

HR 3111

Honoring the Fort Hood Heroes Act

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Sep 17, 2013

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel. (Nov 6, 2013)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]

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

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Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Noem, Kristi L. [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Sep 17, 2013
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Rep. Stockman, Steve [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Sep 17, 2013
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Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-10]	R · FL		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Wenstrup, Brad R. [R-OH-2]	R · OH		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Westmoreland, Lynn A. [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Wolf, Frank R. [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Woodall, Rob [R-GA-7]	R · GA		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3]	R · KS		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Sep 17, 2013
Rep. Gallego, Pete P. [D-TX-23]	D · TX		Sep 20, 2013
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Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Sep 25, 2013
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Sep 26, 2013
Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Sep 28, 2013
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Oct 1, 2013

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Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-10]	R · OH		Oct 3, 2013
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Oct 3, 2013
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Rep. Brooks, Susan W. [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Oct 7, 2013
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Rep. Chaffetz, Jason [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Oct 7, 2013
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Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Oct 7, 2013
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Rep. Heck, Joseph J. [R-NV-3]	R · NV		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Jordan, Jim [R-OH-4]	R · OH		Oct 7, 2013
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Rep. Lankford, James [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Marino, Tom [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Mica, John L. [R-FL-7]	R · FL		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Roby, Martha [R-AL-2]	R · AL		Oct 7, 2013
Rep. Bachmann, Michele [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Brooks, Mo [R-AL-5]	R · AL		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Coble, Howard [R-NC-6]	R · NC		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Fleming, John [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Gowdy, Trey [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Holding, George [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Latham, Tom [R-IA-3]	R · IA		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-4]	R · PA		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Oct 8, 2013
Rep. Boustany, Charles W., Jr. [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Bridenstine, Jim [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Oct 10, 2013

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Rep. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Oct 10, 2013
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Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Gerlach, Jim [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Hultgren, Randy [R-IL-14]	R · IL		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Massie, Thomas [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. McKinley, David B. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Renacci, James B. [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Schock, Aaron [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Southerland, Steve II [R-FL-2]	R · FL		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Oct 10, 2013
Rep. Benishek, Dan [R-MI-1]	R · MI		Oct 11, 2013
Rep. Denham, Jeff [R-CA-10]	R · CA		Oct 11, 2013
Rep. McIntyre, Mike [D-NC-7]	D · NC		Oct 11, 2013
Rep. Runyan, Jon [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Oct 11, 2013
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Oct 11, 2013
Rep. Gibson, Christopher P. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Oct 14, 2013
Rep. Graves, Tom [R-GA-14]	R · GA		Oct 14, 2013
Rep. Young, C. W. Bill [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Oct 14, 2013
Rep. Barber, Ron [D-AZ-2]	D · AZ		Oct 16, 2013
Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49]	R · CA		Oct 16, 2013
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Oct 28, 2013
Rep. Ellmers, Renee L. [R-NC-2]	R · NC		Oct 28, 2013
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Michael G. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Oct 28, 2013
Rep. Foxx, Virginia [R-NC-5]	R · NC		Oct 28, 2013
Rep. McCarthy, Kevin [R-CA-23]	R · CA		Oct 28, 2013
Rep. Paulsen, Erik [R-MN-3]	R · MN		Oct 28, 2013
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Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Nov 13, 2013
Rep. Salmon, Matt [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Nov 13, 2013
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Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]	R · NE		Nov 13, 2013

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Rep. Gardner, Cory [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Nov 15, 2013
Rep. Grimm, Michael G. [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Nov 18, 2013
Rep. Hastings, Doc [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Nov 18, 2013
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3]	R · MO		Nov 18, 2013
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Nov 18, 2013
Rep. Rothfus, Keith J. [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Nov 18, 2013
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Nov 18, 2013
Rep. Johnson, Bill [R-OH-6]	R · OH		Nov 19, 2013
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Dec 2, 2013
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Rep. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Dec 4, 2013
Rep. Enyart, William L. [D-IL-12]	D · IL		Dec 16, 2013
Rep. McClintock, Tom [R-CA-4]	R · CA		Jan 9, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 6, 2013
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 17, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 S 1500	Identical bill	Sep 12, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6448)

Summary (as of Sep 17, 2013)

Honoring the Fort Hood Heroes Act - Directs: (1) the Secretary of the military department concerned to award the Purple Heart to members of the Armed Forces (members) who were killed or wounded in the attack at Fort Hood, Texas, on November 5, 2009; and (2) the Secretary of Defense (DOD) to award the Secretary of Defense Medal for the Defense of Freedom to civilian employees and contractors of DOD who were killed or wounded in such attack.

Deems, for purposes of all applicable federal benefit laws, regulations, and policies: (1) such members to have been killed or wounded in a combat zone as the result of an enemy act; and (2) such employees to have been killed or wounded by hostile action while serving with the Armed Forces in a contingency operation and to have been killed or wounded in a terrorist attack. Excludes any member whose death or wound was the result of willful misconduct. Applies such provisions to post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) or other psychological injuries that were a a result of such attack.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 6, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Sep 18, 2013:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H5629)
- **Sep 17, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 17, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.