

## HR 8598

Emergency Social Security COLA for 2021 Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

**Introduced:** Oct 16, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Oct 16, 2020)

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Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Oct 16, 2020
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Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Rose, Max [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Oct 16, 2020
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Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Oct 16, 2020
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Oct 16, 2020

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Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Oct 20, 2020
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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Oct 20, 2020
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Oct 20, 2020
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Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18]	D · PA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Oct 23, 2020
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Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Oct 23, 2020
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Oct 27, 2020
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Oct 27, 2020
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Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Oct 27, 2020
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Nov 9, 2020

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Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Nov 9, 2020
Rep. Brindisi, Anthony [D-NY-22]	D · NY		Nov 17, 2020
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Nov 17, 2020
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Nov 17, 2020
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Nov 19, 2020
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Nov 19, 2020
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Nov 19, 2020
Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Dec 3, 2020
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Dec 10, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 16, 2020

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Oct 16, 2020)

### Emergency Social Security COLA for 2021 Act

This bill applies a 3% cost-of-living increase to Social Security benefits and Supplemental Security Income payable in calendar year 2021. The bill also disregards this increase for purposes of determining an individual's eligibility for federally funded, means-tested programs.

## Actions Timeline

- **Oct 16, 2020:** Introduced in House
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