

Suggested Web Sites for Special Interest Groups or Political Advocacy Groups

A special interest group (also known as advocacy group, lobby group, or pressure group) is an organized group of people who seek to influence political decisions in a way that is favorable to the group's cause. They mainly provide information to politicians, executive branch agencies, and to constituents, or the voting public. There are three types of information acquired by interest groups: the status and prospect of bills under active consideration; the electoral implications of legislators' support or opposition to potential legislation; and the political, economic, social, and environmental consequences of policies.

Lobby/Special Interest Groups Web Sites

Conservative Internet Sites

- [American Conservative Union](#)
- [Conservative News Service](#)
- [Judicial Watch](#)
- [Right March](#)
- [Town Hall](#)

Issue-Oriented Groups

- [AFL-CIO](#)
- [AFL-CIO Union Affiliates](#)
- [Alternative Press Center](#)
- [American Association for Affirmative Action](#)
- [American Assoc.for Retired Persons](#)
- [American Assoc. of University Women](#)
- [American Bar Association](#)
- [American Civil Liberties Union](#)
- [American Entrepreneurs for Economic Growth](#)
- [American Medical Association](#)
- [American Public Health Association](#)
- [American Public Human Services Association](#)
- [American Public Transit Association](#)
- [Americans United for Affirmative Action](#)
- [Anti-Defamation League](#)
- [Association of American Universities](#)
- [Center for Individual Rights](#)
- [Center for Reproductive Rights](#)
- [Christian Coalition](#)
- [Citizens Against Government Waste](#)
- [Common Cause](#)
- [Concord Coalition](#) (deficit reduction)
- [Constitution Society](#)
- [Corporate Watch](#)
- [Death Penalty Information Center](#)
- [Families USA](#)

- [Family Research Council](#)
- [Federation of American Scientists](#)
- [Greenpeace International](#)
- [Labor Unions Directory \(CWA\)](#)
- [Leadership Conference on Civil Rights](#)
- [League of Conservation Voters](#)
- [League of Women Voters](#)
- [National Association for the Advancement of Colored People](#)
- [National Association of Air Traffic Specialists](#)
- [National Center for Children in Poverty](#)
- [National Coalition for the Homeless](#)
- [National Education Association](#)
- [National Fish and Wildlife Federation](#)
- [National Gay and Lesbian Task Force](#)
- [National Health Council Membership](#)
- [National Organization for Women](#)
- [National Priorities Project \(Budget\)](#)
- [National Rifle Association](#)
- [OMB Watch](#)
- [Open the Government](#)
- [People for the American Way](#)
- [Public Citizen \(Ralph Nader\)](#)
- [Sierra Club](#)
- [Teamsters](#)
- [United Farm Workers](#)
- [USA Engage \(against unilateral economic sanctions abroad\)](#)
- [Wilderness Society](#)

 **Liberal Internet Sites**

- [Common Dreams 2000](#)
- [Move On](#)
- [Information to Act](#)
- [Turn Left](#)

You can also go to the website below and scroll down to “America, United States of” and click on the links listed.

<http://www.psr.keele.ac.uk/parties.htm>

America, United States of

- **Democrat**
 - [Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee](#)
 - [Democratic National Committee](#)
 - [Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee](#)
 - [Democrats for Life of America, Inc.](#)
 - [L.A. Democratic Convention, 2000](#)
 - [MoveOn.org: Democracy in Action](#)
- **Republican**
 - [George Bush website](#)
 - [National Republican Congressional Committee](#)
 - [National Republican Senatorial Committee](#)
 - [Republican Jewish Coalition](#)
 - [Republican National Committee](#)

- [San Diego 1996 Republican National Convention](#)
- **Other**
- [ActionLA](#), Action for World Liberation Everyday
- [AFL-CIO](#) The site has links to affiliated unions on the web and to other labor-related web sites
- [Alaskan Green Party](#)
- [Alaskan Independence Party](#)
- [America First](#)
- [American Heritage Party](#)
- [American Civil Liberties Union](#)
- [American Conservative Union](#)
- [American Independent Party](#), California
- [American Monarchist League](#)
- [American Patriot Party, Oregon](#)
- [American Reform Party](#)
- [American Synthesis Party](#)
- [America's Open Debates Foundation](#) is a national foundation committed to networking existing "free election" organizations, every legitimate national party, ballot access and election reform movements into one cooperative, unified and powerful voice.
- [Black Panther](#)
- [California Peace and Freedom Party](#)
- [Cascadian National Party](#), independence for Washington and Oregon
- [Centrist Reform Party](#)
- The [Christian Coalition](#)
- [Christian Falangist Party of America](#)
- [Citizens For Reasonable Growth](#)
- [Commonwealth Party](#) for Conservatives & Classical Liberals
- [Communist Party USA](#)
- The [Concord Coalition](#) to end deficit spending
- The [Conservative Party of New York State](#)
- [Conservatives Online](#), links to conservative organizations and resources
- [Conservative Think](#)
- [Constitution Action Party](#) — Archive copy
- [Constitutionalist Party](#)
- [Constitution Party](#)
- [Constitution Party of Tennessee](#)
- [DC Vote](#)
- [Democratic Leadership Council Online](#). Committed to building a new generation of leaders
- [Democratic Socialists of America](#).
- [EPIC](#) - Electronic Privacy Information Center
- [Expansionist Party of the United States](#)
- [Family Values Party](#), anti-abortion
- [Freedom Alliance](#)
- [Freedom Road Socialist Organization](#)
- [Freedom Socialist Party](#)
- [Free Hawaii](#), a voice for the Kingdom of Hawaii
- [Government is not God](#) is a right-wing Christian PAC
- [Green Parties of North America](#)
- [Green Party of the US](#)
- [Hawai`i](#), independence movement
- [The Heart Political Party](#)
- [Independence Party of Minnesota](#)
- [Independent American Party](#)
- [Independent Unity Campaign](#), New York State
- [International Socialist Organization](#)
- [Irish National Caucus](#)
- [Irish Northern Aid Inc](#)

- [Irish Republican Socialist Movement](#)
- [Irish Republican Socialist Party](#)
- [The Jeffersonian Party](#)
- [Labor Party](#)
- [League for the Revolutionary Party \(Fourth International\)](#)
- [League for the Fifth International](#)
- [League of Revolutionaries for a New America](#)
- [League of the South](#)
- [League of Women Voters.](#)
- [Left Green Network](#)
- [The Legal Party](#)
- [The Liberal Party of New York State](#)
- [Libertarian Party](#)
- [The Light Party](#)
- [Minor Parties, comprehensive links](#)
- [Moderate Party](#)
- [Monarchist Society of America](#)
- [National Socialist Movement](#)
- [The Natural Law Party](#)
- [New Liberty Party](#)
- [The New Party](#), a progressive version of the Christian Coalition involved in grassroots politics
- [New Union Party](#)
- [North Eastern Federation of Anarchist Communists](#)
- [Pansexual Peace Party](#)
- [The Patriot Party, \(unavailable\)](#)
- [Personal Choice](#)
- [ProLife Alliance](#)
- [Progressive Labor Party](#)
- [Prohibition Party](#)
- [Public Citizen](#), founded by Ralph Nader in 1971
- [Real People for Real Change](#)
- [Reform Party](#)
- [Results](#) campaigns against poverty
- [Revolutionary Communist Party, USA](#)
- [Royalist Party of America](#)
- [Social Democrats](#)
- [Socialist Action](#)
- [Socialist Alternative](#), the United States section of the Committee for a Workers' International
- [The Socialist Labor Party](#)
- [Socialist Party USA](#)
- [Solidarity](#)
- [Southern Independence Party of Kentucky](#)
- [Southern Independence Party of Texas](#)
- [Southern Loyalists](#)
- [Southern Party of Louisiana](#)
- [Southern Party of North Carolina](#)
- [Southern Party of Tennessee](#)
- [Stormfront](#) white nationalist resources page
- [Third Parties '96](#) is a movement to build a new mainstream political party
- [Third parties and electoral reform.](#)
- [US Marxist-Leninist Organization](#)
- [US Socialist Party](#)