

HR 3249

Project Safe Neighborhoods Grant Program Authorization Act of 2018

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Chamber: House

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. MacArthur, Thomas [R-NJ-3]	R · NJ		Feb 27, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 17, 2017
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Discharged From	May 16, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HRES 918	Related bill	Jun 6, 2018: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
115 S 2703	Related bill	Apr 18, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2264-2265)

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(Sec. 3) This bill authorizes the Project Safe Neighborhoods Block Grant Program within the Department of Justice.

(Sec. 4) The purpose of the grant program is to foster and improve partnerships to create safer neighborhoods through sustained reductions in crimes by (1) developing and executing comprehensive strategic plans, (2) developing evidence-based intervention and prevention initiatives, and (3) collecting data on outcomes.

(Sec. 5) Grant funds must be locally controlled, to the greatest extent practicable.

Of amounts made available for grants, 30% must go to gang task forces in regions experiencing a significant or increased presence of criminal or transnational organizations engaging in high levels of violent crime, firearm offenses, human trafficking, and drug trafficking.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 18, 2018:** Signed by President.
- **Jun 18, 2018:** Became Public Law No: 115-185.
- **Jun 7, 2018:** Presented to President.
- **Jun 6, 2018:** Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 918, Mr. Goodlatte brought up H.R. 3249 and offered a motion.
- **Jun 6, 2018:** Mr. Goodlatte moved that the House agree to the Senate amendment.
- **Jun 6, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on the motion to concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 3249.
- **Jun 6, 2018:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
- **Jun 6, 2018:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the motion to concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 3249, the Chair put the question on adoption of the motion and by voice vote announced the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Goodlatte demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the motion until later in the legislative day.
- **Jun 6, 2018:** Resolving differences -- House actions: On motion that the House agree to the Senate amendment Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 394 - 13, 2 Present (Roll no. 239).
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- **Jun 6, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 17, 2018:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **May 16, 2018:** Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **May 16, 2018:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S2731-2732)
- **May 16, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote.
- **May 16, 2018:** Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 15, 2018:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 115-597.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 454.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Mr. Issa moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1573-1576)
- **Mar 14, 2018:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3249.
- **Mar 14, 2018:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H1573)
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- **Mar 14, 2018:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 2, 2017:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Nov 2, 2017:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Aug 17, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **Jul 14, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 14, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.