

## HR 604

Rebuild America's Schools Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Jan 28, 2021

**Current Status:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 467.

**Latest Action:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 467. (Dec 16, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/604>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]

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

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Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Levin, Andy [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Jan 28, 2021
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Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021

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Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]	D · VA		Jan 28, 2021
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Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Jan 28, 2021
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Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jan 28, 2021
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Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Jan 28, 2021
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Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Spanberger, Abigail Davis [D-VA-7]	D · VA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Jan 28, 2021

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Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2021
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Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Wexton, Jennifer [D-VA-10]	D · VA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jan 28, 2021
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Jan 28, 2021
Del. Plaskett, Stacey E. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Bowman, Jamaal [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]	D · PA		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Feb 18, 2021
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Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Apr 1, 2021
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Apr 14, 2021
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Apr 14, 2021
Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Apr 14, 2021
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		May 4, 2021
Rep. Manning, Kathy E. [D-NC-6]	D · NC		May 4, 2021
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		May 4, 2021
Rep. Bush, Cori [D-MO-1]	D · MO		May 11, 2021
Rep. Strickland, Marilyn [D-WA-10]	D · WA		May 11, 2021
Rep. Bacon, Don [R-NE-2]	R · NE		May 28, 2021
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jun 11, 2021
Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7]	D · FL		Jun 24, 2021
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Jul 1, 2021

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Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jul 1, 2021
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Jul 30, 2021
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Aug 27, 2021
Rep. Newman, Marie [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Nov 23, 2021
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Jan 25, 2022
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		May 31, 2022
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Jul 20, 2022
Rep. Mfume, Kweisi [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Nov 10, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Reported By	Dec 7, 2022
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 28, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 96	Related bill	<b>Jan 28, 2021:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Sponsor introductory remarks on measure: CR S200-201)

## Rebuild America's Schools Act of 2022

This bill provides support for long-term improvements to public elementary and secondary school facilities.

First, the bill sets forth allocations to states and establishes a need-based grant program for local educational agencies (LEAs) to improve school facilities. Further, the bill specifies allowable uses of grant funds, including carrying out major repairs, improving indoor air quality, and making facilities accessible to disabled individuals.

Additionally, the bill requires LEAs that receive funds for new construction, modernization, or renovation projects to comply with hazard-resistance building codes and performance criteria under the WaterSense program of the Environmental Protection Agency. Further, the bill requires such LEAs to adopt certain green practices (environmental standards) and requires the use of iron, steel, and manufactured products that are made in the United States (Buy America).

The bill restores school infrastructure tax credit bonds.

The bill also sets forth reporting requirements, including annual reports on grant program projects and a report by the Government Accountability Office that requires a study of the geographic distribution of projects, the impact of selected projects on student and staff health and safety, and the accessibility of projects to high-poverty schools.

The bill also establishes the Office of School Infrastructure and Sustainability within the Department of Education.

Next, the bill extends through FY2027 the Impact Aid Construction program.

Finally, the bill establishes a grant program to assist LEAs with repairing or replacing concrete foundations affected by pyrrhotite (an iron sulfide material linked to crumbling foundations).

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 16, 2022:** Committee on Ways and Means discharged.
- **Dec 16, 2022:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 467.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Education and Labor. H. Rept. 117-607, Part I.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** House Committee on Ways and Means Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Dec. 15, 2022.
- **May 18, 2022:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 18, 2022:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 27 - 19.
- **Jan 28, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 28, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on 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.
- **Jan 28, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support.