

COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

EMPLOYEE POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM Original Amendment

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from private sources for travel taken in connection with official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the annual *Financial Disclosure Statements* of those employees required to file them. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, **you must complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House by email at gifttravelreports@mail.house.gov, within 15 days after travel is completed.** Please **do not** file this form with the Committee on Ethics.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Name of Traveler: Jack Johnstone
2. a. Name of Accompanying Relative: _____ **OR** None
b. Relationship to Traveler: Spouse Child Other (specify): _____
3. a. Dates: Departure: April 6 Return: April 9
b. Dates at Personal Expense, if any: _____ **OR** None
4. Departure City: _____ Destination: _____ Return City: _____
5. Sponsor(s), Who Paid for the Trip: Conservative Partnership Institute
6. Describe Meetings and Events Attended: _____
See attached.
7. Attached to this form are **each** of the following, *signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box*:
 - a. a completed *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form*;
 - b. the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* completed by the trip sponsor **prior** to the trip, **including all** attachments **and** the *Additional Sponsor Form(s)*;
 - c. page 2 of the completed *Traveler Form* submitted by the employee; **and**
 - d. the letter from the Committee on Ethics approving my participation on this trip.
8. a. I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the attached sponsor's agenda. *Signify statement is true by checking the box.*
b. If not, explain: _____

I certify that the information contained on this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Traveler: _____ Date: 4/24/2026

I authorized this travel in advance. I have determined that all of the expenses listed on the attached *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form* were necessary and that the travel was in connection with the employee's official duties and would not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Name of Supervising Member: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Supervising Member: _____

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SPONSOR POST-TRAVEL DISCLOSURE FORM

Original Amendment

This form must be completed by an officer of any organization that served as the primary trip sponsor in providing travel expenses or reimbursement for travel expenses to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. **A completed copy of the form must be provided to each House Member, officer, or employee who participated in the trip within 10 days of their return.** You must answer all questions, and check all boxes, on this form for your submission to comply with House Rules and the Committee's Travel Regulations. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the denial of future requests to sponsor trips and/or subject the current traveler to disciplinary action or a requirement to repay the trip expenses.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Sponsor(s) who paid or provided in-kind support for the trip: Conservative Partnership Institute

2. Travel Destination(s): Cambridge, MD

3. Date of Departure: April 6 Date of Return: April 9, 2026

4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): See attached

Note: You may list more than one traveler on a form only if *all* information is *identical* for each person listed.

5. **Actual amount** of expenses paid on behalf of, or reimbursed to, each individual named in Question 4:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses	Total Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler	\$100	\$297	\$182	
Accompanying Family Member				

6. All expenses connected to the trip were for actual costs incurred and not a *per diem* or lump sum payment. Signify statement is true by checking box.

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: Ed Corrigan Date: 4/13/2026

Name: Ed Corrigan Title: President and CEO

Organization: Conservative Partnership Institute

I am an officer of the above-named organization. Signify statement is true by checking box.

Address: 300 Independence Ave SE, Washington, DC 20003

Telephone: _____ Email: cdavis@compasslegal.org

Committee staff may contact the above-named individual if additional information is required.

If you have questions regarding your completion of this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103.

**Conservative Partnership Institute's (CPI)
Intrepidus Fellowship Symposium
April, 6-9, 2026**

Date: Monday, April 6, 2026

- 12:00 pm** **Depart from Washington, D.C. 20003**
- 1:30 pm** **Arrive at Cambridge, MD 21613**
- 1:30 - 3:00 pm** **Check-in and Orientation**
- 3:00 - 5:00 pm** **SESSION 1: The Landscape of the Conservative Movement**
This informative lecture gives a historical overview of the people, events, and actions that have shaped the conservative movement, and gives an overview of the current organizations that comprise the conservative movement and what functions they play in policymaking in order to help attendees be more familiar with the historical and current landscape of a policy movement.
Speakers: Ed Corrigan, President and CEO, Conservative Partnership Institute and Rachel Bovard, Vice President of Programs, Conservative Partnership Institute
- 5:00 - 5:30 pm** **Executive Time**
- 5:30 – 7:30 pm** **Dinner and Keynote Speaker: Understanding Congress**
This session goes through the key terms, legislative procedures, and strategies to know in order to fully understand how Congress works. Identifying terms and common legislative procedures and tactics will assist the attendees in the preparation for future congressional action.
Speakers: Ed Corrigan, President and CEO, Conservative Partnership Institute and Rachel Bovard, Vice President of Programs, Conservative Partnership Institute

Date: Tuesday, April 7, 2026

- 8:00 – 9:00 am** **Breakfast Buffet**
- 9:00 – 11:00 am** **SESSION 2: History of Conservative Immigration Policy on Capitol Hill**
This session provides an overview of America's immigration system, key immigration laws, and how key conservative thinkers view immigration policy.
Speaker: Rosemary Jenks, Policy Director, and Grant Newman, Director of Government Relations, Immigration Accountability Project
- 11:00 - 11:30 am** **Executive Time**
- 11:30 – 1:00 pm** **Lunch & Keynote Speaker : History of Conservative Healthcare Policy**
Healthcare policy in the United States is complicated. This session provides an overview

of healthcare policy in the United States, key conservative thinkers' efforts, and conservative efforts to reform it.

Speaker: Ryan Long, Director of Congressional Relations & Senior Research Fellow, Paragon Health Institute

1:00 – 3:00 pm

Executive Time

3:00 – 5:00 pm

Session 3: History of Conservative Second Amendment Policy on Capitol Hill

The Second Amendment to the Constitution is vital to the Bill of Rights. This session provides an overview of the Second Amendment, the key firearm laws currently in place, and how conservatives consider Second Amendment policy.

Speaker: Knox Williams, Co-Founder of The Cylinder, and Executive Director of the American Suppressor Association

5:00 – 6:00 pm

Executive Time

6:00 – 8:00 pm

Dinner & Keynote Speaker: Rise of the Surveillance State

DHS, TSA, NCTC, ODNI, NSD are all creations of the post 9/11 world. Fellows will look at the rise of post-9/11 federal powers and how the addition of these agencies fundamentally altered the relationship between Americans and their government.

Speaker: Mike Benz, Executive Director, Foundation for Freedom Online

Date: Wednesday, April 8, 2026

8:00 – 9:00 am

Breakfast Buffet

9:00 – 11:00 am

Session 4: The History of Budget and Appropriations Process

Article 1, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution is the cornerstone of congressional tax and spending powers. Fellows will review key budget and appropriations laws, how they developed, and key areas where conservatives have exercised influence.

Speakers: Brittany Madni, Executive Vice President, Economic Policy Innovation Center

11:00 - 11:30 am

Executive Time

11:30 - 1:00 pm

Lunch & Keynote Speaker: History of the Pro-Life Movement

This session will cover the pro-life movement before and after the overturning of Roe V. Wade. Fellows will review key laws, and the Members of Congress and activists that played a part in shaping the pro-life movement today.

Speakers: Tom McClusky, Principal, Green Light Strategies

1:00 - 3:00 pm

Executive Time

3:00 – 5:00 pm

Session 5: Philosophical Basis of the Conservative Movement

Understanding the principles, ideas, and foundations of the conservative movement.

Speaker: Nathan Pinkoski, Senior Fellow, Center for Renewing America

5:00 – 6:00 pm **Executive Time**

6:00 – 7:30 pm **Dinner & Keynote Speaker: History of the Administrative State**
Often described as the Fourth Branch of government, this discussion will center around the size, growth, power, and complexity of the administrative state.
Speakers: Nathan Pinkoski, Senior Fellow, Center for Renewing America

Date: Thursday, April 9, 2026

8:00 – 9:00 am **Breakfast & Check Out**

9:00 am **Depart from Cambridge, MD 21613**

10:30 am **Arrive in Washington, D.C. 20003**

1. Alexandra Schindewolf – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Andrew Clyde (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
2. Jack Johnstone – Senior Legislative Assistant, Rep. Josh Brecheen (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
3. Aaron Jenks – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Eric Burlison (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
4. Cade Doerfler – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Chip Roy (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
5. Lauren Cook – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Andy Biggs (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
6. Connor Sloan – Legislative Aide, Rep. Paul Gosar (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
7. Hannah Balash – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Eric Burlison (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
8. Stone Griffin – Legislative Aide, Rep. Barry Moore (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
9. Caleb Gray – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Mark Harris (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
10. Ronnie Carabbia – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Greg Steube (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
11. George Barber – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Warren Davidson (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)

12. Caleigh McDonough – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Tim Moore (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
13. Katelyn Rickert – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Marlin Stutzman (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
14. Sam Havard – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Troy Downing (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
15. Patrick Englehart – Legislative Aide, Rep. Chip Roy (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)
16. Keaton Browder – Legislative Assistant, Rep. Michael Cloud (Invited as a Congressional staffer with interest in improving practical and historical knowledge of public policy issues, Congressional procedure, and legislative operations)

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TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: Jack Johnstone
2. Sponsor(s) who will be paying or providing in-kind support for the trip: Conservative Partnership Institute
3. City and State OR Foreign Country of Travel: Cambridge, MA
4. a. Date of Departure: April 6, 2026 Date of Return: April 9, 2026
- b. Yes No Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense?
If yes, list dates at personal expense: _____
5. a. Yes No Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? **If yes:**
- (1) Name of Accompanying Family Member: _____
- (2) Relationship to Traveler: Spouse Child Other (specify): _____
- (3) Yes No Accompanying Family Member is at least 18 years of age?
6. a. Yes No Did the trip sponsor answer "Yes" to Question 8(c) on the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* (i.e., travel is sponsored by an entity that employs a registered federal lobbyist or a foreign agent)?
- b. **If yes**, and you are requesting lodging for two nights, explain why the second night is warranted:

7. Yes No *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* is attached, including agenda, invitation, invitee list, and any other attachments and Additional Sponsor Forms.

NOTE: The agenda should show the traveler's individual schedule, including departure and arrival times and identify the specific events in which the traveler will be participating.

8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to the traveler's individual official or representational duties. **Staff should include their job title and how the activities on the itinerary relate to their duties.**

As a conservative legislative staffer, opportunities to learn more and how my understanding and skills are invaluable. I am a Senior Legislative Assistant.

9. Yes No Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip?

10. For staff travelers, to be completed by your employing Member:

ADVANCED AUTHORIZATION OF EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Signature of Employing Member: 

Date: 3/9/26

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April 2, 2026

Mr. Jack Johnstone
Office of the Honorable Josh Brecheen
351 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Johnstone:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to Cambridge, Maryland, scheduled for April 6 to 9, 2026, sponsored by Conservative Partnership Institute, Inc.

You must complete an Employee Post-Travel Disclosure Form (which your employing Member must also sign) and file it, together with a Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form completed by the trip sponsor, with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are also required to attach a copy of this letter and both the Traveler and Primary Trip Sponsor Forms (including attachments) you previously submitted to the Committee in seeking pre-approval for this trip. If you are required to file an annual Financial Disclosure Statement, you must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$525 from a single source on the "Travel" schedule of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement covering this calendar year. Finally, Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting information provided to the Committee for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,

Michael Guest
Chairman

Mark DeSaulnier
Ranking Member

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