

HR 8077

Closing the Digital Divide for Students Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

Introduced: Jun 15, 2022

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services. (Jun 15, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]

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

Cosponsors (16 total)

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Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jun 15, 2022
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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jun 15, 2022
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 15, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 15, 2022)

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This bill expands the public housing utility allowance for households with children who qualify for free and reduced price school lunch to include the cost of high-speed internet service.

Actions Timeline

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