

## HRES 73

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Medicare and Social Security provide an essential benefit for current enrollees and should be strengthened for future generations.

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

**Introduced:** Jan 30, 2023

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 10, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-resolution/73>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lesko, Debbie [R-AZ-8]

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

### Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Feb 9, 2023
Rep. Mills, Cory [R-FL-7]	R · FL		Feb 9, 2023
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Feb 9, 2023
Rep. Babin, Brian [R-TX-36]	R · TX		Feb 24, 2023

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 10, 2023
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 30, 2023

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Social Welfare

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 30, 2023)

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This resolution affirms the House of Representatives' obligation to fulfill the promises made to senior citizens of the United States regarding access to Medicare and Social Security.

It also rejects any changes to Medicare or Social Security that diminish benefits for Americans currently enrolled, or soon to be enrolled, in the Medicare program or the Old Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance program.

The resolution also expresses the House's commitment that these programs should be strengthened and preserved, and expresses support for efforts to reduce waste, fraud, and abuse in these programs.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 10, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 30, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 30, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.