

Sen. David P. Hinkins represents District 26, the largest geographic district in Utah, which includes areas of Carbon, Emery, Garfield, Grand, Kane, San Juan, Utah, Wasatch and Wayne counties. He is passionate about rural Utah and is proud to represent the community he grew up in. Sen. Hinkins began his legislative service in 2009 and sits on several committees focused on natural resources, education and appropriations

A Utah native, Sen. Hinkins attended Emery County High School prior to studying Electrical Automation Technology at Utah Technical College (now Utah Valley University) where he earned an associate degree. He worked as an electrician and businessman with ventures in ranching, real estate, electric vehicles, technology and mining.

Sen. Hinkins and his wife, RueLane, live on their ranch in Ferron, where they enjoy spending time with their family. In his free time, he likes to breed and sell race horses.