

Mike Espy is a Loyal Democrat

While Mike Espy tries to tell Mississippians that he will go to Washington as an independent voice to represent them, not the Democrat Party bosses, it's important to remember who has been supporting his campaign all along. Not only has he taken money from the PACs associated with Chuck Schumer, Nancy Pelosi, Elizabeth Warren, Kamala Harris, and more, but he has also already announced his plans to caucus with Chuck Schumer and Democrats if he gets to Washington.

If you need more convincing, just look at his record. When he was last a member of Congress, he voted with his party 91 percent of the time.

For more on Mike Espy's loyalty to the Democrat Party, please see below.

MIKE ESPY SAYS HE WILL BE AN INDEPENDENT SENATOR BUT IS DIRECTLY SUPPORTED BY LIBERAL DEMOCRAT LEADERS

Mike Espy Claims He Will Be An Independent Senator For Mississippi

Democrat Senate Candidate Mike Espy Said That, If Elected, He Will Be An "Independent Senator For The State Of Mississippi." "So here's all I am saying to you, that I will be an independent Senator for the state of Mississippi." (Mike Espy, [Remarks At The 2018 Neshoba County Fair](#), 8/2/18)



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However, Espy Is Supported By Democrat Leaders And The Soros Family, Said He Will Caucus With Minority Leader Chuck Schumer, And Voted With His Party 91 Percent Of The Time As A Representative

In An Interview With The Jackson Free Press, Espy Said "I'm A Democrat" And "I'm Going To Caucus With Chuck Schumer." "I respect the office of the president of the United States, and regardless of who's in the office, I will work with them if the issues concern uplifting the state of Mississippi. I tell everybody: I'm a Democrat. I'm going to caucus with (New York Democratic Sen.) Chuck Schumer." (Ashton Pittman, "It Only Matters What You Answer To": The JFP Interview with Mike Espy," [Jackson Free Press](#), 9/19/18)

According To Congressional Quarterly, Then-Representative Mike Espy (D-MS) Voted With The Democratic Party An Average Of 91 Percent Of The Time From 1987 To 1992. ("Party Unity And Party Opposition: House," *CQ Weekly*, 1987-1992)

Year	Party	Support	Oppose
1992	House Democrats	91%	9%
1991	House Democrats	88%	12%
1990	House Democrats	90%	10%
1989	House Democrats	89%	11%
1988	House Democrats	94%	6%
1987	House Democrats	96%	4%
Average:		91%	9%

According To Congressional Quarterly, Then-Representative Mike Espy (D-MS) Voted Against Presidents Ronald Reagan And George H.W. Bush An Average Of 74 Percent Of The Time From 1987 To 1992. ("Party Unity And Party Opposition: House," *CQ Weekly*, 1987-1992)

Year	President	Support	Oppose
1992	George H.W. Bush	21%	79%
1991	George H.W. Bush	32%	68%
1990	George H.W. Bush	21%	79%
1989	George H.W. Bush	37%	63%
1988	Ronald Reagan	23%	77%
1987	Ronald Reagan	22%	78%
Average:		26%	74%

According The Federal Election Commission, IMPACT Has Contributed \$10,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **IMPACT Is Affiliated With Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-NY).** ("IMPACT," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Forward Together PAC Contributed \$5,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **Forward Together PAC Is Affiliated With Senate Democratic Caucus Vice Chair Mark Warner (D-VA).** ("Forward Together PAC," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, PAC To The Future Contributed \$10,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **PAC To The Future Is Affiliated With House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi (D-CA).** ("PAC To The Future," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Purpose PAC Contributed \$5,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **Also Known As CoryPAC, Purpose PAC Is Affiliated With Senator Cory Booker (D-NJ).** ("CoryPAC," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, PAC For A Level Playing Field Contributed \$5,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **PAC For A Level Playing Field Is Affiliated With Senator Elizabeth Warren (D-MA).** ("PAC For A Level Playing Field," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Fearless For The People PAC Contributed \$5,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **Fearless For The People PAC Is Affiliated With Senator Kamala Harris (D-CA).** ("Fearless For The People," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Oceans PAC Contributed \$2,500 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **Oceans PAC Is Affiliated With Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI).** ("Oceans PAC," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Common Ground PAC Contributed \$5,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **Common Ground PAC Is Affiliated With Senator Tim Kaine (D-VA).** ("Common Sense PAC," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, America Works PAC Contributed \$5,000 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **America Works PAC Is Affiliated With Senator Sherrod Brown (D-OH).** ("America Works," [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Billionaire Liberal Activist George Soros Contributed \$5,400 To Espy's Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

- **Soros Is A “Liberal Megadonor.”** “Soros, the liberal mega donor and bogeyman to conservatives, gave \$250,000 to a Forward Florida, a Gillum associated political committee in April.” (Kirby Wilson, “George Soros Has Picked His Candidate In The Florida Governor’s Race,” [Tampa Bay Times](#), 6/7/18)
- **Soros Has “Poured Much Of His Fortune Into Promoting Liberal Values Around The Globe.”** “The 87-year-old Holocaust survivor, who has poured much of his fortune into promoting liberal values around the globe, is now confronting a wave of nationalist sentiment washing against issues he has championed.” (Michael Kranish, “‘I Must Be Doing Something Right’: Billionaire George Soros Faces Renewed Attacks With Defiance,” [The Washington Post](#), 6/9/18)

According To The Federal Election Commission, Alexander Soros Contributed \$5,400 To Espy’s Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

According To The Center For Responsive Politics, Soros Fund Management Is The Number One Contributor To Espy’s Campaign As Of November 13, 2018. (“Mississippi Senate Top Contributors,” [Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/13/18)

Mike Espy (D)

Contributor	Total
Soros Fund Management	\$10,800