

117<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. J. RES. 51

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States giving Congress power to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 14, 2021

Mr. WOMACK (for himself, Mr. NEWHOUSE, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. BUDD, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. CRAWFORD) submitted the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
 2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
 3       *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein),* That the fol-  
 4       lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-  
 5       stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all  
 6       intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when  
 7       ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several  
 8       States within seven years after the date of its submission  
 9       for ratification:

1                                   “ARTICLE —  
2            “The Congress shall have power to prohibit the phys-  
3   ical desecration of the flag of the United States.”.

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