

By Ms. KUSTER (for herself and Mr. NOLAN):

H.R. 4908. A bill to provide rental assistance to low-income tenants of certain multi-family rural housing projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. THORNBERRY (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Washington) (both by request):

H.R. 4909. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2017 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. LANCE:

H.R. 4910. A bill to amend title 36, United States Code, to require that the POW/MIA flag be displayed on all days that the flag of the United States is displayed on certain Federal property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LANGEVIN:

H.R. 4911. A bill to impose criminal penalties for the unsafe operation of unmanned aircraft; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LEWIS (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois):

H.R. 4912. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce taxpayer burdens and enhance taxpayer protections, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4913. A bill to ensure the sufficient capitalization of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac and prevent any further bailout of such enterprises by the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 4914. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to place limitations on the possession, sale, and other disposition of a firearm by persons convicted of misdemeanor sex offenses against children; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. NORTON (for herself and Ms. EDWARDS):

H.R. 4915. A bill to designate the Civil War Defenses of Washington National Historical Park comprised of certain National Park System lands, and by affiliation and cooperative agreements other historically significant resources, located in the District of Columbia, Virginia, and Maryland, that were part of the Civil War defenses of Washington and related to the Shenandoah Valley Campaign of 1864, to study ways in which the Civil War history of both the North and South can be assembled, arrayed, and conveyed for the benefit of the public, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. POLIQUIN (for himself and Ms. PINGREE):

H.R. 4916. A bill to reauthorize the program of the Department of Veterans Affairs under which the Secretary of Veterans Affairs provides health services to veterans through qualifying non-Department health care providers; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. RUSSELL (for himself, Mr. McCLINTOCK, Mr. BISHOP of Michigan, Mr. BUCK, Mr. PALMER, and Mr. RIBBLE):

H.R. 4917. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to terminate the essential air

service program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER (for herself and Mr. KATKO):

H.R. 4918. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to issue guidance for the safe prescribing of opioids for the treatment of acute pain; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Ms. MAXINE WATERS of California, Mr. MICHAEL F. DOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. KING of New York, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. ADERHOLT, Ms. NORTON, Mr. JOYCE, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York, and Mr. CARSON of Indiana):

H.R. 4919. A bill to amend the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, to reauthorize the Missing Alzheimer's Disease Patient Alert Program, and to promote initiatives that will reduce the risk of injury and death relating to the wandering characteristics of some children with autism; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. BEATTY (for herself, Ms. HAHN, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CLEAVER, and Ms. NORTON):

H. Con. Res. 127. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued in honor of the Buffalo Soldiers; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. HONDA (for himself and Ms. NORTON):

H. Res. 670. A resolution expressing support for the designation of May 5, 2016, as a "National Day of Reason" and recognizing the importance of reason in the betterment of humanity; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. GROTHMAN:

H. Res. 673. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Internal Revenue Service should provide printed copies of Internal Revenue Service Publication 17 to taxpayers in the United States free of charge; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MULVANEY (for himself, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. GOWDY, and Mr. RICE of South Carolina):

H. Res. 674. A resolution recognizing linemen, the profession of linemen, the contributions of these brave men and women who protect public safety, and expressing support for the designation of April 18, 2016, as National Lineman Appreciation Day; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. REED (for himself, Ms. SPEIER, Ms. ADAMS, Mrs. BEATTY, Mrs. BLACK, Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. CARDENAS, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. COSTA, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DOLD, Ms. EDWARDS, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FOSTER, Mr. GIBSON, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. HONDA, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. JENKINS of Kansas, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mr. KIND, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK, Mrs. LAWRENCE, Mr. TED LIEU of California, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. MCCOLLUM,

Mr. MEEHAN, Ms. MOORE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. POCAN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. RUIZ, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, and Mr. YARMUTH):

H. Res. 675. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WITTMAN (for himself, Mr. CONNOLLY, Mrs. COMSTOCK, Ms. NORTON, and Mrs. LAWRENCE):

H. Res. 676. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that public servants should be commended for their dedication and continued service to the United States during Public Service Recognition Week, the week of May 1 through 7, 2016; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

195. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 223, memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact the Retail Investor Protection Act and also to enact legislation that prohibits the United States Department of Labor from amending fiduciary duty regulations to define retirement savings brokers and agents as fiduciaries, including those previously not deemed fiduciaries; which was referred jointly to the Committees on Financial Services and Education and the Workforce.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. PASCRELL introduced a bill (H.R. 4920) for the relief of Malachy McAllister, Nicola McAllister, and Sean Ryan McAllister; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia:

H.R. 4899.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article I, Section 8, Clause 3.

By Mr. DUFFY:

H.R. 4900.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Article IV, section 3, clause 2

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 4901.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:
Clause 1 and Clause 17 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution of the United States grants the Congress the power to enact this law.

By Mr. HURD of Texas:

H.R. 4902.
Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. ALLEN:

H.R. 4903.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, clauses 1 and 18 of the Constitution

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 4904.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. BEYER:

H.R. 4905.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article I of the U.S. Constitution

By Mr. CONNOLLY:

H.R. 4906.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section VIII, Clause 18

By Mr. HOLDING:

H.R. 4907.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Ms. KUSTER:

H.R. 4908.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, the Taxing and Spending Clause: "The Congress shall have power to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. THORNBERRY:

H.R. 4909.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress "to provide for the common Defence", "to raise and support Armies", "to provide and maintain a Navy" and "to make Rules for the Government and Regulation of the land and naval Forces" as enumerated in Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. LANCE:

H.R. 4910.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Sec. 8, Clause 1, of the United States Constitution

This state that "Congress shall have the power to . . . lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States."

By Mr. LANGEVIN:

H.R. 4911.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 3 and Clause 18.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 4912.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4913.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1. "The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States . . . ;"

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3. "To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes."

Article I, Section 8, Clause 14. "To make rules for the government . . . ;"

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18. "To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof"

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 4914.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clauses 3 and 18 of Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 4915.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

clause 18 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. POLIQUIN:

H.R. 4916.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 ". . . To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into the Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States or in any Department or Officer thereof . . ."

By Mr. RUSSELL:

H.R. 4917.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution, specifically Clause 1 and Clause 18.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER:

H.R. 4918.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 18 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 4919.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution

By Mr. PASCRELL:

H.R. 4920

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I of the United States Constitution.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions, as follows:

H.R. 12: Mr. TAKANO.

H.R. 24: Mrs. NOEM, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania and Mr. BISHOP of Utah.

H.R. 27: Mr. SHUSTER.

H.R. 188: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 225: Ms. ADAMS.

H.R. 239: Mr. SEAN PATRICK MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 241: Mr. CONAWAY.

H.R. 247: Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. HASTINGS, Ms. KELLY of Illinois, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, and Mr. JEFFRIES.

H.R. 317: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 386: Mr. TAKAI.

H.R. 472: Ms. DUCKWORTH.

H.R. 525: Mr. CARDENAS.

H.R. 539: Mr. VELA.

H.R. 542: Mr. DEUTCH and Mr. GRIFFITH.

H.R. 546: Mrs. WALORSKI, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. CICILLINE.

H.R. 584: Ms. FOXX.

H.R. 592: Mr. YOHO, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Mr. HOLDING.

H.R. 649: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania and Ms. KUSTER.

H.R. 654: Mr. MOOLENAAR and Mr. JOYCE.

H.R. 662: Mr. DUFFY.

H.R. 703: Mr. BISHOP of Utah.

H.R. 711: Mr. AL GREEN of Texas and Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 775: Mr. BRENDAN F. BOYLE of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 793: Mr. REED, Mr. POCAN, and Mr. SWALWELL of California.

H.R. 799: Mr. TONKO.

H.R. 815: Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.

H.R. 836: Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 842: Mr. JENKINS of West Virginia and Mr. KING of Iowa.

H.R. 921: Mr. RATCLIFFE, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. RUIZ, and Ms. MCSALLY.

H.R. 923: Mr. LAMBORN and Mr. WILLIAMS.

H.R. 952: Mrs. LAWRENCE.

H.R. 973: Mr. CAPUANO and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.

H.R. 986: Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. ROYCE, and Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER.

H.R. 1095: Ms. MCCOLLUM and Mr. SARBANES.

H.R. 1112: Mrs. BEATTY.

H.R. 1170: Mr. AMODEI.

H.R. 1172: Mr. LANGEVIN.

H.R. 1193: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.

H.R. 1197: Mr. SCOTT of Virginia.

H.R. 1218: Mrs. WAGNER, Mr. BISHOP of Michigan, Ms. LEE, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. BONAMICI, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. CONNOLLY.

H.R. 1220: Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SESSIONS, and Mr. STIVERS.

H.R. 1221: Mr. FARR, Mrs. DINGELL, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. JONES, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, and Mr. COLLINS of New York.

H.R. 1233: Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia.

H.R. 1247: Mr. FATTAH and Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 1299: Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 1301: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1302: Mr. OLSON.

H.R. 1355: Mr. PITTENGER.

H.R. 1399: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. SCHIFF and Ms. JUDY CHU of California.

H.R. 1427: Ms. HAHN, Mr. PERRY, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. GOWDY, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. ROUZER, Mr. MULLIN, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mrs. COMSTOCK, and Mr. NEAL.

H.R. 1453: Ms. FRANKEL of Florida and Mr. DENT.

H.R. 1457: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. OLSON, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. WELCH.

H.R. 1459: Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 1486: Mr. WILLIAMS.

H.R. 1538: Mr. JEFFRIES.

H.R. 1559: Ms. JENKINS of Kansas, Mr. GOWDY, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. CROWLEY, and Mr. ZELDIN.

H.R. 1571: Mr. BEYER and Mr. QUIGLEY.

H.R. 1602: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California and Mr. HIGGINS.

H.R. 1603: Mr. LAMALFA, Mrs. RADEWAGEN, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, and Mr. ROSS.

H.R. 1728: Mr. WALZ.

H.R. 1733: Mr. HUFFMAN.

H.R. 1761: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 1784: Mrs. BUSTOS.

H.R. 1821: Mr. MOULTON.

H.R. 1858: Ms. ADAMS.

H.R. 1882: Mr. ASHFORD.