



Caucus Leadership

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KANSAS LEGISLATIVE SPORTSMEN'S CAUCUS

Established in 2008, the Kansas Legislative Sportsmen's Caucus is a member of the National Assembly of Sportsmen's Caucuses (NASC). Since that time, the Caucus has championed legislation that benefits Kansas' sportsmen and women, as well as the Sunflower State's natural resources. In addition, the Caucus has played a central role in assisting CSF with generating support from the Kansas Congressional delegation on important federal legislation that benefits our natural resources and our outdoor heritage in Kansas and across the nation.

Since 2008, the Caucus remains engaged on issues that affect the nation's original conservationists by protecting and advancing hunting, angling, recreational shooting, and trapping within the Sunflower State. For more information on the Caucus, visit the Congressional Sportsmen's Foundation's website at <https://congressionalsportsmen.org/state/ks>.

Policy Highlights

- 2016 – HCR 5008 provided for the constitutional right to hunt, fish and harvest wildlife. Kansas voters overwhelmingly approve the constitutional right to hunt, fish and harvest wildlife in the general election with more than 80% of the vote.
- 2017 – Kansas House and Senate each passed a resolution in honor of the 80th anniversary of the ASCF, sponsored by KS caucus co-chairs Rep. Hoffman and Sen. Petersen.
- 2022 – With the passage of KS HB 2456, lifetime combination hunting and fishing licenses are now available for children ages 0 to 7 years old, giving parents an opportunity to invest in future outdoorsmen and women.

Economic Impact

- The 325,000 hunters of Kansas support 6,500 jobs, contribute \$235 million towards salaries and wages, and provide \$42 million in state and local taxes.
- Kansas' 267,800 recreational shooters support 3,800 jobs, contribute \$126 million towards salaries and wages, and provide \$25 million in state and local taxes.
- The 623,600 anglers in Kansas support 2,670 jobs and have an economic output of \$358.2 million.

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