

Franks (AZ) Lummis Rogers (MI)  
 Frelinghuysen Lungren, Daniel Rohrbacher  
 Gallegly E. Rooney  
 Garrett (NJ) Mack Ros-Lehtinen  
 Gerlach Manzullo Roskam  
 Gingrey (GA) Marchant Ross  
 Gohmert McCaul Royce  
 Goodlatte McClintock Ryan (WI)  
 Graves McCotter Scalise  
 Guthrie McHenry Schmidt  
 Hall (TX) McHugh Schock  
 Harper McIntyre Sensenbrenner  
 Hastings (WA) McKeon Sessions  
 Heller McMorris Shadegg  
 Hensarling Rodgers  
 Herger Mica  
 Hill Miller (FL)  
 Hoekstra Miller (MI)  
 Hunter Miller, Gary  
 Inglis Minnick  
 Issa Moran (KS)  
 Jenkins Murphy, Tim  
 Johnson (IL) Myrick  
 Johnson, Sam Neugebauer  
 Jones Nunes  
 Jordan (OH) Olson  
 King (IA) Paul  
 King (NY) Paulsen  
 Kingston Pence  
 Kirk Petri  
 Kline (MN) Pitts  
 Lamborn Platts  
 Lance Poe (TX)  
 Latham Poyse  
 LaTourette Price (GA)  
 Latta Putnam  
 Lee (NY) Radanovich  
 Lewis (CA) Rehberg  
 Linder Reichert  
 LoBiondo Roe (TN)  
 Lucas Rogers (AL)  
 Luetkemeyer Rogers (KY)

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 234, noes 190, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 220]

AYES—234

Abercrombie Gutierrez Neal (MA)  
 Ackerman Hall (NY) Nye  
 Adler (NJ) Halvorson Oberstar  
 Altmire Hare Obey  
 Andrews Harman Oliver  
 Baca Hastings (FL) Ortiz  
 Baird Heinrich Pallone  
 Baldwin Herseth Sandlin Pascrell  
 Bean Higgins Pastor (AZ)  
 Becerra Himes Payne  
 Berkeley Hinojosa Peters  
 Berman Hirono Pingree (ME)  
 Berry Hodes Polis (CO)  
 Bishop (GA) Holden Pomeroy  
 Bishop (NY) Holt Price (NC)  
 Blumenauer Hoyer Quigley  
 Boccieri Inslee Rahall  
 Boswell Israel Rangel  
 Boucher Jackson (IL) Reyes  
 Boyd Jackson-Lee Richardson  
 Brady (PA) (TX) Rodriguez  
 Braley (IA) Johnson (GA) Rothman (NJ)  
 Bright Johnson, E. B. Roybal-Allard  
 Brown, Corrine Kagen Ruppertsberger  
 Camps Kanjorski Rush  
 Capuano Kaptur Ryan (OH)  
 Cardoza Kennedy Salazar  
 Carnahan Kildee Sanchez, Linda  
 Carson (IN) Kilpatrick (MI) T.  
 Castor (FL) Kilroy Sarbanes  
 Chandler Kind Schakowsky  
 Clarke Kirkpatrick (AZ) Schauer  
 Clay Kissell Schiff  
 Cleaver Klein (FL) Schrader  
 Clyburn Kosmas Schwartz  
 Cohen Kucinich Scott (GA)  
 Connolly (VA) Larginin Scott (VA)  
 Conyers Larsen (WA) Serrano  
 Cooper Larson (CT) Sestak  
 Costa Lee (CA) Shea-Porter  
 Costello Levin Sherman  
 Courtney Lewis (GA) Sires  
 Crowley Lipinski Skelton  
 Cuellar Loeb sack Slaughter  
 Cummings Lofgren, Zoe Smith (WA)  
 Dahlkemper Lowey Snyder  
 Davis (AL) Lujan Space  
 Davis (CA) Lynch Speier  
 Davis (IL) Maffei Spratt  
 DeFazio Maloney Stupak  
 DeGette Markey (CO) Sutton  
 Delahunt Markey (MA) Tanner  
 DeLauro Marshall Tauscher  
 Dicks Massa Teague  
 Dingell Matheson Thompson (CA)  
 Doggett Matsui Thompson (MS)  
 Doyle McCarthy (NY) Tierney  
 Driehaus McCollum Titus  
 Edwards (MD) McDermott Tonko  
 Edwards (TX) McGovern Towns  
 Ellison McMahon Tsongas  
 Engel McNerney Van Hollen  
 Eshoo Meeke (FL) Velazquez  
 Etheridge Meeke (NY) Walz  
 Farr Michaud Wasserman  
 Fattah Miller (NC) Schultz  
 Filner Miller, George Waters  
 Foster Mitchell Watson  
 Frank (MA) Mollohan Watt  
 Fudge Moore (KS) Weiner  
 Giffords Moore (WI) Welch  
 Gonzalez Moran (VA) Wexler  
 Gordon (TN) Murphy (CT) Wilson (OH)  
 Grayson Murphy, Patrick Woolsey  
 Green, Al Murtha Wu  
 Green, Gene Nadler (NY) Yarmuth  
 Grijalva Napolitano

Johnson (IL) Platts  
 Johnson, Sam Poe (TX)  
 Jones Posey  
 Jordan (OH) Price (GA)  
 King (IA) Putnam  
 King (NY) Radanovich  
 Kingstons Rehberg  
 Kirk Reichert  
 Klime (MN) Roe (TN)  
 Kratovil Rogers (AL)  
 Lamborn Rogers (KY)  
 Latham Rogers (MI)  
 LaTourette Rohrbacher  
 Latta Rooney  
 Lee (NY) Ros-Lehtinen  
 Lewis (CA) Roskam  
 Linder Ross  
 LoBiondo Royce  
 Lucas Ryan (WI)  
 Luetkemeyer Scalise  
 Lummis Schmidt  
 Lungren, Daniel Schock  
 E. Sensenbrenner  
 Mack Sessions  
 Manzullo Shadegg  
 Marchant Shimkus  
 McCarthy (CA) Shuler  
 McCaul Shuster  
 McClintock Simpson  
 McCotter Smith (NE)  
 McHenry Smith (NJ)  
 McHugh Smith (TX)  
 McIntyre Souder  
 McKeon Stearns  
 McMorris Sullivan  
 Rodgers Taylor  
 Melancon Terry  
 Mica Thompson (PA)  
 Miller (FL) Thornberry  
 Miller (MI) Tiahrt  
 Miller, Gary Tiberi  
 Minnick Moran (KS) Turner  
 Murphy, Tim Upton  
 Myrick Walden  
 Neugebauer Wamp  
 Nunes Westmoreland  
 Olson Whitfield  
 Paul Wilson (SC)  
 Paulsen Wittman  
 Pence Wolf  
 Petri Young (AK)  
 Pitts Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—17

Becerra Granger McCarthy (CA)  
 Boehner Gutierrez Perriello  
 Boucher Inslee Stark  
 Burgess Kilroy Thompson (MS)  
 Butterfield Kosmas Waxman  
 Ehlers Larson (CT)

□ 1348

Mr. BACHUS changed his vote from “aye” to “no.”

Ms. BEAN changed her vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:  
 Mr. LARSON. Mr. Speaker, on April 29, 2009, I missed the vote on ordering the previous question on H. Res. 372 (rollcall vote 219), providing for consideration of H.R. 1913, to provide Federal assistance to States, local jurisdictions, and Indian tribes to prosecute hate crimes. Had I been present, I would have voted “aye” for H. Res. 372.

Mr. BECERRA. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained earlier today and missed rollcall vote 219 on ordering the previous question on H. Res. 372, providing for consideration of H.R. 1913. If present, I would have voted “aye.”

Stated against:  
 Mr. EHLERS. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 219, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “no.”

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Ms. FOXX. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

NOES—190

Aderholt Bilirakis Brown (SC)  
 Akin Bishop (UT) Brown-Waite,  
 Alexander Blackburn Ginny  
 Austria Blunt Buchanan  
 Bachmann Bonner Burton (IN)  
 Bachus Bono Mack Buyer  
 Barrett (SC) Boozman Calvert  
 Bartlett Boren Camp  
 Barton (TX) Boustany Campbell  
 Biggert Brady (TX) Cantor  
 Bilbray Broun (GA) Cao

NOT VOTING—8

Boehner Granger Stark  
 Burgess Perlmutter Waxman  
 Butterfield Perriello

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

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So the resolution was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
 Washington, DC, April 28, 2009.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,  
 The Speaker, House of Representatives,  
 Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a facsimile copy of a letter received from Mr. Todd D. Valentine and Mr. Stanley L. Zalen, Co-Executive Directors of the New York State Board of Elections, indicating that, according to the unofficial returns of the Special Election held March 31, 2009, the Honorable Scott Murphy was elected Representative to Congress for the Twentieth Congressional District, State of New York.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

LORRAINE C. MILLER,  
*Clerk.*

Enclosure.

STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS,  
*Albany, NY, April 27, 2009.*

Hon. LORRAINE C. MILLER,  
*Clerk, House of Representatives,  
The Capitol, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MS. MILLER: This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Tuesday, March 31, 2009, for Representative in Congress from the Twentieth Congressional District of New York, show that Scott Murphy received 80,420 of the total number of votes cast for that office.

It would appear from these unofficial results that Scott Murphy was elected as Representative in Congress from the Twentieth Congressional District of New York.

As soon as the official results are certified to this office by the County Boards of Elections involved, an official Certificate of Election will be prepared for transmittal as required by law.

Very truly yours,

TODD D. VALENTINE,  
*Co-Executive Director.*  
STANLEY L. ZALEN,  
*Co-Executive Director.*

**SWEARING IN OF THE HONORABLE  
SCOTT MURPHY, OF NEW YORK,  
AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE**

Mr. RANGEL. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from New York, the Honorable SCOTT MURPHY, be permitted to take the oath of office today.

His certificate of election has not yet arrived, but there is no contest and no question has been raised with regard to his election.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. Will the Representative-elect and the members of the New York delegation present themselves in the well.

Mr. MURPHY of New York appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office, as follows:

Do you solemnly swear or affirm that you will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that you will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that you take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that you will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which you are about to enter, so help you God.

The SPEAKER. Congratulations, you are now a Member of the 111th Congress.

**WELCOMING THE HONORABLE  
SCOTT MURPHY TO THE HOUSE  
OF REPRESENTATIVES**

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the gentleman from New York (Mr. RANGEL) is recognized for 1 minute.

There was no objection.

Mr. RANGEL. Madam Speaker, it is my great honor as the dean of the New York delegation to present to this honorable body the Honorable SCOTT MURPHY.

Quite frankly, the Nation has said this has been a victory of Democrats over Republicans. That's just not so. This is just one great American that found himself in a district that had more Republicans who saw and wanted the best for this country.

It is my great honor to present the Honorable SCOTT MURPHY of the 20th District of New York.

Mr. MURPHY of New York. Thank you, Chairman RANGEL. It's an honor to stand on this floor of this House and join the outstanding men and women of this 111th Congress. I look forward to getting to know all of you, to learning from you, and, most of all, working with you in the spirit of bipartisan cooperation that our challenges so desperately demand.

Upstate New Yorkers made clear to me that while the challenges we face as a country are some of the greatest we have ever known, they're not Democratic challenges, they're not Republican challenges. And as our President has said, this country is not as polarized as our politics would suggest.

So while we may disagree at times on issues, we must never forget that our goals are the same: to make sure that we have good jobs for our workers; to keep our families healthy and safe; to help our small businesses grow and prosper; to build a cleaner, independent energy future; and to make sure that our kids can find jobs so that they can stay near their families and in our communities like those all across Upstate New York.

I have dedicated my career to creating jobs and helping small businesses grow, working with people of all backgrounds and parties to solve complex challenges. Beginning today, I will fight to invest in the 21st century infrastructure that will create jobs and get our economy moving again.

There are so many people to thank for making this journey here today possible. First and foremost, the voters of the 20th District of New York. I'm humbled and honored by the faith and trust that they have placed in me, and I pledge to work every day to make their lives a little bit better and to live up to my ultimate job description of being their voice here in this House.

Now, the first person I would like to thank is the most important person in my world, my best friend, the love of my life, my wife, Jen, who is up in the audience here. Without her encouragement and support, I never would have tried this and would never have been successful.

I also want to thank my kids, Simone and Lux, who are down here on the floor with me, and my son Duke. Their curiosity and energy inspires me every day and reminds me and reminds all of us that we are here fighting for a

brighter future for them and all of America's children.

I also want to thank my dad. And I am a very lucky man, I have my grandparents here with me today. I want to thank them and my mom, who is not around anymore, for teaching me the lessons of hard work and thriftiness and compassion that allowed me to achieve what I have in life and to join this body.

And I want to say thanks to the family and friends that have made the trip down from New York. Many of you have heard I've got a huge family. We have got 57 people in our immediate family. At least half of them are up here in the gallery. So thank you all very much for being here and for all your support.

And I want to say thanks to Speaker PELOSI for your wonderful leadership and to the rest of the leadership team: the majority leader, STENY HOYER; Caucus Chairman LARSON; Whip CLYBURN; Chairman VAN HOLLEN, who have all been very helpful in putting this all together, and I couldn't have gotten here without your help. So thank you very much.

A special thanks to Senator GILLIBRAND, who made this opportunity possible and who did an amazing job representing the families of Upstate New York, and I heard that consistently on the campaign trail. So thanks for your support and your wonderful work on behalf of our district.

I also want to say thanks to President Obama and Vice President BIDEN for their excellent leadership. And I look forward to working with them and all the Members of this body to make sure that we get the stimulus money, the economic recovery money out and make sure it's as effective as it can possibly be in impacting our communities and getting this economy moving.

Thanks also to the outstanding New York delegation that was so excited and helpful in this race. I am looking forward to working on behalf of a brighter New York with so many other Members from our fine State.

I want to say thanks to all the other leaders that were helpful, Governor Paterson and Senator SCHUMER and all the volunteers and staff, and particularly the excellent staff that I had that are here that did so much on our behalf for this campaign. So thank you to everyone who was involved.

As I began serving the people of Upstate New York, I pledged to work with each and every Member of this body to put people back to work, to take care of the taxpayers of today and of tomorrow, and to give our kids a 21st century education, and, most of all, to summon the true spirit of cooperation that it will take to make sure that America's brightest days are still ahead of us. Thank you.

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER**

The SPEAKER. Under clause 5(d) of rule XX, the Chair announces to the