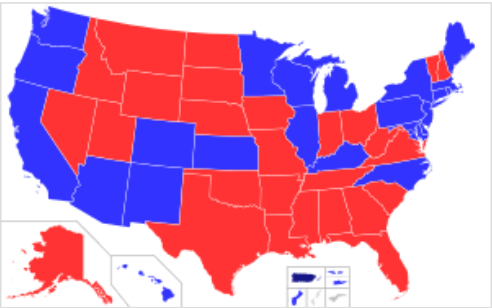


List of current United States governors

The following is a list of incumbent governors (or mayor) of U.S. states, territories, and the federal district. In the United States, a governor is the chief executive officer of a state or a territory. As of January 9, 2024, there are 27 states with Republican governors and 23 states with Democratic governors. Additionally, four U.S. territories have Democratic governors, while one has an independent governor. Pedro Pierluisi of Puerto Rico is a member of the New Progressive Party, although he is also affiliated with the Democratic Party. Minnesota has a governor from the Democratic-Farmer-Labor Party. The federal District of Columbia is governed by a Democratic mayor.

State governors







The current term ends and new term begins in January of the given year for every state except for Alaska, Hawaii, North Dakota, and Kentucky, where the term ends in December of that year's election. The notation "(term limits)" after the year indicates that the governor is ineligible to seek re-election in that year; the notation "(retiring)" indicates that the governor has announced his or her intention not to seek re-election at the end of the term nor to run for another office. The longest serving incumbent U.S. governor is Jay Inslee of Washington, having served since January 16,



Party affiliation of current United States governors:








- ☐ Democratic (27)
- ☐ Republican (27)
- ☐ New Progressive (1)
- ☐ Independent (1)

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State	Image	Governor	Party	Born	Prior public experience	Inauguration	End of term
Alabama (list)		Kay Ivey	Republican	October 15, 1944	Lieutenant Governor State Treasurer	April 10, 2017	2027 (term limits)
Alaska (list)		Mike Dunleavy	Republican	May 5, 1961	Alaska Senate Matanuska-Susitna Borough Board President	December 3, 2018	2026 (term limits)
Arizona (list)		Katie Hobbs	Democratic	December 28, 1969	Secretary of State Minority Leader of the Arizona Senate Arizona House	January 2, 2023	2027
Arkansas (list)		Sarah Huckabee Sanders	Republican	August 13, 1982	White House Press Secretary White House Deputy Press Secretary	January 10, 2023	2027
California (list)		Gavin Newsom	Democratic	October 10, 1967	Lieutenant Governor Mayor of San Francisco San Francisco Board of Supervisors	January 7, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Colorado (list)		Jared Polis	Democratic	May 12, 1975	U.S. House Colorado State Board of Education	January 8, 2019	2027 (term limits)

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Connecticut (list)		<u>Ned Lamont</u>	Democratic	January 3, 1954	Chair of the State Investment Advisory Council Greenwich Board of Estimate and Taxation Greenwich Board of Selectmen	January 9, 2019	2027
Delaware (list)		<u>John Carney</u>	Democratic	May 20, 1956	U.S. House Lieutenant Governor State Secretary of Finance Chief of Staff to Governor Tom Carper	January 17, 2017	2025 (term limits)
Florida (list)		<u>Ron DeSantis</u>	Republican	September 14, 1978	U.S. House Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy	January 8, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Georgia (list)		<u>Brian Kemp</u>	Republican	November 2, 1963	Secretary of State Georgia Senate	January 14, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Hawaii (list)		<u>Josh Green</u>	Democratic	February 11, 1970	Lieutenant Governor Hawaii Senate Hawaii House	December 5, 2022	2026
Idaho (list)		<u>Brad Little</u>	Republican	February 15, 1954	Lieutenant Governor Idaho Senate	January 7, 2019	2027
Illinois (list)		<u>J. B. Pritzker</u>	Democratic	January 19, 1965	Chair of the Illinois Human Rights Commission Co-Chair of Hillary Clinton 2008 presidential campaign	January 14, 2019	2027


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Indiana (list)		<u>Eric Holcomb</u>	Republican	May 2, 1968	Lieutenant Governor Chief of Staff to U.S. Senator Dan Coats State Republican Party Chair Yeoman in the United States Navy	January 9, 2017	2025 (term limits)
Iowa (list)		<u>Kim Reynolds</u>	Republican	August 4, 1959	Lieutenant Governor Iowa Senate Clarke County Treasurer	May 24, 2017	2027
Kansas (list)		<u>Laura Kelly</u>	Democratic	January 24, 1950	Kansas Senate	January 14, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Kentucky (list)		<u>Andy Beshear</u>	Democratic	November 29, 1977	State Attorney General	December 10, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Louisiana (list)		<u>Jeff Landry</u>	Republican	December 23, 1970	State Attorney General U.S. House	January 8, 2024	2028
Maine (list)		<u>Janet Mills</u>	Democratic	December 30, 1947	State Attorney General Maine House Androscoggin, Franklin, and Oxford Counties District Attorney	January 2, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Maryland (list)		<u>Wes Moore</u>	Democratic	October 15, 1978	Captain in the United States Army	January 18, 2023	2027

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Massachusetts (list)		<u>Maura Healey</u>	Democratic	February 8, 1971	State Attorney General	January 5, 2023	2027
Michigan (list)		<u>Gretchen Whitmer</u>	Democratic	August 23, 1971	Ingham County Prosecuting Attorney Minority Leader of the Michigan Senate Michigan House	January 1, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Minnesota (list)		<u>Tim Walz</u>	Democratic–Farmer–Labor	April 6, 1964	U.S. House Command Sergeant Major in the Army National Guard	January 7, 2019	2027
Mississippi (list)		<u>Tate Reeves</u>	Republican	June 5, 1974	Lieutenant Governor State Treasurer	January 14, 2020	2028 (term limits)
Missouri (list)		<u>Mike Parson</u>	Republican	September 17, 1955	Lieutenant Governor Missouri Senate Missouri House Polk County Sheriff Sergeant in the United States Army	June 1, 2018	2025 (term limits)
Montana (list)		<u>Greg Gianforte</u>	Republican	April 17, 1961	U.S. House	January 4, 2021	2025
Nebraska (list)		<u>Jim Pillen</u>	Republican	December 31, 1955	University of Nebraska Board of Regents	January 5, 2023	2027

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Nevada (list)		<u>Joe Lombardo</u>	Republican	November 8, 1962	Clark County Sheriff U.S. Army Reserve U.S. Army National Guard	January 2, 2023	2027
New Hampshire (list)		<u>Chris Sununu</u>	Republican	November 5, 1974	New Hampshire Executive Council	January 5, 2017	2025 (retiring) ^[1]
New Jersey (list)		<u>Phil Murphy</u>	Democratic	August 16, 1957	U.S. Ambassador to Germany Finance Chair of the Democratic National Committee	January 16, 2018	2026 (term limits)
New Mexico (list)		<u>Michelle Lujan Grisham</u>	Democratic	October 24, 1959	U.S. House Bernalillo County Commission State Secretary of Health	January 1, 2019	2027 (term limits)
New York (list)		<u>Kathy Hochul</u>	Democratic	August 27, 1958	Lieutenant Governor U.S. House Erie County Clerk	August 24, 2021	2026 ^[note 1]
North Carolina (list)		<u>Roy Cooper</u>	Democratic	June 13, 1957	State Attorney General Majority Leader of the North Carolina Senate North Carolina House	January 1, 2017	2025 (term limits)
North Dakota (list)		<u>Doug Burgum</u>	Republican	August 1, 1956	No prior public experience	December 15, 2016	2024 (retiring) ^[2]

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Ohio (list)		<u>Mike DeWine</u>	Republican	January 5, 1947	State Attorney General U.S. Senate Lieutenant Governor U.S. House Ohio Senate Greene County Prosecutor	January 14, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Oklahoma (list)		<u>Kevin Stitt</u>	Republican	December 28, 1972	No prior public experience	January 14, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Oregon (list)		<u>Tina Kotek</u>	Democratic	September 30, 1966	Speaker of the Oregon House	January 9, 2023	2027
Pennsylvania (list)		<u>Josh Shapiro</u>	Democratic	June 20, 1973	State Attorney General Montgomery County Board of Commissioners Pennsylvania House	January 17, 2023	2027
Rhode Island (list)		<u>Dan McKee</u>	Democratic	June 16, 1951	Lieutenant Governor Mayor of Cumberland Cumberland Town Council	March 2, 2021	2027
South Carolina (list)		<u>Henry McMaster</u>	Republican	May 27, 1947	Lieutenant Governor State Attorney General State Republican Party Chair U.S. Attorney	January 24, 2017	2027 (term limits)
South Dakota (list)		<u>Kristi Noem</u>	Republican	November 30, 1971	U.S. House South Dakota House	January 5, 2019	2027 (term limits)

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Tennessee (list)		<u>Bill Lee</u>	Republican	October 9, 1959	No prior public experience	January 19, 2019	2027 (term limits)
Texas (list)		<u>Greg Abbott</u>	Republican	November 13, 1957	State Attorney General Associate Justice of the Texas Supreme Court	January 20, 2015	2027
Utah (list)		<u>Spencer Cox</u>	Republican	July 11, 1975	Lieutenant Governor Utah House Sanpete County Commission Mayor of Fairview	January 4, 2021	2025
Vermont (list)		<u>Phil Scott</u>	Republican	August 4, 1958	Lieutenant Governor Vermont Senate	January 5, 2017	2025
Virginia (list)		<u>Glenn Youngkin</u>	Republican	December 9, 1966	No prior public experience	January 15, 2022	2026 (term limits)
Washington (list)		<u>Jay Inslee</u>	Democratic	February 9, 1951	U.S. House Washington House	January 16, 2013	2025 (retiring) ^[3]
West Virginia (list)		<u>Jim Justice</u>	Republican ^[note 2]	April 27, 1951	No prior public experience	January 16, 2017	2025 (term limits)

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Wisconsin (list)		<u>Tony Evers</u>	Democratic	November 5, 1951	State Superintendent of Public Instruction	January 7, 2019	2027
Wyoming (list)		<u>Mark Gordon</u>	Republican	March 14, 1957	State Treasurer	January 7, 2019	2027 (term limits)

Territory governors

The following hold the gubernatorial offices of the [United States territories](#).

Territory governors


☐ **Democratic** (4) ☐ **Independent** (1) ☐ **New Progressive** (1)

Territory	Image	Governor	Party	Born	Prior public experience	Inauguration	End of term
<u>American Samoa</u> (list)		Lemanu Peleti Mauga	<u>Democratic</u> ^[note 3]	January 3, 1960	Lieutenant Governor, American Samoa Senate, Major in the United States Army	January 3, 2021	2025
<u>Guam</u> (list)		Lou Leon Guerrero	<u>Democratic</u>	November 8, 1950	<u>Guam Legislature</u>	January 7, 2019	2027 (term limits)
<u>Northern Mariana Islands</u> (list)		Arnold Palacios	<u>Independent</u>	August 22, 1955	Lieutenant Governor, President of the CNMI Senate, Speaker of the CNMI House	January 9, 2023	2027
<u>Puerto Rico</u> (list)		Pedro Pierluisi	<u>New Progressive</u>	April 25, 1959	U.S. House, Territorial Secretary of Justice	January 2, 2021	2025
<u>U.S. Virgin Islands</u> (list)		Albert Bryan	<u>Democratic</u>	February 21, 1968	Virgin Islands Department of Labor	January 7, 2019	2027 (term limits)

Federal district mayor

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☐ **Democratic** (1)

Federal district	Image	Mayor	Party	Born	Prior public experience	Inauguration	End of term
<u>District of Columbia</u> (list)		Muriel Bowser	<u>Democratic</u>	August 2, 1972	D.C. Council, Advisory Neighborhood Commission	January 2, 2015	2027

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Notes

1. NY gubernatorial terms begin at midnight New Year's Day.
2. Justice was elected as a Democrat, but switched to the Republican Party six months into his first term. He was reelected as a Republican in 2020.^[4]
3. Officially, the [governor of American Samoa](#) is a non-partisan position, but officeholders do affiliate with the local chapters of the national political parties.

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