



# **Eric Cantor**

Party: Republican • Chamber: House

State: VA • District: 7 Service: 2001–2014

**Most recent Congress: 113** 

### **Biography**

A Representative from Virginia. Born in Richmond, Henrico County, Va., June 6, 1963. B. A., George Washington University, Washington, D. C., 1985. J. D., College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va., 1988. M. S., Columbia University, New York, N. Y., 1989. Lawyer. Small businessman. Member of the Virginia state house of delegates, 1992-2001. Elected as a Republican to the One Hundred Seventh and to the six succeeding Congresses until his resignation on August 18, 2014 (January 3, 2001-August 18, 2014). Unsuccessful candidate for renomination to the One Hundred Fourteenth Congress in 2014. Minority whip (One Hundred Eleventh Congress). Majority leader (One Hundred Twelfth and One Hundred Thirteenth Congresses).

#### **Legislative Activity (2001–2014)**

Bills sponsored: 77 Bills cosponsored: 1138

#### **Most Recent Sponsored Bills**

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Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
113 HCONRES 75	Providing for a joint session of Congress to receive a message from the President.	Message on Senate action sent to the House. Updated Jan 28, 2014
113 HRES 141	Expressing the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of the Baroness Margaret Thatcher, former Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Apr 9, 2013
113 HRES 5	Adopting rules for the One Hundred Thirteenth Congress.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Jan 3, 2013
113 HRES 2	To inform the Senate that a quorum of the House has assembled and of the election of the Speaker and the Clerk.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Jan 3, 2013
113 HRES 3	Authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee to notify the President of the assembly of the Congress.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Jan 3, 2013

## **Most Recent Cosponsored Bills**

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
113 HRES 506	Honoring the life and legacy of Václav Havel by directing the House of Representatives Fine Arts Board to provide for the display of a bust of Václav Havel in the United States Capitol.	On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H2266- Updated Mar 11, 2014
112 HRES 786	Honoring the four United States public servants who died in Libya and condemning the attacks on United States diplomatic facilities in Libya, Egypt, and Yemen.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Sep 19, 2012
112 HR 3	No Taxpayer Funding for Abortion Act	Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 40. Updated May 9, 2011
112 HJRES 22	Preserving Capitalism in America Amendment	Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. Updated Feb 7, 2011
111 HR 6392	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5003 Westfields Boulevard in Centreville, Virginia, as the "Colonel George Juskalian Post Office Building".	Became Public Law No: 111-367. Updated Jan 4, 2011