

## Senate District 7

### Rahul Garabadu (D)

#### Economy

- Wants to take on policies that put more money back in the pockets of hardworking families by addressing high grocery costs, rent, and homeownership barriers.

#### Housing

- Believes homeownership has become impossible for many families.

#### Public Safety

- No information listed

#### Education

- No information listed

#### Healthcare

- Believes too many families are one healthcare crisis away from financial ruin
- Will fight to expand Medicaid, close the coverage gap, and lower healthcare costs.

#### Voting & Elections

- Committed to fighting to protect ballot access and ensure every Georgian's voice can be heard.

#### Immigration

- Aims to protect immigrant communities and ensure SD 7 remains safe for everyone.

#### First Amendment

- No information listed



### Ruwa Romman (D)

#### Economy

- Argues the minimum wage has not changed since 1997 and wants to raise it to at least \$15 per hour.

#### Housing

- Believes homes should belong to Georgians, not corporate landlords
- Supports ending corporate tax breaks, increasing tenant protections, and repealing state laws that prevent local officials from helping constituents.

#### Public Safety

- Supports increasing certification requirements for law enforcement.
- Wants to increase pay for first responders.
- Supports gun control and common-sense gun safety policies

#### Education

- Supports fully funding the HOPE scholarship and addressing the increasing costs of college education.

#### Healthcare

- Supports abortion access.
- Supports expanding Medicaid and advocates for Medicare for All.

#### Voting & Elections

- Supports increasing voting locations to reduce long lines.
- Supports expanding language resources to increase participation.
- Supports increasing the early voting period to allow for a variety of voting days.

#### Immigration

- Supports pushing federal counterparts to pass legislation holding ICE accountable
- Believes state-level officials can pass laws to protect their constituents.

#### First Amendment

- Argued against the Religious Freedom Restoration Act because the legislation would allow for discrimination against Muslims.



### Astrid Ross (D)

#### Economy

- No information listed

#### Housing

- Supports policies that protect workers
- Wants to expand access to affordable childcare, and ensure wages and opportunities keep pace with the real cost of living.

#### Public Safety

- Believes every family deserves safety

#### Education

- Supports equitable funding for all schools, educator support, and student well-being, including public, private, and homeschools.

#### Healthcare

- Supports expanding mental health accessibility across Georgia through community-based services, crisis stabilization programs, and peer support specialists.

#### Voting & Elections

- No information listed

#### Immigration

- No information listed

#### First Amendment

- No information listed



### Aizaz Shaikh (R)

#### Economy

- Aims to lower the barrier of homeownership through legislation that reduces property taxes, increasing first-time homebuyer programs, and providing education to those who seek it.

#### Housing

- No information listed

#### Public Safety

- No information listed

#### Education

- Believes one of the best ways to tackle our affordability crisis is to educate Americans early on in best practices for money management—whether through school curricula or after-school programs for all ages.

#### Healthcare

- No information listed

#### Voting & Elections

- No information listed

#### Immigration

- No information listed

#### First Amendment

- No information listed

