

HR 5316

To authorize appropriations for the seniors farmers' market nutrition program for fiscal years 2019 through 2023.

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Chamber: House

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 30, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3042	Related bill	Jun 18, 2018: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 470.
115 S 1947	Related bill	Oct 5, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.
115 HR 3699	Related bill	Sep 7, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

Summary (as of Mar 15, 2018)

This bill amends the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to reauthorize the Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program through FY2023. (The program is administered by the Department of Agriculture and awards grants to states, U.S. territories, and Indian tribal governments to provide low-income seniors with coupons that can be exchanged for eligible foods at farmers' markets, roadside stands, and community supported agriculture programs.)

Actions Timeline

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