

## HR 1348

To award a Congressional Gold Medal to the Freedom Riders, collectively, in recognition of their unique contribution to Civil Rights, which inspired a revolutionary movement for equality in interstate travel.

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Feb 25, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administr

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned. (Feb 25, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/1348>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]

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

**Cosponsors** (211 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Bourdeaux, Carolyn [D-GA-7]	D · GA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Bowman, Jamaal [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Brown, Anthony G. [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021

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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Feb 25, 2021
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Mar 2, 2021
Del. San Nicolas, Michael F. Q. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Mar 26, 2021
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		May 7, 2021
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		May 7, 2021
Rep. Bush, Cori [D-MO-1]	D · MO		May 7, 2021
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		May 7, 2021
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		May 7, 2021
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		May 7, 2021
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22]	D · FL		May 7, 2021
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		May 7, 2021
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		May 7, 2021
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		May 7, 2021
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		May 7, 2021
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		May 7, 2021
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		May 7, 2021
Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4]	D · VA		May 7, 2021
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		May 7, 2021
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		May 7, 2021
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		May 7, 2021
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		May 7, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 7, 2021
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		May 7, 2021
Rep. Torres, Ritchie [D-NY-15]	D · NY		May 7, 2021
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		May 7, 2021
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		May 11, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		May 11, 2021
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		May 13, 2021

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Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		May 13, 2021
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 18, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		May 19, 2021
Rep. Auchincloss, Jake [D-MA-4]	D · MA		May 20, 2021
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		May 28, 2021
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		May 28, 2021
Rep. Jacobs, Sara [D-CA-53]	D · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Mace, Nancy [R-SC-1]	R · SC		May 28, 2021
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		May 28, 2021
Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		May 28, 2021
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Kirkpatrick, Ann [D-AZ-2]	D · AZ		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18]	D · PA		Jun 8, 2021
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jun 8, 2021
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Clyburn, James E. [D-SC-6]	D · SC		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jun 15, 2021
Del. Plaskett, Stacey E. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Carter, Troy [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]	D · VA		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jun 28, 2021
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Jun 30, 2021
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jun 30, 2021
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Jul 6, 2021
Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Jul 6, 2021
Rep. Barragan, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Jul 19, 2021
Rep. Kahele, Kaiali'i [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Jul 19, 2021

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Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Ruppertsberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jul 21, 2021
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jul 27, 2021
Rep. Cárdenas, Tony [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Jul 27, 2021
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jul 27, 2021
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jul 28, 2021
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Jul 28, 2021
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Jul 29, 2021
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Salazar, Maria Elvira [R-FL-27]	R · FL		Aug 3, 2021
Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Aug 6, 2021
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Aug 6, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Aug 6, 2021
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Stanton, Greg [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Aug 24, 2021
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Aug 31, 2021
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Aug 31, 2021
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Sep 3, 2021
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Crist, Charlie [D-FL-13]	D · FL		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Malinowski, Tom [D-NJ-7]	D · NJ		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Sep 20, 2021
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Sep 22, 2021
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Sep 24, 2021
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Sep 29, 2021

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Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Sep 29, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Oct 15, 2021
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Oct 15, 2021
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Oct 19, 2021
Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Oct 21, 2021
Rep. Fletcher, Lizzie [D-TX-7]	D · TX		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Nov 2, 2021
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Nov 4, 2021
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Nov 5, 2021
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Nov 9, 2021
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Nov 9, 2021
Rep. Brown, Shontel M. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Stansbury, Melanie Ann [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Nov 23, 2021
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Dec 2, 2021
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Dec 8, 2021
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Feb 2, 2022
Rep. Escobar, Veronica [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Feb 2, 2022
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 2, 2022
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Feb 22, 2022
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Feb 22, 2022
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Feb 25, 2022
Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2022
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Feb 28, 2022
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Mar 15, 2022
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Mar 31, 2022
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		May 19, 2022
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2022
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jun 16, 2022
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Aug 5, 2022
Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		Sep 20, 2022
Rep. Cuellar, Henry [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Sep 20, 2022
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Sep 20, 2022
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Sep 21, 2022
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		Oct 4, 2022
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Oct 4, 2022
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		Oct 7, 2022
Rep. Peltola, Mary Sattler [D-AK-At Large]	D · AK		Oct 21, 2022
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Dec 1, 2022
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Dec 1, 2022
Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Dec 1, 2022

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Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Dec 1, 2022
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Dec 1, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 25, 2021
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 25, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 3448	Related bill	<b>Jan 10, 2022:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.
117 S 3420	Related bill	<b>Dec 16, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

## Summary (as of Feb 25, 2021)

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## Actions Timeline

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