

## HRES 23

Proxy Voting for New Parents Resolution

**Congress:** 119 (2025–2027, Current)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Congress

**Introduced:** Jan 9, 2025

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Rules.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Rules. (Jan 9, 2025)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/119th-congress/house-resolution/23>

### Sponsor

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**Name:** Rep. Pettersen, Brittany [D-CO-7]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CO • **Chamber:** House

**Cosponsors** (175 total)

<b>Cosponsor</b>	<b>Party / State</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Date Joined</b>
Rep. Ciscomani, Juan [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Gomez, Jimmy [D-CA-34]	D · CA		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Jacobs, Sara [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Kim, Young [R-CA-40]	R · CA		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Lawler, Michael [R-NY-17]	R · NY		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Leger Fernandez, Teresa [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Luna, Anna Paulina [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Perez, Marie Gluesenkamp [D-WA-3]	D · WA		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Van Drew, Jefferson [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		Jan 9, 2025
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Crockett, Jasmine [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Ruiz, Raul [D-CA-25]	D · CA		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-25]	D · FL		Jan 13, 2025
Rep. Ansari, Yassamin [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Castro, Joaquin [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-22]	D · FL		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Landsman, Greg [D-OH-1]	D · OH		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Magaziner, Seth [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Mullin, Kevin [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jan 15, 2025
Rep. Crow, Jason [D-CO-6]	D · CO		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Mackenzie, Ryan [R-PA-7]	R · PA		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-50]	D · CA		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Jan 16, 2025
Rep. Tokuda, Jill N. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Jan 16, 2025

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Moylan, James C. [R-GU-At Large]	R · GU		Jan 21, 2025
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC]	D · DC		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Amo, Gabe [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Burchett, Tim [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1]	D · CO		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Garcia, Robert [D-CA-42]	D · CA		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Goldman, Daniel S. [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Ocasio-Cortez, Alexandria [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Underwood, Lauren [D-IL-14]	D · IL		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jan 21, 2025
Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]	D · IL		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Davis, Donald G. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Figures, Shomari [D-AL-2]	D · AL		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. McBride, Sarah [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Omar, Ilhan [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Stanton, Greg [D-AZ-4]	D · AZ		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Torres, Ritchie [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Velázquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jan 22, 2025
Rep. Bera, Ami [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Deluzio, Christopher R. [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Foushee, Valerie P. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Frost, Maxwell [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Jan 23, 2025

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Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	D · CT		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Ivey, Glenn [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank" [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Latimer, George [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. McGarvey, Morgan [D-KY-3]	D · KY		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. McIver, LaMonica [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Moskowitz, Jared [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Ramirez, Delia C. [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Subramanyam, Suhas [D-VA-10]	D · VA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Thanedar, Shri [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Jan 23, 2025
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Garcia, Sylvia R. [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Lee, Summer L. [D-PA-12]	D · PA		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	D · OR		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jan 28, 2025
Rep. Budzinski, Nikki [D-IL-13]	D · IL		Jan 31, 2025
Rep. Johnson, Julie [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jan 31, 2025
Rep. McDonald Rivet, Kristen [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Jan 31, 2025
Rep. Morrison, Kelly [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Jan 31, 2025
Rep. Carbajal, Salud O. [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Cisneros, Gilbert Ray, Jr. [D-CA-31]	D · CA		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Dexter, Maxine [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Escobar, Veronica [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. McClain Delaney, April [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Turner, Sylvester [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Feb 4, 2025
Rep. Brown, Shontel M. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Feb 5, 2025
Rep. Sykes, Emilia Strong [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Feb 5, 2025
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Feb 6, 2025

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Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Feb 6, 2025
Rep. Barragán, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. Randall, Emily [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. Kennedy, Timothy M. [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Sorensen, Eric [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Feb 25, 2025
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Feb 25, 2025
Rep. Ryan, Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Feb 25, 2025
Rep. Scholten, Hillary J. [D-MI-3]	D · MI		Feb 25, 2025
Rep. Stansbury, Melanie A. [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Feb 25, 2025
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-4]	D · CA		Feb 25, 2025
Rep. Beyer, Donald S. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Elfreth, Sarah [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Gonzalez, Vicente [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Liccardo, Sam [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. McBath, Lucy [D-GA-6]	D · GA		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. McClellan, Jennifer L. [D-VA-4]	D · VA		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Olszewski, Johnny [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Pappas, Chris [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Feb 27, 2025
Rep. Balint, Becca [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Bynum, Janelle [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Levin, Mike [D-CA-49]	D · CA		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Riley, Josh [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Mar 3, 2025
Rep. Hoyle, Val T. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Mar 4, 2025
Rep. Tran, Derek [D-CA-45]	D · CA		Mar 6, 2025
Rep. Conaway, Herbert [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Correa, J. Luis [D-CA-46]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-10]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Friedman, Laura [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Jackson, Jonathan L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Mar 10, 2025

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Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Min, Dave [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Sherrill, Mikie [D-NJ-11]	D · NJ		Mar 10, 2025
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Mar 11, 2025
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Mar 11, 2025
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Mar 11, 2025
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-8]	D · CA		Mar 25, 2025
Rep. Bell, Wesley [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Mar 31, 2025

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 9, 2025

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Congress

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 9, 2025)

### Proxy Voting for New Parents Resolution

This resolution authorizes proxy voting in the House of Representatives for a Member who has given birth or whose spouse has given birth and pregnant Members who are unable to travel safely or have a serious medical condition.

Under the resolution, a qualifying Member may designate a proxy to cast a vote in a committee, the Committee of the Whole, or on the House floor; however, proxies will not be counted for purposes of establishing a quorum. The proxy designation is valid for up to 12 weeks.

To designate a proxy for House and Committee of the Whole votes, the Member must submit a signed and dated letter to the Clerk stating the Member's qualifying circumstances and the name and state of the Member who has agreed to be designated as proxy. A Member who has designated a proxy according to these requirements may also designate a proxy for committee votes. To designate a proxy for committee votes, the Member must provide the committee chair and ranking minority member with a signed and dated letter specifying another member of the committee to cast a proxy vote.

The resolution further provides that a Member may revoke the proxy authorization by (1) casting the Member's own vote; (2) recording the Member's own presence in the House or in the Committee of the Whole; or (3) in a committee, by submitting a signed letter to the chair and ranking minority member.



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