

HR 1030

Automatic Boost to Communities Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Finance and Financial Sector

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Bush, Cori [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Feb 11, 2021
Rep. Bowman, Jamaal [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Mar 8, 2021
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Mar 8, 2021
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Mar 18, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 11, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 11, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill creates the Boost Communities Program to provide monthly aid during and after the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) emergency. Specifically, the bill provides \$2,000 a month to individuals until the COVID-19 emergency declaration is terminated, or the national unemployment rate meets specified criteria, whichever is later. Furthermore, the bill provides \$1,000 a month to individuals during the following year. The program also provides targeted supplemental assistance for at-risk populations.

The bill provides for the distribution of these funds through direct deposit, debit cards, and the establishment of digital dollar wallets.

The Department of the Treasury is directed to mint and issue two \$1 trillion platinum coins and additional coins as needed to fund the program. The Federal Reserve is directed to purchase the coins.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
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