

HR 5137

Workforce Housing Act of 2006

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: FL • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Apr 25, 2006
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Apr 25, 2006
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Jun 22, 2006
Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Jul 24, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 6, 2006
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 6, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Workforce Housing Act of 2006 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) allow as a deduction from gross income any cash payments to a mortgage down payment account; and (2) establish a refundable tax credit for contributions to mortgage down payment accounts.

Amends the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act to establish home ownership counseling as a prerequisite to downpayment assistance under the Act.

Directs the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to make grants to local governments to provide financial assistance to developers for the production of housing for home ownership affordable to low- and moderate-income families.

### **Actions Timeline**

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