

## CONGRESS SCAVENGER HUNT

1. Name given to 1994 mid-term elections (Republicans took control of both houses)

2. Process by which a presidential appointment is approved by the Senate

3. Typically, a congressman will serve on two or three of these while in Congress

5. Members of Congress are constantly focused on this

6. This rate is over 90% for both members of both houses of Congress

7. You are considered one of these in the eyes of your representatives

8. Most members of Congress held this occupation before seeking office

4. Activity congressmen engage in to help smooth out problems for the folks back home.

9. Tactic used by individuals or groups seeking to influence a congressman's vote

10. Congress is fulfilling this role/function when holding special investigations

11. The sum of the age requirements to be either a Representative or a Senator

12. Privilege given way to stop legislation

13. The general practice rule by which committee chairmen are selected

14. Term given to members of Congress who are responsible for getting out the vote

15. Two sessions of a Congress makes up one of these

16. The "traffic cop" of business in the House of Representatives

17. The name given to trips to other parts of the world for the purpose of some congressional inquiry

18. The required daily log of what goes on in Congress is called the

19. Phrase used to describe pet projects for a congressman's state or district

22. The privilege of free mail for members of Congress

20. Experts claim a congressman must maximize this in order to get reelected.

21. Proposed legislation is physically placed into this device in the House of Representatives

23. Mushroom and Sunbelt are examples of these informal congressional organizations

24. Presiding officer of the Senate

25. Responsible for ironing out differences between legislation passed in both houses

