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Fact Sheet: Illinois Congressional District 8

Congressional Representative

MELISSA BEAN (Democrat)

Representative since 2005 (3rd term)

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Record on immigration-related bills 2007-8

Pro-immigrant proposals

STRIVE Act (HR 1645)	Not a co-sponsor
DREAM Act (S 774)/ American DREAM Act (HR 1275)	Not a co-sponsor
AgJOBS (S 340/ HR 371)	Not a co-sponsor
Citizenship Promotion Act (S 795/ HR 1379)	Not a co-sponsor

Anti-immigrant proposals

SAVE Act (HR 4088)	Co-sponsor
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Record on immigration-related bills 2005-6

Pro-immigrant proposals

Secure American and Orderly Immigration Act (HR 2330/ S 1033)	Not a co-sponsor
AgJOBS (HR 884/ S 359)	Not a co-sponsor
American DREAM Act (HR 5131)	Not a co-sponsor

Anti-immigrant proposals

REAL ID Act (HR 418)	Voted for
Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act (HR 1268) w/ REAL ID—final vote	Voted for
Reauthorization of USA PATRIOT Act (HR 3199)	Voted for
Sensenbrenner bill (HR 4437)	Voted for
Secure Fence Act (HR 6061)	Voted for
Community Protection Act (HR 6094)	Voted for
Immigration Law Enforcement Act (HR 6095)	Voted for

Record on immigration-related bills 2003-4:

The following is the record of **former US Rep. Philip Crane** (R), Rep. Bean's immediate predecessor.

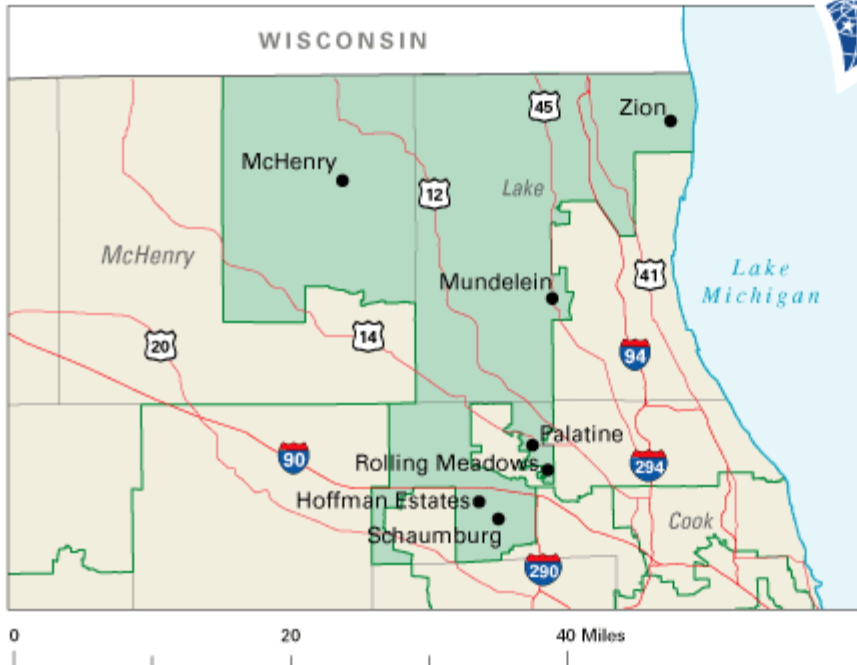
Pro-immigration proposals

Student Adjustment Act (HR 1684)	Not a co-sponsor
AgJOBS (HR 3142)	Not a co-sponsor
SOLVE Act (HR 4262)	Not a co-sponsor
Civil Liberties Restoration Act (HR 4591)	Not a co-sponsor
Allowing banks to accept consular IDs (HR 5025 amendment)	Voted against

Anti-immigrant proposals

CLEAR Act (HR 2671)	Co-sponsor
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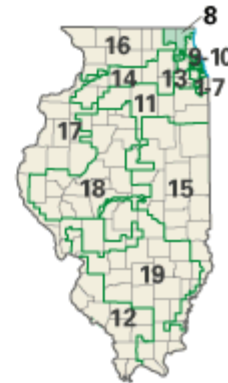
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8 Congressional District

Lake County



Illinois (19 Districts)

Election results

2008 general election: Bean defeated Steven Greenberg (R) 57%-43%
 2006 general election: Bean defeated David McSweeney (R) 51%-44%
 2004 general election: Bean defeated US Rep. Philip Crane (R) 52%-48%

Census Data (2007 American Community Survey)

TOTAL DISTRICT POPULATION	741,180
# Foreign born	129,343
% Foreign born	17.5%
# Naturalized citizens	52,904
% of foreign-born who were born in Latin America	43.5%
% of foreign-born who were born in Asia	30.1%
# Hispanic/Latinos	120,660
% Hispanic/Latino	16.3%
# Asian	60,890
% Asian	8.2%