

SJRES 57

A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of the Treasury relating to "Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds".

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

Introduced: Feb 1, 2024

Current Status: Failed of passage in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 46 - 49. Record Vote Number: 168.

Latest Action: Failed of passage in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 46 - 49. Record Vote Number: 168. (May 15, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Schmitt, Eric [R-MO]

Party: Republican • **State:** MO • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN]	R · TN		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Braun, Mike [R-IN]	R · IN		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]	R · AR		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Ernst, Joni [R-IA]	R · IA		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Hagerty, Bill [R-TN]	R · TN		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Johnson, Ron [R-WI]	R · WI		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Lummis, Cynthia M. [R-WY]	R · WY		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Marshall, Roger [R-KS]	R · KS		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Scott, Rick [R-FL]	R · FL		Feb 1, 2024
Sen. Budd, Ted [R-NC]	R · NC		Feb 9, 2024
Sen. Lee, Mike [R-UT]	R · UT		Apr 8, 2024
Sen. Ricketts, Pete [R-NE]	R · NE		May 1, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Discharged From	May 14, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HJRES 110	Identical bill	Feb 1, 2024: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

Summary (as of Feb 1, 2024)

This joint resolution nullifies the Department of Treasury's rule titled *Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds*, which was issued on November 20, 2023.

The rule relates to the use of State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF), which were initially authorized under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 to help state and local governments respond to the COVID-19 public health emergency. Current regulations allow for the use of funds for authorized purposes by December 31, 2026, if such funds are obligated for expenditure by December 31, 2024.

The rule modifies the definition of an *obligation* to include satisfaction of administrative or legal requirements that are associated with the SLFRF program, such as reporting, audit, or environmental compliance requirements. Funds for these purposes are considered to be obligated by the required deadline of December 31, 2024. Estimated amounts of such obligations must be reported to Treasury by April 30, 2024, and the funds must still be used by December 31, 2026.

Actions Timeline

- **May 15, 2024:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent.
- **May 15, 2024:** Failed of passage/not agreed to in Senate: Failed of passage in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 46 - 49. Record Vote Number: 168.
- **May 15, 2024:** Failed of passage in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 46 - 49. Record Vote Number: 168.
- **May 14, 2024:** Senate Committee on Finance discharged, by petition, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 802(c).
- **May 14, 2024:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 387.
- **Feb 1, 2024:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 1, 2024:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.