

## HR 4653

To repeal a prohibition on the use of certain funds for tunneling in certain areas with respect to the Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail project, California.

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** Dec 22, 2005

**Current Status:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (Sep 21, 2006)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-bill/4653>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-30]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 21, 2006
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 23, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 4571	Identical bill	<b>Dec 19, 2005:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads.

### Summary (as of Sep 20, 2006)

**(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Amends the Department of Transportation and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1986 to repeal a provision prohibiting the use of certain funds for any segment of the downtown Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail project unless the Southern California Rapid Transit District notifies the Urban Mass Transportation Administration that no part of the Metro Rail project will tunnel through any zone designated as a potential risk zone or high potential risk zone for methane gas.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 21, 2006:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
- **Sep 20, 2006:** Mr. Shuster moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 20, 2006:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6804-6805)
- **Sep 20, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debates on H.R. 4653.
- **Sep 20, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6804)
- **Sep 20, 2006:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6804)
- **Sep 20, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 28, 2006:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation. H. Rept. 109-610.
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- **Jul 28, 2006:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 351.
- **Jul 19, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 19, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Dec 23, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads.
- **Dec 22, 2005:** Introduced in House
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