

## HR 6026

Civil Rights Legacy Protection Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

**Introduced:** Feb 28, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (Feb 28, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/6026>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Feb 28, 2020
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Mar 2, 2020
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Mar 2, 2020
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 4, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 28, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Feb 28, 2020)

#### Civil Rights Legacy Protection Act

This bill makes it a crime to deface, damage, or destroy certain memorials that commemorate civil rights events or figures.

An individual convicted under this act must pay restitution and is subject to additional penalties that vary based on the cost of the defacement, damage, or destruction.

## Actions Timeline

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