



Philip M. Crane

Party: Republican • **Chamber:** House

State: IL • **District:** 8

Service: 1969–2005

Most recent Congress: 108

Biography

A Representative from Illinois. Born in Chicago, Cook County, Ill. , November 3, 1930. Attended DePauw University, Greencastle, Ind. , University of Michigan, and the University of Vienna. B. A. , Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Mich. , 1952. M. A. , Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. , 1961. Ph. D. , Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. , 1963. United States Army, 1954-1956. Faculty, Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. , and Bradley University, Peoria, Ill. Staff, Republican National Party, 1962. Director of research for the Illinois Goldwater Organization, 1964. Director of schools, Westminster Academy, Northbrook, Ill. , 1967-1968. Staff for Richard Nixon, 1964-1968. Director, Intercollegiate Studies Institute since 1968. Elected as a Republican to the Ninety-first Congress by special election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of United States Representative Donald Rumsfeld. Reelected to the seventeen succeeding Congresses (November 25, 1969-January 3, 2005). Unsuccessful candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Ninth Congress in 2004. Appointed by President Reagan in 1986 to serve on the Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution. Died on November 8, 2014, in Jefferson, Md. Interment at Rose Hill Cemetery, Hillsboro, Ind.

Legislative Activity (1969–2005)

Bills sponsored: 58

Bills cosponsored: 403

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
108 HR 1047	Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 2004	Became Public Law No: 108-429. Updated Dec 3, 2004
108 HR 5387	Wauconda Technical and Environmental Remediation Act of 2004	Referred to the Subcommittee on Environment and Hazardous Materials. Updated Dec 1, 2004
108 HR 5224	For the relief of Dylan Brian Benwell.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security, and Claims. Updated Oct 15, 2004
108 HRES 821	Condemning the abduction of Dylan Benwell from the United States and calling for his return.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Oct 7, 2004
108 HR 4840	Tax Simplification for America's Job Creators Act of 2004	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. Updated Sep 7, 2004

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
108 HR 4116	American Bald Eagle Recovery and National Emblem Commemorative Coin Act	Became Public Law No: 108-486. Updated Dec 23, 2004
108 HR 3800	Family Budget Protection Act of 2004	House Committee on The Budget Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than D Updated Nov 22, 2004
108 HR 4634	Terrorism Insurance Backstop Extension Act of 2004	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 478. Updated Nov 18, 2004
108 HR 4520	American Jobs Creation Act of 2004	Became Public Law No: 108-357. Updated Oct 22, 2004
108 HR 2699	National Uniformity for Food Act of 2004	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 475. Updated Oct 8, 2004