

Brownley	Gosar	Neguse
Bush	Graves (LA)	Norcross
Cárdenas	Green, Al (TX)	Ocasio-Cortez
Carson	Hageman	Ogles
Carter (LA)	Hayes	Omar
Case	Hoyle (OR)	Pallone
Casten	Huffman	Pingree
Castor (FL)	Ivey	Pocan
Chu	Jackson (IL)	Pressley
Clark (MA)	Jacobs	Ramirez
Clarke (NY)	Jayapal	Raskin
Cleaver	Jeffries	Rosendale
Clyburn	Johnson (GA)	Ross
Cohen	Kamlager-Dove	Ruppersberger
Collins	Kelly (IL)	Salinas
Crockett	Kennedy	Sánchez
Davis (IL)	Khanna	Sarbanes
Dean (PA)	Krishnamoorthi	Scanlon
DeGette	Lee (CA)	Schakowsky
DeLauro	Lee (PA)	Schiff
DeSaulnier	Leger Fernandez	Scott (VA)
Dingell	Levin	Sherman
Doggett	Lieu	Staubert
Duncan	Lofgren	Stevens
Escobar	Magaziner	Takano
Eshoo	McClellan	Tenney
Espallat	McCollum	Thaneadar
Fischbach	McGarvey	Thompson (CA)
Fitzgerald	McGovern	Thompson (MS)
Foster	Menendez	Tlaib
Foushee	Meng	Tokuda
Frankel, Lois	Mfume	Underwood
Frost	Moore (WI)	Velázquez
Fry	Morelle	Waters
Garcia (IL)	Mullin	Watson Coleman
Garcia (TX)	Nadler	Williams (GA)
Garcia, Robert	Napolitano	Wilson (FL)
Goldman (NY)	Neal	

NOT VOTING—49

Armstrong	Gienez	Mooney
Bishop (NC)	Gottheimer	Murphy
Bowman	Granger	Nehls
Buchanan	Greene (GA)	Phillips
Casas	Grijalva	Porter
Castro (TX)	Guest	Rodgers (WA)
Chavez-DeRemer	Jackson (NC)	Salazar
Cherfilus-	Kuster	Stansbury
McCormick	Kustoff	Swallow
Ciscomani	LaHood	Thompson (PA)
Costa	Lamborn	Tonko
Crawford	Luetkemeyer	Torres (NY)
Curtis	Maloy	Trahan
DesJarlais	McClintock	Wagner
Evans	McHenry	Westerman
Galleo	Meeks	Wexton
Garbarino	Miller (IL)	

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Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. PRESSLEY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, Mr. BEAN of Florida, Ms. SALINAS and VELÁZQUEZ changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Messrs. SOTO and ZINKE changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated against:

Mr. TONKO. Mr. Speaker, had I been present, I would have voted “nay” on roll call No. 440.

Mr. WESTERMAN. Mr. Speaker, had I been present, I would have voted NAY on Roll Call No. 440.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, September 20, 2024.

Hon. MIKE JOHNSON,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a copy of a letter received from Ms. Donna Barber, Acting Director of the New Jersey Division of Elections, indicating that, according to the unofficial results for the Special General Election held on September 18, 2024, the Honorable LaMonica McIver was elected Representative to Congress for the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

KEVIN F. MCCUMBER,
Acting Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Trenton, NJ, September 19, 2024.

Hon. KEVIN F. MCCUMBER,
Acting Clerk, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. MCCUMBER: This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Wednesday, September 18, 2024 for a Representative in Congress from the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey, show that LaMonica McIver received 26,119 or 81% of the total number of votes cast for that office.

It would appear from these unofficial election results, of the ballots counted so far, that LaMonica McIver has received the highest number of votes for the office of Representative in Congress from the Tenth Congressional District.

To the best of our knowledge and belief at this time, there is no contest to this election. The deadline to file an election contest is October 20, 2024.

As soon as the official results are certified to this office by County Clerks involved, the Board of State Canvassers will meet to certify the Official Special General Election results. Furthermore, an official Certificate of Election will be prepared for transmittal as required by law after the State Board of Canvassers has certified the results of the election.

Sincerely,

DONNA BARBER,
Acting Director, NJ Division of Elections.

SWEARING IN OF THE HONORABLE LAMONICA MCIVER, OF NEW JERSEY, AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentlewoman from New Jersey, the Honorable LaMonica McIver, be permitted to take the oath of office today.

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

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

There was no objection.

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

All Members will rise and the Representative-elect will please raise her right hand.

Mrs. McIVER 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 118th Congress.

WELCOMING THE HONORABLE LAMONICA MCIVER TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

There was no objection.

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Mr. Speaker, my colleagues, especially from New Jersey, and I rise today to congratulate and welcome our newest colleague, LAMONICA MCIVER, from New Jersey's 10th Congressional District.

Mrs. MCIVER has served on the Newark City Council since 2018. She served as the council president, and I think, as many people know, Newark is the largest city in the State of New Jersey. It is also the same council where our good friend and distinguished former colleague, Donald Payne, Jr., had served with great distinction.

I point out that she excelled in the Newark public school system and graduated from Bloomfield College before going on to receive her master's degree from Seton Hall University, everything in New Jersey.

Before running for office, she worked in human resources across several public school districts, including personnel director for Montclair Public Schools. She also worked as a public affairs manager for PSE&G, one of New Jersey's major utility companies.

We offer, on both sides of the aisle, our warmest welcome to her and look forward to working with her in the coming days and weeks.

Mr. Speaker, I yield to the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. PALLONE), my good friend.

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, I want all Members to know that Mrs. MCIVER has experienced a series of firsts.

First, she was the youngest person elected to the Newark City Council in 2018. She then was elected council president in 2022, and she is the youngest woman ever elected to Congress from the State of New Jersey.

We have her family up there, as my colleagues can see.

She has also been a tremendous mentor for young women, in particular. She founded an organization called the Newark G.A.L.S., Inc., which is an organization that has empowered over 3,000 young women throughout the State of New Jersey. We are so proud of her. She is really, more than anything

else, a community activist. That is what she is all about.

She is going to continue in that tradition here, being an advocate for so many important issues. We are ready to work with her, and we are so glad that she is here today, starting out even as we end this session, because she is going to get a jump on all of her activities. She is just such a nice person.

Mr. Speaker, I thank my colleagues, and I yield back to the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. SMITH).

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Mr. Speaker, I congratulate Mrs. McIVER, and I yield to the gentlewoman from New Jersey (Mrs. McIVER).

Mrs. McIVER. Mr. Speaker, Leader JEFFRIES, Congressman PALLONE, my great colleagues in the New Jersey delegation, I am deeply humbled and honored that the people of New Jersey's 10th Congressional District have put their faith in me to give them a bold voice in the United States House of Representatives.

I recognize my mom, my dad, sisters, husband, my bright 8-year-old daughter, and friends and extended family. I thank them so much for traveling here from New Jersey to be with me.

I express my deepest gratitude to those who have provided mentorship and guidance throughout my career. A few of those folks are here today, like my New Jersey State Chairman, Leroy Jones, who is here watching tonight.

Tonight, I walk in the footsteps of those who have come before me. The city of Newark, my lifelong home, has produced fierce, unyielding leaders who have dedicated their lives and careers to the pursuit of justice.

My predecessor, Congressman DONALD M. PAYNE, JR., embodied the vibrant spirit of our city and the people he faithfully served. He was an example to many of us.

As I stand before my colleagues tonight, I pay tribute to him, and both deeply feel and will always miss his presence and his leadership.

While I walk in the footsteps of those who came before me, it is my hope to blaze new trails together on the march toward fully realizing the promise of our great American Nation.

I personally thank my mayor, Ras J. Baraka, who introduced me to politics at the age of 10. It is fitting that he is here tonight with us.

It was in those years that I saw up close how government at all levels could impact daily life in our communities, how even small changes have the ability to add up to transformational progress.

I later had the opportunity and privilege to serve my city as a member of the Newark City Council and as council president.

As I stand here tonight, I am filled with more optimism than ever before that we can accomplish so much together, that we can find common ground, that we can disagree while nurturing our democracy, that we can

bring the voices of our beautiful, diverse communities together, and that we can protect and strengthen the freedoms and opportunities that make America, America.

I cannot be more proud and grateful that the people of New Jersey's 10th Congressional District have entrusted me to carry forward their will in this House, for which I thank all of them.

May God bless the 10th District, and God bless America.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The SPEAKER. Under clause 5(d) of rule XX, the Chair announces to the House that, in light of the administration of the oath of office to the gentlewoman from New Jersey, the whole number of the House is 432.

NASA REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2024

The SPEAKER. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 8958) to reauthorize the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and for other purposes, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Oklahoma (Mr. LUCAS) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 366, nays 21, answered “present” 1, not voting 43, as follows:

[Roll No. 441]
YEAS—366

Adams	Calvert	Dean (PA)
Aderholt	Cammack	DeGette
Aguilar	Caraveo	DeLauro
Alford	Carbajal	DelBene
Allen	Cardenas	Deluzio
Allred	Carey	DeSaulnier
Amo	Carl	Diaz-Balart
Amodei	Carson	Dingell
Arrington	Carter (GA)	Doggett
Auchincloss	Carter (LA)	Donalds
Babin	Carter (TX)	Duarte
Bacon	Cartwright	Duncan
Baird	Case	Dunn (FL)
Balderson	Casten	Edwards
Balint	Castor (FL)	Ellzey
Banks	Chu	Emmer
Barr	Clark (MA)	Escobar
Barragan	Clarke (NY)	Eshoo
Bean (FL)	Cleaver	Espallat
Beatty	Cline	Estes
Bentz	Clyburn	Ezell
Bera	Clyde	Fallon
Bergman	Cohen	Feenstra
Beyer	Cole	Ferguson
Bice	Collins	Finstad
Bilirakis	Comer	Fischbach
Bishop (GA)	Connolly	Fitzgerald
Blumenauer	Correa	Fitzpatrick
Blunt Rochester	Costa	Fleischmann
Boebert	Courtney	Fletcher
Bonamici	Craig	Flood
Bost	Crockett	Fong
Boyle (PA)	Crow	Foster
Brown	Cuellar	Foushee
Brownley	D'Esposito	Fox
Bucshon	Davids (KS)	Frankel, Lois
Budzinski	Davis (IL)	Franklin, Scott
Burgess	Davis (NC)	Frost
Bush	De La Cruz	Fry
Gaetz	Garamendi	Lopez
Garcia (IL)	Garcia (TX)	Loudermilk
Garcia, Mike	Gomez	Lucas
Garcia, Robert	Gooden (TX)	Luna
Jimenez	Gottheimer	Luttrell
Golden (ME)	Graves (LA)	Lynch
Goldman (NY)	Graves (MO)	Mace
Gomez	Green (TN)	Magaziner
Gonzales, Tony	Green, Al (TX)	Malliotakis
Gonzalez, V.	Griffith	Mann
Gooden (TX)	Guest	Manning
Gottheimer	Guthrie	Mast
Graves (LA)	Harder (CA)	Matsui
Graves (MO)	Harshbarger	McBath
Green (TN)	Hayes	McCaul
Green, Al (TX)	Hern	McClain
Griffith	Higgins (LA)	McClellan
Guest	Hill	McCollum
Guthrie	Himes	McCormick
Harder (CA)	Hinson	McGarvey
Harshbarger	Horsford	McGovern
Hayes	Houchin	McIver
Hern	Houlahan	Meeks
Higgins (LA)	Hoyer	Menendez
Hill	Hoyle (OR)	Meng
Himes	Hudson	Meuser
Hinson	Huffman	Mfume
Horsford	Huizenga	Miller (OH)
Houchin	Hunt	Miller (WV)
Houlahan	Issa	Miller-Meeks
Hoyer	Ivey	Mills
Hoyle (OR)	Jackson (IL)	Molinaro
Hudson	Jackson (TX)	Moolenaar
Huffman	Jacobs	Moore (AL)
Huizenga	James	Moore (UT)
Hunt	Jayapal	Moore (WI)
Issa	Jeffries	Moran
Ivey	Johnson (GA)	Moran
Jackson (IL)	Johnson (SD)	Morelle
Jackson (TX)	Jordan	Moskowitz
Jacobs	Joyce (OH)	Moulton
James	Joyce (PA)	Mrvan
Jayapal	Kamlager-Dove	Mullin
Jeffries	Kaptur	Nadler
Johnson (GA)	Kean (NJ)	Napolitano
Johnson (SD)	Keating	Neal
Jordan	Kelly (IL)	Neguse
Joyce (OH)	Kelly (MS)	Newhouse
Joyce (PA)	Kelly (PA)	Nickel
Kamlager-Dove	Kennedy	Norcross
Kaptur	Khanna	Nunn (IA)
Kean (NJ)	Kiggans (VA)	Oberholte
Keating	Kildee	Ocasio-Cortez
Kelly (IL)	Kiley	Ogles
Kelly (MS)	Kilmer	Omar
Kelly (PA)	Kim (CA)	Owens
Kennedy	Kim (NJ)	Pallone
Khanna	Krishnamoorthi	Palmer
Kiggans (VA)	LaLota	Panetta
Kildee	LaMalfa	Pappas
Kiley	Landsman	Pelosi
Kilmer	Langworthy	Peltola
Kim (CA)	Larsen (WA)	Pence
Kim (NJ)	Larson (CT)	Perez
Krishnamoorthi	LaTurner	Peters
LaLota	Lawler	Pettersen
LaMalfa	Lee (CA)	Pfluger
Landsman	Lee (NV)	Pingree
Langworthy	Lee (PA)	Pocan
Larsen (WA)	Leger Fernandez	Posey
Larson (CT)	Lesko	Pressley
LaTurner	Letlow	Quigley
Lawler	Levin	Ramirez
Lee (CA)	Lieu	Raskin
Lee (NV)	Lofgren	Reschenthaler
Lee (PA)		Rogers (AL)
Leger Fernandez		Rogers (KY)
Lesko		Rose
Letlow		Ross
Levin		Rouzer
Lieu		Ruiz
Lofgren		Rulli
		Ruppersberger
		Rutherford
		Ryan
Biggs	Gosar	Salinas
Brecheen	Grothman	Sanchez
Burchett	Hageman	Sarbanes
Burlison	Harris	Scalise
Crane	Latta	Scanlon
Fulcher	Lee (FL)	Schakowsky
Good (VA)	Massie	Schiff
		Schneider
		Scholten
		Schrier
		Schweikert
		Scott (VA)
		Scott, Austin
		Scott, David
		Sessions
		Sewell
		Sherman
		Sherrill
		Simpson
		Slotkin
		Smith (MO)
		Smith (NE)
		Smith (NJ)
		Smith (WA)
		Smucker
		Sorensen
		Soto
		Spanberger
		Spartz
		Stansbury
		Stanton
		Stauber
		Steel
		Stefanik
		Steil
		Steube
		Stevens
		Strickland
		Strong
		Suozzi
		Sykes
		Takano
		Thamendar
		Thompson (CA)
		Thompson (MS)
		Timmons
		Titus
		Tlaib
		Tokuda
		Tonko
		Torres (CA)
		Trone
		Turner
		Underwood
		Valadao
		Van Drew
		Van Dyne
		Van Orden
		Vargas
		Vasquez
		Veasey
		Velazquez
		Walberg
		Waltz
		Wasserman
		Schultz
		Waters
		Watson Coleman
		Weber (TX)
		Webster (FL)
		Wenstrup
		Westerman
		Wild
		Williams (GA)
		Williams (NY)
		Williams (TX)
		Wilson (FL)
		Wilson (SC)
		Wittman
		Womack
		Yakym
		Zinke

NAYS—21

ANSWERED “PRESENT”—1

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