



The Report Card: Rep. Barbara Lee (CA-13) Quarter 2, 2018

Indivisible East Bay developed this report to help you review the performance of your federal Representative. We evaluate Members of Congress (MoCs) based on the goals set by the National Indivisible team, which you can find [here](#) under “This Week’s Actions.” Our MoC offices were consulted before publication to ensure accuracy and to provide commentary.

Overall Q2 Scores

Member of Congress	Vote Attendance	Indivisible goals met by topic	Overall Indivisible goals met
Representative Barbara Lee (CA-13)	Missed 9 of 184 eligible votes (4.9%)	Family Separation: 4/4 North Korea Warmongering: 2/2 Syria War Escalation: 1/1 Trump Threat Level: 1/1	8/8

Information used to evaluate Representative Lee’s performance are detailed and linked in the following pages.

Helpful sources: [VoteSpotter](#), [Countable](#), [GovTrack](#), [VoteSmart](#), [FiveThirtyEight](#), [Courage Score](#), [Sheriff Scorecards](#), [Meet your DA](#)

Indivisible Goals for MoCs

Each section presents the Indivisible Topic and Goals, the MoC's public position(s), and whether they have met the goals.

Goal color key:	MoC met goal	MoC did not meet goal	Undetermined	Not Applicable
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Topic: [Family Separation](#)

Indivisible MoC Goals	Representative Lee Actions
Position on topic	Has been a vocal opponent of Trump's family separation policies.
Goal 1: Vote NO on both the Goodlatte and " compromise " bills	Met on 6/21/18 and 6/27/18
Goal 2: Speak out against the separation policy	Met on 6/23/18 : Has been very vocal in her opposition to Trump's cruel policies.
Goal 3: Personally visit the immigration detention centers	Met on 6/23/18 : Visited a migrant prison in McAllen, TX.
Goal 4: Sponsor legislation to reduce harm (HR5950 , S3036)	Met on 6/19/2018: Co-sponsored H.R.6135
MoC Official Response	

Topic: [North Korea Warmongering](#)

Indivisible MoC Goals	Representative Lee Actions
Position on topic	Proposed amendment to sunset President's use of military force without Congressional approval. She also publicly stated support for diplomacy during the Singapore Summit.
Goal 1: Must state publicly that they deny the authority for Trump to use military force in North Korea	Met: Supports limiting military involvement without Congressional consent . "The power to declare war – or undertake any pre-emptive attack – lies with Congress.
Goal 2: Limit Trump's powers by sponsoring H.R.4837 , H.R.669 , S.2016 , S.2047 , S.200 , or H.R.669	Met: Co-sponsored H.R.669 , which limits U.S. from nuclear first strike.

MoC Official Response

Topic: [Syria War Escalation](#)

Indivisible MoC Goals	Representative Lee Actions
Position on topic	
<p>Goal:</p> <p>Must meet at least one of the following -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support the OPCW• Insist Trump come to Congress before strikes in Syria• Denounce the refugee bans• Call to resettle Syrian refugees• Seek a diplomatic and political solution• Hold hearings to assess U.S. global war ops	<p>Met on 4/13/18:</p> <p>Has been a leader in demanding Congressional authorization before the President begins military strikes. She was most recently vocal applying this principle to strikes in Syria.</p>
MoC Official Response	

Topic: [Trump Threat Level](#)

Indivisible MoC Goals	Representative Lee Actions
Position on topic	
<p>Goal:</p> <p>Must combat the ongoing authoritarian threat posed by Trump (see the Indivisible.org topic page linked above)</p>	<p>Met on 6/15/18:</p> <p>Was a guest on Democracy Now and spoke about her bill to repeal the 2001 AUMF granted to Bush</p>
MoC Official Response	

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