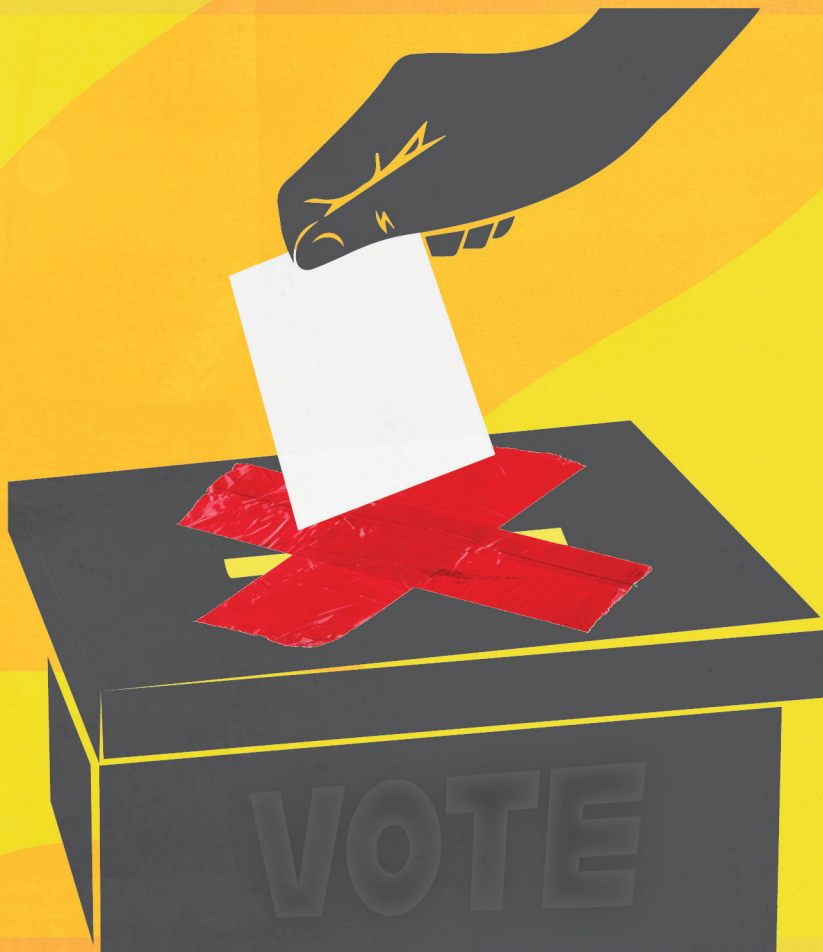


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Foreword

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Big companies are accustomed to growing stakeholder expectations for social and environmental performance, and most produce annual reports detailing their contributions to various dimensions of the public good. But the past few years have raised the bar dramatically. Prolonged droughts, forest fires, and floods have made climate change impossible to deny or ignore. Social movements with hashtags such as #MeToo and #BlackLivesMatter have demonstrated the breadth and depth of ordinary Americans' concerns about gender and racial justice. And the violent assault on Congress on January 6, 2021, showed that something as fundamental as the peaceful transition of power is no longer assured in the nation that sees itself as a shining city on a hill.

Corporate executives instinctively shy away from engaging publicly with these issues, preferring to keep their heads down and focus on innovation and delivering the best possible products. Yet many have felt compelled to break their silence and speak out. They have spoken passionately about having a *corporate purpose* that goes beyond maximizing shareholder returns and rewards all stakeholders. They have expressed their concern about climate change and made commitments to achieve “*net zero*” carbon emissions by a given date. They have denounced sexual discrimination and *racism*, and professed support for social justice and equality of opportunity.

Listeners welcome these words from corporate leaders, but they remain wary of corporate hypocrisy. This wariness can lead to a backlash when people see companies giving money to politicians and interest groups who support policies that run counter to the vision corporate leaders espouse. This is a particular risk for companies that have not yet devised governance practices ensuring that their political activities are fully disclosed to the Board of Directors, and that government relations officers coordinate with officers in charge of sustainability and diversity, equity and inclusion efforts.

The issue of racial justice and voting rights is a flash point in this new era. Research shows that Blacks are 74% more likely than Whites to face long waits to vote. Data also shows that voter fraud is vanishingly small at around 0.0025% of votes cast—nowhere near enough to change the outcome of a presidential election. Nevertheless, in the name of “election security” politicians around the country have introduced hundreds of bills that make it harder to vote. Black politicians like Raphael Warnock and Stacey Abrams have condemned these bills, calling them “Jim Crow in new clothes” because they will hit Black voters especially hard. When a group of Black executives expressed similar concerns in a full-page advertisement in the New York Times on March 31, 2021, executives at many other companies felt compelled to speak out in support. However, many of these same companies are now being called out because they fund politicians and trade associations who support bills that stand to suppress voter participation.

Nobody likes a hypocrite, and never has it been easier to expose hypocrisy than in today’s over-heated media environment. For big companies, this means ever-growing risks of being attacked for inconsistency between their lofty commitments and their day-to-day actions. The latest front in this evolving campaign is the tension between statements of corporate purpose, vision, and mission, and corporate political activity. The pressure to align corporate politics with corporate purpose has been dubbed “corporate political responsibility” (CPR), and it is emerging as an important complement to corporate social responsibility (CSR).

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Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis once said that “If the broad light of day could be let in upon men’s actions, it would purify them as the sun disinfects.” The Center for Political Accountability is the leading organization working to shine a light on corporate political spending, in order to ensure that companies act in ways that are in accord with the values of their shareholders and the principles of our nation. Indeed, CPR rests upon the foundation of transparency and accountability that the Center has done so much to establish as a standard. In this latest report, the Center identifies the companies providing the most money to individuals and organizations that support legislation restricting voting rights. Many of them face a reckoning as their employees, investors and customers question whether their political actions can be reconciled with their public statements.

In the era of corporate political responsibility, the only way for companies to avoid charges of hypocrisy is to reflect deeply upon the principles that guide their public engagement, and to align their CSR and their CPR. They have to become clearer about what they stand for, and they need to be ready and able to articulate that in the public arena. Having a clear set of principles guiding political engagement will prepare companies to recognize when they need to step up to protect foundational institutions and individual rights, and when they need to step back and allow civil society to deliberate without undue influence. The flash points will change over time, as will the companies that are under the microscope, but the fundamental principles of CPR will not. In a world where politics has become hyper-partisan, business leaders can play the role of a “third side”—which sees the opportunity and potential for a whole that is greater than the sum of the parts—and can stand for larger principles and courageous choices. I hope the present report will encourage more of them to take on this role.

Introduction

WHO ARE LEADING BANK ROLLERS OF VOTER SUPPRESSION LEGISLATION?

Introduction to the Center for Political Accountability's Analysis of the Corporate Money Flow in the 2018 and 2020 Election cycles

The battle over attacks on voting rights in key states has rapidly escalated with calls for corporations to take a stand. If they do, many companies face a reckoning whether their principled stance conflicts with their past political spending.

Here's why: From the treasuries of corporations that have endorsed diversity efforts, millions of dollars have flowed to groups or campaigns supporting election of officeholders who sponsored, advanced or will be acting on voting restriction or nullification legislation in seven battleground states, a Center for Political Accountability analysis shows.

The money trail reveals that 182 of these companies and 17 trade associations pumped at least \$79 million in the 2018 and 2020 election cycles into these groups and campaigns, and over \$21.5 million of that amount went to supporting election of these legislators and two governors in Georgia, Texas, Florida, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Arizona and Iowa¹.

The donor companies include such well-known U.S. corporate leaders as NextEra Energy, Coca-Cola, Chevron, Altria, AT&T, Comcast, Walmart, Visa, Wells Fargo, T-Mobile and Delta.

This money trail matters, even though the \$21.5 million sum expended is not large

by itself. This record confronts companies operating in today's polarized political environment with questions about bankrolling attacks in state capitals on voting rights.

All of the company contributions included in this background and graphics were made from treasury funds, not through employee-funded company Political Action Committees (PACs). This means that corporate officers made decisions about where to give company money. Corporate officers, in turn, will be facing scrutiny if a company stance on voting rights conflicts with past practices, policies or statements on diversity.

Many company donations identified in this background are large. CPA examined, for example, companies and trade associations giving \$100,000 or more per cycle in the 2018 and 2020 election cycles to the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC). And it examined corporations and trade associations giving \$100,000 or more in the 2018 election cycle to the Republican Governors Association.

Both groups are called 527 organizations for the section of U.S. tax code that governs their operation. The RSLC plays a leading role in funding state legislative races and targets states that Republicans consider important. Contributions to 527 groups are unlimited, as is their spending.

¹2018 election cycle spending by the Republican Governors Association to help elect Florida Governor Ron DeSantis and Texas Governor Greg Abbott was not captured because, at the time of this report, legislation restricting voting rights has not reached either governor.

These 527 groups offer companies a means to maximize the impact of their political giving. Jacob Hacker and Paul Pierson, political scientists at Yale University and University of California Berkeley respectively, wrote the following in CPA's Conflicted Consequences report last year:

“For corporations pursuing agendas they do not want scrutinized, this type of spending has three big advantages over traditional political spending: it is less likely to attract attention than PAC contributions that go directly from firms to candidates; it is effectively ‘laundered’ by running through the 527 organization so the donor can duck accountability for specific uses of the money; and it allows the resources of many companies to be pooled to achieve maximum impact.”

The Conference Board, a nonpartisan business research organization, issued its Under a Microscope report in March identifying “A New Era of Scrutiny for Corporate Political Activity” in the wake of the January 6th attack on the U.S. Capitol and votes by 147 U.S. lawmakers against certifying the 2020 electoral college results. This scrutiny already is escalating. Beginning in Georgia, attacks on voting rights in state capitals have emerged as a volatile national issue. Some companies that take a stand are facing boycott threats.

The Conference Board warned, “While companies have long engaged in politics, a new era of stakeholder scrutiny, social media, and political polarization has propelled corporate political activity—and the risks that come with it—into the spotlight. Political activity can pose increasingly significant risks for companies, including the perception that political contributions—and other forms of activity—are at odds with core company values.” Among its recommendations was aligning political activity with corporate values.

The corporate donations included in this backgrounder are only a portion of all corporate expenditures to influence elections, because many companies do not disclose their giving to 501(c)(4) “social welfare” groups, and C4 groups are not required to disclose them.

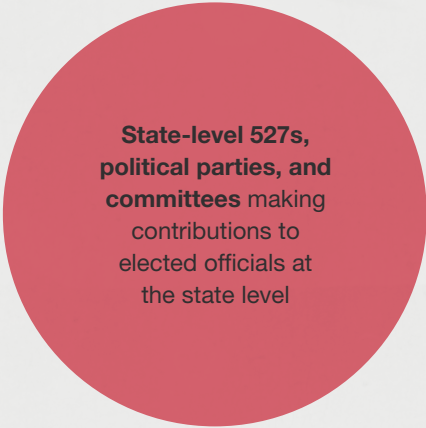
CPA is an NGO leading the effort to bring transparency and accountability to corporate political spending. It has documented and warned of the significant risks for companies of spending to influence elections, especially when this spending can bankroll outcomes in conflict with stated company values or positions.

For information on the Center for Political Accountability, visit www.politicalaccountability.net.

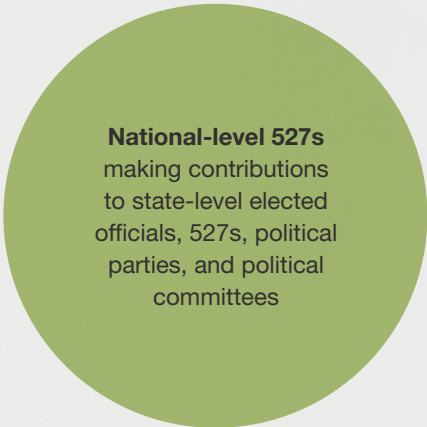
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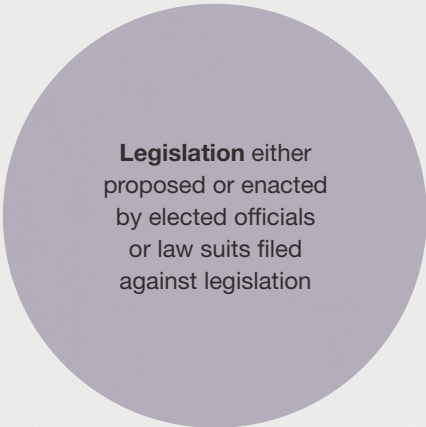
Public corporations and trade associations that made contributions to national-level 527s or state-level elected officials, 527s, political parties, and political committees




State-level 527s, political parties, and committees making contributions to elected officials at the state level



National-level 527s making contributions to state-level elected officials, 527s, political parties, and political committees



Legislation either proposed or enacted by elected officials or law suits filed against legislation



Elected Officials who received money from public corporations



Clarifications

Georgia

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Georgia-headquartered public companies currently speaking out about the attack on voting rights in that state may be asked to confront some hard questions about conflicted political spending.**
- Coca-Cola, which has said it would “work to advance voting rights and access” in Georgia, gave \$1,000 to the campaign of State Sen. Larry Walker; he sponsored SB 67, which would make it harder to access absentee voting ballots. The company also contributed more than \$604,664 in the 2018 election cycle to the Republican Governors Association and more than \$45,000 to the Georgia Republican Party, which together generously supported the election of Gov. Brian Kemp; he signed voting restrictions into law this year.
- Delta, which similarly stood up recently to publicly criticize the restrictive Georgia law, gave \$154,000 in the 2018 election to the Republican Governors Association. In addition, an analysis by the Center for Political Accountability found that Georgia-based Aflac and Southern Co. gave \$216,067 and \$206,879, respectively, to the RGA; all are among major public companies that have endorsed racial diversity efforts.
- CPA found that numerous U.S. companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity efforts also made big donations in the 2020 election to the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC); of this giving, more than \$137,000 went to help elect 46 state legislators who voted to advance the SB 202 voting restrictions signed into law in March by Kemp. The restrictions will make it more difficult for African Americans and people of color to vote.
- Separately, the public companies that have endorsed racial diversity efforts and given large sums to the RSLC also directly gave more than \$49,000 and \$26,000 respectively to support the 2020 elections of Georgia Sen. Jeff Mullis and Sen. Larry Walker, who introduced bills to roll back voting rights.



Public Companies that gave to Georgia State Legislators in the 2020 Election Cycle

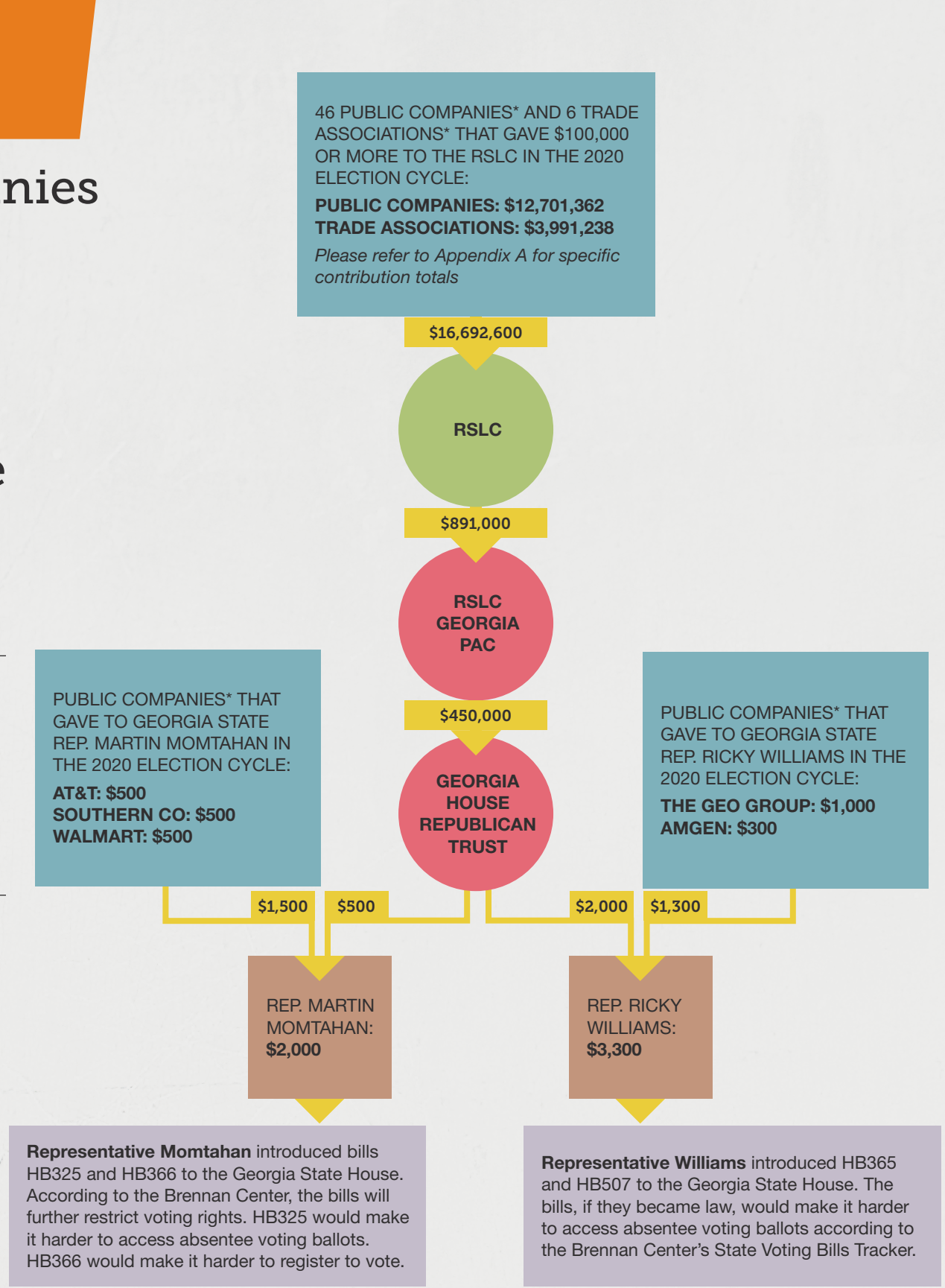
Legislators who have introduced legislation attacking voting rights

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*These companies have statements or policies supporting diversity efforts



PUBLIC COMPANIES* THAT GAVE TO GEORGIA STATE SEN. LARRY WALKER IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE:
ALTRIA: \$3,800
CENTENE: \$3,000
WESTROCK: \$3,000
AT&T: \$2,000
BAYER AG: \$1,750
INTERFOR CORPORATION: \$1,500
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP: \$1,500
MERCK SHARPE & DOHME: \$1,250
ALLSTATE: \$1,000
COCA-COLA: \$1,000
CVS HEALTH: \$1,000
NORFOLK SOUTHERN: \$1,000
REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$1,000
WEYERHAEUSER: \$1,000
AMGEN: \$600
ASTRAZENECA: \$500
CIGNA: \$900
BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB: \$250

SEN. LARRY WALKER: \$26,050

Senator Walker introduced SB67 to the Georgia State Senate. The bill, if it became law, would make it harder to access absentee voting ballots according to the Brennan Center's State Voting Bills Tracker.

PUBLIC COMPANIES* THAT GAVE TO GEORGIA STATE REP. BARRY FLEMING IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE:
REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$2,500
WALMART: \$2,000
ALLSTATE: \$1,500
AT&T: \$1,500
COMCAST: \$1,500
PFIZER: \$1,500
AFLAC: \$1,250
SWEDISH MATCH: \$1,000
TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS: \$1,000
WALGREENS BOOTS ALLIANCE: \$1,000
REGIONS FINANCIAL CORPORATION: \$750
HUMANA: \$500
RELX: \$500
THE GEO GROUP: \$500
CSX: \$400
NORFOLK SOUTHERN: \$400

REP. BARRY FLEMING: \$17,800

Representative Fleming introduced HB270 to the Georgia State House. The bill, if it became law, would make it harder to access absentee voting ballots according to the Brennan Center's State Voting Bills Tracker.

PUBLIC COMPANIES* THAT GAVE TO GEORGIA STATE SEN. JEFF MULLIS IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE:
CENTENE: \$5,750
ALTRIA: \$5,300
REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$4,700
NORFOLK SOUTHERN: \$3,000
GEICO: \$2,000
HUMANA: \$2,000
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP: \$2,000
WALMART: \$2,000
ANHEUSER-BUSCH: \$1,500
BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB: \$1,500
DOMINION: \$1,500
AFLAC: \$1,000
BOYD GAMING CORP: \$1,000
COMCAST: \$1,000
CURALEAF: \$1,000
DISH: \$1,000
DISNEY: \$1,000
MARATHON PETROLEUM: \$1,000
MERCK SHARPE & DOHME: \$1,000
ROCHE HOLDINGS: \$1,000
TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS: \$1,000
VERIZON: \$1,000
VIACOMCBS: \$1,000
WESTROCK: \$1,000
CIGNA: \$750
INTUIT: \$750
RELX: \$750
T-MOBILE: \$750
ANTHEM: \$500
ASTRAZENECA: \$500
CSX: \$500
WASTE MANAGEMENT: \$500

SEN. JEFF MULLIS: \$49,250

Senator Mullis introduced SB68, SB69, SB70, SB71, SB73, SB175, SB177, and SB178 to the Georgia State Senate. According to the Brennan Center, the bills will further restrict voting rights. SB68, SB71, SB73, SB177, and SBI 78 would all make it harder to access an absentee voting ballot. SB69 would eliminate automatic voter registration processes. SB70 would make it harder to register to vote. SB175 would make it harder to access an absentee voting ballot, vote early, and create stricter voting ID requirements

PUBLIC COMPANIES* THAT GAVE TO GEORGIA STATE REP. MITCHELL SCOGGINS IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE:
REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$1,000
AT&T: \$750
COMCAST: \$500

REP. MITCHELL SCOGGINS: 2,250

Representative Scoggins introduced HB537 to the Georgia State House. According to the Brennan Center, the bill would make it harder to access absentee voting ballots and create stricter voter ID requirements.



Public Companies that gave to Georgia State Legislators in the 2020 Election Cycle

Legislators who voted to advance SB202, restricting Georgians' voting rights

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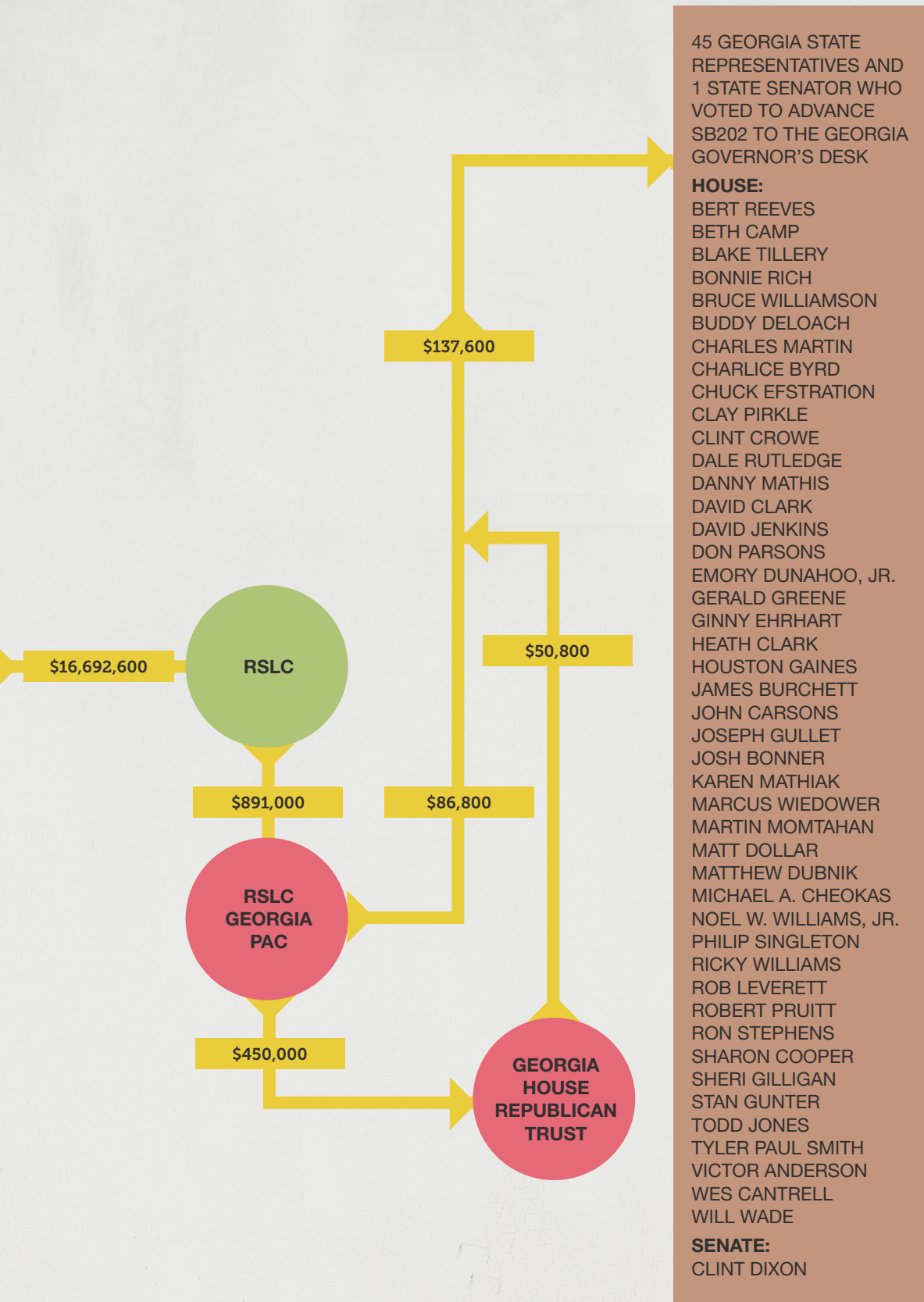
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46 PUBLIC COMPANIES* AND 6 TRADE ASSOCIATIONS* THAT GAVE \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RSLC IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE:
PUBLIC COMPANIES: \$12,701,362
TRADE ASSOCIATIONS: \$3,991,238
Please refer to Appendix A for specific contribution totals.

*These companies have statements or policies supporting diversity efforts



45 GEORGIA STATE REPRESENTATIVES AND 1 STATE SENATOR WHO VOTED TO ADVANCE SB202 TO THE GEORGIA GOVERNOR'S DESK

HOUSE:
BERT REEVES
BETH CAMP
BLAKE TILLERY
BONNIE RICH
BRUCE WILLIAMSON
BUDDY DELOACH
CHARLES MARTIN
CHARLICE BYRD
CHUCK EFSTRATION
CLAY PIRKLE
CLINT CROWE
DALE RUTLEDGE
DANNY MATHIS
DAVID CLARK
DAVID JENKINS
DON PARSONS
EMORY DUNAHOO, JR.
GERALD GREENE
GINNY EHRHART
HEATH CLARK
HOUSTON GAINES
JAMES BURCHETT
JOHN CARSONS
JOSEPH GULLET
JOSH BONNER
KAREN MATHIAK
MARCUS WIEDOWER
MARTIN MONTAHAN
MATT DOLLAR
MATTHEW DUBNIK
MICHAEL A. CHEOKAS
NOEL W. WILLIAMS, JR.
PHILIP SINGLETON
RICKY WILLIAMS
ROB LEVERETT
ROBERT PRUITT
RON STEPHENS
SHARON COOPER
SHERI GILLIGAN
STAN GUNTER
TODD JONES
TYLER PAUL SMITH
VICTOR ANDERSON
WES CANTRELL
WILL WADE

SENATE:
CLINT DIXON

These 45 Georgia State Representatives voted to advance SB202 to the Georgia State Senate. Then, this Senator voted to advance the bill to the Georgia Governor's desk. On Thursday, March 25, Georgia Governor Brian Kemp signed SB202. According to reporting from the AP, the law enacts the following changes that will restrict voting rights in Georgia:

- Georgia voters now need a photo ID to vote an absentee ballot.
- The new law cuts the time which voters have to request an absentee ballot.
- The new law also places limits on the permissible locations of ballot drop boxes and when these ballot drop boxes can be accessed.
- The Secretary of State is no longer the chair of the State Election Board. Now, the Georgia State Legislature will appoint the chair of the State Election Board.
- The Georgia State Election Board can now replace county election officials for under performance.
- Groups are no longer able to hand out food and water to those waiting in line to vote.
- Lastly, the time frame for runoff elections, including early voting, has been shortened.



Public Companies and Trade Association that gave to the Republican Governors Association, Georgia Republican Party, and Brian Kemp in the 2018 Election Cycle:

Governor Kemp signed into law SB202, restricting Georgians' voting rights

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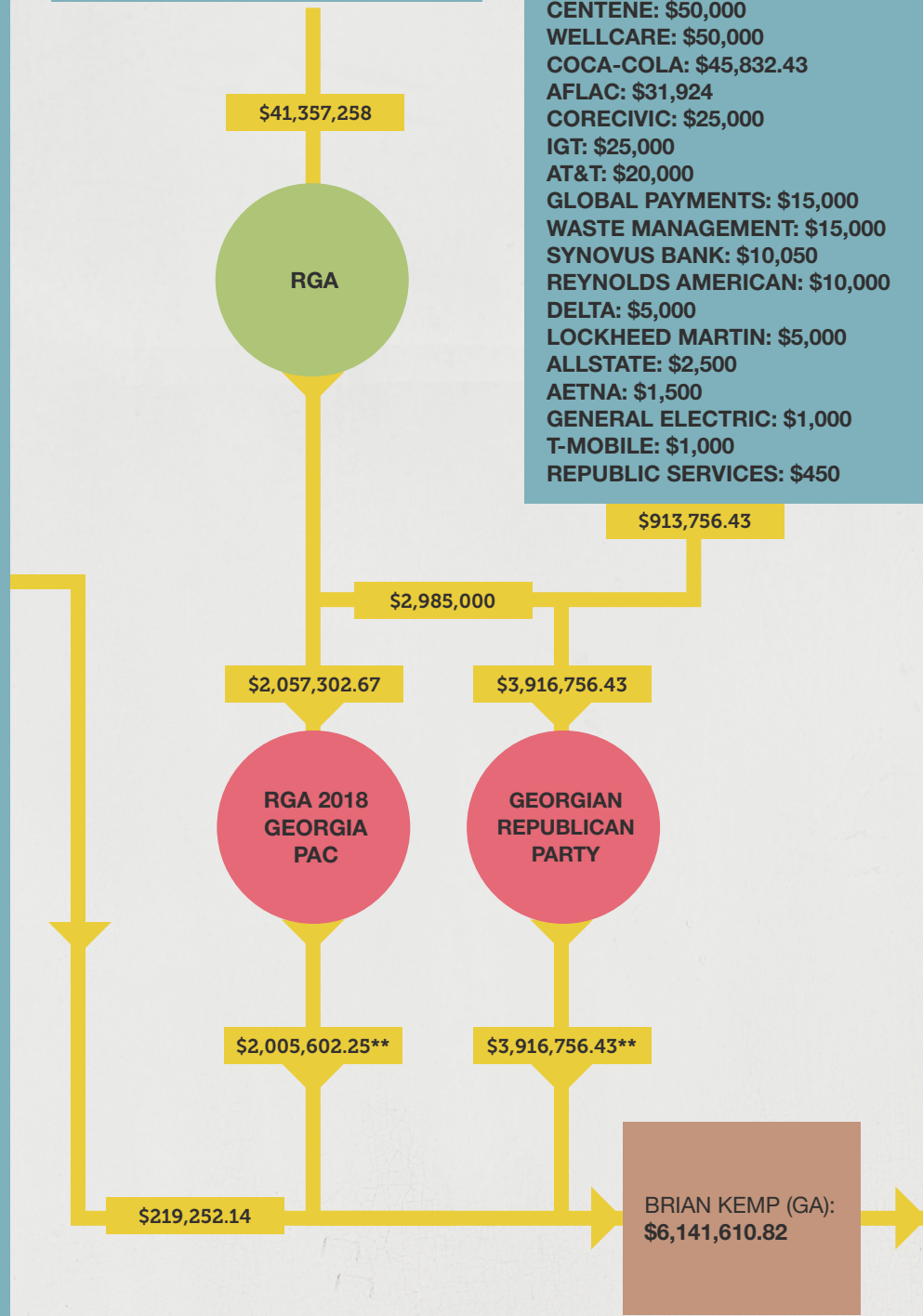
PUBLIC COMPANIES

- ALTRIA: \$10,500
- WELLCARE: \$10,400
- CORECIVIC: \$9,100
- AFLAC: \$8,600
- AECOM: \$6,600
- AETNA: \$6,600
- ANHEUSER-BUSCH: \$6,600
- CENTENE: \$6,600
- DOW: \$6,600
- KUBOTA: \$6,600
- MERCK SHARPE & DAHME: \$6,600
- PFIZER: \$6,600
- REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$6,600
- SUMITOMO DAINIPPON PHARMA: \$6,600
- THE CHEMOURS COMPANY: \$6,600
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- WALMART: \$6,600
- AARONS: \$6,500
- BAYER: \$5,000
- DAVITA: \$5,000
- K12: \$5,000
- RELX: \$5,000
- SCIENTIFIC GAMES CORP: \$5,000
- ANTHEM: \$4,300
- SUNTRUST: \$4,102
- CIGNA: \$4,000
- ELI LILLY & CO: \$4,000
- WEYERHAEUSER: \$3,250
- NORFOLK SOUTHERN: \$3,000
- HUMANA: \$2,600
- ACADIA HEALTHCARE: \$2,500
- ALKERMES: \$2,500
- ALLSTATE: \$2,500
- CSX: \$2,500
- NOVARTIS: \$2,500
- WASTE MANAGEMENT: \$2,500
- BIOGEN: \$2,000
- MARATHON PETROLEUM: \$2,000
- PACKAGING CORPORATION OF AMERICA: \$2,000
- OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM: \$1,500
- SPRINT: \$1,500
- UCB: \$1,000
- WESTROCK: \$1,000
- SOUTHERN CO.: \$900.14
- ASTRAZENECA: \$500

125 PUBLIC COMPANIES* AND 14 TRADE ASSOCIATIONS* THAT GAVE \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RGA IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE:
PUBLIC COMPANIES: \$36,888,144
TRADE ASSOCIATIONS: \$4,469,114
Please refer to Appendix A for specific contribution totals.

PUBLIC COMPANIES* THAT GAVE TO THE GEORGIA REPUBLICAN PARTY IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE
PUBLIC COMPANIES
SOUTHERN COMPANY: \$217,500
ALTRIA: \$160,000
OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM: \$100,000
FLOWER FOODS: \$70,000
THE GEO GROUP: \$70,000
CENTENE: \$50,000
WELLCARE: \$50,000
COCA-COLA: \$45,832.43
AFLAC: \$31,924
CORECIVIC: \$25,000
IGT: \$25,000
AT&T: \$20,000
GLOBAL PAYMENTS: \$15,000
WASTE MANAGEMENT: \$15,000
SYNOVUS BANK: \$10,050
REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$10,000
DELTA: \$5,000
LOCKHEED MARTIN: \$5,000
ALLSTATE: \$2,500
AETNA: \$1,500
GENERAL ELECTRIC: \$1,000
T-MOBILE: \$1,000
REPUBLIC SERVICES: \$450

**Money spent on TV buys space on behalf of Georgia State Republican Candidates including Brian Kemp



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HIGHLIGHTS

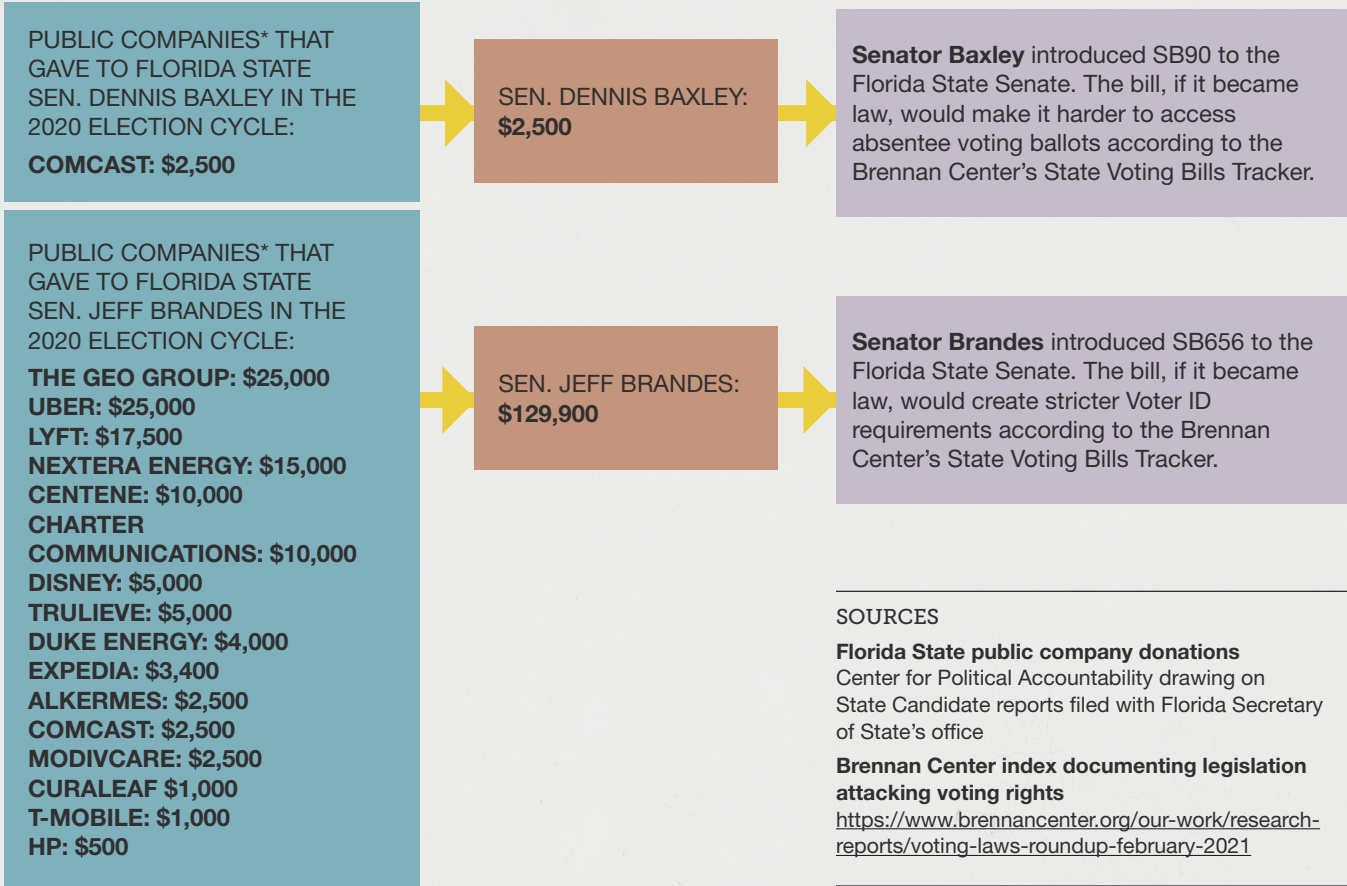
- **Florida-based NextEra Energy and 63 other well-known public companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity efforts have contributed over \$1 million, using corporate funds, in the last election cycle to efforts that helped elect Florida legislators who have introduced, or who will vote on, bills making it more difficult for African Americans and other people of color to vote.**
- These companies and trade associations pumped more than \$16 million into the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC), which channeled more than \$991,000 in the 2020 election cycle to support election of 31 Florida Republican legislators. Separately, 16 companies gave \$132,400 to two state senators, Dennis Braxley and Jeff Brandes, who introduced legislation that would restrict access to absentee voting ballots and toughen voter ID requirements respectively.
- NextEra Energy donated \$325,745 to the RSLC.



Public Companies that gave to Florida State Senators in the 2020 Election Cycle:

Senators who have introduced legislation attacking voting rights

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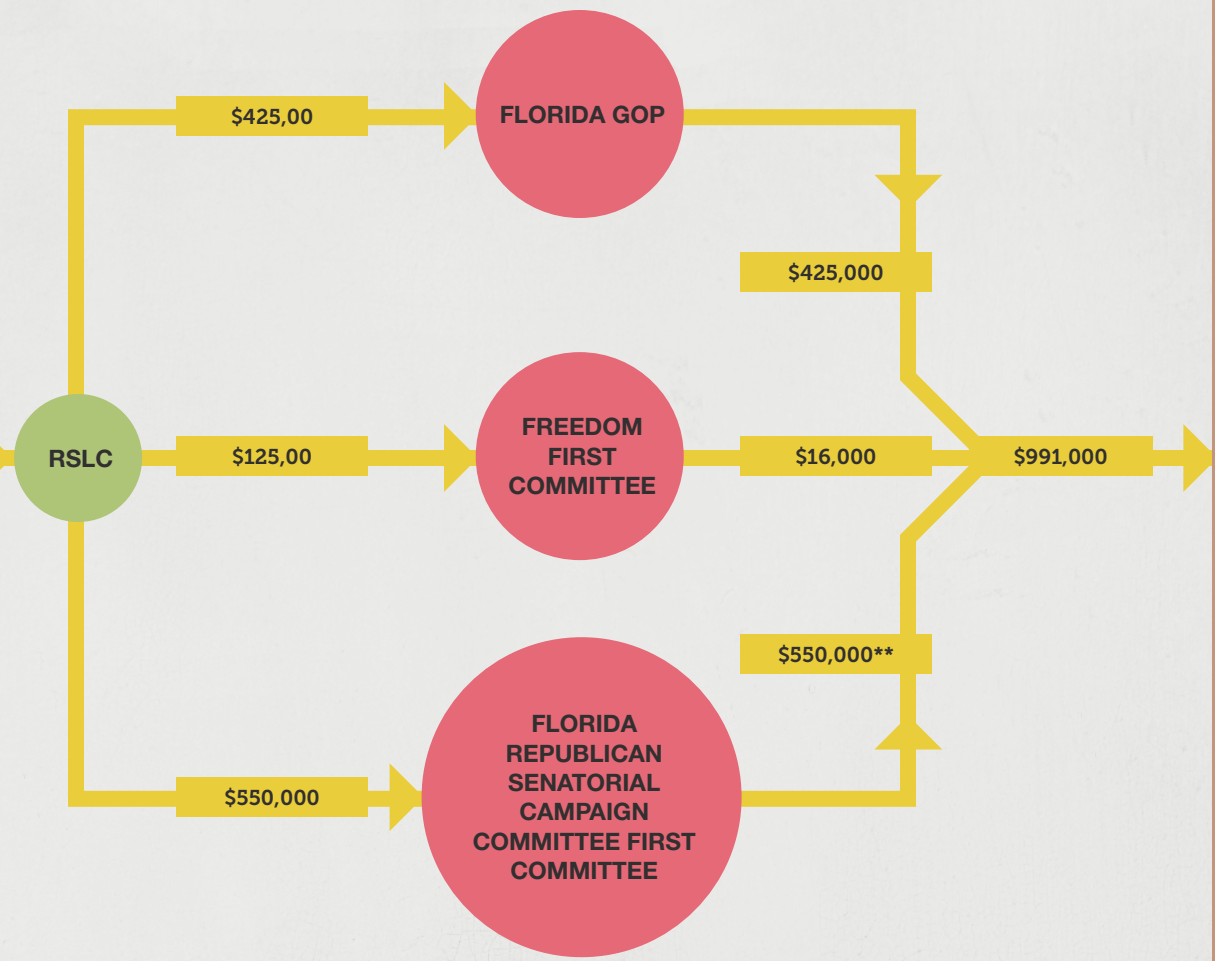
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**Money contributed as independent expenditures



- 31 FLORIDA STATE LEGISLATORS ELECTED IN 2020 ELECTION CYCLE WHO RECEIVED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE THREE GROUPS LISTED
- HOUSE:**
- ANTHONY RODRIQUEZ
 - CHIP LAMARCA
 - CHRIS LATVALA
 - DANIEL A. PEREZ
 - DAVID BORRERO
 - DAVID SMITH
 - FIONA MCFARLAND
 - FRED HAWKINS
 - HERB SENNETT
 - JACKIE TOLEDO
 - LINDA CHANEY
 - MIKE GIALLOMBARDO
 - RICK ROTH
 - SCOTT PLAKON
 - TRACI KOSTER
 - VANCE ALOUPIS
 - WEBSTER BARNABY
 - WYMAN DUGGAN
- SENATE:**
- ANA MARIA RODRIQUEZ
 - DANNY BURGESS
 - DEBBIE MAYFIELD
 - DOUG BROXSON
 - FIONA MCFARLAND
 - GAYLE HARRELL
 - ILEANA GARCIA
 - JASON BRODEUR
 - JENNIFER BRADLEY
 - JIM BOYD
 - JOE GRUTERS
 - RAY RODRIGUES
 - TRAVIS HUTSON

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Texas

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Texas-based ExxonMobil, Marathon Oil, ConocoPhillips and 55 other well-known public companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity efforts may have to answer some hard questions about conflicted political spending.**
- **These companies and trade groups contributed generously in the 2020 election cycle to partisan groups that in turn spent almost \$3.5 million helping to elect Texas legislators who have introduced and/or who will vote on bills making it more difficult for Black, Latino and Asian citizens to vote.**
- These companies and trade associations pumped more than \$16 million into the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC). Eight companies gave over \$168,000 to the Associated Republicans of Texas Campaign Fund. These two groups spent almost \$600,000 combined in support of electing Rep. Mike Schofield, sponsor of a voting restriction bill. The RSLC and Associated Republicans of Texas Campaign Fund spent \$3.4 million combined that helped elect 20 state legislators (including Schofield) who will vote on voting restriction bills.
- ExxonMobil donated \$200,285 to the RSLC; Marathon Oil, \$200,000; and ConocoPhillips, \$100,000.



Public Companies that gave to Texas State Legislator in the 2020 Election Cycle:

Legislator who introduced legislation attacking voting rights

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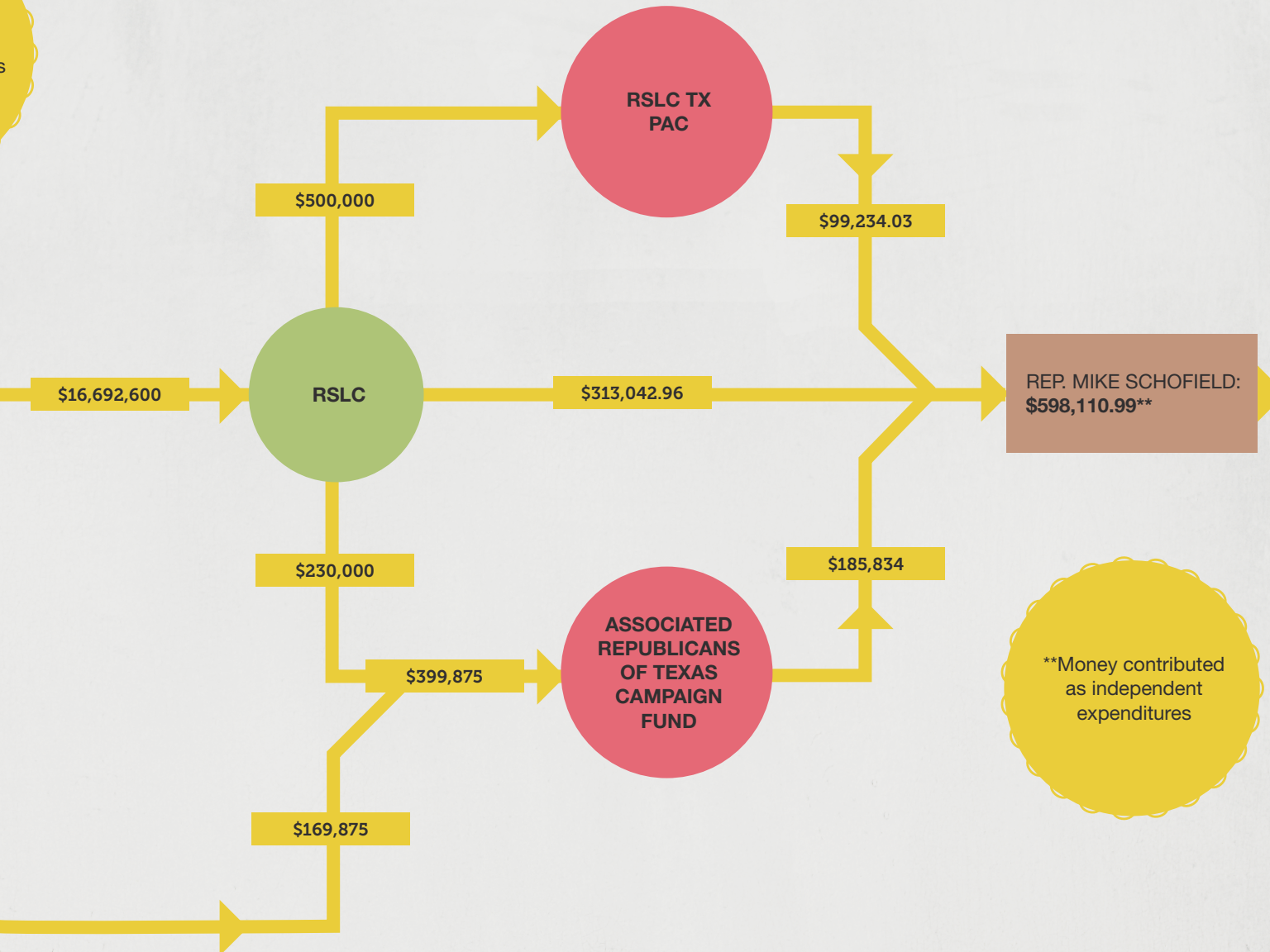
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PUBLIC COMPANIES* THAT GAVE TO THE ASSOCIATED REPUBLICANS OF TEXAS CAMPAIGN FUND IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE
PUBLIC COMPANIES
ALTRIA: \$75,000
VISTRA ENERGY: \$30,000
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS: \$25,000
CHEVRON: \$25,000
SEMPRA ENERGY: \$7,500
ANHEUSER-BUSCH: \$3,000
CNA FINANCIAL SERVICES CORPORATION: \$2,500
UCB: \$1,875



**Money contributed as independent expenditures

Texas State Representative Mike Schofield introduced HB1924 to the Texas State House. According to the Brennan Center, the new bill will purge voters from the rolls if it becomes law



Public Companies that gave to **Texas State Legislators** in the **2020** Election Cycle:

Legislators who will vote on legislation attacking voting rights

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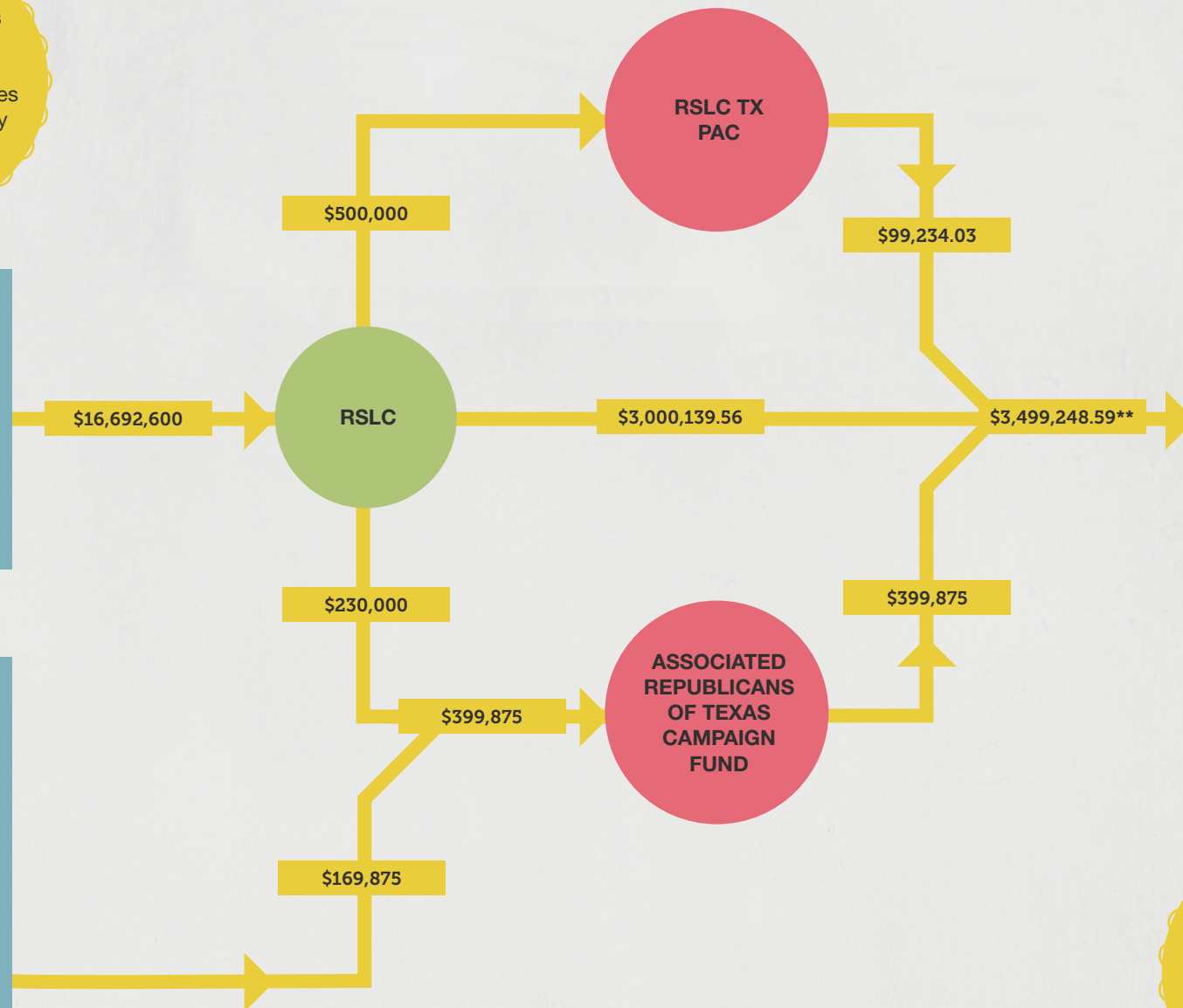
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- 20 TEXAS STATE LEGISLATORS THAT RECEIVED MONEY FROM THE RSLC IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE
- HOUSE:**
- ANGIE BUTTON
 - BRAD BUCKLEY
 - CRAIG GOLDMAN
 - DAVID COOK
 - ED THOMSON
 - GARY GATES
 - GLENN ROGERS
 - JACEY JETTON
 - JEFF LEACH
 - JIM GRIFFIN
 - LACEY HULL
 - LYNN STUCKY
 - MATT SHAHEEN
 - MATTHEW KRAUSE
 - MIKE SCHOFIELD
 - MORGAN MEYER
 - SAM HARLESS
 - STEVE ALLISON
 - TONY TINDERHOLT
- SENATE:**
- DREW SPRINGER

**Money contributed as both independent expenditures and direct contributions

Michigan

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Michigan-based General Motors and 71 other well-known public companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity efforts contributed generously in the 2018 and 2020 election cycles to the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC). It in turn spent over \$1.5 million helping to elect Michigan legislators who have introduced and/or who will vote on bills making it more difficult for African Americans and other people of color to vote.**
- These companies and trade associations pumped more than a total of \$33 million into the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC) in the two election cycles. The RSLC spent almost \$672,500 in the 2018 cycle that helped elect 12 Michigan state senators who have introduced bills that attack voter rights; and more than \$889,000 in the 2020 cycle that helped elect 37 Michigan representatives who will vote on voting rights restrictions.
- This backgrounder shows RSLC money flowing into several Chatfield funds. The four Chatfield Majority Funds, linked to the former Republican House Speaker Lee Chatfield, are key funders of Republican state legislators in Michigan. Each fund receives contributions from corporate PACs, individual donors, and 527 groups. It then supports candidates through direct contributions and independent expenditures. Importantly, these four funds can give money in a way to circumvent the state's \$41,975 campaign contribution limit. By exploiting this grey area in campaign finance law, the funds maximize their impact through multiple contributions to or expenditures on behalf of candidates.
- General Motors gave the RSLC \$185,598 in the 2020 cycle and \$231,611 in the earlier cycle.



Public Companies that gave to **Michigan State House Representative** in the **2020** Election Cycle: Legislator who introduced legislation attacking voting rights

46 PUBLIC COMPANIES*
AND 6 TRADE ASSOCIATIONS* THAT
GAVE \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE
RSLC IN THE 2020
ELECTION CYCLE:

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TRADE ASSOCIATIONS: \$3,991,238

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*These companies
have statements or
policies supporting
diversity efforts

\$16,692,600

RSLC

\$212,500

CHATFIELD
MAJORITY
FUND

REP. JULIE CALLEY:
\$10,000

Michigan State House Representative
Julie Calley introduced HB4128 to the
Michigan State House. According to the
Brennan Center, the new law will purge
voters from the rolls.

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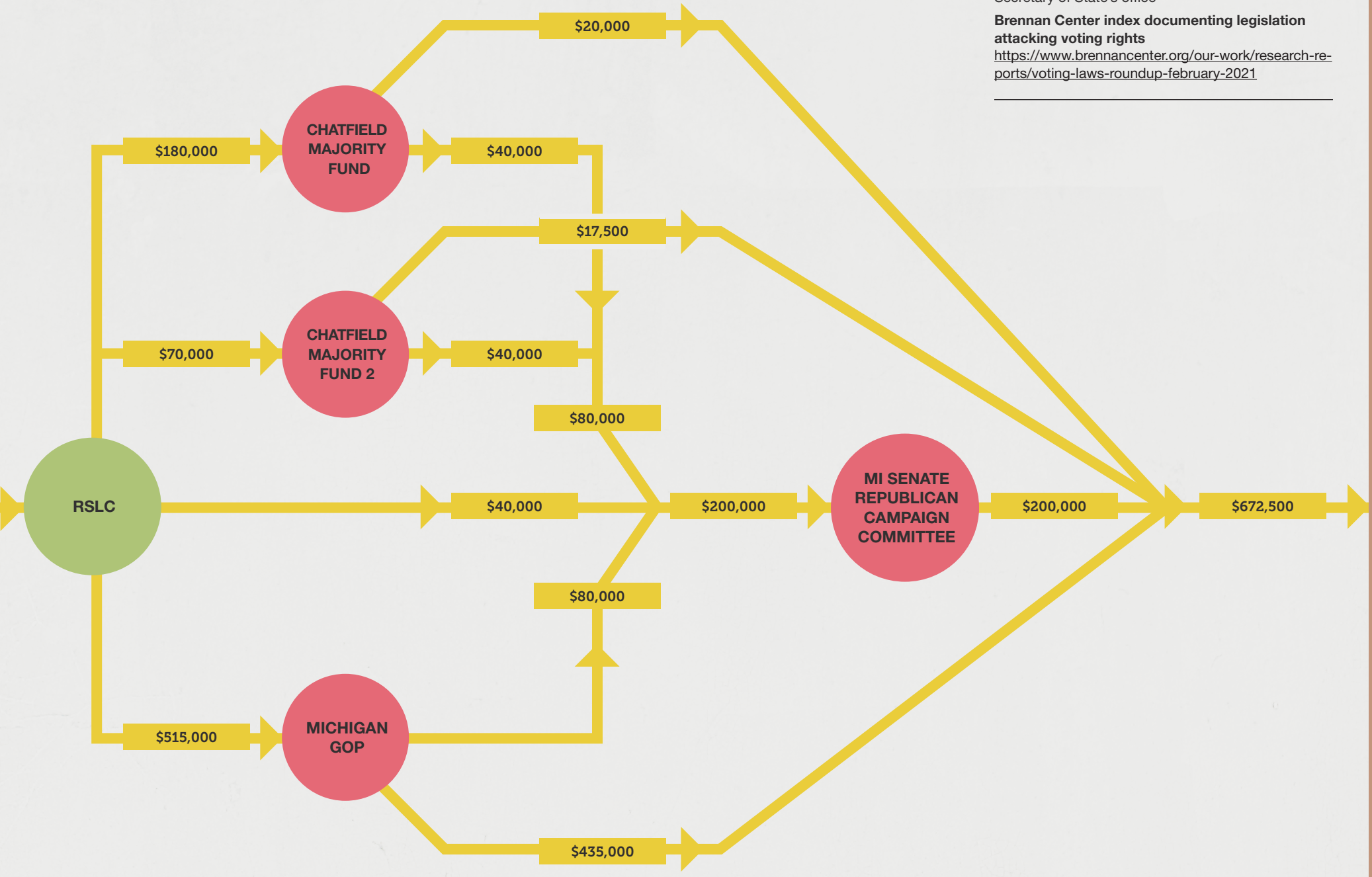


Public Companies that gave to Michigan State Senators

in the **2018** Election Cycle:
Senators who introduced 29 pieces of legislation attacking voting rights

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- 12 MICHIGAN STATE SENATORS ELECTED IN 2018 ELECTION CYCLE WHO RECEIVED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE SIX GROUPS LISTED
- SENATE:**
- **ARIC NESBITT**
Introduced
SB0289
 - **DALE ZORN**
Introduced
SB0299
SB0305
 - **EDWARD MCBROOM**
Introduced
SB0286
SB0296
SB0297
SB0298
 - **JIM RUNESTAD**
Introduced
SB0275
SB0276
 - **JON BUMSTEAD**
Introduced
SB0288
SB0309
 - **KEVIN DALEY**
Introduced
SB0308
 - **LANA THEIS**
Introduced
SB0285
SB0307
 - **MIKE MACDONALD**
Introduced
SB0277
SB0278
 - **RICK OUTMAN**
Introduced
SB0290
SB0292
SB0294
 - **ROGER VICTORY**
Introduced
SB0295
SB0306
 - **RUTH JOHNSON**
Introduced
SB0273
SB0274
SB0279
SB0280
SB0310
SB0311
 - **TOM BARRETT**
Introduced
SB0282
SB0303

These 12 Senators listed introduced 29 bills to the Michigan State Senate. These bills are part of a comprehensive attempt to restrict voting rights in the State of Michigan.
Read The Detroit Free Press complete breakdown of the specifics of each bill, here.



Public Companies that gave to Michigan State House Representatives in the 2020 Election Cycle:

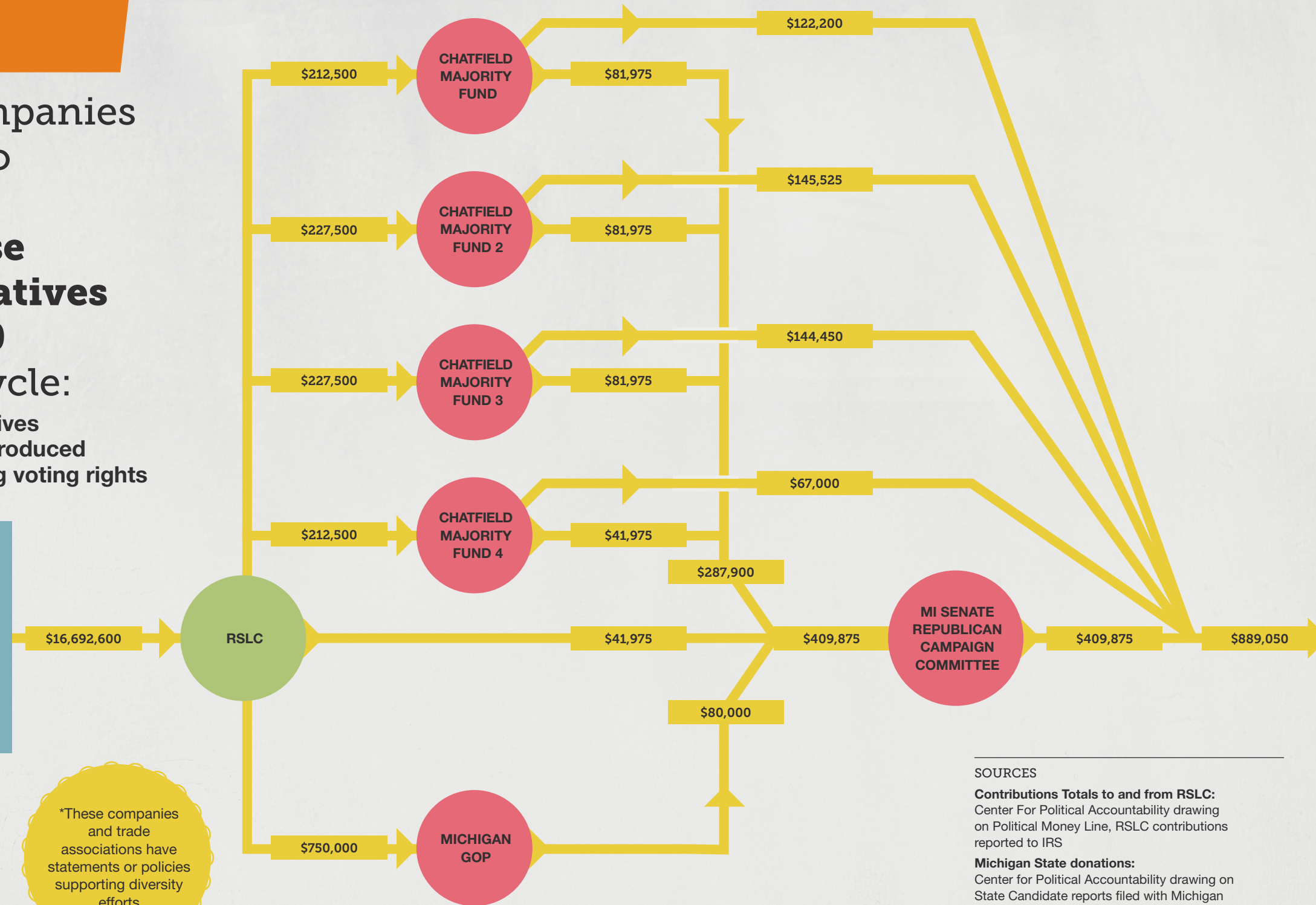
House Representatives who will vote on introduced legislation attacking voting rights

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37 MICHIGAN STATE HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES ELECTED IN 2020 ELECTION CYCLE WHO RECEIVED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE SIX GROUPS LISTED

HOUSE:

- ANDREA SCHROEDER
- ANNETTE GLENN
- BEAU LAFAVE
- BENJAMIN FREDERICK
- BETH GRIFFIN
- BRADLEY SLAGH
- BRYAN POSTHUMUS
- DAIRE RENDON
- DAVID MARTIN
- GARY EISEN
- GARY HOWELL
- GRAHAM FILLER
- GREG MARKKANEN
- GREG VANWOERKOM
- JACK O'MALLEY
- JASON WENTWORTH
- JIM LILLY
- JOE BELLINO
- JOHN DAMOOSE
- JOHN ROTH
- JULIE ALEXANDER
- JULIE CALLEY
- MARK HUIZENGA
- MARK TISDEL
- MATTHEW MADDOCK
- MIKE MUELLER
- PAULINE WENZEL
- RODNEY WAKEMAN
- ROGER HAUCK
- RYAN BERMAN
- SARAH LIGHTNER
- STEVE JOHNSON
- STEVE MARINO
- TC CLEMENTS
- THOMAS ALBERT
- TIM BESON
- TOMMY BRANN

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Pennsylvania

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Pennsylvania-based Comcast and Crown Holdings and 71 other well-known public companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity contributed generously in the 2018 and 2020 election cycles to the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC). It in turn spent over \$2.9 million that went to help elect Pennsylvania Republican legislators who have introduced and/or who will vote on bills making it more difficult for African-Americans and other people of color to vote.**
- These companies and trade associations pumped more than a total of \$33 million into the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC) in the two election cycles. Of money spent by the RSLC that flowed to Pennsylvania in 2020, a total of almost \$281,000 supported election of five state legislators who have introduced legislation attacking voting rights.
- Overall, the RSLC spent more than \$1.7 million in the 2020 cycle that went to help elect 72 Pennsylvania Republican legislators who will be asked to advance voting rights restrictions, and more than \$1.1 million in the 2018 cycle that went to help elect nine Pennsylvania Republican state senators who will vote on the legislation.
- Comcast gave the RSLC \$228,739 in the 2020 cycle and \$315,484 in the earlier cycle. Crown Holdings gave it \$150,000 in the 2018 cycle.



Public Companies that gave to Pennsylvania State Legislators in the 2020 Election Cycle:

Legislators who introduced legislation attacking voting rights

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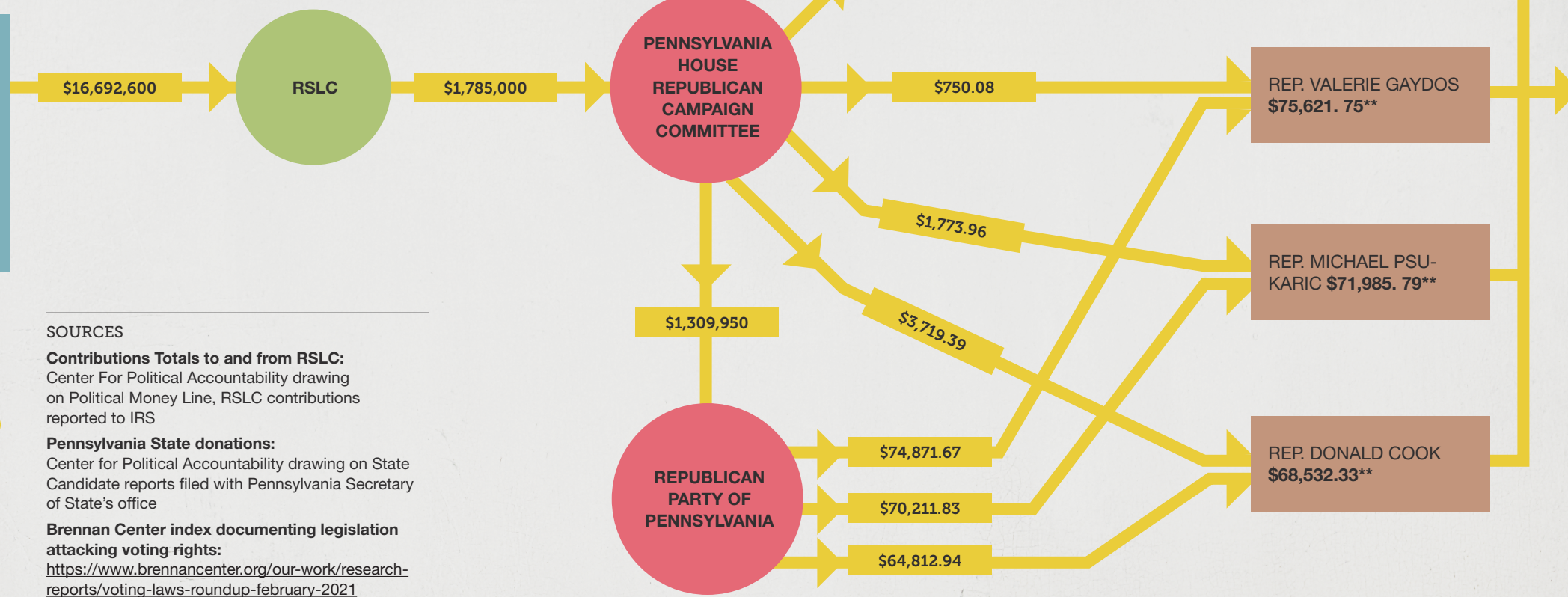
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**Money contributed as independent expenditures

Pennsylvania State Representatives Ryan Warner, Jerome Knowles, Valerie Gaydos, Michael Psukaric, and Donald Cook introduced HB25 to the Pennsylvania State House. According to the Brennan Center, the bill would make it harder to access absentee voting ballots if it becomes law.



Public Companies that gave to Pennsylvania State Senators in the 2018 Election Cycle: Legislators who will vote on introduced legislation attacking voting rights

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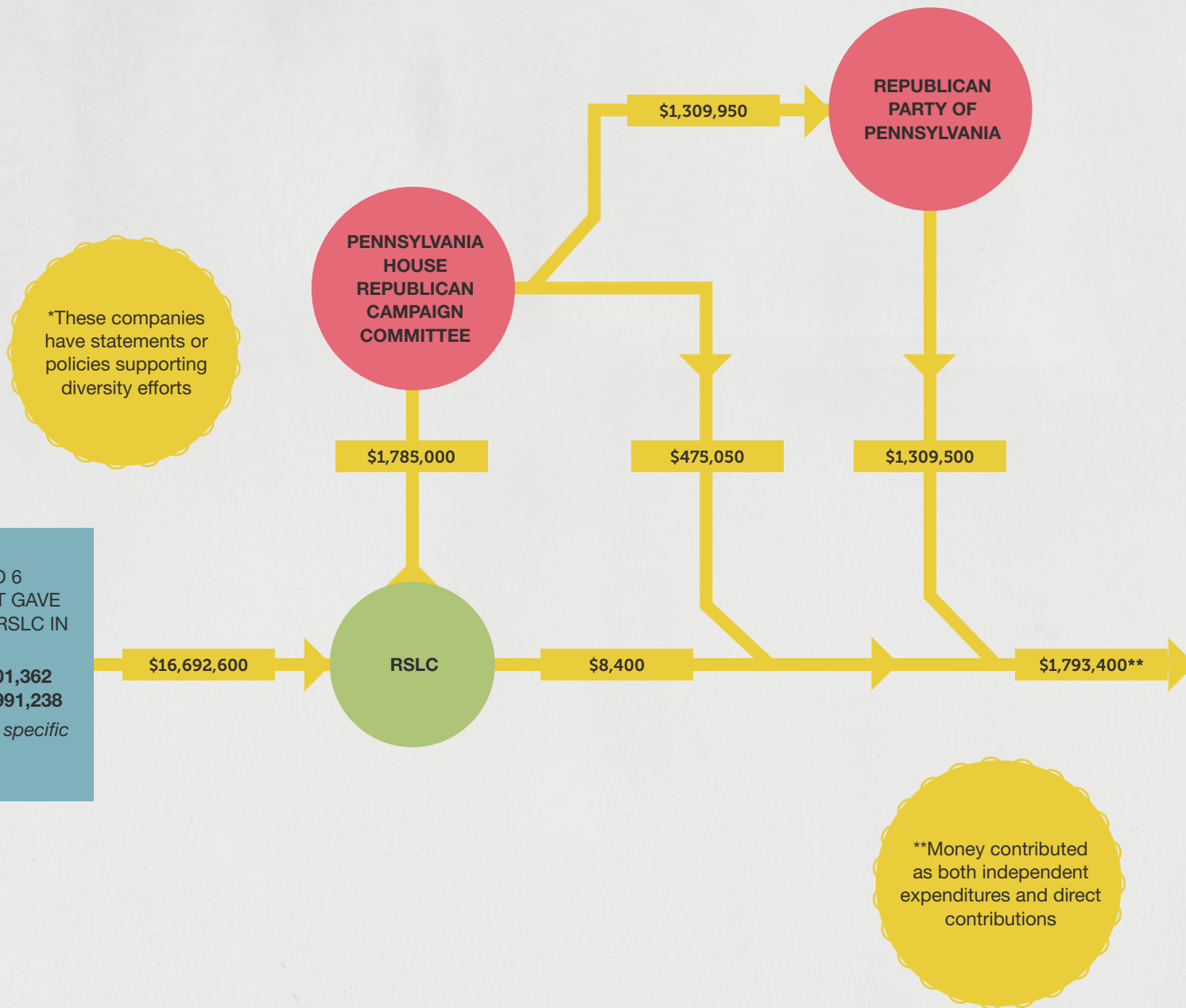
9 PENNSYLVANIA STATE SENATORS ELECTED IN 2018 ELECTION CYCLE WHO RECEIVED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE ONE GROUP LISTED

HOUSE:

- BOB MENSCH
- CAMERA BARTOLOTTA
- JAKE CORMAN
- JUDITH WARD
- LISA BAKER
- MARIO SCAVELLO
- PAT BROWNE
- PATRICK STEFANO
- RYAN AUMENT



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72 PENNSYLVANIA STATE LEGISLATORS ELECTED IN 2020 ELECTION CYCLE WHO RECEIVED CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE THREE GROUPS LISTED

- HOUSE:**
- AARON KAUFER
 - ANDREW LEWIS
 - ANN FLOOD
 - BARBARA GLIEM
 - BARRY JOZWIAK
 - BRETT MILLER
 - BUD COOK
 - CARRIE DELROSSO
 - CHRISTOPHER QUIN
 - CLINT OWLETT
 - CRAIG STAATS
 - DAVID HICKERNEL
 - DAVID MALONEY
 - DAVID ROWE
 - DAVID ZIMMERMAN
 - ERIC DAVANZO
 - F. TODD POLINCHOCK
 - FRANK FARRY
 - GARY DAY
 - GREG ROTHMAN
 - JACK RADER
 - JAMES STRUZZI II
 - JASON ORTITAY
 - JERRY KNOWLES
 - JIM COX
 - JIM MARSHALL
 - JOE EMRICK
 - JOE HAMM
 - JOHN LAWRENCE
 - JOSHUA KAIL
 - K.C. TOMLINSON
 - KAREN BOBACK
 - KEITH GILLESPIE
 - KERRY BENNINGHOFF
 - LORI MIZGORSKI
 - MARCI MUSTELLO
 - MARTINA WHITE
 - MEGHAN SCHROEDER
 - MICHAEL PFEIFER
 - MICHAEL PUSKARIC
 - MILOU MACKENZIE
 - NATALIE MIHALEK
 - ROB MERCURI
 - ROBERT BROOKS
 - ROSEMARY BROWN
 - RYAN MACKENZIE
 - RYAN WARNER
 - SHELBY LABS
 - SHERYL DELOZIER
 - STEPHANIE BOROWICZ
 - STEVEN MENTZER
 - SUSAN HELM
 - THOMAS MEHAFFIE
 - TIM BONNER
 - TIM HENNESSEY
 - TIMOTHY O'NEAL
 - TODD STEPHENS
 - TRACY PENNYCUICK
 - VALERIE GAYDOS
 - WENDI THOMAS
 - ZACHARY MAKO
- SENATE:**
- DANIEL LAUGHLIN
 - DAVE ARNOLD
 - DEVLIN ROBINSON
 - ELDER VOGEL
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Arizona

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Arizona-based Pinnacle West Capital, Axon, and Magellan Health and 61 other well-known public companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity efforts may have to answer some hard questions about conflicted political spending.**
- These companies and trade associations pumped more than \$16 million into the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC). Nineteen companies and one trade association gave \$281,500 to the Arizona Republican Legislative Victory Fund. These two groups in turn channeled \$606,500 to help elect six state legislators who have sponsored bills that attack voting rights.
- Pinnacle West gave \$50,000 to the Arizona Republican Legislative Victory Fund, Axon gave \$7,500, and Magellan Health gave \$1,000.



Public Companies that gave to Arizona State Legislators in the 2020 Election Cycle: Legislators who introduced legislation attacking voting rights

PUBLIC COMPANIES* AND TRADE ASSOCIATION* CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ARIZONA REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE VICTORY FUND IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE

PUBLIC COMPANIES

- ALTRIA: \$52,500
- ANHEUSER-BUSCH: \$3,000
- AXON: \$7,500
- BAYER AG: \$2,000
- CENTENE: \$5,000
- CHEVRON: \$2,500
- CORECIVIC: \$50,000
- THE GEO GROUP: \$50,000
- GILEAD SCIENCES: \$5,000
- INTUIT: \$5,000
- LYFT: \$5,000
- MAGELLAN HEALTH: \$1,000
- MODERN TIMES GROUP: \$10,000
- PEPSICO: \$2,500
- PINNACLE WEST: \$50,000
- REYNOLDS AMERICAN: \$5,000
- SOUTHWEST GAS: \$15,000
- VALERO: \$3,000
- VERIZON: \$2,500

TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

- AMERICAN CHEMISTRY COUNCIL: \$5,000

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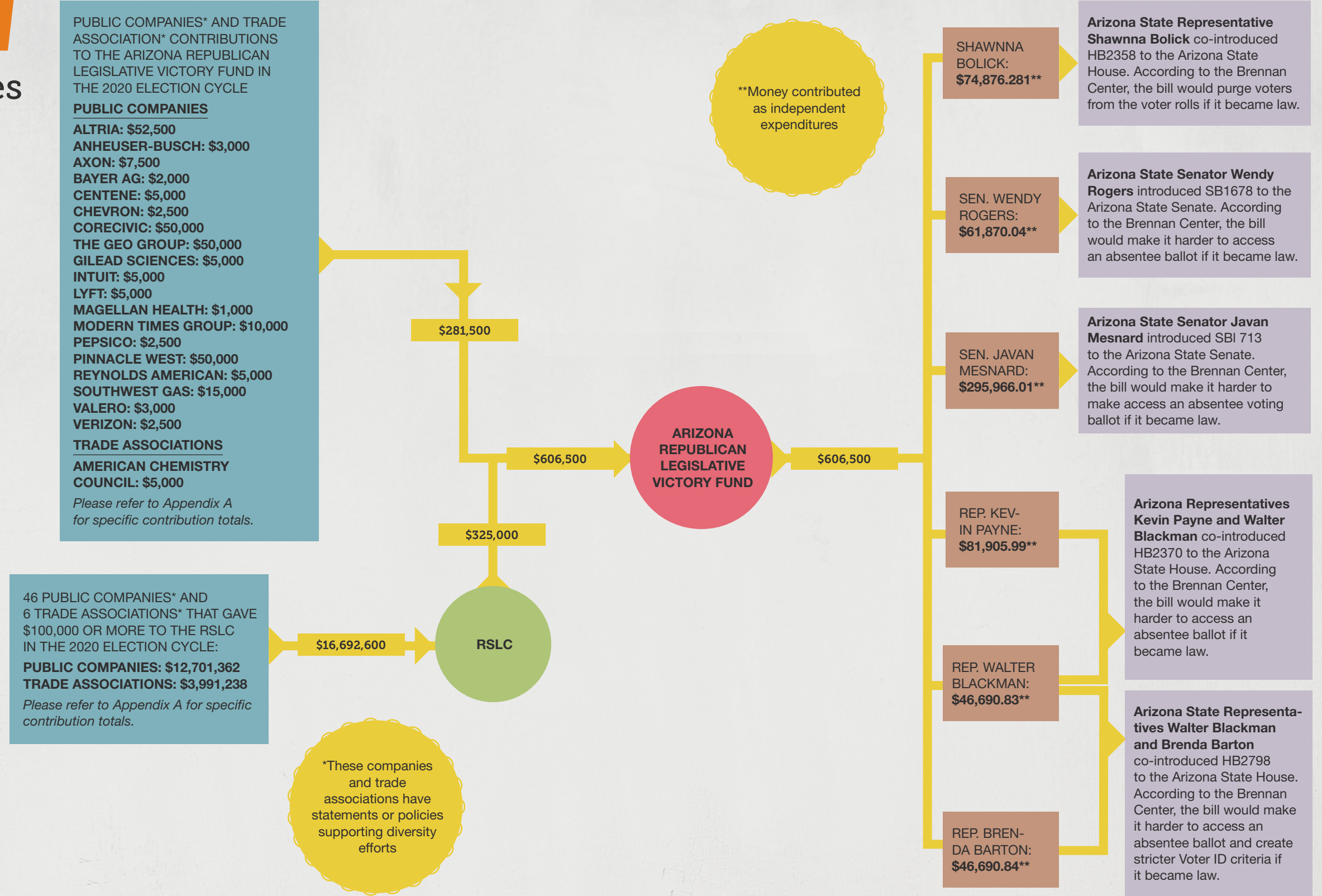
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Iowa

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Dozens of well-known public companies and trade associations that have endorsed racial diversity efforts may face scrutiny over conflicted political spending that flowed to Iowa in the recent past.**
- **These top-giving companies and trade groups contributed generously in the 2018 and 2020 election cycles to partisan groups that have spent \$5.4 million supportive of Iowa elected officials who have acted to advance legislation making it more difficult for African-Americans, other people of color and students to vote.**
- These companies and trade groups pumped more than \$16 million into the Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC) in the 2020 election and almost as much in the 2018 election. Of this giving, \$1.9 million ultimately went to support election of Republican state legislators who have voted this year to advance SF413, legislation restricting voting rights; and half a million went to support the election in 2018 of Iowa Gov. Kim Reynolds.
- Reynolds signed SF413 into law. Another group, the Republican Governors Association, received \$41 million in the 2018 election from top-giving public companies and trade groups that have endorsed diversity efforts, and of this giving, almost \$3 million flowed to support Reynolds's election.



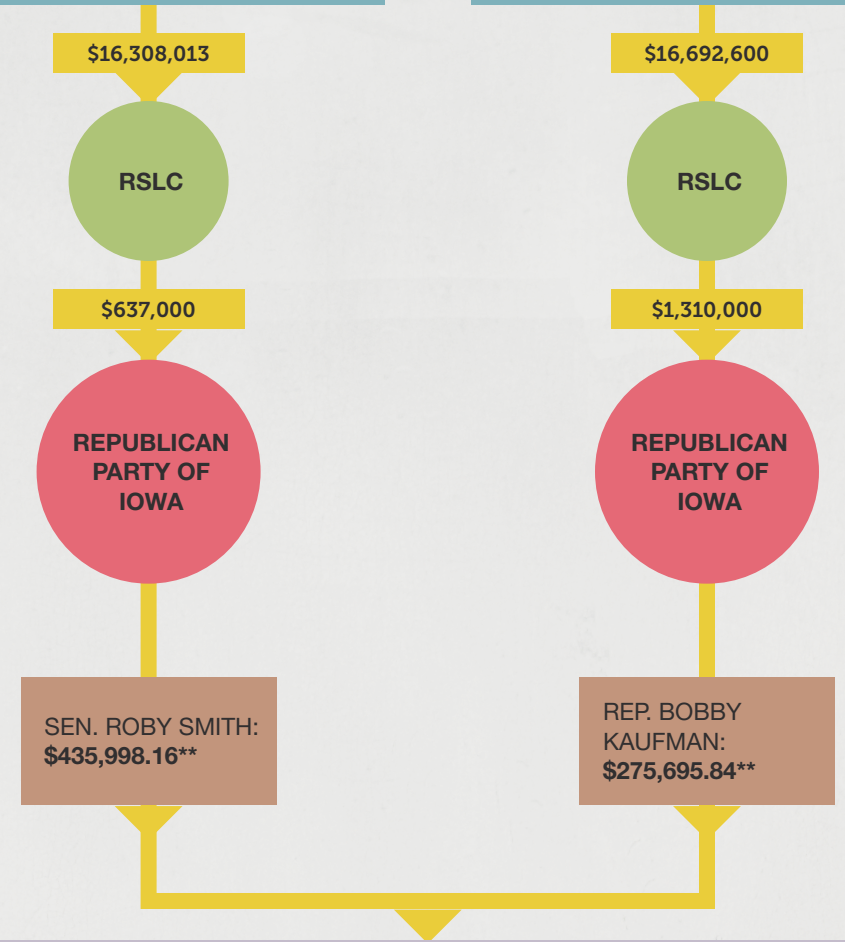
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Iowa state Senator Roby Smith and Representative Bobby Kaufman introduced SF413/HSB213 to their respective state chambers. The bill has been signed into law by Governor Kim Reynolds. According to reporting from the Des Moines Register, the law enacts the following changes that will restrict voting rights in Iowa:

- Reduce Iowa's early voting period in both Primary and General Elections from 29 to 20 days.
- In-person voting will now be shortened by hour.
- Absentee ballots must be received by the times polls close on election day to be counted.
- Auditors no longer have authority to run elections in their counties.
- Auditors may no longer preemptively set up satellite in-person voting sites.
- Only immediate family members, household members, or caregivers are allowed to return another person's absentee ballot.
- There can only be one ballot drop box per county. It must be housed within each individual auditor's office, and it must be under video surveillance.



Public Companies that gave to **Iowa State Senators** in the **2018** Election Cycle:

Senators who voted for SF413, restricting Iowan's voting rights

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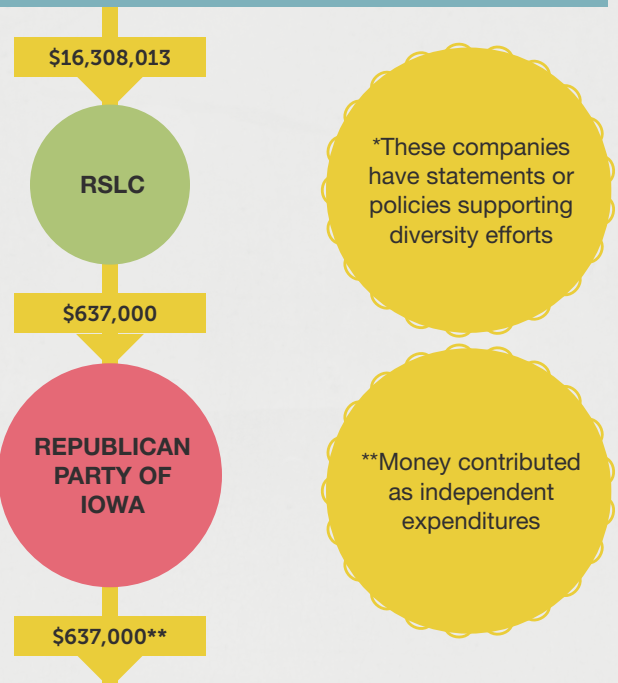
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10 IOWA STATE SENATORS WHO VOTED TO ADVANCE SF413 TO THE IOWA STATE HOUSE

HOUSE:

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- CARRIE KAECKER
- CHRIS COURNOYER
- JACK WHITVER
- JASON SCHULTZ
- JIM CARLIN
- JULIAN B. GARRETT
- MARIANNETTE MILLER-MEEKS
- ROBY SMITH
- TIM KRAAYENBRINK

These 10 Iowa State Senators voted to advance the final version of SF413 to the State House. The bill was passed by the Iowa State House and has been signed into law by Governor Kim Reynolds. According to reporting from the Des Moines Register, the law enacts the following changes that will restrict voting rights in Iowa:

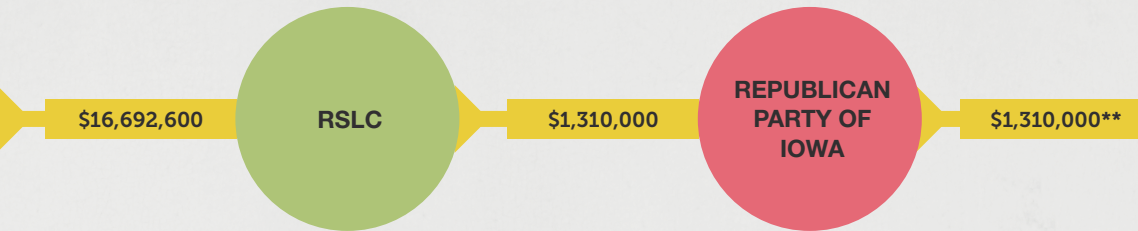
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Public Companies that gave to Iowa State Legislators in the 2020 Election Cycle:

Legislators who voted for SF413, restricting Iowans' voting rights

46 PUBLIC COMPANIES* AND 6 TRADE ASSOCIATIONS* THAT GAVE \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RSLC IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE:
PUBLIC COMPANIES: \$12,701,362
TRADE ASSOCIATIONS: \$3,991,238
Please refer to Appendix A for specific contribution totals.



**Money contributed as independent expenditures

*These companies have statements or policies supporting diversity efforts

- 14 IOWA STATE SENATORS AND 28 HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES WHO VOTED TO ADVANCE SF413 TO THE GOVERNOR OF IOWA'S DESK:
- HOUSE:**
- ANN MEYER
 - ANNE OSMUNDSON
 - BOBBY KAUFMAN
 - BRENT SIEGREST
 - BROOKE BODEN
 - CARTER NORDMAN
 - CHAD INGELS
 - CHARLIE MCCIINTOCK
 - CHERIELYNN WESTRICH
 - DAVE DEYOE
 - DAVID KERR
 - DAVID MAXWELL
 - DEAN FISHER
 - EDDIE ANDREWS
 - GARRETT GOBBLE
 - GARY MOHR
 - HENRY STONE
 - JANE BLOOMINGDALE
 - JEFF SHIPLEY
 - MARK CISNEROS
 - MARTIN GRABER
 - MEGAN JONES
 - MICHAEL BERGAN
 - NORLIN MOMMSEN
 - PHIL THOMPSON
 - ROSS C. PAUSTIAN
 - SANDY SALMON
 - SHANNON LUNDGREN
- SENATE:**
- AMY SINCLAIR
 - BRAD ZAUN
 - CRAIG JOHNSON
 - DAN DAWSON
 - DAN ZUMBACH
 - DAWN DRISCOLL
 - JAKE CHAPMAN
 - JEFF EDLER
 - JESSE GREEN
 - KEN ROZENBOOM
 - MARK S. LOFGREN
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 - TIM GOODWIN
 - WAYLON BROWN

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Contributions Totals to and from RSLC:
Center For Political Accountability drawing on Political Money Line, RSLC contributions reported to IRS

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Des Moines Register article documenting Iowa SF413:
<https://www.desmoinesregister.com/story/news/politics/2021/03/08/iowa-governor-kim-reynolds-signs-law-shortening-early-voting-closing-polls-earlier-election-day/6869317002/>



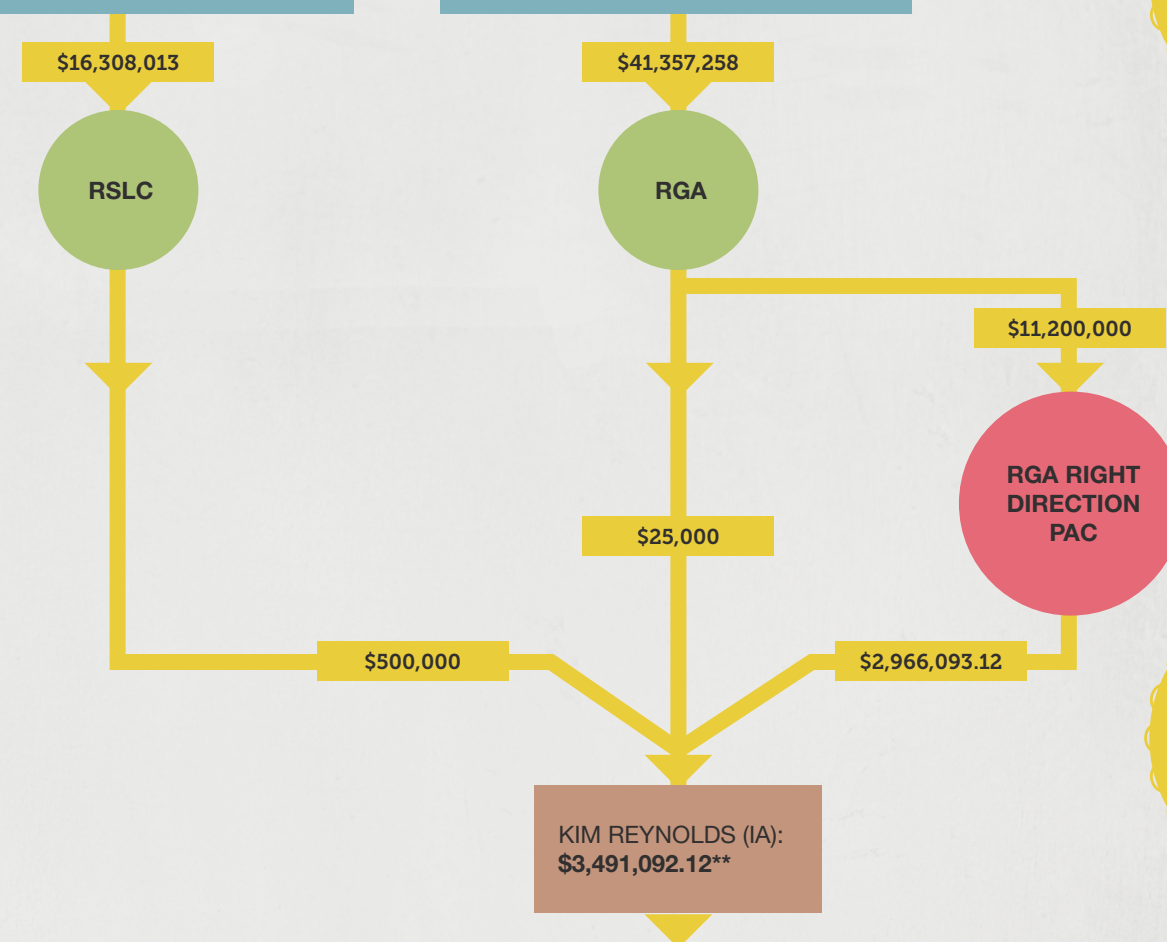
Public Companies and Trade Association that gave to **Kim Reynolds** in the **2018** election cycle:

Governor Reynolds signed in to law SF413, restricting Iowan's voting rights

50 PUBLIC COMPANIES* AND 7 TRADE ASSOCIATIONS* THAT GAVE \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RSLC IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE:
PUBLIC COMPANIES: \$12,348,314
TRADE ASSOCIATIONS: \$3,959,699
Please refer to Appendix A for specific contribution totals.

125 PUBLIC COMPANIES* AND 14 TRADE ASSOCIATIONS* THAT GAVE \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RGA IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE:
PUBLIC COMPANIES: \$36,888,144
TRADE ASSOCIATIONS: \$4,469,114
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Appendix A

2018 RGA, AND 2018 & 2020 RSLC CONTRIBUTIONS LISTS

PUBLIC COMPANIES AND TRADE ASSOCIATIONS WHO CONTRIBUTED \$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RSLC IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE

PUBLIC COMPANIES

ALTRIA	\$1,227,297
REYNOLDS AMERICAN.....	\$1,074,769
ANTHEM.....	\$460,300
WELLCARE	\$458,493
ASTRAZENECA.....	\$427,316
PFIZER	\$330,469
CENTENE	\$330,199
COMCAST.....	\$315,484
MARATHON PETROLEUM.....	\$314,559
DEVON ENERGY.....	\$300,579
THE STARS GROUP.....	\$300,000
NEXTERA ENERGY.....	\$297,907
ASTELLAS PHARMA.....	\$284,832
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS.....	\$274,881
ELI LILLY & CO.....	\$274,022
WALMART	\$267,917
NOBLE ENERGY	250,000
GILEAD SCIENCES	\$247,044
ROCHE HOLDINGS	\$240,646
GENERAL MOTORS.....	\$231,611
NOVO NORDISK	\$226,854
GRUPO ELEKTRA.....	\$215,279
MARATHON OIL.....	\$210,995
CHEVRON	\$201,014
EXXONMOBIL	\$200,330
RANGE RESOURCES	\$198,000
ZURICH INSURANCE GROUP.....	\$191,895
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS	\$187,961
CONOCOPHILLIPS	\$180,000
AT&T	\$160,978
ALLIANT ENERGY.....	\$151,486
VISA	\$150,030
CROWN HOLDINGS	\$150,000

T-MOBILE.....	\$147,500
UNITED HEALTH GROUP.....	\$134,410
BAYER AG.....	\$133,526
DAVITA	\$130,877
CITIGROUP	\$128,284
HORIZON THERAPEUTICS.....	\$126,136
DISH	\$125,708
WALGREENS BOOTS ALLIANCE.....	\$121,965
TRACFONE WIRELESS INC.....	\$121,087
THE CARLYLE GROUP	\$119,529
ABBVIE	\$108,859
ANHEUSER-BUSCH	\$107,300
TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS	\$107,163
INTUIT	\$102,016
PEABODY ENERGY CORPORATION.....	\$100,627
K12.....	\$100,300
SCOTTSMIRACLE-GRO	\$100,060

TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

US CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.....	\$2,035,679
PhRMA	\$827,919
METROPOLITAN MILWAUKEE ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE.....	\$351,500
ASSOCIATED BUILDERS & CONTRACTORS	\$321,611
WINE & SPIRITS WHOLESALERS OF AMERICA.....	\$212,200
NATIONAL RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION.....	\$110,000
NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE.....	\$100,790

**PUBLIC COMPANIES AND TRADE ASSOCIATIONS WHO CONTRIBUTED
\$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RSLC IN THE 2020 ELECTION CYCLE**

PUBLIC COMPANIES

CHEVRON	\$1,055,000
REYNOLDS AMERICAN.....	\$840,075
DOMINION ENERGY.....	\$835,549
ALTRIA	\$735,000
MARATHON PETROLEUM CORP.....	\$726,159
ANTHEM.....	\$450,798
CENTENE.....	\$430,512
ASTRAZENECA.....	\$425,109
PFIZER	\$372,008
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS.....	\$368,099
CHURCHILL DOWNS.....	\$351,088
NEXTERA ENERGY.....	\$325,745
NOVO NORDISK	\$310,783
ASTELLAS PHARMA.....	\$271,337
ROCHE HOLDINGS	\$258,395
FMC CORP.....	\$250,000
ELI LILLY & CO.....	\$230,875
COMCAST.....	\$228,739
CITIGROUP	\$226,906
ZURICH INSURANCE GROUP.....	\$225,670
INTUIT	\$225,065
KKR & CO.....	\$218,196
BAYER AG.....	\$214,072
EXXONMOBIL	\$200,285
MARATHON OIL.....	\$200,000
WALMART	\$186,386
GENERAL MOTORS.....	\$185,598
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS	\$166,661
ALLIANT ENERGY.....	\$155,924
TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICAL.....	\$151,754
BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB.....	\$150,000
MALLINCKRODT PHARMACEUTICALS.....	\$150,000
CAESARS ENTERTAINMENT	\$146,542
WELLS FARGO.....	\$126,835
GILEAD SCIENCES	\$125,000
TRACFONE WIRELESS INC.....	\$121,120
AMAZON	\$116,681

SUMITOMO DAINIPPON PHARMA ..	\$115,983
MAXIMUS.....	\$111,868
GLAXOSMITHKLINE	\$106,850
HORIZON THERAPEUTICS.....	\$106,006
ABBVIE	\$101,394
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP	\$100,879
K12	\$100,404
VISA.....	\$100,065
CONOCOPHILLIPS	\$100,000

TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

US CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.....	\$2,654,000
PhRMA	\$651,544
ASSOCIATED BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS	\$366,673
WINE AND SPIRITS WHOLESALEERS OF AMERICA	\$116,635
AMERICAN CHEMISTRY COUNCIL	\$102,386
METROPOLITAN MILWAUKEE ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE.....	\$100,000

**PUBLIC COMPANIES AND TRADE ASSOCIATIONS WHO CONTRIBUTED
\$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RGA IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE**

PUBLIC COMPANIES

CENTENE	\$2,635,978	HCA HEALTHCARE	\$275,900
ALTRIA.....	\$1,681,610	MGM.....	\$275,000
NEXTERA ENERGY	\$1,516,639	NOVO NORDISK	\$256,800
ANTHEM.....	\$1,300,000	BP	\$253,150
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP	\$950,000	CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS.....	\$252,250
WELLCARE	\$800,000	WEC ENERGY	\$250,000
CVS HEALTH.....	\$777,250	VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS	\$240,700
THE STARS GROUP.....	\$751,672	ORACLE	\$239,914
THE GEO GROUP	\$700,900	NOVARTIS	\$236,800
DEVON ENERGY	\$650,000	K12	\$235,400
COCA-COLA	\$604,664	ALLIANT ENERGY.....	\$230,450
PFIZER	\$600,000	GENERAL MILLS.....	\$225,900
CORECIVIC	\$577,000	INTUIT	\$225,450
FIRST ENERGY	\$565,000	MERCK SHARPE & DOHME	\$220,900
THE TRAVELERS COMPANY	\$550,000	BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB.....	\$220,850
CHEVRON	\$500,000	ASTELLAS PHARMA.....	\$218,400
GENERAL MOTORS.....	\$500,000	AMGEN.....	\$216,800
AT&T	\$475,000	AFLAC	\$216,067
REYNOLDS AMERICAN.....	\$461,000	MICROSOFT	\$212,700
MARATHON PETROLEUM	\$451,350	XCEL ENERGY	\$211,350
COMCAST.....	\$392,306	SOUTHERN CO.....	\$206,879
CAESARS ENTERTAINMENT	\$390,000	WALMART	\$205,900
INTERNATIONAL GAME TECHNOLOGY	\$387,290	MALLINCKRODT.....	\$205,000
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS	\$362,350	GILEAD SCIENCES	\$204,750
ALKERMES	\$361,800	CIGNA	\$202,700
SANOFI.....	\$357,500	DAVITA.....	\$201,350
WYNN RESORTS	\$350,000	FOX CORPORATION	\$200,900
ELI LILLY & CO	\$347,950	ABBVIE	\$200,450
HUMANA.....	\$345,900	SIEMENS AG.....	\$200,450
ROCHE HOLDINGS	\$341,800	AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER.....	\$200,000
WALGREENS BOOTS ALLIANCE	\$301,350	ASTRAZENECA.....	\$200,000
DOW	\$300,000	CONDUENT.....	\$190,450
THE WILLIAMS COMPANIES.....	\$300,000	PEABODY ENERGY CORPORATION	\$185,450
DUKE ENERGY	\$295,000	SUMITOMO DAINIPPON PHARMA	\$184,750
ZURICH INSURANCE.....	\$290,900	CATERPILLAR	\$175,900
MAXIMUS.....	\$284,950	PENN NATIONAL GAMING	\$175,000
EXXONMOBIL	\$277,250		

**PUBLIC COMPANIES AND TRADE ASSOCIATIONS WHO CONTRIBUTED
\$100,000 OR MORE TO THE RGA IN THE 2018 ELECTION CYCLE (CONTD.)**

PINNACLE WEST	\$175,000
PEPSICO	\$171,350
NAVIGANT	\$165,900
EVERSOURCE ENERGY	\$165,450
SCIENTIFIC GAMES CORP	\$157,500
RANGE RESOURCES CORPORATION	\$155,000
DELTA AIR LINES	\$154,117
MARATHON OIL	\$151,350
COVANTA	\$150,450
DTE ENERGY	\$150,000
FEDEX	\$150,000
US CELLULAR	\$150,000
ANHEUSER-BUSCH	\$139,028
ALLSTATE	\$135,450
DOMINION ENERGY	\$135,450
CERNER CORPORATION	\$130,900
MAGELLAN HEALTH	\$130,900
AECOM	\$130,450
T-MOBILE	\$126,350
SCOTTSMIRACLE-GRO	\$125,900
SMITHFIELD FOODS	\$125,000
ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY	\$120,080
FORTIS	\$116,800
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP	\$115,000
MCKESSON CORPORATION	\$111,800
CISCO	\$109,450
NRG ENERGY	\$107,250
ADOBE	\$106,800
TOYOTA	\$106,800
UNION PACIFIC	\$106,350
GREAT LAKES DREDGE & DOCK COMPANY	\$105,450
BIOGEN	\$102,850
HP	\$102,700
GLAXOSMITHKLINE	\$102,250
BANK OF AMERICA	\$101,800
FIREEYE	\$101,350
OTSUKA PHARMACEUTICAL	\$101,350

TRACFONE WIRELESS INC	\$100,900
BEST BUY	\$100,900
SPIRE INC.	\$100,900
VISA	\$100,900
ALTAGAS	\$100,450
FLUOR CORPORATION	\$100,450
NOBLE ENERGY	\$100,450
WHITING PETROLEUM	\$100,450
AMERISOURCEBERGEN	\$100,000
CABOT OIL & GAS	\$100,000
QUEST DIAGNOSTICS	\$100,000
FACEBOOK	\$100,000
CHENIERE ENERGY	\$100,000
OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM	\$100,000
WELLS FARGO	\$100,000

TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

METROPOLITAN MILWAUKEE ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE	\$1,162,500
PhRMA	\$825,000
US CHAMBER OF COMMERCE	\$350,450
EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE	\$316,714
PROPERTY CASUALTY INSURERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA	\$291,350
AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE	\$250,900
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF HOME BUILDERS	\$250,450
NATIONAL RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION	\$186,350
NUCLEAR ENERGY INSTITUTE	\$175,450
ENTERTAINMENT SOFTWARE ASSOCIATION	\$156,800
CONSUMER TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATION	\$150,000
BIO	\$126,350
INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF SHOPPING CENTERS	\$125,450
AMERICA'S HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS	\$101,350



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