

**2018 GEORGIA SENATE VOTING RECORD:  
BILLS RELATED TO COMPANION ANIMALS**



YE (Y)

NAY (N)

NOT VOTING (-)

EXCUSED (E)

**GOOD BILL**

**HARMFUL BILL**

LEAD SPONSOR \*\*

CO-SPONSOR \*

SENATOR	DISTRICT	SENATE BILLS		
		<a href="#">HB 419</a>	<a href="#">HB 695</a>	<a href="#">SB 418</a>
Click on the name for the lawmaker's bio & the bill number to see specific language.		Fireworks noise ordinances	Restore funding spay/neuter tags	Overturn retail pet ordinances
<a href="#">ALBERS</a>	56TH	Y**	Y	N
<a href="#">ANDERSON, L</a>	24TH	Y	Y	Y*
<a href="#">ANDERSON</a>	43RD	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">BEACH</a>	21ST	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">BLACK</a>	8TH	Y	Y	Y*
<a href="#">BRASS</a>	28TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">BURKE</a>	11TH	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">BUTLER</a>	55TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">COWSERT</a>	46TH	N	Y	N
<a href="#">DAVENPORT</a>	44TH	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">DUGAN</a>	30TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">GINN</a>	47TH	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">GOOCH</a>	51ST	N	E	-
<a href="#">HARBIN</a>	16TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">HARBISON</a>	15TH	Y	-	N
<a href="#">HARPER</a>	7TH	N	Y	Y*
<a href="#">HEATH</a>	31ST	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">HENSON</a>	41ST	Y	-	N
<a href="#">HILL</a>	4TH	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">HUFSTETLER</a>	52ND	-	Y	N
<a href="#">JACKSON</a>	2ND	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">JAMES</a>	35TH	Y	-	N
<a href="#">JONES II, H</a>	22ND	Y	-	N
<a href="#">JONES, E</a>	10TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">JONES, B</a>	25TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">JORDAN</a>	6TH	Y	-	N
<a href="#">KENNEDY</a>	18TH	Y	Y**	Y
<a href="#">KIRK</a>	13TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">KIRKPATRICK</a>	32ND	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">LIGON</a>	3RD	Y	-	E
<a href="#">LUCAS</a>	26TH	Y	-	Y
<a href="#">MARTIN IV</a>	9TH	Y	Y	E
<a href="#">MCKOON</a>	29TH	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">MILLAR</a>	40TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">MILLER</a>	49TH	-	Y	Y
<a href="#">MULLIS</a>	53RD	N	Y	Y*
<a href="#">ORROCK</a>	36TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">PARENT</a>	42ND	Y	Y	N

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<a href="#">RHETT</a>	33RD	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">SEAY</a>	34TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">SHAFER</a>	48TH	E	Y	Y
<a href="#">SIMS</a>	12TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">STONE</a>	23RD	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">STRICKLAND</a>	17TH	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">TATE</a>	38TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">THOMPSON, B</a>	14TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">THOMPSON</a>	5TH	-	Y	N
<a href="#">TILLERY</a>	19TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">TIPPINS</a>	37TH	-	Y	Y
<a href="#">UNTERMAN</a>	45TH	Y	-	N
<a href="#">WALKER</a>	20TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">WATSON</a>	1ST	Y	Y	Y
<a href="#">WILKINSON</a>	50TH	Y	Y	Y**
<a href="#">WILLIAMS, M</a>	27TH	Y	Y	N
<a href="#">WILLIAMS, N</a>	39TH	Y	Y	N
Notes: HB 253 (introduced and passed by the House in 2017), passed as an amendment to HB 695.		<b>47-4</b>	<b>47-0</b>	<b>19-34</b>
		<b>PASSED</b>	<b>PASSED</b>	<b>DEFEATED</b>

SB 418 would have overturned local ordinances prohibiting the retail sale of puppies/kittens. A "Nay" vote is a vote to protect animals.

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