

HR 3298

Homes for Heroes Act of 2011

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Nov 1, 2011

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. (Mar 28, 2012)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]

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

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Grimm, Michael G. [R-NY-13]	R · NY		Nov 1, 2011
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Dec 7, 2011
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Dec 13, 2011
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Dec 13, 2011
Rep. Biggert, Judy [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Jan 31, 2012
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Mar 26, 2012
Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3]	D · FL		Mar 26, 2012
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Mar 26, 2012
Rep. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Mar 26, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 28, 2012
Financial Services Committee	House	Markup by	Dec 8, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 287	Related bill	Mar 23, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity.

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

Homes for Heroes Act of 2011 - Amends the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act to establish in the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) a Special Assistant for Veterans Affairs to: (1) ensure veterans fair access to HUD housing and homeless assistance programs, (2) coordinate all HUD programs and activities relating to veterans, and (3) serve as a HUD liaison with the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).

Directs the Secretaries of HUD and VA to report annually to Congress with respect to veterans homelessness and housing assistance.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 28, 2012:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
- **Mar 27, 2012:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H1598-1599)
- **Mar 27, 2012:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by recorded vote (2/3 required): 414 - 5 (Roll no. 133).(text: CR 3/26/2012 H1553-1554)
- **Mar 27, 2012:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by recorded vote (2/3 required): 414 - 5 (Roll no. 133). (text: CR 3/26/2012 H1553-1554)
- **Mar 27, 2012:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 26, 2012:** Mrs. Biggert moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Mar 26, 2012:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1553-1555)
- **Mar 26, 2012:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3298.
- **Mar 26, 2012:** At the conclusion of debate, the chair put the question on the motion to suspend the rules. Mrs. Biggert objected to the vote on the grounds that a quorum was not present. Further proceedings on the motion were postponed. The point of no quorum was withdrawn.
- **Dec 8, 2011:** Consideration and Mark-up Session Held by the Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity Prior to Referral.
- **Dec 8, 2011:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held and Forwarded to Full Committee by the Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity Prior to Referral The subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity ordered HR3298 favorably reported to the Full Committee on December 8, 2011.
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.