

## HR 6863

To designate the medical center of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Memphis, Tennessee, as the "Lt. Col. Luke Weathers, Jr. VA Medical Center".

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Feb 28, 2022

**Current Status:** Became Public Law No: 117-236.

**Latest Action:** Became Public Law No: 117-236. (Dec 20, 2022)

**Law:** 117-236 (Enacted Dec 20, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/6863>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 28, 2022
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Dec 7, 2022

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary

 (as of Dec 20, 2022)

This act designates the medical center of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Memphis, Tennessee, as the Lt. Col. Luke Weathers, Jr. VA Medical Center.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Dec 20, 2022:** Signed by President.
- **Dec 20, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-236.
- **Dec 16, 2022:** Presented to President.
- **Dec 7, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 6, 2022:** Senate Committee on Veterans' Affairs discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 6, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 6, 2022:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S7008)
- **Nov 15, 2022:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** Mr. Takano moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8449-8452)
- **Nov 14, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 6863.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H8450)
- **Nov 14, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 28, 2022:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 28, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 28, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.