

HR 3364

America Votes Act of 2015

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jul 29, 2015

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration. (Jul 29, 2015)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/3364>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]

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

Cosponsors (68 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Clyburn, James E. [D-SC-6]	D · SC		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Esty, Elizabeth H. [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Hahn, Janice [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Heck, Denny [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Richmond, Cedric L. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jul 29, 2015
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jul 29, 2015
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jul 31, 2015
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jul 31, 2015
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Jul 31, 2015
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Sep 8, 2015

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Carney, John C., Jr. [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Sep 9, 2015
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Sep 9, 2015
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Sep 11, 2015
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Sep 16, 2015
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Sep 16, 2015
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Sep 16, 2015
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Sep 16, 2015
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Sep 18, 2015
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Sep 18, 2015
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Sep 18, 2015
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Sep 18, 2015
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Sep 24, 2015
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Sep 29, 2015
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Sep 29, 2015
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Oct 8, 2015
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Oct 20, 2015
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Oct 20, 2015
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Oct 20, 2015
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Oct 20, 2015
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Oct 21, 2015
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Oct 21, 2015
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Oct 27, 2015
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Oct 27, 2015
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Dec 11, 2015

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Jul 29, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

America Votes Act of 2015

This bill amends the Help America Vote Act of 2002 to permit an individual required to present identification as a condition for voting in a federal election to meet the requirement by presenting the appropriate state or local election official with a sworn written statement, signed by the individual under penalty of perjury, attesting to the individual's identification and that he or she is registered to vote in the election. Allows an individual desiring to vote by mail to submit such a statement with the ballot.

Requires any state subject to this identification requirement to: (1) prepare a pre-printed version of the statement which includes a blank space for an individual to provide a name and signature, (2) make copies of the pre-printed version available at polling places for election officials to distribute to individuals who desire to vote in person, and (3) include a copy of the pre-printed version with each blank absentee or other ballot transmitted to an individual who desires to vote by mail.

Prohibits a state from requiring an individual who presents or submits such a sworn written statement to cast a provisional ballot in the election.

Exempts first-time voters registering by mail from application of this Act.

Requires states requiring an individual to present identification as a condition of receiving and casting a ballot in a federal election to include the use of a sworn written statement in voting information posted at polling places.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 29, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 29, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.