

UPS Gave \$167,000 To The Sedition Caucus After Its CEO "Strongly" Condemned The Insurrectionists And The Company Repeatedly Touted Pro-Democracy Positions

SUMMARY: UPS gave \$167,000 to the Sedition Caucus after its CEO "[strongly](#)" condemned the insurrectionists, paused contributions, and the company stated "[we must peacefully and constructively find ways to advance the common good of our country.](#)"

Beyond its contributions to the Sedition Caucus, UPS's support for election deniers is in tension with its stated corporate values on democracy, civil rights, and ethics:

- After Georgia passed voter restrictions—which were advanced under the "[same pretext](#)" of "[very rare](#)" voter fraud that motivated the insurrection—UPS declared that it wants to ensure that "[every Georgia voter has the ability to vote](#)"
- In 2020, UPS touted [\\$3.2 million](#) in donations to civil rights organizations including the NAACP, the Leadership Conference on Civil & Human Rights' Education Fund, the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights Under Law, and others.
 - Notably, the insurrection was seen as "[the culmination](#)" of white supremacy in the Trump era.
- UPS's CEO praised late civil rights icon Rep. John Lewis' "[never-ending fight for equality and justice.](#)"
- UPS claims that it values "[finding more ways to take action and give back](#)" and has touted being in Forbes' "[JUST 100](#)" list of companies "[leading the new era of responsible capitalism.](#)"

Additionally, UPS's [leadership](#) is connected to the greater conservative movement, with [two executives](#) tied to the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation and with one [board member](#) serving at the Hoover Institution.

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UPS Donated \$167,000 To Republicans Who Would Not Certify The Presidential Election Results, So Far In 2021.

UPS Has Given \$167,000 To The Republicans Who Would Not Certify The 2020 Presidential Election, As Of December 22, 2021:

Company	Member Of Congress	Amount	Date
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Byron Donalds (FL-19)	\$5,000	8/17/21;6/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. David Rouzer (NC-07)	\$5,000	8/17/21; 11/09/21

United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Tom Cole (OK-04)	\$5,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Elise Stefanik (NY-21)	\$5,000	9/28/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Beth Van Duyne (TX-24)	\$5,000	6/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Devin Nunes (CA-22)	\$5,000	9/28/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Sen. John Kennedy (LA)	\$5,000	8/17/21; 8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Richard Hudson (NC-08)	\$5,000	5/25/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Adrian Smith (NE-03)	\$5,000	9/14/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Sam Graves (MO-06)	\$5,000	5/25/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Kevin Hern (OK-01)	\$5,000	9/28/21; 8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Carol Miller (WV-3)	\$5,000	9/14/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Daniel Meuser (PA-09)	\$5,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Buddy Carter (GA-01)	\$5,000	6/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. William Timmons (SC-04)	\$5,000	9/29/21; 11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Lance Gooden (TX-05)	\$5,000	9/24/21; 11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Steve Scalise (LA-01)	\$5,000	11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Greg Pence (IN-06)	\$3,500	9/14/21; 10/20/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Guy Reschenthaler (PA-14)	\$3,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Jodey Arrington (TX-19)	\$2,500	11/22/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Mike Kelly (PA-16)	\$2,500	11/22/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Roger Williams (TX-25)	\$2,500	10/20/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Garret Graves (LA-6)	\$2,500	11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Ken Calvert (CA-42)	\$2,500	11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Ron Estes (KS-04)	\$2,500	11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Jacob LaTurner (KS-02)	\$2,500	11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. John Rutherford (FL-04)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Jefferson Van Drew (NJ-02)	\$2,500	9/28/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Virginia Foxx (NC-05)	\$2,500	9/28/21

United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Chuck Fleischmann (TN-03)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Rick Crawford (AR-01) -	\$2,500	9/2/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Bob Gibbs (OH-07)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Kat Cammack (FL-03)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Rick Allen (GA-12)	\$2,500	9/14/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Lisa McClain (MI-10)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Tom Tiffany (WI-07)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Pete Sessions (TX-17)	\$2,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Stephanie Bice (OK-05)	\$2,500	9/29/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Fred Keller (PA-12)	\$2,500	9/14/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Doug LaMalfa (CA-01)	\$2,000	10/20/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Robert Aderholt (AL-04)	\$2,000	11/09/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Andy Harris (MD-01)	\$2,000	10/20/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Mike Bost (IL-12)	\$2,000	9/14/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Scott Perry (PA-10)	\$2,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Diana Harshbarger (TN-01)	\$1,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. John Joyce (PA-13)	\$1,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Jim Hagedorn (MN-01)	\$1,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Bill Johnson (OH-06)	\$1,500	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Rob Wittman (VA-01)	\$1,500	9/28/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Ben Cline (VA-06)	\$1,500	9/28/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Gregory Murphy (NC-03)	\$1,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Tom Rice (SC-07)	\$1,000	9/14/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Jason Smith (MO-08)	\$1,000	6/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Debbie Lesko (AZ-08)	\$1,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. David Kustoff (TN-08)	\$1,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Scott Fitzgerald (WI-05)	\$1,000	8/17/21

United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Lloyd Smucker (PA-11)	\$1,000	8/17/21
United Parcel Services Inc. PAC	Rep. Mike Johnson (LA-04)	-\$500	2/28/21
Total: \$167,000			

[Accountable.US, Corporate Donations Tracker, accessed [12/22/21](#)]

UPS Paused Its PAC Contributions After The Capitol Riot And Its CEO Said "We Strongly Condemn" The Insurrectionists, Adding, "We Must Peacefully And Constructively Find Ways To Advance The Common Good Of Our Country."

UPS Paused Its All Of Its PAC Contributions Following The Insurrection. "Coca-Cola, UPS, Aflac, PulteGroup and WestRock are pausing contributions after making donations in 2020 to Republican candidates who recently supported unsubstantiated claims about widespread voter fraud and tried to stymie results that showed President Donald Trump lost his bid for a second term. [...] A UPS spokeswoman wrote that the delivery giant 'suspended all PAC contributions for now.' She declined further comment." [Atlanta Journal-Constitution, [01/12/21](#)]

UPS CEO Carol Tomé Said, "We Are Appalled By The Lawlessness And Violence That Unfolded At The U.S. Capitol And Strongly Condemn" The Insurrectionists. "Statement from CEO Carol B. Tomé. [...] 'We are appalled by the lawlessness and violence that unfolded at the U.S. Capitol and strongly condemn the actions of those individuals who participated in the illegal activities that destroyed property and cost lives.'" [UPS, accessed [11/17/21](#)]

Tomé Continued, "We Must Peacefully And Constructively Find Ways To Advance The Common Good Of Our Country Within The Bounds Of Our Constitutional Framework And Through The Peaceful Transition Of Power." [UPS, accessed [11/17/21](#)]

When UPS Later Resumed Contributions It Stated, "Engagement With Those With Whom We Disagree Is A Critical Part Of The Democratic Process."

After UPS Resumed Its Contributions To Republicans Who Objected To Certifying The Election, Its Spokesperson Said, "Engagement With Those With Whom We Disagree Is A Critical Part Of The Democratic Process And Our Responsibility In Legislative Advocacy." "More companies that pledged to pause or rethink political donations after the Jan. 6 insurrection are once again donating to Republican lawmakers who voted against certifying President Biden's victory. [...] A UPS spokeswoman, Danielle Cassady, defended the decision to resume political contributions, including to members who challenged the electoral college results, by saying, 'Engagement with those with whom we disagree is a critical part of the democratic process and our responsibility in legislative advocacy as a company.'" [The Washington Post, [07/15/21](#)]

After Georgia Passed Voter Restrictions—Which Were Advanced Under The "Same Pretext" Of Voter Fraud That Motivated The Insurrection—UPS Declared That It Wants To Ensure That "Every Georgia Voter Has The Ability To Vote" And Its CEO Praised Civil Rights Icon Rep. John Lewis' "Never-Ending Fight For Equality And Justice."

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- **UPS, Through Its Drive The Vote Program, Works To Provide Voter Resources And Education.** “Continuing to provide voter education resources to employees through its Drive the Vote program, including information such as registration and voting deadlines.” [UPS accessed [11/3/21](#)]
- **UPS Has Printed Absentee Ballots Request Forms For Employees In States In Which That Was Possible.** “Printing absentee ballot request forms for UPSers at its facilities, where permitted by state and local laws.” [UPS accessed [11/3/21](#)]
- **UPS Dedicated Funding To Nonprofits That Help With Voter Registration.** “Dedicating funding support to nonpartisan nonprofits that organize voter registration and engagement activities.” [UPS accessed [11/3/21](#)]
- **UPS Volunteers To Help With Voter ID And Registration Efforts For Employees.** “Having UPS volunteers facilitate voter ID and registration efforts at UPS facilities for employees.” [UPS accessed [11/3/21](#)]

UP Works With Secretaries Of State For UPSers To Volunteer Poll Workers. “Working with Secretaries of State to identify locations for UPSers to volunteer as poll workers.” [UPS accessed [11/3/21](#)]

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In Response To The Restrictive New Voting Laws In Georgia, UPS Echoed The Atlanta Chamber's Sentiments In Wanting "Every Georgia Voter Has The Ability To Vote." “Business executives across the United States are calling out efforts to restrict voting access after Georgia Gov. Brian Kemp signed a law that opponents say would disproportionately disenfranchise people of color. [...] Georgia-based UPS said this week the company supports the ability and facilitation of all eligible voters to exercise their right to vote. ‘Like other businesses in the community, we actively engaged with political leaders in both parties and other stakeholders to advocate for more equitable access to the polls and for integrity in the election process across the state. We echo the statement by the Metro Atlanta Chamber and stand ready to continue to help in ensuring every Georgia voter has the ability to vote,’ the company said.” [CNBC, [3/31/21](#)]

- **Brookings Institution: Republican State Officials Used The "Same Pretext" Of Voter Fraud That Motivated The Insurrection To Advance Voter Restrictions Following The 2020 Election, Including In Georgia, Where The Law Added "Many Obstacles To Voting."** “Just three short months ago, a violent mob overran our nation’s Capitol Building to revolt against certifying Joe Biden as the winner of the 2020 presidential election. Many of the rioters carried signs proclaiming ‘Stop the Steal’—reflecting the lies that President Donald Trump and his team stoked about voter

fraud. Today, many elected officials are using that same pretext to dismantle the voting rights won during the civil rights movement. [...] In Georgia, Governor Brian Kemp just signed into law a bill that adds many obstacles to voting, including reducing the number of ballot boxes, shrinking the window for early voting, adding additional photo ID requirements, and allowing state officials to circumvent the work of county election officials if they don't like the outcomes they are seeing." [Brookings Institution, [04/19/21](#)]

UPS CEO Carol Tomé On Georgia's Voting Restrictions: "We Came Out With A Statement About What We Believe, And We Believe It Should Be Easier Rather Than Harder For People To Vote." "Carol Tomé had retired. After more than two decades working at Home Depot, where she rose to become chief financial officer, Ms. Tomé stepped down in 2019 and settled into the kind of post professional existence enjoyed by very well-compensated executives. There was a family office, a family foundation and a 600-acre farm in north Georgia. Then Ms. Tomé got the call. UPS, where she had been a board member since 2003, needed a new chief executive. [...] How did you handle the run-up to the passage of the Georgia voting law, the calls for UPS to get more involved and then weather the storm when the law was finally signed? [TOMÉ:] 'When it comes to politics, UPS is not red or blue. We are brown. That doesn't mean that we don't try to shape legislation based on our values. We came out with a statement about what we believe, and we believe it should be easier rather than harder for people to vote. And we announced specific actions that we were taking to make it easier for UPS-ers to vote.'" [New York Times, [6/17/21](#)]

- **Carol Tomé Was Still UPS CEO, As Of November 17, 2021.** [UPS, accessed [11/17/21](#)]

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UPS Is Headquartered In Georgia. "CORPORATE OFFICE UPS 55 Glenlake Parkway, NE Atlanta, GA 30328" [UPS, accessed [11/17/21](#)]

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2019: Gutman Wrote An Op-Ed For The U.S. Chamber Of Commerce Foundation. "This seismic change was on full display at the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting in Davos, Switzerland, where I participated in a thought-provoking event on the future of consumer goods. Put simply: We saw the power of the circular economy in action. And we saw that what's old is new again.[...] We announced there our participation in a coalition of the world's largest consumer product companies, led by international recycling leader TerraCycle. Together, we unveiled an innovative new system designed to reduce single-use product packaging." [U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation, [1/31/19](#)]

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Laura Lane, UPS's Chief Corporate Affairs Officer, Has A Profile With And Has Been A "Featured Speaker" For The U.S. Chamber Of Commerce, Foundation—Which Is Affiliated With The Anti-Voting Rights Reform U.S. Chamber Of Commerce.

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2020: Lane Was A "Featured Speaker" At An Event Held By The U.S. Chamber Of Commerce Foundation, An Affiliate Of The U.S. Chamber Of Commerce. "As communities around the world begin to recover from the effects of COVID-19, society grapples with what a new normal may look like. This global pandemic has disrupted nearly every aspect of our daily lives—the way we do business, how we worship, and receive an education. These disruptions uncover our vulnerabilities and shine a light on the need for total resilience—protecting individuals, preparing communities, and fortifying social systems. [...] Featured Speakers, Laura Lane." [U.S. Chamber Of Commerce Foundation, [7/14/20](#)]

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Former Member of the Federal Reserve Board of
Governors, Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University

[UPS, accessed [11/5/21](#)]

Warsh Serves As The Shepard Family Distinguished Visiting Fellow At The Hoover Institute, As Of November 2021. "Kevin Warsh is a former central banker, presidential advisor and noted economic and financial market expert who currently serves as the Shepard Family Distinguished Visiting Fellow in Economics at Stanford University's Hoover Institution and a lecturer at its Graduate School of Business." [UPS, accessed [11/5/21](#)]

- **The Hoover Institute Has Been Criticized As A "Partisan Think Tank" That "Supports Conservative Administrations And Policy Positions."** "In her presentation, Rice covered the institution's purpose and vision, infrastructure, funding, appointment process and research priorities. She also directly addressed campus criticism that the Hoover Institution is a partisan think tank that primarily supports conservative administrations and policy positions. Rice shared statistics that show Hoover fellows contribute financially to both political parties on an equal basis. In contrast, she said the university as a whole leans Democratic." [Stanford Report, [1/29/21](#)]

Warsh Was "George W. Bush's Special Assistant For Economic Policy And As Executive Secretary Of The National Economic Council." "Kevin Warsh is a former central banker, presidential advisor and noted economic and financial market expert who currently serves as the Shepard Family Distinguished Visiting Fellow in Economics at Stanford University's Hoover Institution and a lecturer at its Graduate School of Business.[...] Previously, he served four years at the White House as President George W. Bush's special assistant for economic policy and as executive secretary of the National Economic Council. His primary areas of responsibility in that position included domestic finance, capital markets and macroeconomics." [UPS, accessed [11/5/21](#)]