

HRES 896

Recognizing the need to pursue research into the causes, a treatment, and an eventual cure for primary lateral sclerosis, supporting the goals and ideals of Primary Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month, and for other purposes.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Dec 19, 2007

Current Status: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.

Latest Action: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection. (Jul 30, 2008)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-resolution/896>

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Name: Rep. Baca, Joe [D-CA-43]

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

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|---|---------------|------|--------------|
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| Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large] | D · GU | | Feb 12, 2008 |
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| Rep. Solis, Hilda L. [D-CA-32] | D · CA | | Mar 3, 2008 |
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| Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1] | D · MO | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9] | D · TX | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15] | D · TX | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18] | D · TX | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-38] | D · CA | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Ortiz, Solomon P. [D-TX-27] | D · TX | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Pastor, Ed [D-AZ-4] | D · AZ | | Mar 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14] | D · NY | | Mar 5, 2008 |
| Rep. Becerra, Xavier [D-CA-31] | D · CA | | Mar 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1] | D · PA | | Mar 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1] | D · NC | | Mar 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-44] | R · CA | | Mar 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9] | D · CA | | Mar 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13] | D · OH | | Mar 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5] | D · MN | | Mar 12, 2008 |
| Rep. Gonzalez, Charles A. [D-TX-20] | D · TX | | Mar 12, 2008 |
| Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4] | D · IL | | Mar 12, 2008 |
| Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-13] | D · NJ | | Mar 12, 2008 |
| Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30] | D · TX | | Mar 13, 2008 |
| Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large] | D · DC | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1] | D · NV | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9] | D · TN | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2] | D · PA | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2] | D · LA | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. [D-MI-13] | D · MI | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5] | D · GA | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3] | D · MA | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15] | D · NY | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3] | D · VA | | Mar 31, 2008 |

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| Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-16] | D · NY | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-35] | D · CA | | Mar 31, 2008 |
| Rep. Bartlett, Roscoe G. [R-MD-6] | R · MD | | Apr 1, 2008 |
| Rep. Watt, Melvin L. [D-NC-12] | D · NC | | Apr 2, 2008 |
| Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4] | D · MD | | Apr 2, 2008 |
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| Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29] | D · TX | | Apr 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-34] | D · CA | | Apr 10, 2008 |
| Rep. Reyes, Silvestre [D-TX-16] | D · TX | | Apr 14, 2008 |
| Rep. Bono, Mary [R-CA-45] | R · CA | | Apr 15, 2008 |
| Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7] | D · IN | | Apr 16, 2008 |
| Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4] | D · WI | | May 6, 2008 |
| Rep. Chandler, Ben [D-KY-6] | D · KY | | May 7, 2008 |
| Rep. Inslee, Jay [D-WA-1] | D · WA | | May 7, 2008 |
| Rep. Allen, Thomas H. [D-ME-1] | D · ME | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Andrews, Robert E. [D-NJ-1] | D · NJ | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Arcuri, Michael A. [D-NY-24] | D · NY | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Baird, Brian [D-WA-3] | D · WA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Bean, Melissa L. [D-IL-8] | D · IL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Berman, Howard L. [D-CA-28] | D · CA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Berry, Marion [D-AR-1] | D · AR | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2] | D · GA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Boren, Dan [D-OK-2] | D · OK | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Boswell, Leonard L. [D-IA-3] | D · IA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Boyd, Allen [D-FL-2] | D · FL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Boyda, Nancy E. [D-KS-2] | D · KS | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3] | D · FL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-11] | D · NY | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5] | D · MO | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Clyburn, James E. [D-SC-6] | D · SC | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14] | D · MI | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5] | D · TN | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-20] | D · CA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Cramer, Robert E. (Bud), Jr. [D-AL-5] | D · AL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-7] | D · NY | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28] | D · TX | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7] | D · MD | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Davis, Artur [D-AL-7] | D · AL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1] | D · CO | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3] | D · CT | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Dicks, Norman D. [D-WA-6] | D · WA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Donnelly, Joe [D-IN-2] | D · IN | | May 8, 2008 |

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| Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14] | D · PA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Ellsworth, Brad [D-IN-8] | D · IN | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Emanuel, Rahm [D-IL-5] | D · IL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51] | D · CA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Frank, Barney [D-MA-4] | D · MA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Hall, John J. [D-NY-19] | D · NY | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Herseth Sandlin, Stephanie [D-SD-At Large] | D · SD | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Kagen, Steve [D-WI-8] | D · WI | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1] | D · CT | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6] | D · NY | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Murtha, John P. [D-PA-12] | D · PA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Obey, David R. [D-WI-7] | D · WI | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7] | D · CO | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Rodriguez, Ciro D. [D-TX-23] | D · TX | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9] | D · NJ | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Salazar, John T. [D-CO-3] | D · CO | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27] | D · CA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19] | R · IL | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Shuler, Heath [D-NC-11] | D · NC | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Snyder, Vic [D-AR-2] | D · AR | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2] | D · MS | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-1] | D · CA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6] | D · MA | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Udall, Mark [D-CO-2] | D · CO | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Udall, Tom [D-NM-3] | D · NM | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-12] | D · NY | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1] | D · MN | | May 8, 2008 |
| Rep. Harman, Jane [D-CA-36] | D · CA | | May 13, 2008 |
| Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1] | D · IL | | May 13, 2008 |
| Rep. Barrow, John [D-GA-12] | D · GA | | May 14, 2008 |
| Rep. Capps, Lois [D-CA-23] | D · CA | | May 14, 2008 |
| Rep. Ross, Mike [D-AR-4] | D · AR | | May 14, 2008 |
| Rep. Stupak, Bart [D-MI-1] | D · MI | | May 14, 2008 |
| Rep. Weiner, Anthony D. [D-NY-9] | D · NY | | May 14, 2008 |
| Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2] | R · NE | | May 22, 2008 |
| Rep. Jones, Stephanie Tubbs [D-OH-11] | D · OH | | Jun 4, 2008 |
| Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7] | D · PA | | Jun 4, 2008 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Dec 19, 2007 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 30, 2008)

Recognizes the need to continue research into the causes, treatment, and a cure for primary lateral sclerosis.

Commends: (1) hospitals, community clinics, educational institutes, and other organizations that are working to increase awareness of, and conducting research for methods to help patients suffering from, the disorder; and (2) the Spastic Paraplegia Foundation for its efforts to educate, support, and provide hope for individuals who suffer from the disorder, while funding research to help find a cure.

Expresses support for the designation of a Primary Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 30, 2008:** Mr. Pallone moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jul 30, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7533-7534)
- **Jul 30, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 896.
- **Jul 30, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H7533)
- **Jul 30, 2008:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H7533)
- **Jul 30, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 30, 2008:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 19, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 19, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Dec 19, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.