

## HR 343

### Volunteer Firefighter Tax Relief Act of 2009

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jan 8, 2009

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jan 8, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/house-bill/343>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Platts, Todd Russell [R-PA-19]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. McHugh, John M. [R-NY-23]	R · NY		Jan 22, 2009
Rep. Latham, Tom [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Jul 17, 2009

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 8, 2009

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jan 8, 2009)

Volunteer Firefighter Tax Relief Act of 2009- Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow volunteer firefighters a tax deduction from gross income for personal safety clothing (including helmets and boots) used in performing fire fighting services.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jan 8, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 8, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.