

Orrin Hatch's retirement could shake up leadership roles beyond the Senate Finance Committee in 2019

Crapo could leave his post as head of the Senate Banking Committee to compete to chair the Senate Finance Committee, which is viewed as a more prominent position

Senate Finance Committee



Orrin Hatch (R-UT)
Chairman

Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs



Mike Crapo (R-ID)
Chairman

Potential replacements by seniority



Chuck Grassley (R-IA)



Ron Wyden (D-OR)
Ranking member

Potential replacements by seniority*



Pat Toomey (R-PA)



Sherrod Brown (D-OH)
Ranking member



Mike Crapo (R-ID)

Crapo is third in seniority among Republicans on the Finance Committee

**If Mike Crapo gives up his chairmanship of the Senate Banking Committee*

Sources: National Journal research, 2018; Ian McKendry, "Hatch retirement paves way for makeover atop banking panel," American Banker, January 2018.