



Mr. Sanford D. Bishop

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House

State: GA • **District:** 2

Service: 1993–2025 (including current term)

Most recent Congress: 119

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Biography

A Representative from Georgia. Born in Mobile, Mobile County, Ala. , February 4, 1947. Graduated from Central High School, Mobile, Ala. , 1964. B. A. , Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga. , 1968. J. D. , Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. , 1971. Lawyer, private practice. United States Army, 1969-1971. Member of the Georgia state house of representatives, 1977-1991. Member of the Georgia state senate, 1991-1993. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Third and to the sixteen succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1993-present).

Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

- Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Appropriations Committee – Standing
- Financial Services and General Government Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Subcommittee – Subcommittee

Legislative Activity (1993–2025)

Bills sponsored: 120

Bills cosponsored: 5239

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HR 7761	To reauthorize and improve the relending program to resolve ownership and succession on farmland, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture. Updated Mar 3, 2026
119 HR 7762	To amend the Specialty Crops Competitiveness Act of 2004 to require the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a pilot program to provide recovery payments to producers of seasonal and perishable crops that experience low prices caused by imports, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture. Updated Mar 3, 2026
119 HR 5422	Military Housing Performance Insight Act	Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services. Updated Sep 17, 2025
119 HR 1369	President Jimmy Carter Congressional Gold Medal Act	Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services. Updated Feb 14, 2025
119 HR 333	Disabled Veterans Tax Termination Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs. Updated Feb 11, 2025

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HR 2709	Save Our Sequoias Act	Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Unanimous Consent. Updated Mar 5, 2026
119 HRES 1107	Memorializing Rev. Jesse Jackson by flying the flag of the United States at halfstaff.	Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Mar 5, 2026
119 HR 7856	Fair Housing for Survivors Act of 2026	Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Mar 5, 2026
119 HR 7802	To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide for additional disclosure requirements for corporations, labor organizations, Super PACs and other entities, and for other purposes.	Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Mea Updated Mar 4, 2026
119 HRES 1106	Honoring the life and legacy of Rev. Jesse Louis Jackson, Sr.	Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Updated Mar 4, 2026