

## HR 7629

Protect Our Letter Carriers Act of 2024

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Mar 12, 2024

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Account

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Accountability, 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. (Mar 12, 2024)

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Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		Sep 3, 2024
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Rep. Kennedy, Timothy M. [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Sep 18, 2024

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Rep. Beyer, Donald S. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Nov 19, 2024
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 12, 2024
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 12, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 12, 2024)

Protect Our Letter Carriers Act of 2024

This bill requires or authorizes certain actions related to the U.S. Postal Service (USPS).

The bill requires the Department of Justice to appoint an assistant U.S. attorney in each judicial district to coordinate and supervise the investigation and prosecution of various crimes related to postal services (for example, assault on a postal service employee, breaking into a post office, or obstruction of mails).

The bill also requires the U.S. Sentencing Commission to amend sentencing guidelines to provide that the assault or robbery of a postal employee shall be treated the same as the assault of a law enforcement officer.

Additionally, the bill authorizes appropriations for the USPS to install high security collection boxes and replace older versions of the universal mailbox key with electronic versions.

## Actions Timeline

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