

HR 915

Voices for Veterans Act

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Sponsor

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

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Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Feb 12, 2015
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Rep. Heck, Denny [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Feb 12, 2015

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Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1]	D · MN		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Feb 12, 2015
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Feb 13, 2015
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Feb 20, 2015
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Feb 24, 2015
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2015
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Feb 27, 2015
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Mar 23, 2015
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Apr 14, 2015
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Apr 17, 2015
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Apr 27, 2015
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Apr 27, 2015
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Apr 30, 2015
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 8, 2015
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		May 12, 2015
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		May 12, 2015
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		May 12, 2015
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		May 18, 2015
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		May 20, 2015
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		May 21, 2015
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		May 21, 2015
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		May 21, 2015

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Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Jun 16, 2015
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Jun 24, 2015
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Jul 7, 2015
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jul 7, 2015
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Jul 20, 2015
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jul 20, 2015
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Jul 31, 2015
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Sep 9, 2015
Rep. O'Rourke, Beto [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Sep 25, 2015
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Feb 1, 2016
Rep. Tsongas, Niki [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Feb 29, 2016
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Mar 1, 2016
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Jul 13, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 6, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 12, 2015)

Voices for Veterans Act

Expands the membership of the Advisory Committee on Minority Veterans to include veterans who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender.

Terminates the Commission on December 31, 2017 (currently, 2015).

Actions Timeline

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