

Worksheet to Determine the Percent of Elected Members Who Have Never Previously Served in the Minnesota Legislature

Election Year: 2014

Note: Senate not up for re-election

Find the number of newly-elected legislators: 26

House: 26

Jon Applebaum (44B)
Jeff Backer (12A)
Dave Baker (17B)
Peggy Bennett (27A)
Drew Christensen (56A)
Jack Considine (19B)
Brian Daniels (24B)
Kelly Fenton (53B)
Dave Hancock (2A)
Joshua Heintzeman (10A)
Jim Knoblach (14B)
Jon Koznick (58A)
Bob Loonan (55A)
Eric Lucero (30B)
Dale Lueck (10B)
Tim Miller (17A)
Jim Nash (47A)
Roz Peterson (56B)
Nels Pierson (26B)
Dave Pinto (64B)
Jason Rarick (11B)
Jennifer Schultz (7A)
Dennis Smith (34B)
Bob Vogel (20A)
Abigail Whelan (35A)
Cheryl Youakim (46B)

Find the number of newly-elected legislators with previous legislative experience: 2

Number of newly-elected House members who served in the House before with a gap in service:

Names:

Dave Hancock
Jim Knoblach

Number of newly-elected House members who served in the Senate before: 0

Total Number of newly-elected members with Previous Legislative Experience: 2

Find the number and percentage of newly-elected legislators who have never previously served in the Minnesota Legislature:

Subtract the number of newly-elected legislators from the numbers of newly-elected legislators with previous service: $26-2=24$

Number who have never previously served in the Legislature: 24

Divide that number by 201 and multiply by 100 for percentage: **11.94%**