

thousands of jobs in the Great Lakes Region. Late this summer, the EPA proposed a rule that would have the effect of eliminating up to half of the U.S. flag vessels on the Great Lakes. In addition to the maritime jobs that these vessels support, the cargo on these vessels is critical for commerce including the steel and automobile industries. Losing these vessels would have meant higher costs for consumers and lost jobs for many in the Great Lakes region.

I want to commend Chairman OBEY and Chairman OBERSTAR for their hard work on this issue. As a result of their efforts, the conference report includes language that will grandfather in 13 of these affected vessels, and provides a waiver for other vessels if economic hardships can be shown. We all want cleaner air, but the EPA went about this the wrong way by targeting these small ships that collectively produce fewer emissions than one large ocean-going vessel.

Because of the importance of this legislation to the Great Lakes environment as well as the jobs of those who live in the region, I will support this conference report and I urge my colleagues to join me.

Mr. DICKS. Madam Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 876, the previous question is ordered on the conference report.

The question is on the conference report.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on adoption of the conference report will be followed by a 5-minute vote on the motion to suspend the rules on H. Res. 783.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 247, nays 178, not voting 7, as follows:

[Roll No. 826]

YEAS—247

Abercrombie	Cleaver	Foster
Ackerman	Clyburn	Frank (MA)
Adler (NJ)	Cohen	Fudge
Altmire	Cole	Giffords
Andrews	Connolly (VA)	Gonzalez
Arcuri	Conyers	Gordon (TN)
Baca	Cooper	Grayson
Baldwin	Costa	Green, Al
Barrow	Costello	Green, Gene
Bean	Courtney	Grijalva
Becerra	Crowley	Gutierrez
Berkley	Cuellar	Hall (NY)
Berman	Cummings	Halvorson
Berry	Dahlkemper	Hare
Bishop (GA)	Davis (AL)	Harman
Bishop (NY)	Davis (CA)	Hastings (FL)
Blumenauer	Davis (IL)	Heinrich
Boccieri	Davis (TN)	Herseth Sandlin
Boren	DeFazio	Higgins
Boswell	DeGette	Himes
Boucher	Delahunt	Hinche
Boyd	DeLauro	Hinojosa
Brady (PA)	Dicks	Hirono
Braley (IA)	Dingell	Hodes
Brown, Corrine	Doggett	Holden
Butterfield	Doyle	Holt
Cao	Driehaus	Honda
Capps	Edwards (MD)	Hoyer
Capuano	Edwards (TX)	Inslee
Cardoza	Ellison	Israel
Carnahan	Ellsworth	Jackson (IL)
Carney	Engel	Jackson-Lee
Carson (IN)	Eshoo	(TX)
Castor (FL)	Etheridge	Johnson (GA)
Chandler	Fallin	Johnson, E. B.
Chu	Farr	Kagen
Clarke	Fattah	Kanjorski
Clay	Filner	Kaptur

Kennedy	Moore (WI)	Scott (GA)
Kildee	Moran (VA)	Scott (VA)
Kilpatrick (MI)	Murphy (CT)	Serrano
Kilroy	Murphy (NY)	Sestak
Kirk	Murtha	Shea-Porter
Kirkpatrick (AZ)	Napolitano	Sherman
Kissell	Neal (MA)	Shuler
Klein (FL)	Oberstar	Sires
Kosmas	Obey	Skelton
Langevin	Oliver	Slaughter
Larsen (WA)	Ortiz	Smith (NJ)
Larson (CT)	Pallone	Smith (WA)
LaTourette	Pascrell	Snyder
Lee (CA)	Pastor (AZ)	Space
Levin	Payne	Speier
Lewis (GA)	Perlmutter	Spratt
Lipinski	Peters	Stark
LoBiondo	Peterson	Stupak
Loeb	Pingree (ME)	Sutton
Lofgren, Zoe	Platts	Tanner
Lowey	Polis (CO)	Teague
Lujan	Pomeroy	Thompson (CA)
Lynch	Price (NC)	Thompson (MS)
Maffei	Quigley	Tierney
Maloney	Rahall	Titus
Markey (CO)	Rangel	Tonko
Markey (MA)	Reichert	Tsongas
Marshall	Reyes	Van Hollen
Massa	Richardson	Velázquez
Matheson	Rodriguez	Visclosky
Matsui	Ross	Walz
McCarthy (NY)	Rothman (NJ)	Wasserman
McCollum	Roybal-Allard	Schultz
McDermott	Ruppersberger	Waters
McGovern	Rush	Watson
McIntyre	Ryan (OH)	Watt
McMahon	Salazar	Waxman
McNerney	Sánchez, Linda	Weiner
Meek (FL)	T.	Welch
Meeks (NY)	Sanchez, Loretta	Wexler
Melancon	Sarbanes	Wilson (OH)
Michaud	Schakowsky	Woolsey
Miller (MI)	Schauer	Wu
Miller (NC)	Schiff	Yarmuth
Miller, George	Schrader	
Mollohan	Schwartz	

NAYS—178

Aderholt	Duncan	Luetkemeyer
Akin	Ehlers	Lummis
Alexander	Emerson	Lungren, Daniel
Austria	Flake	E.
Bachmann	Fleming	Mack
Bachus	Forbes	Manzullo
Baird	Fortenberry	Marchant
Bartlett	Fox	McCarthy (CA)
Barton (TX)	Franks (AZ)	McCaul
Biggart	Frelinghuysen	McClintock
Bilbray	Galleghy	McCotter
Bilirakis	Garrett (NJ)	McHenry
Bishop (UT)	Gerlach	McKeon
Blackburn	Gingrey (GA)	McMorris
Blunt	Gohmert	Rodgers
Boehner	Goodlatte	Mica
Bonner	Granger	Miller (FL)
Bono Mack	Graves	Miller, Gary
Boozman	Griffith	Minnick
Boustany	Guthrie	Mitchell
Brady (TX)	Hall (TX)	Moore (KS)
Bright	Harper	Moran (KS)
Broun (GA)	Hastings (WA)	Myrick
Brown (SC)	Heller	Neugebauer
Brown-Waite,	Hensarling	Nye
Ginny	Herger	Olson
Buchanan	Hill	Paul
Burgess	Hoekstra	Paulsen
Burton (IN)	Hunter	Pence
Calvert	Inglis	Perriello
Camp	Issa	Petri
Campbell	Jenkins	Pitts
Cantor	Johnson (IL)	Poe (TX)
Capito	Johnson, Sam	Posey
Carter	Jones	Price (GA)
Cassidy	Jordan (OH)	Putnam
Castle	Kind	Radanovich
Chaffetz	King (IA)	Rehberg
Chillers	King (NY)	Roe (TN)
Coble	Kingston	Rogers (AL)
Coffman (CO)	Kline (MN)	Rogers (KY)
Conaway	Kratovil	Rogers (MI)
Crenshaw	Kucinich	Rohrabacher
Culberson	Lamborn	Rooney
Davis (KY)	Lance	Ros-Lehtinen
Deal (GA)	Latham	Roskam
Dent	Latta	Royce
Diaz-Balart, L.	Lee (NY)	Ryan (WI)
Diaz-Balart, M.	Lewis (CA)	Scalise
Donnelly (IN)	Linder	Schmidt
Dreier	Lucas	Schock

Sensenbrenner	Sullivan	Wamp
Sessions	Taylor	Westmoreland
Shadegg	Terry	Whitfield
Shimkus	Thompson (PA)	Wilson (SC)
Shuster	Thornberry	Wittman
Simpson	Tiahrt	Wolf
Smith (NE)	Tiberi	Young (AK)
Smith (TX)	Turner	Young (FL)
Souder	Upton	
Stearns	Walden	

NOT VOTING—7

Barrett (SC)	Murphy, Tim	Towns
Buyer	Nadler (NY)	
Murphy, Patrick	Nunes	

□ 1339

Messrs. TURNER and MOORE of Kansas changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Mr. TANNER changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the conference report was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

ANNOUNCING THE PASSING OF FORMER GOVERNOR DAVE TREEN

(Mr. SCALISE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. SCALISE. Madam Speaker, it is with sadness that I announce to the House the passing of a former Member of this body, a former Governor of the State of Louisiana, Dave Treen, who passed away this morning at East Jefferson Hospital. He was 81 years old.

He served in this Chamber from 1973 until 1980 and then served as Governor of the State of Louisiana from 1980 until 1984. He was the first Republican Governor elected from Louisiana since Reconstruction. A man who is considered by all on both sides of the aisle as probably one of the people who had the most honor and integrity of anybody in the history of Louisiana politics, somebody who truly set the bar for integrity in public service. Dave Treen is somebody who truly is respected by people all across Louisiana as one of the truly most honorable men to serve in public service.

He also joins his wife, Dodi, whom he loved dearly. He's a proud father, a proud grandfather, a brother as well, and somebody who will dearly be missed in Louisiana.

I yield to my colleague from Louisiana (Mr. MELANCON).

Mr. MELANCON. Madam Speaker, whether serving in Congress or as Governor or working as a private citizen, Dave Treen always put Louisiana first. Dave was bipartisan, a middle-of-the-road compromiser who never forgot that there were greater principles worth fighting for beyond party and politics. He will be remembered fondly by all of us who knew him as a warm, wonderful person and a committed reformer.

My thoughts and prayers are with his family during this difficult time.

Having been a Kappa Sigma, that was one of the places where we had common interest and bond. Dave Treen will

be sorely missed. He was a gentleman, an honorable person, and he loved this body when he served here, and he will be well remembered as Governor of the State of Louisiana.

Mr. SCALISE. Madam Speaker, I ask that the House observe a moment of silence in honor of Dave Treen and his family.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Members will rise. The House will observe a moment of silence.

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

**RECOGNIZING HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 783, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. LYNCH) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 783.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 423, nays 0, not voting 9, as follows:

[Roll No. 827]

YEAS—423

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Aderholt  
Adler (NJ)  
Akin  
Alexander  
Altmire  
Andrews  
Arcuri  
Austria  
Baca  
Bachmann  
Bachus  
Baird  
Baldwin  
Barrow  
Bartlett  
Barton (TX)  
Bean  
Becerra  
Berkley  
Berman  
Berry  
Biggert  
Bilbray  
Billirakis  
Bishop (GA)  
Bishop (NY)  
Bishop (UT)  
Blackburn  
Blumenauer  
Blunt  
Boccieri  
Boehner  
Bonner  
Bono Mack  
Boozman  
Boren  
Boswell  
Boucher  
Boustany  
Boyd  
Brady (PA)

Brady (TX)  
Braley (IA)  
Bright  
Broun (GA)  
Brown (SC)  
Brown, Corrine  
Brown-Waite,  
Ginny  
Buchanan  
Burton (IN)  
Butterfield  
Calvert  
Camp  
Campbell  
Cantor  
Cao  
Capito  
Capps  
Capuano  
Cardoza  
Carnahan  
Carney  
Carson (IN)  
Carter  
Cassidy  
Castle  
Castor (FL)  
Chaffetz  
Chandler  
Childers  
Chu  
Clarke  
Clay  
Cleaver  
Clyburn  
Coble  
Cohen  
Cole  
Conaway  
Connolly (VA)  
Conyers  
Cooper

Costa  
Costello  
Courtney  
Crenshaw  
Crowley  
Cuellar  
Culberson  
Cummings  
Dahlkemper  
Dargatzis  
Davis (AL)  
Davis (CA)  
Davis (IL)  
Davis (KY)  
Davis (TN)  
Deal (GA)  
DeFazio  
DeGette  
Delahunt  
DeLauro  
Dent  
Diaz-Balart, L.  
Diaz-Balart, M.  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Doggett  
Donnelly (IN)  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Driehaus  
Duncan  
Edwards (MD)  
Edwards (TX)  
Ehlers  
Ellison  
Ellsworth  
Emerson  
Engel  
Eshoo  
Etheridge  
Fallin  
Farr  
Fattah  
Filner

Flake  
Fleming  
Forbes  
Fortenberry  
Foster  
Foxy  
Frank (MA)  
Franks (AZ)  
Frelinghuysen  
Fudge  
Gallegly  
Garrett (NJ)  
Gerlach  
Giffords  
Gingrey (GA)  
Gohmert  
Gonzalez  
Goodlatte  
Gordon (TN)  
Granger  
Graves  
Grayson  
Green, Al  
Green, Gene  
Griffith  
Grijalva  
Guthrie  
Hall (NY)  
Hall (TX)  
Halvorson  
Hare  
Harman  
Harper  
Hastings (FL)  
Hastings (WA)  
Heinrich  
Heller  
Hensarling  
Herger  
Hersteth Sandlin  
Higgins  
Hill  
Himes  
Hinchee  
Hinojosa  
Hirono  
Hodes  
Hoekstra  
Holden  
Holt  
Honda  
Hoyer  
Hunter  
Inglis  
Inslee  
Israel  
Issa  
Jackson (IL)  
Jackson-Lee  
(TX)  
Jenkins  
Johnson (IL)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Johnson, Sam  
Jones  
Jordan (OH)  
Kagen  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kennedy  
Kildee  
Kilpatrick (MI)  
Kilroy  
Kind  
King (IA)  
King (NY)  
Kingston  
Kirk  
Kirkpatrick (AZ)  
Kissell  
Klein (FL)  
Kline (MN)  
Kosmas  
Kratovil  
Kucinich  
Lamborn  
Lance  
Langevin  
Larsen (WA)  
Larson (CT)  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Latta  
Lee (CA)  
Lee (NY)  
Levin  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (GA)  
Linder

Lipinski  
LoBiondo  
Loeb  
Loeb  
Lofgren, Zoe  
Lowey  
Lucas  
Luetkemeyer  
Lujan  
Lummis  
Lungren, Daniel  
E.  
Lynch  
Mack  
Maffei  
Maloney  
Manzullo  
Marchant  
Markey (CO)  
Markey (MA)  
Marshall  
Massa  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (CA)  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCaul  
McClintock  
McCollum  
McCotter  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McHenry  
McIntyre  
McKeon  
McMahon  
McMorris  
Heller  
McNerney  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Melancon  
Mica  
Michaud  
Miller (FL)  
Miller (MI)  
Miller (NC)  
Miller, Gary  
Miller, George  
Minnick  
Mitchell  
Mollohan  
Moore (KS)  
Moore (WI)  
Moran (KS)  
Moran (VA)  
Murphy (CT)  
Murphy (NY)  
Murtha  
Myrick  
Nadler (NY)  
Napolitano  
Neal (MA)  
Neugebauer  
Nye  
Oberstar  
Obey  
Olson  
Olver  
Ortiz  
Pallone  
Pascarella  
Pastor (AZ)  
Paul  
Paulsen  
Payne  
Pence  
Perlmutter  
Perriello  
Peters  
Peterson  
Petri  
Pingree (ME)  
Pitts  
Platts  
Poe (TX)  
Polis (CO)  
Pomeroy  
Posey  
Price (GA)  
Price (NC)  
Putnam  
Quigley  
Radanovich  
Rahall  
Rangel  
Rehberg  
Reichert  
Reyes  
Richardson

Rodriguez  
Roe (TN)  
Rogers (AL)  
Rogers (KY)  
Rogers (MI)  
Rohrabacher  
Rooney  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Roskam  
Ross  
Rothman (NJ)  
Roybal-Allard  
Royce  
Ruppersberger  
Rush  
Ryan (OH)  
Ryan (WI)  
Salazar  
Sanchez, Linda  
T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sarbanes  
Scalise  
Schakowsky  
Schauer  
Schiff  
Schmidt  
Schock  
Schrader  
Schwartz  
Scott (GA)  
Scott (VA)  
Sensenbrenner  
Serrano  
Sessions  
Sestak  
Shadegg  
Shea-Porter  
Sherman  
Shimkus  
Shuler  
Shuster  
Simpson  
Sires  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (NE)  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Smith (WA)  
Snyder  
Souder  
Space  
Speier  
Stark  
Stearns  
Stupak  
Sullivan  
Sutton  
Tanner  
Taylor  
Teague  
Terry  
Thompson (CA)  
Thompson (MS)  
Thompson (PA)  
Thornberry  
Tiahrt  
Tiberi  
Tierney  
Titus  
Tonko  
Towns  
Tsongas  
Turner  
Upton  
Van Hollen  
Velazquez  
Visclosky  
Walden  
Walz  
Wamp  
Wasserman  
Schultz  
Waters  
Posey  
Watson  
Watt  
Waxman  
Weiner  
Welch  
Westmoreland  
Wexler  
Whitfield  
Wilson (OH)  
Wilson (SC)  
Wittman

Wolf  
Woolsey  
Wu  
Yarmuth  
Young (AK)  
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—9

Barrett (SC)  
Buyer  
Coffman (CO)  
Gutierrez  
Johnson (GA)  
Murphy, Patrick  
Murphy, Tim  
Nunes  
Spratt

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE  
The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Two minutes remain on this vote.

□ 1350

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3854, SMALL BUSINESS FINANCING AND INVESTMENT ACT OF 2009**

Ms. PINGREE of Maine. Madam Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 875 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 875

*Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3854) to amend the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to improve programs providing access to capital under such Acts, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Small Business. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The amendment printed in part A of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. The bill, as amended, shall be considered as the original bill for the purpose of further amendment under the five-minute rule and shall be considered as read. All points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, are waived. Notwithstanding clause 11 of rule XVIII, no further amendment to the bill, as amended, shall be in order except the amendments printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules. Each such amendment may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. All points of order against such amendments are waived except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill, as amended, to the House with such further amendments as may have been adopted. In