut also was unaffordable in a time when the state budget is going through mid year budget cuts. This tax cut was massively skewed toward the wealthiest Iowans, and leaves Iowa in a difficult position meeting the state budget needs going forward.

GOVERNOR		D/R	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	R	W	2018%	Lifetime%
Reynolds	Kim	R	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	0	7	0	0