

## HR 6944

To award a Congressional Gold Medal to Billie Jean King, in recognition of her contribution to the Nation and her courageous and groundbreaking leadership advancing equal rights for women and the LGBTQ community in athletics, education, and our society.

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		May 19, 2020
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Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		May 19, 2020
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Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		May 19, 2020
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Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		May 19, 2020
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		May 19, 2020
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Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		May 19, 2020
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Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Jun 30, 2020
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 9, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	May 19, 2020

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of May 19, 2020)

This bill directs the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President pro tempore of the Senate to arrange for the award of a Congressional Gold Medal to Billie Jean King in recognition of her courageous and groundbreaking leadership advancing equal rights for women and the LGBTQ community in athletics, education, and our society.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 19, 2020:** Introduced in House
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