



TO: Interested Parties
FROM: Democratic Attorneys General Association
RE: Democratic AG Candidates Well-Positioned in Eight Battleground States
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TOPLINE:

July 26th marked 100 days out from Election Day – November 3rd, 2026 – and voters are ready for fighters who will hold the Trump administration accountable and deliver for all Americans. Democratic AGs have been showing up every day for their constituents, and DAGA is prepared to protect the 13 Democratic AGs up for re-election, hold the 5 open Democratic seats, and flip 2 to 3 additional seats from red to blue. The environment is primed, the AGs are delivering, and DAGA has the resources to win as the organization comes out of another record-breaking quarter having raised \$10.7 million across all entities in the second quarter of 2026. DAGA has raised \$20.3 million total since January 1st of this year – nearly double what the organization raised in the first half of the 2022 cycle.

- Since Inauguration Day, Democratic Attorneys General have filed over 100 lawsuits to fight the Trump administration's unconstitutional actions and defend the rights, freedoms, and approved funding of their constituents – with an over [80% success rate](#) in court.
- While President Trump continues to go on desperate rants to sow doubt about the future of our elections, Democratic AGs will continue working to ensure our elections are safe, secure, and protected with the support of the organization's Election Protection Working Group.
- President Donald Trump's favorability is underwater by an average of 9 points across the eight DAGA-targeted swing states. Voters are feeling abandoned by the Trump administration and the Republican Party as Trump lines his pocketbook while utility costs and grocery bills rise for the average American.

With over 30 Attorneys General seats up for re-election this year, DAGA is committed to holding every Democratic AG seat and has identified eight targeted races: Arizona, Georgia, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Nevada, and Wisconsin.

STATE OF THE RACE: Arizona

Attorney General Kris Mayes flipped Arizona in 2022, winning by just 280 votes. She has been showing up for Arizonans every day since then, and DAGA intends to increase this margin of victory in November. AG Mayes has been getting money directly back into Arizonans pockets by taking on price fixing [like landlords who used Real Pages](#) to hike rent prices and suing the federal government over the [Trump Administration's tariffs which are an illegal tax on Americans](#).

While AG Mayes is delivering wins, the Republican Nominee Warren Petersen has been [peddling conspiracy theories](#) and [turning his back on teachers, firefighters, and police officers](#).

AG Mayes has saved taxpayers more than \$1.5 billion by standing up to unlawful federal actions and corporate abuses, and internal polling from early in 2026 shows AG Mayes up by 3 points.

STATE OF THE RACE: Georgia

Former state and federal prosecutor and State Representative Tanya Miller has the experience to flip Georgia blue this November. Miller's running on her track record as a prosecutor in Fulton County having never lost a homicide case and as a lawmaker who fights for small business owners and working Georgians.

Notably, new polling shows this race not only within the margin of error, but that Trump is underwater by 16 points and toxic amongst independents: 71% have an unfavorable view of the president, and 67% say they would prefer a Democrat as Attorney General.

This open seat is up for grabs, and Georgia, like the rest of the country, is ready for fighters who will take on corruption and soaring costs.

STATE OF THE RACE: Iowa

Labor Lawyer Nate Willems is ready to flip Iowa and oust Republican Attorney General Brenna Bird. Iowans are hurting from Republican's political games. On [Bird's first day](#) in office, she gutted programs that would support victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. While Bird was cutting key public safety programs, Willems was [winning the largest-ever wage increase in the state](#) for police officers.

President Trump is underwater in the state, and early polling showed Willems within the [margin of error and leading unaffiliated voters by 15 points](#).

STATE OF THE RACE: Kansas

Attorney and former police officer Chris Mann is primed and ready to flip Kansas, a move that would oust the [wildly unpopular and extreme incumbent \(-12 in personal favorability\) Kris Kobach](#). Kansans know Kobach and his harmful track record being the [architect of the SAVE act, trying to defy the will of Kansans and overturn the right to an abortion by stacking the courts](#), and not [defending Kansans against disastrous government funding cuts](#). Kobach's approval rating speaks for itself: Kansans are ready for a public safety champion who will put them first.

[Internal polling](#) shows Mann within the margin of error but leading with unaffiliated voters.

STATE OF THE RACE: Michigan

Attorney General Dana Nessel is term-limited, and Washtenaw County Prosecutor Eli Savit is ready to take up the mantle, continuing AG Nessel's winning-streak for Michiganders. Savit has been defending Michiganders in the courtroom for years: fighting for Detroit schoolchildren, protecting workers and consumers, and taking on tough cases involving sexual assault and domestic violence. He established dedicated units for victims of crime, and built the only stand-alone worker and consumer protection unit in a prosecutor's office in the entire state. While Savit has been tackling issues that save lives, his opponent has been weighing in on culture wars and trying to make Michiganders less safe by suggesting he would [prosecute abortion providers](#).

Eli Savit currently leads in internal polling by 5 points. President Trump's favorability is under water by double digits in public polling.

STATE OF THE RACE: Minnesota

Attorney General Keith Ellison is up for re-election and is prepared to keep fighting for Minnesotans despite the federal government's ongoing assault on the state. AG Ellison has been [fighting for the rule of law](#) and also delivering [tangible pocketbook wins for Minnesotans](#). President Trump's favorability is under water by double digits in the state, and Minnesotans know they need a fighter in the AG's office, not someone who will act as a rubber stamp for Trump's dirty work.

AG Ellison is well known by voters in Minnesota, and internal polling shows Ellison leading by 6 points.

STATE OF THE RACE: Nevada

Attorney General Aaron Ford is term-limited and running for Governor, and State Senate Majority Leader Nicole Cannizzaro is going to become the next People's Lawyer in the Silver State. Cannizzaro made history as the first woman to serve as majority leader in the Nevada State Senate, and she also worked as a prosecutor for 11-years fighting violent crime and protecting victims. Between her time as a prosecutor and in the legislature, she's delivered both public safety and [affordability wins](#).

Nevadans are hurting financially, and they blame President Trump and his endless war, a blame that is reflected in his [-11 favorability in the state](#).

STATE OF THE RACE: Wisconsin

Attorney General Josh Kaul is up for re-election, and his track record of making Wisconsin a safer and more affordable place to live is compelling to Wisconsinites. AG Kaul has been focused on reducing crime statewide and racking up huge consumer protection wins by tackling [monopolies](#) and [ensuring allocated infrastructure funding](#) makes it to the state despite the Trump Administration's best efforts to break the law. AG Kaul faces his 2022 opponent again, Eric Toney, who voters rejected for being too extreme for the state and focused on the wrong issues, like [prosecuting abortion cases](#).

President Trump is under water in Wisconsin by double digits while AG Kaul leads his opponent by 5 points.

CONCLUSION:

The choice facing voters this November is clear. They can elect Republican Attorneys General who will serve as enablers of an increasingly unpopular and unlawful Trump agenda, or they can elect leaders who will stand up to corruption, defend the rule of law, lower costs for working families, and protect their freedoms. Democratic Attorneys General continue to prove what effective leadership looks like—and voters are responding. With historic fundraising, proven incumbents, exceptional challengers, and a clear path to victory across eight battleground states, DAGA enters the final 100 days with momentum, confidence, and every opportunity to expand Democratic Attorney General leadership across the country.