

Name: Cory Booker

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State: Born: DC

Current resident: NJ

Current Position: US Senator



- **Committees**

- Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation
 - Subcommittee on Aviation Operations, Safety, and Security
 - Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, Innovation, and the Internet
 - Subcommittee on Consumer Protection, Product Safety, Insurance and Data Security
 - Subcommittee on Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard
 - Subcommittee on Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Infrastructure, Safety, and Security (Ranking Member)
- Committee on Environment and Public Works
 - Subcommittee on Fisheries, Water and Wildlife
 - Subcommittee on Superfund, Waste Management, and Regulatory Oversight
- Committee on Foreign Relations
 - Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health Policy (Ranking Member)
 - Subcommittee on Near East, South Asia, Central Asia and Counterterrorism
 - Subcommittee on State Department and USAID Management, International Operations and Bilateral International Development
- Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship
- Committee on the Judiciary

- **Education:**

- Stanford University
- Studied at Oxford on Rhodes Scholarship
- Yale Law School

- **Experience:**

- Municipal Council of Newark
- Mayor of Newark NJ
 - doubling of [affordable housing](#) under development and the reduction of the city [budget deficit](#) from \$180 million to \$73 million

- **Position on Issues:**

- increased funding for education
- supports women's rights
- supports affirmative action
- supports same sex marriage
- single payer healthcare
- led the push for the First Step Act
- **Position on Issues:**
 - **Crime**
 - **Drug Costs**
 - **Economy**
 - supports long-term deficit reduction efforts to ensure economic prosperity
 - **Education**
 - increased funding for education
 - **Election Issues**
 - **Environment**
 - Cap and Trade taxation to combat climate change
 - **Foreign Policy**
 - scaling down U.S. involvement in Afghanistan
 - against intervention in Syria
 - supports a two-state solution to the Israeli–Palestinian conflict.
 - **Healthcare**
 - **Housing**
 - **Immigration**
 - **Monopolies and government intervention**
 - **Opioid epidemic response**
 - **Social Issues and Civil Rights**
 - most pro-animal welfare voting record in the Senate year after year according to the Humane Society.
 - supports women's rights
 - supports affirmative action
 - supports same sex marriage
 - **Working class**
 - federal jobs guarantee and baby bonds