

SCONRES 56

A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued honoring Gunnery Sergeant John Basilone, a great American hero.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commemorations

Introduced: Jun 26, 2003

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8764)

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8764) (Jun 26, 2003)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-concurrent-resolution/56>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY] | D · NY | | Jun 26, 2003 |
| Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ] | D · NJ | | Jun 26, 2003 |
| Sen. Warner, John [R-VA] | R · VA | | Jun 26, 2003 |
| Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY] | D · NY | | Sep 30, 2003 |
| Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH] | R · OH | | Nov 4, 2003 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|--|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee | Senate | Referred To | Jun 26, 2003 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|-----------------|----------------|--|
| 108 HCONRES 218 | Identical bill | Jun 12, 2003: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform. |

Summary (as of Jun 26, 2003)

Calls for the Citizens' Stamp Advisory Committee to recommend and the U.S. Postal Service to issue a commemorative postage stamp honoring Gunnery Sergeant John Basilone (the first recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor awarded in World War II, and the only enlisted Marine in that war to receive the Congressional Medal of Honor, the Navy Cross, and the Purple Heart).

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 26, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 26, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8764-8765)
- **Jun 26, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8764)

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