



Senator Josh Becker

District 13 - Democrat

Counties Represented:

Portions of San Mateo county (Belmont, Brisbane, Burlingame, East Palo Alto, Foster City, Half Moon Bay, Menlo Park, Millbrae, Pacifica, Redwood City, San Carlos, San Mateo, Atherton, Hillsborough, Portola Valley, Woodside, portions of San Bruno, and portions of South San Francisco) and portions of Santa Clara county (Campbell, Cupertino, Los Altos, Monte Sereno, Mountain View, Palo Alto, Saratoga, Los Altos Hills, and Los Gatos)

About Josh Becker:

In 2000, Josh created Full Circle, a community leadership and policy innovation organization that funds nonprofits creating positive change in the Bay Area and building civic leaders for the future. He has been the driving force for Full Circle, which has supported policy innovations and community organizations in economic opportunity, education, environmental sustainability and health. Appointed by Governor Jerry Brown, Josh served seven years on the California State Workforce Development Board, and he served on the Child Care Partnership Council in San Mateo County. Josh also is a founding trustee at the University of California Merced. Josh has long been a champion in pushing businesses to create social good. After losing his father to brain cancer, Josh helped start a biotech company researching cancer cures. Uniting entrepreneurial expertise with his passion for social change, Josh co founded New Cycle Capital, a pioneer in building socially responsible businesses. Josh earned a JD/MBA from Stanford University in 1999. While a student, Josh co founded the Stanford Board Fellows program, which trains students to serve on the boards of local nonprofits, engaging them in social progress at the beginning of their careers, rather than the end. Senator Becker is a 20-year resident of Menlo Park, where he lives with his wife, Jonna, their two children, Leo and Aaron, and the family dog, Percy.

- California Legislative Jewish Caucus (Vice Chair);
- Bay Area Legislative Caucus (Vice Chair)

Member Priorities & District Issues

Member Priorities

- Housing and Homelessness;
- Traffic;
- Climate Change;
- Healthcare

Committee Membership

Standing Committees

- Chair, Senate Subcommittee on the Clean Energy Future
- Vice Chair, Joint Legislative Committee on Climate Change
- Senate Budget & Fiscal Review Committee
- Senate Business, Professions and Economic Development Committee
- Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee
- Senate Transportation Committee
- Senate Select Committee on the Nonprofit Sector

Subcommittees

- Senate Budget Subcommittee on Resources, Environmental Protection and Energy (Chair)

Joint Committees

- Joint Legislative Budget Committee

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