

## HRES 935

Expressing the sense of the House that Congress should recognize the benefits of charitable giving and express support for the designation of #GivingTuesday.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Nov 29, 2016

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Nov 29, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-resolution/935>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Nov 29, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 29, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HRES 482	Identical bill	Oct 20, 2015: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

### Summary (as of Nov 29, 2016)

Recognizes that the United States needs a strong and vibrant charitable and philanthropic sector to enable communities to meet local needs.

Expresses support for: (1) the designation of #GivingTuesday as a way to encourage charitable giving; and (2) strong incentives that encourage all Americans to give generously to charitable organizations by protecting the existing charitable deduction and reinstating incentives that encourage philanthropy, volunteering, and innovation.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 29, 2016:** Introduced in House
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