

## HR 6697

Local Chamber, Tourism, and 501(c)(6) Protection Act of 2020

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Commerce

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Small Business. (May 5, 2020)

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### Sponsor

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

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Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		May 8, 2020
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		May 8, 2020
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Rep. Kirkpatrick, Ann [D-AZ-2]	D · AZ		May 8, 2020
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		May 8, 2020
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		May 8, 2020

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Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		May 8, 2020
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Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		May 8, 2020
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		May 8, 2020
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Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		May 8, 2020
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Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 8, 2020
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		May 8, 2020
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Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		May 8, 2020
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Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		May 8, 2020
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		May 8, 2020
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		May 8, 2020
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Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		May 12, 2020
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 12, 2020
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		May 12, 2020
Rep. Brindisi, Anthony [D-NY-22]	D · NY		May 12, 2020
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		May 12, 2020
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		May 12, 2020
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		May 12, 2020
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		May 12, 2020
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		May 12, 2020
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		May 12, 2020
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		May 12, 2020
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		May 12, 2020
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		May 12, 2020

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Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		May 12, 2020
Rep. Palazzo, Steven M. [R-MS-4]	R · MS		May 12, 2020
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		May 12, 2020
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		May 12, 2020
Rep. Rice, Tom [R-SC-7]	R · SC		May 12, 2020
Rep. Rigglesman, Denver [R-VA-5]	R · VA		May 12, 2020
Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		May 12, 2020
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		May 12, 2020
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		May 12, 2020
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 12, 2020
Rep. Watkins, Steve [R-KS-2]	R · KS		May 12, 2020
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		May 12, 2020
Rep. Westerman, Bruce [R-AR-4]	R · AR		May 12, 2020
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		May 12, 2020
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		May 22, 2020
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	R · TX		May 22, 2020
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		May 22, 2020
Rep. Loudermilk, Barry [R-GA-11]	R · GA		May 22, 2020
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-3]	R · MO		May 22, 2020
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		May 22, 2020
Rep. Mucarsel-Powell, Debbie [D-FL-26]	D · FL		May 22, 2020
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		May 22, 2020
Rep. Stauber, Pete [R-MN-8]	R · MN		May 22, 2020
Rep. Wright, Ron [R-TX-6]	R · TX		May 22, 2020
Rep. Mullin, Markwayne [R-OK-2]	R · OK		May 26, 2020
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Visclosky, Peter J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2020
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2020
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Jun 22, 2020
Rep. Emmer, Tom [R-MN-6]	R · MN		Jun 24, 2020
Rep. Spano, Ross [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Jun 29, 2020
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Jul 9, 2020
Rep. Reed, Tom [R-NY-23]	R · NY		Jul 13, 2020
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Jul 22, 2020
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Jul 27, 2020
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Jul 29, 2020
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Aug 7, 2020

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Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Aug 14, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Small Business Committee	House	Referred To	May 5, 2020

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Commerce

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of May 5, 2020)

### Local Chamber, Tourism, and 501(c)(6) Protection Act of 2020

This bill modifies the Paycheck Protection Program implemented by the Small Business Administration in response to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) to include certain entities and exclude certain individuals.

Specifically, the bill expands the program to encompass organizations with 300 or fewer employees that (1) operate under section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code (other than a professional football league), or (2) are a destination marketing organization engaged in promoting communities and facilities to businesses and leisure travelers.

The bill also narrows the definition of *payroll costs* under the program to exclude any compensation of an employee who is a registered lobbyist from the calculation for loan amounts or for allowable uses of funds provided under the program.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 5, 2020:** Introduced in House
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