



## Ms. Carolyn Bourdeaux

**Party:** Democratic • **Chamber:** House

**State:** GA • **District:** 7

**Service:** 2021–2023

**Most recent Congress:** 117

### Biography

A Representative from Georgia, born on June 3, 1970. Graduated from Northside High School, Roanoke, Va. , 1988. B. A. , Yale University, New Haven, Conn. , 1992. M. P. A. , University of Southern California, Los Angeles, Calif. , 1999. Ph. D. , Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. , 2003. Staff, United States Representative and Senator Ron Wyden, 1993-1997. Professor, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Ga. , 2003-2020. Director, Georgia state senate budget and evaluation office, 2007-2010. Unsuccessful candidate for election to the One Hundred Sixteenth Congress in 2018. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Seventeenth Congress (January 3, 2021-January 3, 2023). Unsuccessful candidate for renomination to the One Hundred Eighteenth Congress in 2022.

### Legislative Activity (2021–2023)

**Bills sponsored:** 16

**Bills cosponsored:** 288

### Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HRES 917	Condemning the atrocities that occurred in Forsyth County, Georgia, in 1912 in which over 1,100 Black Americans were terrorized and driven out by white supremacist mobs, including dozens of Black Americans who owned land in the county, and reaffirming the House of Representatives' commitment to combating white supremacy, hatred, and injustice.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. Updated Nov 1, 2022
117 HR 7442	H-4 Work Authorization Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. Updated Nov 1, 2022
117 HR 7441	Acute Labor Shortage Solutions Act of 2022	Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. Updated Nov 1, 2022
117 HR 7796	Lake Lanier and Upper Chattahoochee Safety Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. Updated May 18, 2022
117 HR 7198	Chattahoochee River Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment. Updated Mar 25, 2022

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 8260	Faster Payments to Veterans' Survivors Act of 2022	Became Public Law No: 117-313. Updated Dec 27, 2022
117 HRES 1382	Condemning the atrocities that occurred in Atlanta, Georgia, in 1906, in which White supremacist mobs brutalized, terrorized, and killed dozens of Black Americans, and reaffirming the commitment of the House of Representatives to combating hatred, injustice, and White supremacy.	Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 1531, H. Res. 1382 is considered passed House. (text: CR H1007 Updated Dec 23, 2022
117 HR 8770	Expanding the VOTE Act	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 474. Updated Dec 21, 2022
117 HR 310	To posthumously award the Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to Glen Doherty, Tyrone Woods, J. Christopher Stevens, and Sean Smith, in recognition of their contributions to the Nation.	Became Public Law No: 117-256. Updated Dec 21, 2022
117 HR 263	Big Cat Public Safety Act	Became Public Law No: 117-243. Updated Dec 20, 2022