

STATE OF VERMONT
House of Representatives
Appropriations Committee Chairs Since 1915

Redfield Proctor of Proctor	1915-1916
J. Gregory Smith of St. Albans City	1917-1918
Marshall H. Alexander of St. Albans City	1919-1920
Frank E. Barber of Brattleboro	1921-1922
Wade Keyes of Reading	1923-1924
Jasper O. Thomas of Belvidere	1925-1928
Henry Holt of Montpelier	1929-1930
Guy H. Boyce of Proctor	1931-1932
Howard C. Rice of Brattleboro	1933-1934
Mortimer R. Proctor of Proctor	1935-1936
Howard C. Rice of Brattleboro	1937-1938
Benjamin O. Wales of Weybridge	1939-1942
Cleon A. Perkins of Rutland City	1943-1944
W. Arthur Simpson of Lyndon	1945-1948
Charles H. Austin of Richford	1949-1950
Harold C. Sylvester of St. Albans City	1951-1954
Olin D. Gay of Cavendish	1955-1956
Robert T. Gannett of Brattleboro	1957-1960
Irving W. Eastman of Whiting	1961-1962
Richard W. Mallery of Fairlee	1963-1966
Sanborn Partridge of Proctor	1967-1968
Luther F. Hackett of South Burlington	1969-1970
R. Marshall Witten of Bennington	1971-1972
Emory A. Hebard of Glover	1973-1976
Madeline M. Kunin of Burlington	1977-1978
Henry H. Carse of Hinesburg	1979-1980
Norman E. Wright of Westminster	1981-1984
John A. Hise, Jr. of Bristol	1985-1988

Michael J. Obuchowski of Rockingham	1989-1994 ¹
Sean P. Campbell of Rockingham	1995-1997 ²
Sally G. Fox of Essex	1998-2000
Richard A Westman of Cambridge	2001-2004
Martha P. Heath of Westford	2005-2014
Mitzi Johnson of South Hero	2015-2016 ³
Catherine B. Toll of Danville	2017-2020
Mary S. Hooper of Montpelier	2021-2022
Diane M. Lanpher of Vergennes	2023-2024
Robin P. Scheu of Middlebury	2025-PRESENT

¹ Rep. Obuchowski of Rockingham [elected Speaker in 1995](#).

² Rep. Campbell of Rockingham resigned from the House on September 6, 1997.

³ Rep. Johnson of South Hero [elected Speaker in 2017](#).