



Robert E. Cramer

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House

State: AL • **District:** 5

Service: 1991–2009

Most recent Congress: 110

Biography

A Representative from Alabama. Born in Huntsville, Madison County, Ala. , August 22, 1947. Graduated from public schools. B. A. , University of Alabama, 1969. J. D. , University of Alabama Law School, 1972. United States Army, 1972. United States Army Reserves, 1976-1978. Assistant district attorney, Madison County, Ala. , 1973-1975. Lawyer, private practice. District attorney of Madison County, Ala. , 1981-1990. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Second and to the eight succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1991-January 3, 2009). Was not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Eleventh Congress in 2008.

Legislative Activity (1991–2009)

Bills sponsored: 15

Bills cosponsored: 773

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
110 HRES 1224	Commending the Tennessee Valley Authority on its 75th anniversary.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Sep 29, 2008
110 HR 4213	To amend the Small Business Act to provide for an increase in the amount of awards under the first and second phases of the Small Business Innovation Research program.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology and Innovation. Updated Jan 28, 2008
110 HR 4212	To authorize the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to deem certain small business concerns qualified HUBZone small business concerns.	Referred to the House Committee on Small Business. Updated Nov 15, 2007
110 HR 1145	Muscle Shoals National Heritage Area Act	Subcommittee Hearings Held. Updated Jul 12, 2007
109 HR 5930	Muscle Shoals National Heritage Area Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks. Updated Aug 7, 2006

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
110 HR 2040	Civil Rights Act of 1964 Commemorative Coin Act	Became Public Law No: 110-451. Updated Dec 2, 2008
110 HR 5714	United States Army Commemorative Coin Act of 2008	Became Public Law No: 110-450. Updated Dec 1, 2008
110 HR 6758	FREE Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Energy, and Research. Updated Nov 19, 2008
110 HR 4544	Code Talkers Recognition Act of 2008	Became Public Law No: 110-420. Updated Oct 15, 2008
110 HR 6849	To amend the commodity provisions of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to permit producers to aggregate base acres and reconstitute farms to avoid the prohibition on receiving direct payments, counter-cyclical payments, or average crop revenue election payments when the sum of the base acres of a farm is 10 acres or less, and for other purposes.	Became Public Law No: 110-398. Updated Oct 13, 2008