

## HR 1848

LIFT America Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Science, Technology, Communications

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States. (Jan 20, 2022)

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### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]

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

**Cosponsors** (35 total)

<b>Cosponsor</b>	<b>Party / State</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Date Joined</b>
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Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Mar 11, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Mar 11, 2021
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Mar 11, 2021
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Mar 11, 2021
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Mar 26, 2021
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Aug 3, 2021
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Aug 13, 2021
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Aug 27, 2021

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 20, 2022
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Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 12, 2021
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Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Science, Technology, Communications

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 3568	Related bill	<b>May 31, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 HR 1721	Related bill	<b>May 21, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations.
117 HR 1811	Related bill	<b>May 12, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
117 HR 1631	Related bill	<b>May 11, 2021:</b> Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E501-502)
117 S 1460	Related bill	<b>Apr 29, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 1783	Related bill	<b>Apr 28, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
117 HR 2818	Related bill	<b>Apr 23, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 HR 2721	Related bill	<b>Apr 22, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 S 1271	Related bill	<b>Apr 21, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (text: CR S2124)
117 HR 2308	Related bill	<b>Apr 2, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 HR 2309	Related bill	<b>Apr 2, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 S 979	Related bill	<b>Mar 25, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 1879	Related bill	<b>Mar 16, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 S 745	Related bill	<b>Mar 15, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 1818	Related bill	<b>Mar 12, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 1841	Related bill	<b>Mar 12, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
117 HR 1846	Related bill	<b>Mar 12, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 1849	Related bill	<b>Mar 12, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 HR 1862	Related bill	<b>Mar 12, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
117 S 724	Related bill	<b>Mar 11, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 S 741	Related bill	<b>Mar 11, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
117 HR 1700	Related bill	<b>Mar 10, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
117 HR 1714	Related bill	<b>Mar 10, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
117 HR 1590	Related bill	<b>Mar 4, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology.
117 HR 806	Related bill	<b>Mar 3, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
117 HR 1485	Related bill	<b>Mar 3, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.
117 S 531	Related bill	<b>Mar 2, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
117 HR 1335	Related bill	<b>Feb 26, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
117 S 432	Related bill	<b>Feb 24, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.
117 HR 425	Related bill	<b>Feb 2, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy.

## **Leading Infrastructure For Tomorrow's America Act or the LIFT America Act**

This bill establishes several programs and incentives to modernize the nation's communications, drinking water, energy, transportation, health care, and other related infrastructure.

For example, the bill provides incentives to make broadband internet more accessible and affordable. It also establishes grants to implement next generation 9-1-1 services.

In addition, it supports drinking water programs, including the drinking water state revolving fund program. Further, it provides grants to treat perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substances (commonly referred to as PFAS) in drinking water and to replace lead service lines.

The bill establishes a variety of programs to support clean energy infrastructure and address climate change, including efforts to (1) modernize the electric grid and make it more resilient, efficient, and secure; (2) increase energy efficiency in buildings; and (3) support renewable energy infrastructure.

Further, it provides incentives for vehicle infrastructure, such as incentives to develop infrastructure for electric vehicles and grants to reduce air pollution at ports by electrifying port infrastructure.

Additionally, the bill establishes grants and programs for health care infrastructure, including by providing support for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, laboratories, and state, local, tribal, and territorial health departments.

Finally, the bill reauthorizes grant programs to remediate brownfield sites (i.e., sites contaminated with hazardous substances) through FY2026.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 20, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Jan 20, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States.
- **Mar 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **Mar 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.
- **Mar 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Mar 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Mar 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
- **Mar 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 11, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Natural Resources, Science, Space, and Technology, Ways and Means, Education and Labor, Agriculture, and Oversight and Reform, 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.

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