



Representative Kevin Van De Wege
Sequim, Elected, 2006

"2009 was a great year in Washington for progressives. From upholding the domestic partnership law to defeating radical anti-tax, anti-government measures, progressives enjoyed great success up and down the ballot, including winning 70% of Progressive Majority candidate races."

-Gloria A. Totten
President, Progressive Majority

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Total Team:	150	Electeds:	100
Women:	65	Union:	38
People of Color:	65	Under 35:	36

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Posted by Kevin Ranker

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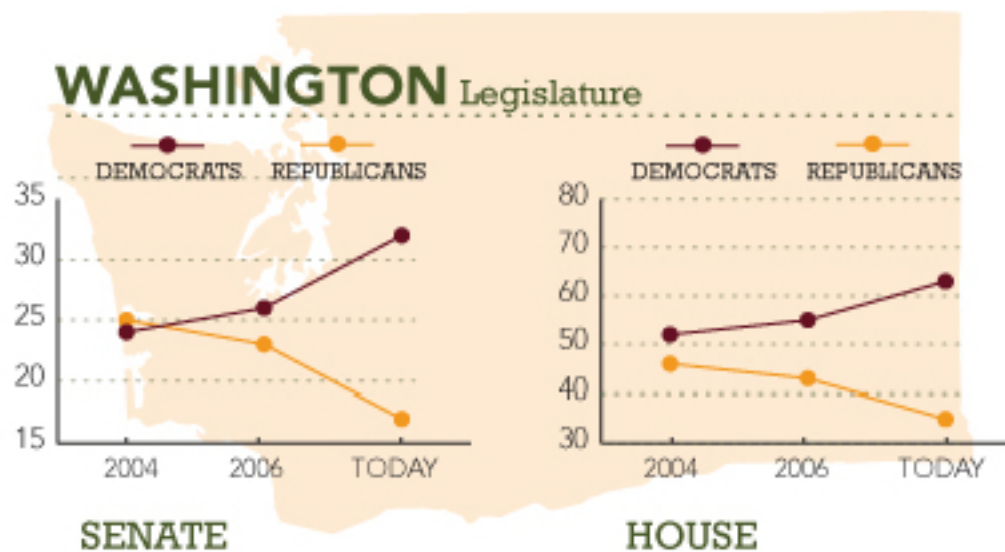
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Posted by Dean Nielsen, National Political Director

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