



## Mr. Donald S. Beyer

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**State:** VA • **District:** 8  
**Service:** 2015–2025 (including current term)  
**Most recent Congress:** 119  
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### Biography

A Representative from Virginia. Born in Trieste, Italy, June 20, 1950. Graduated from Gonzaga College High School, Washington, D. C. , 1968. B. A. , Williams College, Williamstown, Mass. , 1972. Automobile dealer. Lieutenant governor of Virginia, 1990-1998. Unsuccessful candidate for Governor of Virginia in 1997. United States Ambassador to Switzerland and Liechtenstein, 2009-2013. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Fourteenth and to the five succeeding Congresses (January 3, 2015-present). Chair, Joint Economic Committee (One Hundred Seventeenth Congress).

### Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

- Tax Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Trade Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Ways and Means Committee – Standing

### Legislative Activity (2015–2025)

**Bills sponsored:** 221

**Bills cosponsored:** 2468

### Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HR 8294	To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a surtax on high income individuals.	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Apr 15, 2026
119 HR 8094	AI Foundation Model Transparency Act of 2026	Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. Updated Mar 26, 2026
119 HR 6778	Parkway Safety and Reinvestment Act	Subcommittee Hearings Held Updated Mar 26, 2026
119 HR 8031	GUARDRAILS Act	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, Updated Mar 20, 2026
119 HR 7937	Working Americans' Tax Cut Act	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Mar 16, 2026

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HCONRES 40	Directing the President, pursuant to section 5(c) of the War Powers Resolution, to remove United States Armed Forces from hostilities with Iran.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Apr 16, 2026
119 HR 6317	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 12109 New Kent Highway in New Kent, Virginia, as the "Patricia Paige Post Office".	Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governm Updated Apr 15, 2026
119 HR 7613	ALERT Act	Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transp Updated Apr 15, 2026
119 HR 5058	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 46164 Westlake Drive in Sterling, Virginia, as the "Firefighter Trevor Brown Post Office Building".	Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governm Updated Apr 15, 2026
119 HR 8275	Commission on Presidential Capacity to Discharge the Powers and Duties of the Office Act	Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period Updated Apr 14, 2026