

# 2008 COMPETITIVE HOUSE RACE CHART

Below is a list of the competitive and potentially competitive House races for 2008.

**Likely:** These seats are not considered competitive at this point but have the potential to become engaged.

**Lean:** These are considered competitive races but one party has an advantage.

**Toss-Up:** These are the most competitive; either party has a good chance of winning.

**Bolded** name denotes opposing party's seat

*Italicized* name denotes Freshman member

\* denotes possible incumbent retirement

# denotes possible serious primary challenge

**LIKELY DEMOCRATIC**

**LEAN DEMOCRATIC**

**DEMOCRATIC TOSS UP**

**DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE PVI**

CT-02	<i>Joe Courtney</i>	D+8
CT-05	<i>Chris Murphy</i>	D+4
GA-12	John Barrow	D+2
IL-08	Melissa Bean	R+5
IN-02	<i>Joe Donnelly</i>	R+4
IN-07	<i>Andre Carson</i>	D+9
IN-08	<i>Brad Ellsworth</i>	R+9
KS-03	Dennis Moore	R+4
KY-03	<i>John Yarmuth</i>	D+2
MN-01	<i>Tim Walz</i>	R+1
NH-02	<i>Paul Hodes</i>	D+3
NY-19	<i>John Hall</i>	R+1
NY-24	<i>Michael Arcuri</i>	R+1
NC-11	<i>Heath Shuler</i>	R+7
OH-18	<i>Zack Space</i>	R+6
PA-07	<i>Joe Sestak</i>	D+4
PA-08	<i>Patrick Murphy</i>	D+3
PA-11	Paul Kanjorski	D+5
TX-23	<i>Ciro Rodriguez</i>	R+4

**DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE PVI**

AZ-05	<i>Harry Mitchell</i>	R+4
AZ-08	<i>Gabrielle Giffords</i>	R+1
CA-11	<i>Jerry McNerney</i>	R+3
FL-16	<i>Tim Mahoney</i>	R+2
GA-08	Jim Marshall	R+8
<b>IL-11</b>	<b>OPEN (Weller)</b>	<b>R+1</b>
IL-14	<i>Bill Foster</i>	R+5
IN-09	<i>Baron Hill</i>	R+7
KS-02	<i>Nancy Boyda</i>	R+7
<b>LA-06</b>	<b>VACANT (Baker)</b>	<b>R+7</b>
NH-01	<i>Carol Shea-Porter</i>	D+0
NY-20	<i>Kirsten Gillibrand</i>	R+3
PA-04	<i>Jason Altmire</i>	R+3
PA-10	<i>Chris Carney</i>	R+8
WI-08	<i>Steve Kagen</i>	R+4

<b>DISTRICT</b>	<b>REPRESENTATIVE</b>	<b>PVI</b>
AL-05	OPEN (Cramer)	R+6
OR-05	OPEN (Hooley)	D+1
TX-22	<i>Nick Lampson</i>	R+15

**19 DEMOCRATS  
0 REPUBLICANS**

**13 DEMOCRATS  
2 REPUBLICANS**

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0 REPUBLICANS**

