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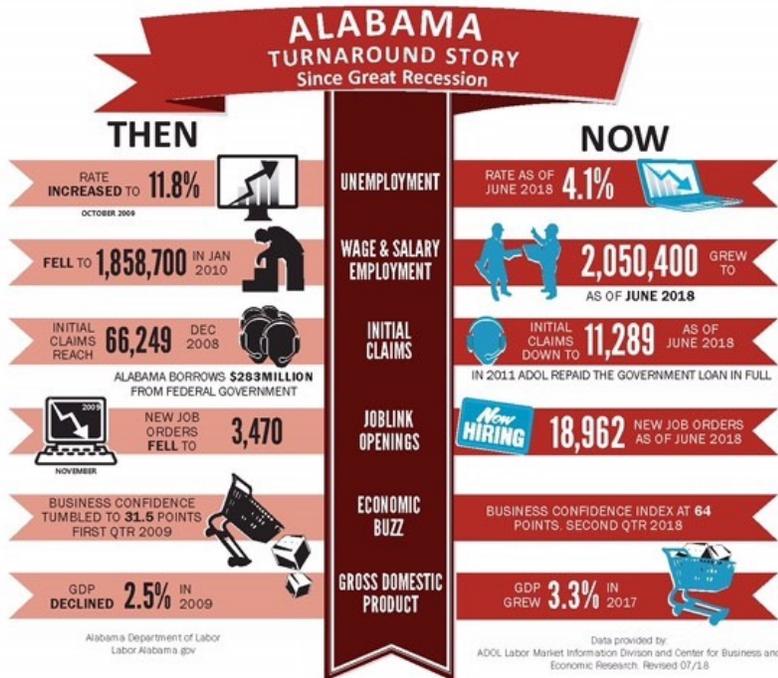
Thank you for your support of the Alabama Republican Party and all our candidates during this primary election season. We are proud of every ALGOP candidate who sacrificed their valuable time to run for public office.

Are you ready to help us keep Alabama Red? With the primary elections behind us, the ALGOP is united and ready to move forward as one team to defeat the democrats on November 6th. We would love to have you help us volunteer to ensure a victory this fall.

Sign up to volunteer with the ALGOP [here](#).

It's great to be a Republican,

Terry Lathan
Chairman, Alabama Republican Party



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Alabama Republican Party Chairman Terry Lathan Comments on the Alabama Republican Primary Runoff Election Results

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In Memory of...



Bridgett Marshall
Wife of Alabama Attorney General Steve Marshall



George Noblin
Montgomery, AL
ALGOP State Executive Committee Member



Betty Callahan
Mobile, AL
Wife of former AL State Senator George Callahan



Lee James
Mobile, AL
Republican activist



ALABAMA REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE
VOLUNTEER TRAINING
SATURDAY AUGUST 4TH DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: **THURSDAY, AUGUST 2**

LOCATIONS

MONTGOMERY, AL. 8:00 - 11:00 AM ALFA INSURANCE HQ 2108 E SOUTH BLVD, MONTGOMERY, AL 36116	CULLMAN, AL 2:30 - 5:30 PM ELKS LODGE 1609 BRANTLEY AVE NW, CULLMAN, AL 35055
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AT THIS TRAINING YOU WILL LEARN HOW TO:
Master political technology
Develop leadership skills
Build a dedicated volunteer network
SEATING WILL BE LIMITED

THIS EVENT AND TRAINERS ARE SPONSORED BY THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE

Registration Deadline: Thursday, August 2nd

Cullman location: [click here.](#)
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Congressman Mo Brooks received the *Freedom Fighter Award* from FreedomWorks.



Congressman Gary Palmer received the *Freedom Fighter Award* from FreedomWorks.



Mobile Circuit Judge Sarah Stewart was elected as the first female President of the Circuit Judges Association.



Senator Shelby and Congressman Aderholt spent an afternoon at a working lunch with President Trump.



Chairman Lathan (L) and GOP AL National Committeewoman Vicki Drummond (R) represented the ALGOP at the 2018 RNC Summer meeting in Austin, Texas. (Pictured with RNC Chair Ronna McDaniel)



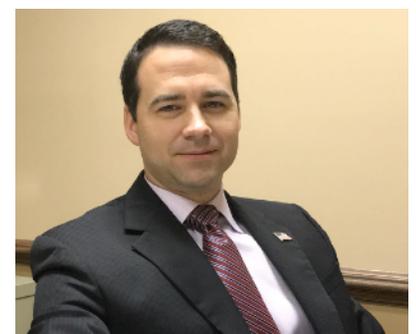
State Representative Corley Ellis (R-Columbiana) was selected to join the 2018 Emerging Leaders Program.



Rep. Allen Treadaway (R-Morris) was named assistant chief of police at the Birmingham Police Department.



State Representative Margie Wilcox (R-Wilcox) was selected as a 2018 Henry Toll Fellow for The Council of State Governments'



Governor Ivey selected Houston County Commissioner Brandon Shoupe to serve as a Trustee for the new Alabama School of Cyber Technology and Engineering.

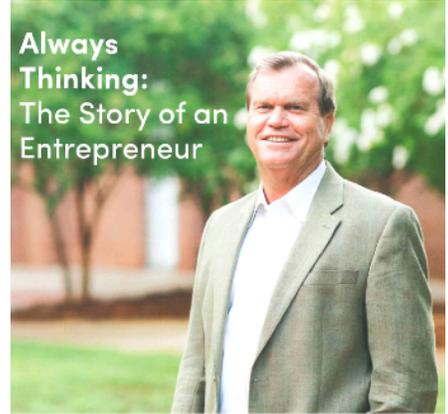
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State Representative Donnie Chesteen (R-Geneva) was named as the Alabama Rural Electric Cooperative Association's 2018 State Representative of the Year.



Houston County Republican Party Chair Valerie Judah, Ron Wilson, ALGOP Chairman Terry Lathan and Rona Miller visited together at a recent Houston County GOP Meeting.



ALGOP SEC Member Jerry Lathan was featured in an alumni spotlight of the 2018 Spring Edition of the University of South Alabama's Mitchell College Magazine.



U.S Representative Bradley Byrne met with the Alabama delegation of the Christians United for Israel in Washington, D.C.



U.S Representative Martha Roby and U.S. House Agriculture Committee Chairman Mike Conway visited with Alabama farmers in District 2.



Congressman Mike Rogers spoke on the House floor in support of the 2019 National Defense Authorization Act.



The Etowah County Republican Party opened up a new headquarters location for the 2018 election cycle.



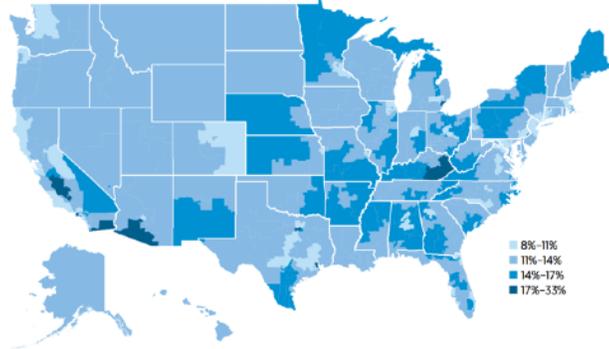
ALGOP member K Carl Smith attended the 2018 RNC Summer meeting and met with RNC Chair Ronna McDaniel.

TEAM GOP

Thanks to Republicans, Americans are seeing unprecedented savings from the *Tax Cuts and Jobs Act*.

Income Tax Decrease, 2018

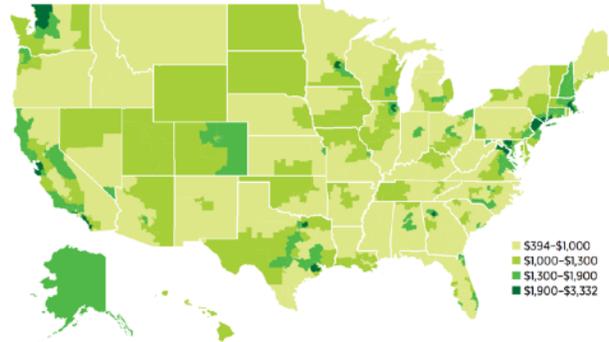
AVERAGE TAX CUT AS PERCENTAGE OF PRE-TCJA INCOME TAXES, BY CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT, ALL TAX FILERS



SOURCE: Heritage Foundation calculations using the Heritage Foundation Individual Income Tax Model. See methodology for details.

Savings from Tax Cut, 2018

AVERAGE DOLLAR VALUE OF TAX CUT, BY CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT, ALL TAX FILERS



SOURCE: Heritage Foundation calculations using the Heritage Foundation Individual Income Tax Model. See methodology for details.



College Republican volunteers door knocked for Kay Ivey for Governor, Birmingham



NRA ratings for U.S AL Representatives

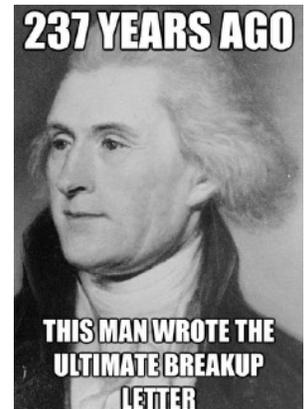


You are cordially invited to attend the 2019 Southern Republican Leadership Conference (SRLC) – THE Kick off to 2020.

REGISTER HERE

This year's SRLC will feature the current and future leaders of our great party and will be held on January 18th & 19th, 2019, in Metro New Orleans, at the Pontchartrain Center in Kenner, LA.

Make Em' Laugh...



Guest Opinion: An Alabama, pro-life plea to confirm Judge Kavanaugh

By: Terry Lathan, Alabama GOP Chair and Majorie Dannenfelsler, Susan B. Anthony List President

Terry Lathan is chair of the Alabama Republican Party. Majorie Dannenfelsler is president of the national pro-life group Susan B. Anthony List.

Earlier this month, President Trump nominated Judge Brett Kavanaugh to be the next U.S. Supreme Court justice. Senator Doug Jones has been noncommittal about Kavanaugh saying, “I’m going to take an independent look at this nominee and do what I ultimately believe is in the best interests of my state and my country.”

This should not be a difficult decision for Senator Jones. Judge Kavanaugh is an extremely distinguished jurist in the mold of Antonin Scalia and Neil Gorsuch. He has served on the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals for more than a decade, establishing a reputation for being principled and fair. In his time on the bench, he has ruled wisely in major cases involving the protection of life and freedom of conscience.

Dissenting from the majority in *Garza v. Hargan*, Kavanaugh rejected the ACLU’s attempt to create a radical, new constitutional right to abortion on demand for illegal immigrant children in federal custody and stood up for the administration’s “permissible interest in favoring fetal life, protecting the best interests of a minor, and refraining from facilitating abortion.”

In another case, *Priests for Life v. HHS*, Kavanaugh defended a pro-life religious organization from the Obama administration’s unconstitutional mandate forcing them to provide abortifacient drugs in their health plans. These issues matter immensely to the pro-life voters of Alabama, who showed their trust in President Trump by electing him by almost a 30-point margin in 2016. Two years later, 63 percent of Alabamians approve of the job President Trump is doing. Another recent poll found that 53 percent of Alabama voters think President Trump has chosen well-qualified judges for the Supreme Court. They see the president delivering on his promises.

Can the same be said about Senator Jones? He was supposed to be a moderate – encouraging his Senate colleagues to “rise above partisan politics and find consensus” – but he already made a big mistake in January when he voted to keep late-term abortions legal. Only seven nations – including North Korea and China – allow abortion on demand through birth, making U.S. abortion laws some of the most permissive in the world.

The federal Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act or “Micah’s Law” would have protected as many as 18,000 unborn children a year from late-term abortion after five months of pregnancy – a point by which science shows they can feel pain. Alabama is one of twenty states that have already enacted this popular legislation (and has been since 2011).

Instead of representing the views of his own constituents, who are strongly pro-life, Senator Jones sided with the radical abortion lobby and extremists in his party to block that compassionate bill. It is a permanent blot on his record. The least he can do now is to vote to confirm a Supreme Court justice who won’t try to negate the will of the American people by legislating from the bench. That is clearly what Alabama voters want; 54 percent agree that the Senate should confirm Judge Kavanaugh.

Ever since Jones was elected, political commentators have pegged the Democrat senator from deep red country as the man to watch on everything from the budget to immigration. Would he respect his constituents and walk the fine line of moderation? A University of Alabama professor outlined a strategy for Jones: side with Republicans just often enough, when the outcome doesn’t matter, and the voters will “give him a pass.”

2020 is not as far away as it may seem, and on issues as important as the protection of innocent human lives and the future of the Supreme Court, it’s insulting to expect the voters to give Senator Jones a pass. He should stand with President Trump and his constituents, and do the right thing by voting to confirm Judge Kavanaugh.

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You can either
vote with
Chuck Schumer,
or you can
vote with the
people of Alabama.

ALGOP Chairman Terry Lathan

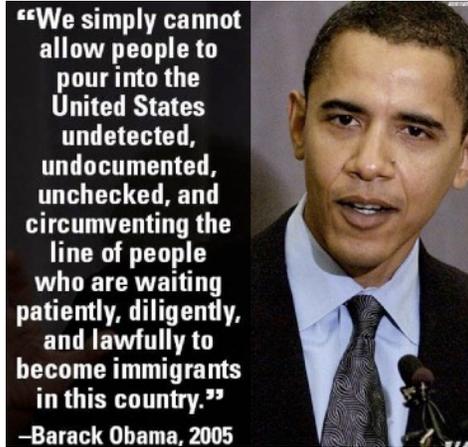
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#ConfirmKavanaugh

NOT FAKE NEWS: THE DEMOCRATS HAVE OFFICIALLY LOST IT

When the Democrat National Committee can't remember where Alabama and Mississippi are...

The DNC sent out an email incorrectly labeling the state of Mississippi as Alabama



Democratic Sen. Cory Booker's (N.J.) statement that supporters of Supreme Court nominee Brett M. Kavanaugh are "complicit" in "evil" drew criticism from senior Republicans who called the comment absurd and inappropriate.



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 Hey, @DNC Alabama is the state highlighted in RED, (like our elected officials) just in case you needed a reminder ;)

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cc @MSGOP Chair @LucienSmith @ChairmanLathan

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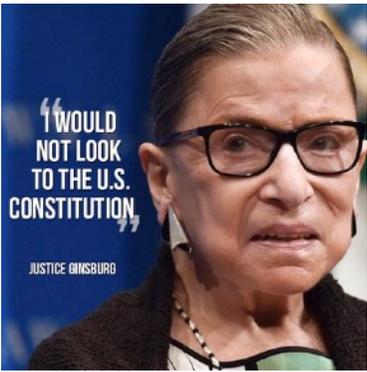
REVEALED: Socialists are joining the Democrats in huge numbers and have pushed the party further to the left since Trump entered office

By Associated Press
 Updated at 6:39 PM on 21 July 2018



985 shares 1,087 comments

- The Democratic Socialists have seen a surge in membership since 2016 election
- Before Trump was elected, there were only 6,000 - now there are 45,000



Top Tennessee Dem Party official snubs 'reaching out' to Trump voters, calls them 'idiots'



President Trump's Hollywood Walk of Fame Star was destroyed by a deranged liberal.



"Mark Brown, a top Tennessee Democratic Party's communications official made disparaging comments about President Donald Trump and lashed out against suggestion to reach out to Trump voters, describing them as 'idiots.' (Fox News)