

HR 386

Homes for Heroes Act of 2013

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Jan 23, 2013

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means,

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. (Jan 23, 2013)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-bill/386>

Sponsor

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

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

Cosponsors (23 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Hahn, Janice [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Jan 23, 2013
Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Feb 26, 2013
Rep. Lipinski, Daniel [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Mar 20, 2013
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Mar 20, 2013
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		May 15, 2013
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Sep 18, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 23, 2013
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 23, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 384	Related bill	May 16, 2013: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

Summary (as of Jan 23, 2013)

Homes for Heroes Act of 2013 - 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 veteran 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 HUD Secretary to provide assistance to private nonprofit organizations and consumer cooperatives to expand the supply of supportive housing for very low-income veteran families (families with incomes not exceeding 50% of the area median income).

Amends the United States Housing Act of 1937 to: (1) make housing rental vouchers available to all homeless veterans, regardless of medical condition; and (2) include veterans in public housing planning.

Excludes veterans' benefits from income for purposes of HUD assisted housing rental determinations.

Requires the Secretary to: (1) make grants to nonprofit entities for technical assistance in sponsoring HUD housing projects for veterans, and (2) report annually to specified congressional committees and the VA Secretary on HUD activities relating to veterans.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 23, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 23, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.