

## HJRES 1

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to contributions and expenditures intended to affect elections.

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Jan 4, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. (Mar 4, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-joint-resolution/1>

### Sponsor

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

**Cosponsors** (180 total)

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Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Jan 21, 2021
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 4, 2021
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Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Feb 4, 2021
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Feb 4, 2021
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Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 4, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Feb 4, 2021
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Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 23, 2021
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Mar 19, 2021
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Mar 19, 2021
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Mar 19, 2021
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Mar 19, 2021
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Apr 8, 2021
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Apr 8, 2021
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Apr 8, 2021
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Apr 16, 2021
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		May 11, 2021
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		May 11, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]	D · VA		May 25, 2021
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		May 25, 2021
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Slotkin, Elissa [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jun 22, 2021
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Jul 1, 2021
Rep. Wexton, Jennifer [D-VA-10]	D · VA		Jul 1, 2021
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jul 16, 2021

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Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Sep 22, 2021
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Sep 22, 2021
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Sep 28, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Nov 4, 2021
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Feb 4, 2022
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Ruppertsberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Mar 18, 2022
Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Mar 28, 2022
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Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Mar 28, 2022

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Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Stanton, Greg [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Mar 28, 2022
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Mar 29, 2022
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5]	D · MD		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Apr 1, 2022
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		May 3, 2022
Rep. Fletcher, Lizzie [D-TX-7]	D · TX		May 3, 2022
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		May 3, 2022
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		May 3, 2022
Rep. Escobar, Veronica [D-TX-16]	D · TX		May 11, 2022
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		May 11, 2022

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Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18]	D · PA		May 24, 2022
Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4]	D · VA		May 24, 2022
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		May 27, 2022
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Jul 15, 2022
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Aug 9, 2022
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Aug 9, 2022
Rep. Bourdeaux, Carolyn [D-GA-7]	D · GA		Aug 12, 2022
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Aug 30, 2022
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Sep 13, 2022
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Sep 13, 2022
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Sep 13, 2022
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Sep 14, 2022
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Sep 19, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 4, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 SJRES 25	Related bill	<b>Sep 20, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## Summary (as of Jan 4, 2021)

This joint resolution proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing Congress and the states to set reasonable limits on the raising and spending of money by candidates and others to influence elections.

The amendment grants Congress and the states the power to implement and enforce this amendment by legislation. They are allowed to distinguish between natural persons and corporations or other artificial entities created by law, including by prohibiting such entities from spending money to influence elections.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 4, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
- **Jan 4, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 4, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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