

Betsy DeVos

BACKGROUND (GENERAL/CAREER)

Personal Information

Elisabeth D. Devos

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Education

Calvin College

Grand Rapids, MI 49546 ("Betsy DeVos," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Work Experience

1989 – Present: Windquest Group Chairman ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1989 – Present: Dick & Betsy DeVos Family Foundation Chairman ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1994 – Present: The Potter's House School Board Member ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

2016 – Present: Kids Hope USA National Advisor Board ("Board Of Directors," [Kids Hope USA](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1995 – Present: Education Freedom Fund Board Member ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1995 – Present: Acton Institute Board Member ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Present: The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women Chairperson ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Present: DeVos Institute Of Arts Management Board Member ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Present: American Federation For Children Chairman ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

2004 – 2010: Kennedy Center For The Performing Arts Board Member ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

2003: Library Of Congress Trust Fund Board Member ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

2001 – 2002: Choices For Children Chairman ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1995 – 2002: American Heart Association Co-Chairman, "Heartbeat" Fundraising Program ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

2000: National Republican Senatorial Committee National Finance Chairman ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1996 – 2000: Michigan Republican Party Chairwoman ("Board Of Directors," [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1993 – 1998: Grand Rapids Economic Club Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1992 – 1997: Republican National Committee National Committeewoman For Michigan (“Interview With Betsy Devos, The Reformer,” [Philanthropy Roundtable](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1992 – 1997: Republican National Committee National Committeewoman For Michigan (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

1986 – 1997: Blodgett Memorial Medical Center Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1993 – 1995: Calvin College President’s Advisory Council Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1992 – 1995: Ada Christian School Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

1994: Michigan International Year Of The Family Council Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1990 – 1993: Grand Rapids Christian School Association Capital Fund Drive Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

1991 – 1992: Michigan Council For The Arts And Cultural Affairs Governor Appointed Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1991 – 1992: Ada Christian School Education Foundation Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1986 – 1992: Kendall College Of Art & Design Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1990 – 1992: Arts Council Of Greater Grand Rapids Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1989 – 1992: Michigan Fifth District Republican Committee Chairman (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1990 – 1991: Grand Rapids Area Medical Education Committee Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1988 – 1991: Worldwide Christian Schools Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

1984 – 1988: Kent County Republican Committee Chairman (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Unable To Confirm Dates: Compass Arts Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

Unable To Confirm Dates: All Children Matter Board Member (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Unable To Confirm Dates: Michigan Chamber Of Commerce Member, Board Of Directors And Executive Committee (“Board Of Directors,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Unable To Confirm Dates: American Education Reform Council Board Member (“Peace Through Business Chairperson,” [The Institute For Economic Empowerment Of Women](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

TRUMP/PENCE

Trump

In June 2016, DeVos Didn’t Endorse Trump Because Of “Serious Policy Differences”

In July 2016, Betsy DeVos Did Not Back Trump Due To Serious Policy Differences. “She can’t abide Trump’s national security policies, including his warming to Russian President Vladimir Putin, and she’s against his policies of building a wall along the U.S.-Mexico and his proposal to deport 11 million illegal immigrants. ‘Our party needs to be one of openness, recognizing that we live in an increasingly small world,’ DeVos told The Hill. ‘And of course we need to have good trade deals, but the notion that we would put walls up around our nation is just not a tenable position. That said, I understand the anxiety and the frustration that he has clearly tapped into.’” (Jonathan Swan, “Powerful Republican Family Hold Out Against Nominee,” [The Hill](#) 7/20/16)

- **If Trump Did Not Change His Tune On Policy, DeVos Said Her And Her Family Would Not Donate To Trump.** “Unless Trump profoundly changes in these policy areas, DeVos says, she and her family are going to dedicate their resources this political season to saving the Republican-controlled Senate. ‘The Senate is key,’ she said. ‘There are some good people who are vulnerable.’” (Jonathan Swan, “Powerful Republican Family Hold Out Against Nominee,” [The Hill](#), 7/20/16)

DeVos Said She Had Reservations About Trump “As A Person”

Betsy DeVos Said She Had Reservation About Trump “As A Person,” And Also Doubted His Demeanor. “‘I still have reservations about him as a person,’ said Betsy DeVos, a major donor from Michigan, who attended the convention as a delegate. ‘I cannot and will not support and vote for Hillary Clinton. But I think there are things I want and personally need to hear [from Trump], and that is a more serious focus on the really critical and important issues of the day, and a demeanor that I think would reflect the office of the presidency.’” (Karen Tumulty, “Divided GOP Wonders Is It Trump’s Part Now,” [The Washington Post](#), 7/23/16)

DeVos Said That She Wouldn’t Donate To Trump Unless He Changed His Agenda

In May DeVos Stated That Unless Trump Had An “Opportunity Agenda,” That Her Family Would Not Donate To His Campaign. “‘Until we have a better reason to embrace and support the top of the ticket, and see an agenda that is truly an opportunity agenda, then we have lots of other options in which to invest and spend our time helping,’ said Betsy DeVos, a Michigan Republican whose family has given nearly \$9.5 million over the last three elections to party causes and candidates.” (Jonathan Martin And Alexander Burns, “Key G.O.P. Donors Still Deeply Resist Donald Trump’s Candidacy,” [The New York Times](#), 5/21/16)

DeVos Was Not Among The Four Members Of Her Family Attending A Trump Fundraiser In Grand Rapids

Despite Her Family Attending A Trump Fundraiser, Betsy DeVos Did Not Attend And Did Not Donate To Trump’s Campaign. “She was not a vocal supporter of Trump during his presidential run. DeVos told The Detroit News in July she was not ready to back the brash businessman. She was not among four members of her family who attended a late September fundraiser for Trump and the Republican Party in Grand Rapids. Federal records show DeVos donated more than \$320,000 to the Republican Party, candidates and political organizations in 2016, but she did not contribute to Trump after giving to both former Florida Gov. Jeb Bush and former Hewlett Packard CEO Carly Fiorina during the GOP primary.” (Jonathan Oosting, “Trump Eyes Betsy DeVos For Education Secretary,” [The Detroit News](#) 11/16/16)

Pence

Betsy DeVos Praised Pence For Being Authentic On School Choice. “The issue is personal for Pence, said Betsy DeVos, a delegate from Michigan and the chairman of the American Federation of Children, which promotes school choice. ‘It’s not just a rhetorical record, he feels it in his heart of hearts,’ she said. ‘I think he would bring a very keen and focused perspective on the importance of education and education choice in particular.’” (Alyson Klein, “Vice Presidential Nominee Pence Says Trump Will Embrace School Choice,” [Education Week](#), 7/20/16)

DeVos Called On Chairman Priebus To Remove RNC Committeeman Dave Agema Because Of Agema's Intolerance

In 2014, DeVos Called On Chairman Priebus To Remove Dave Agema From The Committee If Agema Didn't Resign On His Own. "Now, a prominent Michigan Republican has finally spoken out against a 'culture of intolerance.' Betsy DeVos has called on Agema to resign and for chairman Reince Priebus to remove him from the RNC if the committeeman refuses to do so." 'The expectation of leaders in a party is to stand up in situations like this,' DeVos, former chairperson of Michigan's GOP, told The Detroit News. 'Failing to do so will have consequences.'" (Jason Sattler, "Prominent Republican Finally Calls On Anti Gay RNC Official To Resign, Ignores Own Family's Intolerance," [National Memo](#), 1/19/14)

GENERAL CONTROVERSY

Criminal Filings

No Records Found. (Nexis, Accessed 11/22/16)

☐ **Criminal Filings - 0 records found**

DeVos' School Choice Group, All Children Matter, Was Fined \$5.2 Million For Illegally Funneling Money From Its Virginia PAC To Its Ohio PAC

In 2008, The Ohio Elections Commission Unanimously Ruled That DeVos' Group, All Children Matter, Illegally Funneled \$870,000 In Contributions From Its Virginia PAC To The Ohio Affiliate. "The Ohio Elections Commission unanimously ruled in 2008 that All Children Matter, headed by former Michigan Republican Chairwoman Betsy DeVos and run out of that state, illegally funneled \$870,000 in contributions from its Virginia political action committee to its Ohio affiliate. That violated a \$10,000 cap on what Ohio-based political-action committees could accept from any single entity." (Julie Carr Smyth, "School Choice Expanding As Record Fine Languishes," [The Associated Press](#), 3/30/11)

In 2011, All Children Matter Had Yet To Pay The \$5.2 Million Fine. "A school choice group that pumped millions of dollars into helping get its candidates elected in Ohio, Wisconsin and other states has yet to pay a record \$5.2 million fine imposed three years ago by Ohio election officials, according to the state attorney general." (Julie Carr Smyth, "School Choice Expanding As Record Fine Languishes," [The Associated Press](#) 3/30/11)

All Children Matter Faced A Similar Complaint In Wisconsin, And Was Eventually Fined \$500 For Failing To Register Its PAC. "All Children Matter faced a similar complaint in Wisconsin, where two individuals, a teacher's union and a union representing nurses and other health care professionals alleged the Virginia PAC acted improperly when it donated to its Wisconsin affiliate without being registered in the state. After an 18-month investigation, the state fined All Children Matter \$500 in 2009 for failing to register its PAC." (Julie Carr Smyth, "School Choice Expanding As Record Fine Languishes," [The Associated Press](#), 3/30/11)

DeVos' Husband And Former Michigan Gubernatorial Candidate, Dick DeVos, Started All Children Matter In 2003. "Former Michigan gubernatorial candidate Dick DeVos, Betsy's husband, set up All Children Matter in 2003 to push vouchers in other states and advocate for tax credits for businesses that create scholarships for children to attend private schools." (Julie Carr Smyth, "School Choice Expanding As Record Fine Languishes," [The Associated Press](#) 3/30/11)

DeVos' Mother, Elsa Prince Broekhuizen, Contributed \$450,000 Towards The Effort To Ban Same-Sex Marriages In California

DeVos Is The Daughter Of Elsa Prince Broekhuizen, Who Contributed \$450,000 Toward The 2008 Effort To Ban Same-Sex Marriages In California. "Betsy DeVos is the daughter of Elsa Prince Broekhuizen, who contributed \$450,000 toward the 2008 effort to ban same-sex marriages in California. Her brother is Erik Prince, founder of the controversial security firm, Blackwater." (Laurie Bennett, "The Ultra Rich, Ultra Conservative DeVos Family," [Forbes](#) 12/26/11)

DeVos' Brother Is The Founder Of The Controversial Security Firm, Blackwater

DeVos' Brother Is Erik Prince, The Found Of The "Controversial" Security Firm, Blackwater. "Betsy DeVos is the daughter of Elsa Prince Broekhuizen, who contributed \$450,000 toward the 2008 effort to ban same-sex marriages in California. Her brother is Erik Prince, founder of the controversial security firm, Blackwater." (Laurie Bennett, "The Ultra Rich, Ultra Conservative DeVos Family," [Forbes](#) 12/26/11)

On April 13, 2015, A Former Blackwater Security Guard Received A Life-Sentence For Killing Unarmed Iraqi Civilians In 2007. "One former Blackwater security contractor received a life sentence on Monday and three others received 30-year sentences for killing unarmed Iraqi civilians in Baghdad's Nisour Square in 2007." (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#), 4/13/15)

- **Three Others Received 30 year Sentences.** "One former Blackwater security contractor received a life sentence on Monday and three others received 30-year sentences for killing unarmed Iraqi civilians in Baghdad's Nisour Square in 2007." (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#) 4/13/15)

The Shooting Resulted In 17 Deaths. "The shooting left 17 people dead and was a gruesome nadir in the war in Iraq. It transformed Blackwater Worldwide from America's wealthiest and most politically powerful security contractor into a symbol of unchecked and privatized military power." (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#), 4/13/15)

Witnesses At The Trial Said The Blackwater Contractors Had Fired "Unprovoked On Unarmed Civilians. "At the trial, Iraqi witnesses testified that the Blackwater contractors had fired unprovoked on unarmed civilians who had been going about their day in the crowded intersection. Former Blackwater employees who were in the convoy of armored trucks that day also testified against their colleagues." (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#), 4/13/15)

- **The Blackwater Contractors Had Claimed The Innocent Civilians Were The Unintended Casualties Of An Ambush.** "The former Blackwater contractors said insurgents had ambushed them, and they described the civilians as the unfortunate unintended casualties of war. Prosecutors, however, described the killings as a massacre of innocent people. In October, jurors agreed. 'What happened on Sept. 16, 2007, was nothing short of an atrocity. There's just no other way to describe it,' T. Patrick Martin, a federal prosecutor, said before sentencing on Monday. He said that 'the United States has shown that regardless of the nationality of the victims, it values justice for all.'" (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#) 4/13/15)

The Case Was "A Diplomatic Victory" For The United States Who Had To Assuage Concerns Of The Iraqi Government Through Several Setbacks In The Case. "The sentences were a long-fought diplomatic victory for the United States, which asked a skeptical Iraqi government and its people to be patient and trust the American criminal justice system. That faith was tested many times over the last eight years as the case suffered several setbacks, many of which were of the government's own making." (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#) 4/13/15)

In Iraq, Blackwater Was Seen As So Powerful, Iraqi's Feared Their Employees "Could Kill Anyone And Get Away With It. "Mohammed Hafedh Abdulrazzaq Kinani, whose 9-year-old son, Ali, was killed, said that in Iraq, Blackwater had been regarded as so powerful that its employees could kill anyone and get away with it. 'Blackwater had power like Saddam Hussein. The power comes from the United States,' he said. He added later: 'Today we see who will win. The law? Or Blackwater?'" (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#), 4/13/15)

The Shooting Ruined Blackwater's Reputation. "The shooting left 17 people dead and was a gruesome nadir in the war in Iraq. It transformed Blackwater Worldwide from America's wealthiest and most politically powerful security contractor into a symbol of unchecked and privatized military power." (Matt Apuzzo, "Ex Blackwater Guards Sentenced To Prison In 2007 Killings Of Iraqi Civilians," [The New York Times](#), 4/13/15)

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POLICY STANCES/STATEMENTS

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School Choice And Vouchers

Devos Expanded Educational Reform Through The Expansion Of Charter Schools In Michigan. “I started a political action committee in Michigan called the Great Lakes Education Project, which was devoted to promoting education reform through the expansion of charter schools in the state.” (“Interview with Besty Devos, The Reformer,” [Philanthropy Roundtable](#), 2013)

Devos Is A Leading Advocate For The Educational-Choice Movement. “She is perhaps best known as a leading advocate for the educational-choice movement. To that end, she serves as chairman of the American Federation for Children (AFC) and the Alliance for School Choice.” (“Interview with Besty Devos, The Reformer,” [Philanthropy Roundtable](#), 2013)

Devos Said Traditional Public School Are Not Succeeding And That People Have Become More Open To Vouchers, Tax Credits, And Education Savings Accounts. “This confluence of events is forcing people to take note, particularly because of the public’s awareness that traditional public schools are not succeeding. In fact, let’s be clear, in many cases, they are *failing*. That’s helped people become more open to what were once considered really radical reforms – reforms like vouchers, tax credits, and education savings accounts.” (“Interview with Besty Devos, The Reformer,” [Philanthropy Roundtable](#) 2013)

Devos Said She Worked To Expand Educational Choice Through Vouchers And Tax Credits. “During the 1990s, I served on the boards of two national 501(c)(3) charities, Children First America and the American Education Reform Council, both of which worked to expand educational choice through vouchers and tax credits.” (“Interview with Besty Devos, The Reformer,” [Philanthropy Roundtable](#), 2013)

POLITICAL ACTIVITY

Political Affiliation

According To GOP Data Center, Betsy DeVos Is Listed As A Registered Unaffiliated Voter In Kent County, MI. Betsy DeVos Is Listed As A Registered Unaffiliated Voter In Kent County, MI. (GOP Data Center and Nexis, Accessed 11/22/16)

DeVos Voted For Kasich At The Convention In Cleveland

At The Republican National Committee Convention In July, DeVos Voted For Governor John Kasich (R-OH) And Was Still Not Supportive Of Trump. “DeVos, a former chair of the Michigan Republican Party, previously expressed reservations about Trump. At the Republican National Convention in July she cast her vote as an at-large delegate for Ohio Gov. John Kasich, and said she was still hoping to ‘hear something from our nominee to convince me that I should support him.’” (Brian McVicar, “Betsy DeVos Under Consideration By Donald Trump For U.S. Secretary Of Education,” [M Live](#), 11/17/16)

DeVos And Her Husband Funded School Voucher Program In Michigan

Betsy DeVos And Her Husband Richard Financed An Effort In Michigan To Provide School Vouchers To Underprivileged Students. “If anyone in Michigan needs no introduction, it's Richard DeVos Jr., president of Amway Corp. and a deep-pocketed supporter of conservative causes, and his wife, Elisabeth, whose volunteering includes heading the state Republican Party and raising millions of dollars for the GOP. So when the DeVoses signed on to the school-voucher movement -- not just endorsing it, but leading it, financing it, working the crowds on its behalf -- they assured vouchers their best-ever test at the polls. And even if they lose, they've probably also assured vouchers a national spotlight that isn't likely to dim.” (June Kronholz, “In Michigan, Amway Chief And Wife Give School Vouchers A Higher Profile,” [Wall Street Journal](#), 10/25/00)

The Proposal Would Have Provided A Voucher To Any Student In Any School District Where “Where Fewer Than Two-Thirds Of The Students Who Enter Ninth Grade Graduate Four Years Later.” “The DeVoses' proposal would require Michigan to offer a voucher to any youngster in a failing school district -- by this definition, any district where fewer than two-thirds of the students who enter ninth grade graduate four years later. Michigan's vouchers would be worth \$3,300, about half what the state now gives schools to educate the average child.” (June Kronholz, “In Michigan, Amway Chief And Wife Give School Vouchers A Higher Profile,” [Wall Street Journal](#) 10/25/00)

The Measure Failed With Almost 70% Of Voters Voting Against It. ([Ballotpedia](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Michigan Vouchers and Teacher Testing Amendment, Proposal 1 (2000)

Michigan Vouchers and Teacher Testing Amendment, Proposal 1 (2000) was on the November 7, 2000 election ballot in Michigan as an initiated constitutional amendment, where it was **defeated**.

Election results

Proposal 1 (Vouchers and Teacher Testing Amendment)		
Result	Votes	Percentage
 No	2,767,320	69.1%
Yes	1,235,533	30.9%

Official results via: [The Michigan Secretary of the State](#)

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DONATIONS

Gov. Scott Walker (R-WI)

In 2016, DeVos Donated \$2,700 To Gov. Scott Walker (R-MI). ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) BETSY DEVOS			Transaction ID : SA17A.140696		
Mailing Address [REDACTED]			Date of Receipt		
City [REDACTED] State [REDACTED] Zip Code [REDACTED]			M M / D D / Y Y Y Y Y 01 / 04 / 2016		
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C			Amount of Each Receipt this Period		
Name of Employer THE WINDQUEST GROUP		Occupation EXECUTIVE	2700.00		
Receipt For: 2016 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▼		Election Cycle-to-Date	Memo Item <input type="checkbox"/>		
		2700.00			

Sen. Marco Rubio (R-FL)

In February 2016, DeVos Donated \$50,000 To Conservative Solutions PAC, A Super PAC Supporting Sen. Marco Rubio's (R-FL) Presidential Campaign. ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) B. Betsy DeVos			Date of Receipt		
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City [REDACTED] State [REDACTED] Zip Code [REDACTED]			Transaction ID : SA11AI.6131		
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		50000.00			

Sen. Tim Scott (R-SC)

In 2014 And 2015, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$7,400 To Sen. Tim Scott (R-SC). ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST GROUP	3/31/15	\$2,700	Scott, Tim (R)
[REDACTED]				
DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST GROUP	6/10/14	\$2,000	Scott, Tim
[REDACTED]				
DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST GROUP	3/31/15	\$2,700	Scott, Tim (R)
[REDACTED]				

Sen. Chuck Grassley (R-IA)

In 2016, DeVos Donated \$5,400 To Grassley Hawkeye Fund, A Joint Fundraising Committee Of Sen. Chuck Grassley (R-IA). ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)
GRASSLEY HAWKEYE FUND

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) A. Betsy DeVos		Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 06 / 02 / 2016
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City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]
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Name of Employer The Windquest Group	Occupation Executive	<input type="checkbox"/> Memo Item
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- **DeVos Donations Were Transferred To Grassley's Campaign, \$2,700 For The Primary And \$2,700 For The General.** ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) A. Betsy DeVos		Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 06 / 06 / 2016
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Sen. Pat Toomey (R-PA)

From 2010 To 2015, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$7,800 To Sen. Pat Toomey (R-PA). ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	INFORMATION REQUESTED	9/30/10	\$2,400	Toomey, Pat (R)
DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	3/31/15	\$2,700	Toomey, Pat (R)
DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	3/31/15	\$2,700	Toomey, Pat (R)

Sen. Spencer Abraham (R-MI)

From 1993 To 1994, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$2,000 To Then-Republican Candidate Spencer Abraham's Race For A U.S. Senate Seat From Michigan. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	11/8/93	\$1,000	Abraham, Spencer (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	9/1/94	\$1,000	Abraham, Spencer (R)

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DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	1/17/06	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	1/17/05	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	2/18/03	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	2/26/04	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	2/18/97	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	2/10/98	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	The Windquest Group/President	1/3/02	\$250	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	2/9/09	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	The Windquest Group/President	8/29/01	\$250	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	2/6/07	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	2/4/08	\$500	Ehlers, Vernon J (R)

Rep. Tim Walberg (R-MI)

From 2007-2011, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$6,900 To Rep. Tim Walberg. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

Contributor	Occupation	Date	Amount	Recipient
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	5/29/07	\$1,000	Walberg, Tim (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	9/30/10	\$2,400	Walberg, Tim (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	5/2/11	\$2,500	Walberg, Tim (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	9/2/08	\$1,000	Walberg, Tim (R)

Rep. John Kline (R-MN)

In 2000, DeVos Donated \$2,000 To Then-Republican Candidate John Kline, Who Was Running For Michigan's Second Congressional District Seat. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST	10/21/00	\$1,000	Kline, John (R)
[REDACTED]				
DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST	10/21/00	\$1,000	Kline, John (R)
[REDACTED]				

Rep. Dave Trott (R-MI)

In 2015, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To Rep. Dave Trott (R-MI). ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) BETSY DEVOS		Date of Receipt M M / D D / Y Y Y Y 06 / 11 / 2015	
C. Mailing Address [REDACTED]		Transaction ID : A896F8F1FFC6E4404AFB	
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1000.00
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C			
Name of Employer WINDQUEST GROUP	Occupation CHAIRMAN		
Receipt For: 2016 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Election Cycle-to-Date 1000.00		

Rep. Dave Camp (R-MI)

In 1990, DeVos Donated \$500 To Then-Candidate Dave Camp, Who Was Running For Michigan's Fourth Congressional District Seat. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST GROUP	5/31/90	\$500	Camp, Dave (R)
[REDACTED]				

Rep. Pete Hoekstra (R-MI)

In 1994, DeVos Donated \$250 To Rep. Pete Hoekstra (R-MI). ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY		4/11/94	\$250	Hoekstra, Peter (R)
[REDACTED]				

Representative-Elect Paul Mitchell

In 2016, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To Republican Candidate Paul Mitchell's Race For Michigan's Ten District Congressional Seat. ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) DeVos, Betsy, , ,			Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 09 / 28 / 2016	
Mailing Address [REDACTED]			Transaction ID : A51941B48B84F41BDBC1	
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1000.00	
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C			<input type="checkbox"/> Memo Item	
Name of Employer Alticor Corporation		Occupation Executive		
Receipt For: 2016 <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▼		Election Cycle-to-Date 1000.00		

Monica Wehby

In 2014, DeVos Donated \$2,600 To Monica Wehby, A Republican Candidate For A U.S. Senate Seat From Oregon. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) B. Betsy DeVos			Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 09 / 30 / 2014	
Mailing Address [REDACTED]			Amount of Each Receipt this Period 2,600.00	
City [REDACTED]	State	Zip Code		
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C				
Name of Employer Amway		Occupation Shareholder		
Receipt For: G2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)		Election Cycle-to-Date 2,600.00		

Jason Allen

In 2016, DeVos Donated \$2,700 To Jason Allen, A Republican Candidate For Michigan's First Congressional District Seat. ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) C. DeVos, Betsy, , ,			Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 07 / 27 / 2016	
Mailing Address [REDACTED]			Transaction ID : AF44A963DA516478CA0A	
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 2700.00	
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C			<input type="checkbox"/> Memo Item	
Name of Employer Windquest Group		Occupation President		
Receipt For: 2016 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▼		Election Cycle-to-Date 2700.00		

Michelle McManus

In 1998, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$1,500 To Republican Candidate Michelle McManus's Campaign For Michigan's First Congressional District Seat. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN PARTY	10/28/98	\$1,000	McManus, Michelle A (R)
[REDACTED]				
DEVOS, BETSY	MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN PARTY	7/10/98	\$500	McManus, Michelle A (R)
[REDACTED]				

Clark Durant

In 2011, DeVos Donated \$2,500 To Republican Clark Durant's Primary Campaign For U.S. Senate. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) C. Betsy DeVos				Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 08 / 25 / 2011	
Mailing Address [REDACTED]				Transaction ID : A-C801	
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]		Amount of Each Receipt this Period 2500	
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C1					
Name of Employer The Windquest Group		Occupation Owner			
Receipt For: 2012 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)		Election Cycle-to-Date 2500			

Joe Fitzsimmons

In 1996, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To Republican Candidate Joe Fitzsimmons' Race For Michigan's 13th Congressional District Seat. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST	11/4/96	\$1,000	Fitzsimmons, Joe (R)
[REDACTED]				

John Gomez

In 2010, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To Republican Candidate John Gomez's Race For New York's Second Congressional District Seat. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) Betsy DeVos			Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 10 / 04 / 2010		
Mailing Address [REDACTED]			Transaction ID: SA11AI.7839		
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 1000.00		
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C					
Name of Employer RDV Corporation		Occupation Executive			
Receipt For: 2010 <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▼		Election Cycle-to-Date ▼ 1000.00			

Bradley Haskins

In 1990, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To Republican Candidate Bradley Haskin's Race For Michigan's Third Congressional District Seat. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST CORP	3/22/90	\$250	Haskins, Bradley James (R)
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Republican National Committee

From 2008 To 2011, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$66,200 To The Republican National Committee. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	REQUESTED	10/23/08	\$5,000	Republican National Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	REQUESTED	11/25/09	\$30,400	Republican National Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	HOMEMAKER	10/24/11	\$30,800	Republican National Cmte (R)

NRSC

In 2015, DeVos Donated \$33,400 To The National Republican Senatorial Committee. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]		10/6/15	\$33,400	National Republican Senatorial Cmte (R)
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Michigan Republican Party

In 2008, DeVos Donated \$7,000 To The Republican Party Of Michigan. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) Betsy Devos			Date of Receipt MM / DD / YYYY 09 / 04 / 2008		
Mailing Address [REDACTED]			Transaction ID: 80909.C853517		
City [REDACTED]	State [REDACTED]	Zip Code [REDACTED]	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 7000.00		
FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee. C			Receipt		
Name of Employer The Windquest Group		Occupation Chairman of the Board			
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▼		Aggregate Year-to-Date ▼ 7000.00			

Michigan Republican State Committee

From 1990-2001, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$4,000 To The Michigan Republican State Committee. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	HOUSEWIFE	6/13/90	\$1,000	Michigan Republican State Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	HOUSEWIFE	8/6/92	\$1,000	Michigan Republican State Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	HOUSEWIFE	8/7/91	\$1,000	Michigan Republican State Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	Windquest Group/President	5/21/01	\$1,000	Republican State Cmte of Michigan (R)

Texas Republican Congressional Committee

In 1999, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To The Texas Republican Congressional Committee. ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): F. Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Betsy DEVOS [REDACTED]		Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): Primary		Occupation	08/06/1999	1,000.00
		Aggregate Year-to-Date ->	1,000.00	

Kent County (Michigan) Republican Committee

From 1990-1995, DeVos Donated \$10,390 To The Kent County, Michigan Republican Committee. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	7/6/94	\$4,000	Kent County Republican Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	1/23/95	\$5,000	Kent County Republican Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	HOUSEWIFE	5/24/90	\$1,390	Kent County Republican Finance Cmte (R)

Ottawa Country (Michigan) Republican Committee

From 1993 To 1999, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$2,731 To The Ottawa County, Michigan Republican Committee. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	MI REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE	1/30/98	\$1,000	Ottawa County Republican Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	MICHIGAN REPUBLICAN COMM	10/21/99	\$306	Ottawa County Republican Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	MI REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE	3/12/99	\$1,000	Ottawa County Republican Cmte (R)
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	HOUSEWIFE	10/21/93	\$425	Ottawa County Republican Cmte (R)

American Crossroads

In 2015 And 2016, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$100,000 To American Crossroads. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	RDV CORPORATION	6/10/16	\$50,000	American Crossroads
DEVOS, BETSY MRS [REDACTED]	RDV CORPORATION	10/6/15	\$50,000	American Crossroads

Susan B. Anthony List

From 1997-1998, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$2,000 To Susan B. Anthony List. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Contributor	Occupation	Date	Amount	Recipient
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	5/14/96	\$1,000	Susan B Anthony List
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	WINDQUEST GROUP	2/11/97	\$1,000	Susan B Anthony List

School Choice Federal PAC

In 2016, DeVos Donated \$5,000 To School Choice Federal PAC. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	Windquest Group	10/8/16	\$5,000	School Choice Federal Pac
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Restoring The American Dream PAC

From 1998 To 2003, DeVos Donated \$25,000 To Restoring The American Dream PAC. ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	12/5/03	\$5,000	Restoring the American Dream
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	12/30/99	\$5,000	Restoring the American Dream
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	9/29/00	\$5,000	Restoring the American Dream
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	THE WINDQUEST GROUP	6/23/98	\$5,000	Restoring the American Dream
DEVOS, BETSY [REDACTED]	The Windquest Group/Chairman	9/13/02	\$5,000	Restoring the American Dream

Gov. John Kasich (R-OH)

In 2001, DeVos Donated \$1,000 To New Century Project, A PAC Associated With Then-Former U.S. Rep. John Kasich (R-OH). ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

3. Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)
 Betsy DeVos

Mailing Address
 [REDACTED]

City State Zip Code
 [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

FEC ID number of contributing federal political committee.

Name of Employer Occupation
 Windquest Group Executive

Receipt For: Aggregate Year-to-Date ▼
 Primary General
 Other (specify) ▼

Date of Receipt
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Amount of Each Receipt this Period
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Ann Arbor National PAC

In 2000, DeVos Donated \$5,000 To Ann Arbor National PAC. ([Federal Election Commission](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	WINDQUEST GROUP	1/26/00	\$5,000	Ann Arbor National PAC
[REDACTED]				

Business Industry PAC

In 1998, DeVos Donated \$500 To Business Industry PAC. ([Federal Election Commission](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Betsy DeVos [REDACTED]	Name of Employer [REDACTED]	Date (month, day, year) 03/24/98	Amount of Each Receipt this Period 500.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Housewife	Aggregate Year-to-Date \$	(memo)
		500.00	

Alticor Political Action Committee (ALTIPAC)

From 2002 To 2015, DeVos Donated A Total Of \$12,500 To Alticor's PAC, The PAC Of The Parent Company Of Amway. ([Center For Responsive Politics](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DEVOS, BETSY	ALTICOR CORPORATION	7/25/02	\$2,500	Amway/Alticor Inc
[REDACTED]				
DEVOS, BETSY	ALTICOR	10/16/15	\$5,000	Amway/Alticor Inc
[REDACTED]				
DEVOS, BETSY	ALTICOR	5/9/14	\$5,000	Amway/Alticor Inc
[REDACTED]				

Excess Funds Transfer

Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Betsy DeVos Michigan Republican State Committee [REDACTED]	Purpose of Disbursement transfer of excess funds Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year) 09/22/98	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period \$26000.00
Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Betsy DeVos Michigan Republican State Committee [REDACTED]	Purpose of Disbursement transfer of excess funds Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year) 07/22/98	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period \$10000.00

BUSINESSES/ASSOCIATIONS

DeVos Is A Board Member Of The Education Freedom Fund, “A Michigan-Based Scholarship Organization.” “As a board member of the Education Freedom Fund, a Michigan-based scholarship organization she led with her husband, DeVos devoted significant time and energy to ensuring that children from disadvantaged families have educational options and hope for a brighter future.” ([American Federation For Children](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

DeVos Served On The Boards Of The Kennedy Center For The Performing Arts, Kids Hope USA And Mars Hill Bible Church. “She has also served on national and local charitable and civic boards, including the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, Kids Hope USA, and Mars Hill Bible Church.” ([American Federation For Children](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

- Kids Hope USA Is A Mentoring Program For At Risk Children.** “KHUSA offers churches and schools a proven, award-winning model to meet the emotional, social and academic needs of children. KHUSA programs create one-on-one mentoring relationships between adult church members, willing to give a little time and a lot of love, and at-risk elementary school-children in their community who desperately need loving, caring adults in their lives.” ([Kids Hope USA](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

Devos Chairs The American Federation For Children. “She currently chairs the American Federation for Children and serves on a number of other national and local boards including ArtPrize, American Enterprise Institute, Foundation for Excellence in Education, Excel in Ed National, and the DeVos Institute for Arts Management at the University of Maryland.” ([Philanthropy Roundtable](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

DeVos Is Chairman Of The Windquest Group, A Privately Held Investment Management Firm. “Betsy DeVos is chairman of the Windquest Group, a privately held enterprise and investment management firm based in Michigan with diversified projects in technology, manufacturing, clean technology, and nonprofit solutions.

- Windquest Loaned \$35,000 To A Statewide Campaign Fighting For School Voucher Programs Seemingly In Coordination With Other Devos Companies.** “Jeff Timmer, manager of the voucher campaign, confidently predicts that in the coming weeks 425,000 signatures 100,000 more than the minimum needed will be turned in to the Secretary of State’s office, earning the measure a place on the ballot alongside presidential, senatorial and congressional candidates. Which makes KFY! one obvious place to observe the DeVos family value. But even here, the full worth is not readily apparent. Getting those names wasn’t cheap. According to a year-end report filed with the Secretary of State’s office, slightly more than \$1.2 million was collected in 1999 to fund the petition-gathering campaign. How much did the DeVoses contribute? According

to campaign reports, Dick DeVos son of Amway co-founder Richard DeVos, current president of the controversial direct-marketing company, and a former member of the Michigan State Board of Education kicked in \$50,000. His mother, Helen, and father, Richard Sr., each contributed \$150,000. Then there's his mother-in-law, Elsa Prince, whose late husband Edgar made his fortune in the auto parts business. She gave \$200,000. The current president of Prince Corp., John Spoelhof, added \$15,000. The Windquest Group, a management and investment company founded by Dick DeVos, loaned the campaign \$35,000, bringing total contributions to \$600,000, or nearly half of all cash raised for the effort." (Curt Guyette, "God Bless Vouchers," [Detroit Metro Times](#) 2/23/00)

DeVos Is The Chairman Of The Philanthropy Roundtable. ([Philanthropy Roundtable](#) Accessed 11/22/16)



DeVos Serves On The Board Of Foundation For Excellence In Education And Excellence In Education National. "She currently chairs the American Federation for Children and serves on a number of other national and local boards including ArtPrize, American Enterprise Institute, Foundation for Excellence in Education, Excel in Ed National, and the DeVos Institute for Arts Management at the University of Maryland." ([Philanthropy Roundtable](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

- **Jeb Bush Founded The Organization And Currently Serves As The Chairman.** "Jeb Bush is Founder, President and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Foundation for Excellence in Education." ([Foundation For Excellence In Education](#), Accessed 11/22/16)
- **Bush Supported Common Core Standards.** "As opposition to Common Core began to swell in Tennessee, Jeb Bush showed up to an education forum in March of last year, advocating for state officials to keep the higher standards in place." (Ashley Killough, "Jeb Bush Fights Lonely Battle Defending Common Core," [CNN](#), 5/31/15)

DeVos Serves On The Board At American Enterprise Institute. "She currently chairs the American Federation for Children and serves on a number of other national and local boards including ArtPrize, American Enterprise Institute, Foundation for Excellence in Education, Excel in Ed National, and the DeVos Institute for Arts Management at the University of Maryland." ([Philanthropy Roundtable](#) Accessed 11/22/16)

- **The Organization Criticized Trump's Foreign Policy And Said Trump "Knows Nothing About National Security."** "Donald Trump not only knows nothing about national security, he doesn't care to know. And for anyone in any doubt, let your eyes wander over to a wide-ranging interview with the New York Times. Timed to provide more depth about the candidate on the morning of his acceptance speech at the GOP convention, Trump's various pronouncements have caused a firestorm at home and abroad." (Danielle Pletka, "The Trouble With Trump And National Security," [American Enterprise Institute](#) 7/21/16)
- **NBC Video: "AEI Vice President On Trump: 'He's An Idiot'"** ("AEI Vice President On Trump 'He's An Idiot,'" [NBC](#) 7/19/16)
- **The Organization Criticized Trump's Business Record.** "Analysts have long stopped trying to figure out Trump's true positions or political philosophy if he has one since he has flip-flopped so much. But on one issue, Trump has been both consistent and unapologetic: his business record and his defense of bankruptcy. If that's a window into Trump's vision for political leadership, it's truly troubling." (Michael Rubin, "Will Trump Default On America?" [American Enterprise Institute](#) 2/24/16)

DeVos Is On The Board Of ArtPrize. “She currently chairs the American Federation for Children and serves on a number of other national and local boards including ArtPrize, American Enterprise Institute, Foundation for Excellence in Education, Excel in Ed National, and the DeVos Institute for Arts Management at the University of Maryland.” ([Philanthropy Roundtable](#), Accessed 11/22/16)

- **In 2014, ArtPrize Banned Artist SinGh And Has Had Different “Controversies” Over The Years.** “Artist SinGh, a former ArtPrize artist now banned from the annual exhibition and competition, may be the first to go. But he isn't the only artist or installation to cause a dust up. Controversy happens at an exhibition in which venue owners and their representatives are free to pick and choose what art they wish to show.” (Jeffrey Kaczmarczyk, “After ArtPrize Tosses Its First Artist, Look Back At 12 Past Controversies,” [Michigan Live](#) 9/27/14)

Previous Associations

In 2015, Worldwide Christian Schools Changed Its Named To Tent Schools International.

“Worldwide Christian Schools, a non-denominational ministry recommended for support by the Christian Reformed Church, recently changed its name to Tent Schools International to better reflect a new focus it has taken for ministry.” (“Worldwide Christian Schools Changes Its Name,” [Christian Reformed Church](#), 11/18/15)

- **The Organization Focuses On Educating Young Students At Refugee Camps.** “That focus reflects the reality that more and more young students actually attend classes in tents set up in refugee camps in the Middle East, Africa, and Asia, said Dale Dieleman, vice president of Tent Schools International.” (“Worldwide Christian Schools Changes Its Name,” [Christian Reformed Church](#) 11/18/15)

Lobbying

No Records Found. ([OpenSecrets](#), Accessed 11/21/16)

Search Results

No lobbying income or spending found.

Current Employer Government Grants Received

No Records Found. ([USASpending.gov](#), Accessed 11/21/16)

Recipient Name or DUNS Number

No Results Found.

Current Employer Total Lobbying Spent, Most Recent Year

No Records Found. ([OpenSecrets](#), Accessed 11/21/16)

Search Results

No lobbying income or spending found.

Revolving Door

No Records Found. ([OpenSecrets](#), Accessed 11/21/16)

Revolving Door : Search Results

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Bankruptcy

No Records Found. (Nexis, Accessed 11/22/16)

Bankruptcy Information - 0 records found

