**SENATE DISTRICT 23**

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| **GEOGRAPHIC AREA** |
| **Counties** | Burke, Columbia, Emanuel, Glascock, Jefferson, Jenkins, Johnson, McDuffie, Richmond, Screven, Warren |
| **Metro Area/Region** | Augusta Area, Dublin Area |
| **Cities/Towns/Areas** | Adrian, Avera, Blythe, Edge Hill, Garfield, Gibson, Grovetown, Harlem, Hephzibah, Keysville, Kite, Louisville, Midville, Millen, Norwood, Oliver, Sardis, Stapleton, Summertown, Sylvania, Thomson, Twin City, Vidette, Wadley, Warrenton, Waynesboro, Wrens, Wrightsville |

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| **DEMOGRAPHIC DATA** |
| **Population** | 172,183 |
| **Median Household Income** | $39,400 |
| **Education** | **Completed HS** 56.1% | **Completed College/Beyond** 23.6% |
| **Race** | **White** 58.6% | **Black** 35.3% |
|  | **Hispanic** 3.2% | **Asian** 1.1% |

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| **POLITICAL AREA & INCUMBENT** |
| **Congressional District(s)** | GA-10, GA-12 |
| **GA House District(s)** | HD[-121](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[123](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-123/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[124](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-124/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[125](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-125/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[126](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-126/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[127](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-127/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[128](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-128/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[150](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-150/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[158](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-158/Overview), HD[-](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-121/Overview)[159](https://statisticalatlas.com/state-lower-legislative-district/Georgia/District-159/Overview) |
| **Incumbent Name (R or D)**  | Jesse Stone (R) |
| **Campaign Website** | <http://votejessestone.com/>  |
| **FB Page** | <https://www.facebook.com/stoneforsenate>  |
| **Twitter** | [@Stone4GASenate](https://twitter.com/stone4gasenate?lang=en) |

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| **DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE** |
| **2018 Democratic Candidate** | NONE |

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| **PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION RESULTS** |
| 2016 Clinton - 40.09% | Trump - 58.00%  | 2016 Margin - R+17.9% |
| 2012 Obama - 42.92%  | Romney - 56.25% | 2012 Margin - R+13.3% |

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| **2016 SD 23 ELECTION RESULTS** |
| Republican Jesse Stone  | 100%  | 52,831 Total Votes |
| Democrat N/A |  | Total Votes |

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| **2014 SD 23 ELECTION RESULTS** |
| Republican Jesse Stone  | 61.1%  | 27,374 Total Votes |
| Democrat Diane Brack Evans | 38.9% | 17,434 Total Votes |

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| **2012 SD 23 ELECTION RESULTS** |
| Republican Jesse Stone  | 59.5% | 39,516 Total Votes |
| Democrat Robert Ingham | 40.5%  | 26,922 Total Votes |

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| **FOLLOW THE MONEY** |
| Republican Jesse Stone has multiple donations from GA gubernatorial candidate Casey Cagle, a donation from Philip Morris USA, and a large number of other campaigns contributed as well. In 2014 (the last race in which he had a competitor) Stone raised $56,716 to Democrat Evans’ $18,090. |

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| **NOTES** Add notes, box will expand |
| Incumbent Republican **Jesse Stone** has held this seat since 2010. Before that, he was mayor of Waynesboro. He’s an attorney and has been regularly endorsed by the NRA. Along with tax reform, he identifies second amendment issues as among his highest priorities. Among other positions, he’s Chair of the Judiciary Committee. No Democratic candidate is competing in this race. |

**MAPS**

[**https://www2.census.gov/geo/maps/dc10map/SLD\_RefMap/upper/st13\_ga/sldu13023/DC10SLDU13023\_000.pdf**](https://www2.census.gov/geo/maps/dc10map/SLD_RefMap/upper/st13_ga/sldu13023/DC10SLDU13023_000.pdf)