

HR 3076

Postal Service Reform Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]

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

Cosponsors (102 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Comer, James [R-KY-1]	R · KY		May 11, 2021
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Foxx, Virginia [R-NC-5]	R · NC		May 11, 2021
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		May 18, 2021
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		May 18, 2021
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		May 25, 2021
Rep. Tenney, Claudia [R-NY-22]	R · NY		May 25, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		May 25, 2021
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		May 25, 2021
Rep. Garbarino, Andrew R. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Kahele, Kaiali'i [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Jun 4, 2021
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Harder, Josh [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. LaTurner, Jake [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Mace, Nancy [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jun 15, 2021
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Horsford, Steven [D-NV-4]	D · NV		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Jun 17, 2021
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Reschenthaler, Guy [R-PA-14]	R · PA		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jun 29, 2021
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 9, 2021
Rep. Gonzalez, Anthony [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Jul 9, 2021

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Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Jul 9, 2021
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Jul 9, 2021
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-40]	D · CA		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Jul 13, 2021
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jul 20, 2021
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Sep 10, 2021
Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Garcia, Mike [R-CA-25]	R · CA		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Granger, Kay [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Jones, Mondaire [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Sep 21, 2021
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Fortenberry, Jeff [R-NE-1]	R · NE		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Porter, Katie [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Sep 30, 2021

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Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Sep 30, 2021
Rep. Cawthorn, Madison [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Oct 22, 2021
Rep. Graves, Sam [R-MO-6]	R · MO		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Nov 1, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Gonzales, Tony [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Kim, Young [R-CA-39]	R · CA		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Dec 1, 2021
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Dec 13, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Dec 13, 2021
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Dec 14, 2021
Rep. Spartz, Victoria [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Dec 14, 2021

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	May 12, 2021
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Reported By	Jul 21, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Discharged From	Feb 1, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HRES 925	Related bill	Feb 11, 2022: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
117 HRES 912	Procedurally related	Feb 8, 2022: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
117 S 1720	Related bill	May 19, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

Postal Service Reform Act of 2022

This bill addresses the finances and operations of the U.S. Postal Service (USPS).

The bill requires the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) to establish the Postal Service Health Benefits Program within the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program under which OPM may contract with carriers to offer health benefits plans for USPS employees and retirees.

The bill provides for coordinated enrollment of retirees under this program and Medicare.

The bill repeals the requirement that the USPS annually prepay future retirement health benefits.

Additionally, the USPS may establish a program to enter into agreements with an agency of any state government, local government, or tribal government, and with other government agencies, to provide certain nonpostal products and services that reasonably contribute to the costs of the USPS and meet other specified criteria.

The USPS must develop and maintain a publicly available dashboard to track service performance and must report regularly on its operations and financial condition.

The Postal Regulatory Commission must annually submit to the USPS a budget of its expenses. It must also conduct a study to identify the causes and effects of postal inefficiencies relating to flats (e.g., large envelopes).

The USPS Office of Inspector General shall perform oversight of the Postal Regulatory Commission.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 6, 2022:** Signed by President.
- **Apr 6, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-108.
- **Mar 28, 2022:** Presented to President.
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Considered by Senate. (consideration: CR S1023-1048)
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Point of order that the measure violates section 3101(b) of S. Con. Res. 11, 114th Congress, raised in Senate.
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Motion to waive section 3101(b) of S. Con. Res. 11, 114th Congress, with respect to the measure agreed to in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 68 - 30. Record Vote Number: 70. (CR S1046)
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 79 - 19. Record Vote Number: 71.
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Passed Senate without amendment by Yea-Nay Vote. 79 - 19. Record Vote Number: 71.
- **Mar 8, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Mar 7, 2022:** Considered by Senate. (consideration: CR S1001-1012)
- **Mar 7, 2022:** Cloture on the measure invoked in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 74 - 17. Record Vote Number: 69. (CR S1011)
- **Mar 3, 2022:** Considered by Senate. (consideration: CR S961-965)
- **Mar 2, 2022:** Considered by Senate. (consideration: CR S923-924, S947)
- **Mar 2, 2022:** Cloture motion on the measure presented in Senate. (CR S947)
- **Mar 1, 2022:** Motion to proceed to measure considered in Senate. (consideration: CR S845-872)
- **Mar 1, 2022:** Motion to proceed to consideration of measure agreed to in Senate by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 1, 2022:** Measure laid before Senate by motion.
- **Feb 28, 2022:** Cloture on the motion to proceed to the measure invoked in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 74 - 20. Record Vote Number: 66. (CR S826)
- **Feb 28, 2022:** Motion to proceed to measure considered in Senate.
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Motion to proceed to consideration of measure made in Senate. (CR S797)
- **Feb 17, 2022:** Cloture motion on the motion to proceed to the measure presented in Senate. (CR S797)
- **Feb 15, 2022:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 273.
- **Feb 14, 2022:** Motion to proceed to measure considered in Senate. (CR S653)
- **Feb 14, 2022:** Senate vitiated previous actions by Unanimous Consent. (CR S675)
- **Feb 14, 2022:** Senate returned papers to the House by Voice Vote.
- **Feb 14, 2022:** Papers returned to House pursuant to H. Res. 925 (Senate message received on Feb. 15, 2022).
- **Feb 14, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Feb 14, 2022:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Feb 10, 2022:** Motion to proceed to consideration of measure made in Senate. (CR S621)
- **Feb 10, 2022:** Cloture motion on the motion to proceed to the measure presented in Senate. (CR S621)
- **Feb 9, 2022:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 266.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 912. (consideration: CR H1033-1051; text: CR H1033-1039)
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 3076 and H.R. 6617. The resolution provides for one hour of general debate for both bills. H.R. 6617 is being considered under a closed rule and H.R. 3076 is being considered under a structured rule. The resolution provides that H. Con. Res. 69 is considered adopted and provides that for purposes of the joint session to receive the President of the United States on March 1, 2022, former Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners shall not be admitted to the Hall of the House or rooms leading thereto.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H.R. 3076.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 912, the House proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Carolyn B. Maloney amendment.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate, the Chair put the question on passage and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Comer demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair announced that further proceedings on the question of passage would be postponed.
- **Feb 8, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H1056-1057)

- Feb 8, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 342 - 92 (Roll no. 38).
- **Feb 8, 2022:** On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 342 - 92 (Roll no. 38).
 - **Feb 8, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
 - **Feb 8, 2022:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
 - **Feb 7, 2022:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 912 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 3076 and H.R. 6617. The resolution provides for one hour of general debate for both bills. H.R. 6617 is being considered under a closed rule and H.R. 3076 is being considered under a structured rule. The resolution provides that H. Con. Res. 69 is considered adopted and provides that for purposes of the joint session to receive the President of the United States on March 1, 2022, former Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners shall not be admitted to the Hall of the House or rooms leading thereto.
 - **Feb 1, 2022:** Committee on Energy and Commerce discharged.
 - **Feb 1, 2022:** Committee on Ways and Means discharged.
 - **Feb 1, 2022:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 171.
 - **Jan 21, 2022:** House Committee on Energy and Commerce Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than March 18, 2022.
 - **Jan 21, 2022:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than March 18, 2022.
 - **Dec 3, 2021:** House Committee on Energy and Commerce Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Jan. 21, 2022.
 - **Dec 3, 2021:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Jan. 21, 2022.
 - **Nov 18, 2021:** House Committee on Energy and Commerce Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Dec. 3, 2021.
 - **Nov 18, 2021:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Dec. 3, 2021.
 - **Nov 4, 2021:** House Committee on Energy and Commerce Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Nov. 18, 2021.
 - **Nov 4, 2021:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Nov. 18, 2021.
 - **Sep 30, 2021:** House Committee on Energy and Commerce Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Nov. 8, 2021.
 - **Sep 30, 2021:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Nov. 8, 2021.
 - **Jul 21, 2021:** Supplemental report filed by the Committee on Oversight and Reform, H. Rept. 117-89, Part II.
 - **Jul 16, 2021:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Oversight and Reform. H. Rept. 117-89, Part I.
 - **Jul 16, 2021:** House Committee on Energy and Commerce Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Sept. 30, 2021.
 - **Jul 16, 2021:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Sept. 30, 2021.
 - **May 13, 2021:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
 - **May 13, 2021:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Voice Vote.
 - **May 12, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
 - **May 11, 2021:** Introduced in House
 - **May 11, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Ways and Means, 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.