

HR 7142

HOME Meals Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Social Welfare

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Jun 8, 2020
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Jun 8, 2020
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Jul 23, 2020
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jul 23, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 8, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 1674	Related bill	May 23, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Helping Our Most Elderly secure Meals Act or the HOME Meals Act

This bill establishes a competitive grant program for states to provide area agencies on aging and local nutrition service providers with funding to purchase or repair vehicles for delivering meals to older individuals. The vehicles must be capable of safely storing hot and cold foods.

In awarding these grants, the Administration on Aging shall give preference to states with a high percentage of older individuals and states with high rates of individuals at or below the poverty line.

Actions Timeline

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