



Tackey Chan

State Representative, Massachusetts' Second Norfolk District

Tackey Chan is currently the State Representative for Massachusetts' Second Norfolk District, including thirteen of the thirty precincts in Quincy, Massachusetts. Tackey is a current and lifelong resident of Quincy. He was first elected to the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 2010 and is currently serving his fifth term in office. He is House Chair of the Joint Committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, where he reviews legislation ranging from data breach protections to gaming regulations and alcohol licensing.

In 2010, Tackey was one of the three first State Representatives of Asian American descent elected to the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and is the first Asian American and minority elected to office in the City of Quincy. He is also the first Asian American to be chairman of a committee in the House of Representatives.

Tackey worked as an Assistant Attorney General in Attorney General Martha Coakley's Office of Ratepayer Advocacy from 2007 to 2010. Prior to the Attorney General's office, he worked as General Counsel and Legislative Director for State Senator Michael W. Morrissey from 1995 to 2007. Tackey received his Juris Doctorate from New England School of Law in 2003 and is licensed to appear in the Federal District Courts of Massachusetts and United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit.

In 2006, Tackey's exemplary community service led to his appointment to the Massachusetts Asian American Commission by then Senate President Robert Travaglini. In 2007, he was reappointed by Massachusetts Attorney General Martha Coakley to represent her on the Commission.