

## HR 1209

FOCA Act of 2023

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 27, 2023

**Current Status:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 734.

**Latest Action:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 734. (Dec 18, 2024)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/1209>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Comer, James [R-KY-1]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** KY • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (122 total)

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Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Boebert, Lauren [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Burchett, Tim [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Burlison, Eric [R-MO-7]	R · MO		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-41]	R · CA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Cammack, Kat [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Carl, Jerry L. [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Carter, Earl L. "Buddy" [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Ciscomani, Juan [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Cloud, Michael [R-TX-27]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Crawford, Eric A. "Rick" [R-AR-1]	R · AR		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Donalds, Byron [R-FL-19]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Dunn, Neal P. [R-FL-2]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Ellzey, Jake [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Ezell, Mike [R-MS-4]	R · MS		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Fitzgerald, Scott [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Foxx, Virginia [R-NC-5]	R · NC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Franklin, C. Scott [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Fry, Russell [R-SC-7]	R · SC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Fulcher, Russ [R-ID-1]	R · ID		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Good, Bob [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Gooden, Lance [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Gosar, Paul A. [R-AZ-9]	R · AZ		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Greene, Marjorie Taylor [R-GA-14]	R · GA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]	R · WI		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Guest, Michael [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Harshbarger, Diana [R-TN-1]	R · TN		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]	R · OK		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Higgins, Clay [R-LA-3]	R · LA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Johnson, Dusty [R-SD-At Large]	R · SD		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Johnson, Mike [R-LA-4]	R · LA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. LaTurner, Jake [R-KS-2]	R · KS		Feb 27, 2023

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Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]	R · AZ		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Letlow, Julia [R-LA-5]	R · LA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Mace, Nancy [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Mann, Tracey [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. McClintock, Tom [R-CA-5]	R · CA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. McCormick, Richard [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Meuser, Daniel [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Miller, Mary E. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Moolenaar, John R. [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Mooney, Alexander X. [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Moore, Barry [R-AL-2]	R · AL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Murphy, Gregory F. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Nehls, Troy E. [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Obernolte, Jay [R-CA-23]	R · CA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Ogles, Andrew [R-TN-5]	R · TN		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Palmer, Gary J. [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Perry, Scott [R-PA-10]	R · PA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Rosendale Sr., Matthew M. [R-MT-2]	R · MT		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Rutherford, John H. [R-FL-5]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-1]	R · AZ		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-17]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Timmons, William R. IV [R-SC-4]	R · SC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Walberg, Tim [R-MI-5]	R · MI		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Williams, Roger [R-TX-25]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Womack, Steve [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Aderholt, Robert B. [R-AL-4]	R · AL		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Cline, Ben [R-VA-6]	R · VA		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Fallon, Pat [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Apr 17, 2023

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Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Hill, J. French [R-AR-2]	R · AR		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Jackson, Ronny [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Lee, Laurel M. [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Pence, Greg [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Steel, Michelle [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Yakym, Rudy [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Apr 17, 2023
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-9]	R · NC		May 5, 2023
Rep. Strong, Dale W. [R-AL-5]	R · AL		May 23, 2023
Rep. McClain, Lisa C. [R-MI-9]	R · MI		May 25, 2023
Rep. Estes, Ron [R-KS-4]	R · KS		Jun 22, 2023
Rep. Hunt, Wesley [R-TX-38]	R · TX		Jun 22, 2023
Rep. Massie, Thomas [R-KY-4]	R · KY		Jun 22, 2023
Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Jun 22, 2023
Rep. Armstrong, Kelly [R-ND-At Large]	R · ND		Jul 11, 2023
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Jul 11, 2023
Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Aug 25, 2023
Rep. Bean, Aaron [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. Collins, Mike [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. Houchin, Erin [R-IN-9]	R · IN		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. LaMalfa, Doug [R-CA-1]	R · CA		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]	R · NC		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. Mills, Cory [R-FL-7]	R · FL		Sep 13, 2023
Rep. Buck, Ken [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Sep 26, 2023
Rep. De La Cruz, Monica [R-TX-15]	R · TX		Sep 26, 2023
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Sep 26, 2023
Rep. Kiggans, Jennifer A [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Sep 26, 2023
Rep. Crane, Elijah [R-AZ-2]	R · AZ		Nov 14, 2023
Rep. Baird, James R. [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Jan 11, 2024
Rep. Bice, Stephanie I. [R-OK-5]	R · OK		Jan 11, 2024
Rep. Self, Keith [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Jan 11, 2024
Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Jan 18, 2024
Rep. Bentz, Cliff [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Jun 13, 2024
Rep. Gonzales, Tony [R-TX-23]	R · TX		Jun 27, 2024
Rep. Miller, Carol D. [R-WV-1]	R · WV		Jul 8, 2024
Rep. Hageman, Harriet M. [R-WY-At Large]	R · WY		Sep 27, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Reported By	Dec 18, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 537	Identical bill	<b>Feb 27, 2023:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2023)

Fair and Open Competition Act or the FOCA Act

This bill prohibits federal construction contracts or controlling documents for federally supported construction projects from requiring or prohibiting project labor agreements. Such documents also may not discriminate against or give preference to a bidder or contractor who signs or refuses to sign a project labor agreement.

An agency may exempt a project from this prohibition to avert an imminent threat to public health or safety or to serve the national security.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 18, 2024:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Oversight and Accountability. H. Rept. 118-899.
- **Dec 18, 2024:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 734.
- **Jul 12, 2023:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Jul 12, 2023:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 22 - 20.
- **Feb 27, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Accountability.