## 2006 COMPETITIVE HOUSE RACE CHART

Below is a list of the competitive and potentially competitive House races for 2006.
Solid: These seats are not considered competitive at all. There are 361 seats rated as "solid".
Likely: These seats are not considered competitive at this point but have the potential to become engaged.
Lean: These are considered competitive races but one party has an advantage.
Toss-Up: These are the most competitive; either party has a good chance of winning.

| LIKELY DEMOCRATIC | LEAN DEMOCRATIC |
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|  |  |  | DISTRICT | REPRESENTATIVE PVI |  |
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| DISTRICT | REPRESENTATIVE PVI | AZ-08 | OPEN (Kolbe) | R+1 |  |
| CO-03 | John Salazar | R+6 | GA-08 | Jim Marshall | R+8 |
| IL-17 | OPEN (Evans) | $\mathrm{D}+5$ | GA-12 | John Barrow | $\mathrm{D}+2$ |
| KS-03 | Dennis Moore | $\mathrm{R}+4$ | IL-08 | Melissa Bean | $\mathrm{R}+5$ |
| LA-02 | Bill Jefferson | $\mathrm{D}+28$ | IA-03 | Leonard Boswell | $\mathrm{D}+1$ |
| OH-06 | OPEN (Strickland) | $\mathrm{D}+0$ | LA-03 | Charlie Melancon | $\mathrm{R}+5$ |
| OH-13 | OPEN (Brown) | $\mathrm{D}+6$ | SC-05 | John Spratt | $\mathrm{R}+6$ |
| OR-05 | Darlene Hooley | $\mathrm{D}+1$ | TX-17 | Chet Edwards | $\mathrm{R}+18$ |
| SD-AL | Stephanie Herseth | $\mathrm{R}+10$ | TX-22 | OPEN (DeLay) | R+15 |
| UT-02 | Jim Matheson | $\mathrm{R}+17$ | VT-AL | OPEN (Sanders) | $\mathrm{D}+9$ |
| WA-02 | Rick Larsen | $\mathrm{D}+3$ | WV-01 | Alan Mollohan | $\mathrm{R}+6$ |


| 10 DEMOCRATS | 9 DEMOCRATS | 0 DEMOCRATS |
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| 0 REPUBLICANS | 2 REPUBLICANS | 0 REPUBLICANS |

Democrats currently have 9 seats listed as Lean or Toss Up. Republicans currently have $\mathbf{3 6}$ seats listed as Lean or Toss Up.

Bolded names indicate seats that lean toward the other party.


