

HR 4316

Beginning Farmer and Rancher Opportunity Act of 2017

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Appropriations, for a

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Walz, Timothy J. [D-MN-1]

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

Cosponsors (13 total)

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Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Nov 8, 2017
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Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Jan 25, 2018
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Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 6, 2018
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Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Feb 8, 2018
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Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Mar 5, 2018
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		May 9, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 8, 2017
Appropriations Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 8, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 8, 2017)

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This bill modifies several Department of Agriculture (USDA) programs to authorize additional assistance for beginning farmers and ranchers. The bill modifies USDA programs that address conservation, credit, rural development, research and education, and crop insurance.

Actions Timeline

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