

First Step Act Support

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Advocacy Organizations that Support the First Step Act

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2nd Chance Lifesavers

African Methodist Episcopal Church

Aid to Inmate Mothers

Alabama Arise

Alabama Institute for Social Justice

Alabama Nonviolent Offenders Organization

Alabama Poor People's Campaign

Alabama Prison Birth Project

Aleph Institute

Alexandria-Fairfax Kappas

American Civil Liberties Union

American Conservative Union

American Legislative Exchange Council Action

Americans For Prosperity

Americans for Tax Reform

Anti-Recidivism Coalition

Ardella House

Arm and Arm

Artist Up

Austin Reentry Advocacy Project

BCD Hoover Treatment Center

Benedict Center

Black Educational Achievement Movement

Black Spades

Butterfly Life Journeys

Brennan Center for Justice

Bridges to Life

Business Roundtable

Calvert Institute for Policy Research

Campaign for Black Male Engagement

CAN-DO Foundation

Capital Area Reentry Program Inc.

CASA

Catholic Bishops

Catholic Charities USA

Center for Successful Reentry

Central Arkansas Reentry (CARE) Coalition

Christian Community Development Association

Cincinnati Black United Front

Cities United
Citizens Alliance on Prisons and Public Spending
Citygate Network
Civil Survival
Commonwealth Foundation
Community Shares of Greater Cincinnati
Council for Christian Colleges & Universities
Counsel on State Governments Justice Center
Creative Soul
Criminal Justice Ministry
Dave's Killer Bread Foundation
De-Carcerate Arkansas
Detroit Council of Baptist Pastors
Direct Action for Rights and Equality (DARE)
Do4Self + Fine Print
Douglas Leadership Institute
Drive Change NYC
Due Process Institute
Ella Baker Center
EMIT End Incarceration Together
Empower Missouri
Ex-Prisoners and Prisoners Organizing for Community Advancement
End Mass Incarceration Together
Faith and Freedom Coalition
Families Against Mandatory Minimums
Family Reentry
Flikshop
Florida TaxWatch Inc.
Foglight Strategies
FreedomWorks
From Prison Cells to PhDs
Gathering for Justice
Girls Embracing Mothers (GEM)
Greater Birmingham Ministries
Greenburger Center
Hamilton County Office of Reentry
Healing Communities USA
Heritage Action
Hope For Prisoners
I Am My Community
IMSI Hope Community Phase II
Institute for Prison Ministries
Inmate Support

James Madison Institute
John Howard Association
Just Detention USA
Justice and Serious Mental Illness
Kansas Appleseed
Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity
Kingdom Mission Society
Koch Industries
Ladies Of Hope Ministries
Latinos for Tennessee PAC
Let's Start
Lifted From the Rut
Louisiana Family Forum
MADE Transitional Services
Maine Women's Lobby
Magnolias in Transition
Malta Justice Initiative
Maryland Justice Project
Mayor's Initiative for Reentry Affairs, City of Bridgeport
Mayor's Office, City of Jackson, MS
Mayor's Office, Little Rock Arkansas
Michigan United
Minnesota Second Chance Coalition
Miss Abbie's Kids, Inc.
Mississippi Governor's Office
Missouri CURE
Nation of Second Chances
NAACP
National Association of Evangelicals
National Association of Homebuilders
National Criminal Justice Association
National Governors Association
National Hispanic Christian Leadership Conference
National Incarceration Association
National Latino Evangelical Association
National Urban League
National Prison Summit
Neighborhood Benches
Nevada CURE
New Prospects Church
Odoboo
Offender Alumni Organization
Ohio Association of Formerly Incarcerated Offenders

Ohio Justice and Policy Center
Ohio Offenders Association
Ohio Organizing Collaborative
Ohio State NAACP
Ohio Student Association
Operation Hope
Operation New Hope
Operation Restoration
Osborne Association
Peace Makers
Pelican Institute
Prisology
Prison Fellowship
Prison Professors LLC
Project Hope To Abolish the Death Penalty
Project Liberation
Project Rebound
Project Restart Reentry
Project Restore Baltimore
Project Return
Promise of Justice Initiative
Public Defender Association
R Street Institute
RDAP DAN
Real Cost of Prisons Project
RecycleForce
Reentry Campus Program
Reinventing Reentry
Resources, Information, Help for the Disadvantaged and Disenfranchised
Restore HER
Returning Home
Right On Crime
Rio Grande Foundation
ROC Wisconsin
Root and Rebound
Shepherd's Fold
SOAR Career Solutions
Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Soteria
Southern Baptist Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission
Standing and Rebuilding Ministries
SURJ
Systemic Change of Idaho

Texas Criminal Justice Coalition
Texas CURE
Texas Public Policy Foundation
The Amos Project
The Empowerment Alliance
The Last Mile
The Living Harvest
The Los Angeles Regional Reentry Partnership
The Prisonist Ministries
The Return Project and Big Pictures
The Sentencing Project
The Southern Center for Human Rights
The WIRE (Women Involved in Reentry Efforts)
Turning Point USA
Unlabeled Digital Media
U.S. Chamber of Commerce
U.S. Conference on Mayors
USCCB Committee on Domestic Justice and Human Development
US Justice Action Network
Unlock The Vote
Valor Village Foundation
Vicinity
Virginia CURE
Virginia Organizing
Virginia Prison Justice Network
Washington State CURE
WISE
Women On The Rise
Women Who Never Give Up
Women With A Vision
Women's March Michigan
Women Against Registry
Wyoming Children's Law Center

Law Enforcement Organizations and Individuals that Support the First Step Act

American Correctional Association
Association of Prosecuting Attorneys
Association of State Corrections Administrators
Ken Cuccineli
Former Federal Prosecutors and Senior Government Officials

Fraternal Order of Police
International Association of Chiefs of Police
International Community of Corrections Associations
Kenneth Polite
Law Enforcement Leaders to Reduce Crime and Incarceration
National District Attorneys Association
National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives
Kevin Sharp
Sheriff Donald Ash, Wyandotte County, Kansas
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Sheriff Mike Allen, Humboldt County, Nevada
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Sheriff Mark Cage, Eddy County, New Mexico
Sheriff Norman Chaffins, Grayson County, Kentucky
Sheriff Tony Childress, Livingston County, Illinois
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Sheriff James Cummings, Barnstable County, Massachusetts
Sheriff Danny Diggs, York-Poquoson County, Virginia
Sheriff Kieran Donahue, Canyon County, Idaho
Sheriff Timothy Dunning, Douglas County, Nebraska
Sheriff Ana Franklin, Morgan County Alabama
Sheriff Micah Harman, Lavaca County, Texas
Sheriff Bruce Hartman, Gilpin County, Colorado
Sheriff Thomas Hogdson, Bristol County, Massachusetts
Sheriff Wayne Ivey, Brevard County, Florida
Sheriff Chuck Jenkins, Fredrick County, Maryland
Sheriff Randy Johnson, Jasper County, Mississippi
Sheriff Cliff Kleinberg, Dakota City, Nebraska
Sheriff Mark Lamb, Pinal County, Arizona
Sheriff Mike Lewis, Wicimico County, Maryland
Sheriff Gary Long, Butts County, Georgia
Sheriff Kenneth Matlack, Morro County, Oregon
Sheriff Joseph McDonald, Plymouth County, Massachusetts
Sheriff Bill Prim, McHenry County, Illinois
Sheriff Fred McKee, Delta County, Colorado
Sheriff Darren Mitchum, Twiggs County, Georgia
Sheriff Mike Moore, Boone County, Arkansas
Sheriff Tim Morse, Jackson County, Kansas
Sheriff James Muller, Adams County, Pennsylvania
Sheriff Mark Napier, Pima County, Arizona
Sheriff Omar Lucio, Cameron County, Texas
Sheriff Sam Page, Rockingham County, North Carolina

Sheriff Steve Reams, Weld County, Colorado
Sheriff Vick Regalalado, Tulsa County, Oklahoma
Sheriff Jeffrey Richards, Franklin County, Kansas
Sheriff Todd Richardson, Davis County, Utah
Sheriff William Risen, La Paz County, Arizona
Sheriff Rob Rotter, Iowa County, Iowa
Sheriff Keith Royal, Nevada City, California
Sheriff Patrick Russo, Rensselaer County, New York
Sheriff Gary Schwartzenberger, McKenzie County, North Dakota
Sheriff Eddie Scott, Clay County, Mississippi
Sheriff Roger Scott, Dekalb County, Illinois
Sheriff Randy Seal, Washington Parish, Louisiana
Sheriff Michael Shepherd, Hancock County, Indiana
Sheriff Michael Slupe, Butler County, Pennsylvania
Sheriff John Spears, Vernon County, Wisconsin
Sheriff Don Taylor, Dixon County, Nebraska
Sheriff Bobbie Vickery, Calhoun County, Texas
Sheriff Jason Watson, Clark County, Arkansas
Sheriff Sharon Wehrley, Nye County, Nevada
Sheriff Troy Wellman, Moody County, South Dakota
Sheriff Carolyn Welsh, Chester County, Pennsylvania
Bret Tolman

Celebrities and Public Figures that Endorse the First Step Act

Tatyana Ali
David Arquette
Christina Arquette
Patricia Arquette
Rosanna Arquette
Brenden Ayanbadejo
Mutah "Napoleon" Beale
Michael Bearden
Aloe Blacc
V. Bozeman
Eric Bolling
Dennis Bradley
Mehcad Brooks
Norman Brown
Scott Budnick
Rosa Clemente
Courtney Cox

Mark Cuban
Keith David
Baron Davis
Tamaya Dennard
Assemblywoman Fernandez
Brad Furman
Peter Gabriel
Adrien Grenier
Archie Gips
Seth Green
Marg Helgenberger
Chelsea Handler
Ryan Hayden
Jessica Jackson-Sloan
Kris Jenner
Robbie Jones
Van Jones
Daniel Dae Kim
Simon Kinberg
Khloe Kardashian
Elder Leslie
Mark Levin
Dawnn Lewis
Louis Lombardi
Brandon McGee
Alyssa Milano
Isabell Murray
Mark Osler
Darrell Padgett
Piper Perabo
Luke Perry
Representative Pittman
Shane Ray
Alicia Reece
Jeff Ross
Frostee Rucker
Anjali Sawhney
Anthony Scaramucci
Vincent Schiraldi
Alicia Silverstone
Esperanza Spalding
Angela Stanton-King
Eric Sterling

Delanie Walker
Isaiah Washington
Benjamin Watson
Kanye West
Kim-Kardashian West
Jaleel White
Steve Wyche
The Baltimore Ravens

Formerly Incarcerated Activists Who Endorse the First Step Act

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Alfonzo Ingram
Tray Johns
Alice Marie Johnson
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John Koufos
Loretta Fish Liegel
Nina Manning
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Syrita Steib-Martin
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Leyla Martinez
Shelton McElroy
Denise C. McCreary
Desmond Meade
Michael Mendoza
Kathy Morse
Pat Nolan
Stephanie Nodd
Justin Paperny
Christopher R. Poulos

Amy Povah
Evans Ray
Louis Reed
Kevin Ring
David Safavian
Topeka K. Sam
Brandon Sample
Shaka Senghor
Melissa Shumsky
Tarra Simmons
Jeffrey Smith
Celeste Wells
Victoria Wylie
Ivy Woolf Turk

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