

HJRES 19

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States giving Congress power to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jan 18, 2013

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution And Civil Justice.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution And Civil Justice. (Feb 28, 2013)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Emerson, Jo Ann [R-MO-8]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Jul 24, 2013
Rep. Crenshaw, Ander [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Sep 9, 2013
Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Sep 9, 2013
Rep. Young, C. W. Bill [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Sep 9, 2013

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HJRES 47	Identical bill	Jun 14, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
113 SJRES 17	Identical bill	Jun 13, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Jan 18, 2013)

Constitutional Amendment - Grants Congress the power to prohibit the physical desecration of the U.S. flag.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution And Civil Justice.
- **Jan 18, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 18, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.