

HRES 1243

Recognizing the immeasurable contributions of fathers in the healthy development of children, supporting responsible fatherhood, and encouraging greater involvement of fathers in the lives of their children, especially on Father's Day.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 5, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HRES 474	Identical bill	Jul 24, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Healthy Families and Communities.

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

Commends the millions of fathers who serve as wonderful, caring parents for their children.

Calls on fathers across the United States to use Father's Day to: (1) reconnect and rededicate themselves to their children's lives; (2) spend Father's Day with their children; and (3) express their love and support for their children.

Urges men to understand the level of responsibility fathering a child requires, especially in the encouragement of children's moral, academic, and spiritual development.

Encourages active involvement of fathers in the rearing and development of their children, including the devotion of time, energy, and resources.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 9, 2008:** Mr. Yarmuth moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Jun 9, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5075-5077)
- **Jun 9, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 1243.
- **Jun 9, 2008:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 9, 2008:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5087-5088)
- **Jun 9, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 373 - 0 (Roll no. 389).(text: CR H5075)
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- **Jun 5, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 5, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.