

HR 4394

Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2024

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

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| Appropriations Committee | House | Unknown | Oct 26, 2023 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 118 HR 215 | Related bill | Dec 18, 2024: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 751. |
| 118 HR 4366 | Related bill | Mar 9, 2024: Became Public Law No: 118-42. |
| 118 HRES 756 | Procedurally related | Oct 3, 2023: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. |
| 118 S 2443 | Related bill | Jul 20, 2023: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 145. |
| 118 HR 186 | Related bill | Feb 21, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Water, Wildlife, and Fisheries. |

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This bill provides FY2024 appropriations for U.S. Army Corps of Engineers civil works projects, the Department of the Interior's Bureau of Reclamation, the Department of Energy (DOE), and several independent agencies.

The bill provides appropriations for U.S. Army Corps of Engineers civil works projects, including for

- Investigations,
- Construction,
- Mississippi River and Tributaries,
- Operation and Maintenance,
- the Regulatory Program,
- the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program,
- Flood Control and Coastal Emergencies,
- Expenses,
- the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works, and
- the Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Program.

The bill provides appropriations to the Department of the Interior for the Central Utah Project and the Bureau of Reclamation.

The bill provides appropriations to DOE for energy programs, including

- Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy;
- Cybersecurity, Energy Security, and Emergency Response;
- Electricity;
- Nuclear Energy;
- Fossil Energy and Carbon Management;
- Naval Petroleum and Oil Shale Reserves;
- the Strategic Petroleum Reserve;
- the Northeast Home Heating Oil Reserve;
- the Energy Information Administration;
- Non-Defense Environmental Cleanup;
- the Uranium Enrichment Decontamination and Decommissioning Fund;
- Science;
- Nuclear Waste Disposal;
- Technology Transitions;
- Clean Energy Demonstrations;
- the Advanced Research Projects Agency—Energy;
- the Title 17 Innovative Technology Loan Guarantee Program;
- the Advanced Technology Vehicles Manufacturing Loan Program;
- the Tribal Energy Loan Guarantee Program;
- Indian Energy Policy and Programs;
- Departmental Administration; and

the Office of the Inspector General.

The bill also provides appropriations to DOE for

- Atomic Energy Defense Activities of the National Nuclear Security Administration,
- Environmental and Other Defense Activities, and
- the Power Marketing Administrations.

The bill provides appropriations to several independent agencies, including the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

The bill includes provisions that address the operation of the Central Valley Project (CVP), which is a federal water project in California owned and operated by the Bureau of Reclamation, and the California State Water Project (SWP), which is operated jointly with the CVP.

In addition, the bill makes the Bureau of Reclamation the lead agency for the purpose of coordinating all permitting and related activities required to construct certain new surface water storage projects.

The bill also sets forth requirements and restrictions for using funds provided by this and other appropriations acts.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 1, 2023:** Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 233.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5110-5152)
- **Oct 26, 2023:** The House resolved into Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for further consideration.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Garamendi amendment No. 36.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Garamendi amendment No. 36, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote announced that the noes had prevailed. Mr. Garamendi demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Garamendi amendment No. 37.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Garamendi amendment No. 37, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote announced that the noes had prevailed. Mr. Garamendi demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Hageman amendment No. 38.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Hageman amendment No. 39.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Hageman amendment No. 39, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Fleischmann demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Hageman amendment No. 40.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** UNFINISHED BUSINESS - The Chair announced that the unfinished business was the question on agreeing to the amendments to H.R. 4394, which had been debated earlier and on which further proceedings had been postponed.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Jackson (TX) amendment No. 41.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Lamborn amendment No. 42.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Luna amendment No. 43.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Luna amendment No. 43, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote announced that the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Kaptur demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Luna amendment No. 44.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the McCormick amendment No. 45.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 46.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 47.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Norman amendment No. 47, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Kaptur demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 48.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 49.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 50.

- Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Norman amendment No. 50, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Kaptur demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
- **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 51.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Norman amendment No. 51, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. James demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Ogles amendment No. 52.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Ogles amendment No. 53.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Palmer amendment No. 54.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Pfluger amendment No. 56.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Pfluger amendment No. 56, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Kaptur demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Pfluger amendment No. 57.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Pfluger amendment No. 57, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Kaptur demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Rosendale amendment No. 58.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Rosendale amendment No. 58, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Fleischmann demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Rosendale amendment No. 59.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Rosendale amendment No. 59, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced that the noes had prevailed. Mr. Rosendale demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Rosendale amendment No. 60.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Rosendale amendment No. 60, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced that the noes had prevailed. Mr. Rosendale demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** Pursuant to clause 6(h) of rule XVIII, the Committee rose.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** Pursuant to clause 6(h) of rule XVIII, the Committee of the Whole resumed its sitting.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** The House rose from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union to report H.R. 4394.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** The previous question was ordered pursuant to the rule.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** The House adopted the amendments en gross as agreed to by the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** Ms. Castor (FL) moved to recommit to the Committee on Appropriations. (text: CR H5150)
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** The previous question on the motion to recommit was ordered pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XIX.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** On motion to recommit Failed by the Yeas and Nays: 199 - 210 (Roll no. 557).
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 210 - 199 (Roll no. 558).
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** On passage Passed by the Yeas and Nays: 210 - 199 (Roll no. 558).
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
 - **Oct 26, 2023:** The Clerk was authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, and cross references, and to make other necessary technical and conforming corrections in the engrossment of H.R. 4394.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 756. (consideration: CR H5066-5100)

- Oct 25, 2023:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4394 and H.R. 4364. The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4394 and H.R. 4364. Resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4394, under a structured rule with one hour of general debate and one motion to recommit. The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4364 under a closed rule with one hour of general debate and one motion to recommit. The resolution lays H. Res. 699 on the table.
- **Oct 25, 2023:** The Speaker designated the Honorable Mike Flood to act as Chairman of the Committee.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union pursuant to H. Res. 756 and Rule XVIII.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** GENERAL DEBATE - The Committee of the Whole proceeded with one hour of general debate on H.R. 4394.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 20 minutes of debate on the Fleischmann amendment en bloc.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 3.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 3, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Mrs. Watson Coleman demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Neguse amendment No. 12.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Neguse amendment No. 12, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Neguse demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Neguse amendment No. 13.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Westerman amendment No. 14.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Westerman amendment No. 14, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Ms. Kaptur demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Griffith amendment No. 15.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Griffith amendment No. 15, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Griffith demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Roy amendment No. 16.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Roy amendment No. 16, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Roy demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 19.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 19, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Norman amendment No. 20.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Norman amendment No. 20, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Norman demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 25.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 25, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10

- minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 26.
- **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 26, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 27.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 27, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the ayes had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 28.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 28, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 29.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 29, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 30.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 30, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 31.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 31, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Perry amendment No. 32.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Perry amendment No. 32, the Chair put the question on agreeing to the amendment and by voice vote, announced the nays had prevailed. Mr. Perry demanded a recorded vote, and the Chair postponed further proceedings until a time to be announced.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Cammack amendment No. 34.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 756, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Fallon amendment No. 35.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** Mr. Fleischmann moved that the committee rise.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** On motion that the committee rise Agreed to by voice vote.
 - **Oct 25, 2023:** Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union rises leaving H.R. 4394 as unfinished business.
 - **Oct 3, 2023:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 756 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 4394 and H.R. 4364. The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4394 and H.R. 4364. Resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4394, under a structured rule with one hour of general debate and one motion to recommit. The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 4364 under a closed rule with one hour of general debate and one motion to recommit. The resolution lays H. Res. 699 on the table.
 - **Jun 30, 2023:** Introduced in House
 - **Jun 30, 2023:** The House Committee on Appropriations reported an original measure, H. Rept. 118-126, by Mr. Fleischmann.
 - **Jun 30, 2023:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 98.