Lane Evans

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House
State: IL • **District:** 17
Service: 1983–2007
Most recent Congress: 109

Biography

A Representative from Illinois. Born in Rock Island, Rock Island County, Ill. , August 4, 1951. Attended Sacred Heart School, Rock Island, Ill. Graduated from Alleman High School, Rock Island, Ill. , 1969. B. A. , Augustana College, Rock Island, Ill. , 1974. J. D. , Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D. C. , 1977. United States Marine Corps, 1969-1971. Lawyer, private practice. Elected as a Democrat to the Ninety-eighth and to the eleven succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1983-January 3, 2007). Not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Tenth Congress in 2006. Died on November 5, 2014, in East Moline, Ill. Interment at Rock Island National Cemetery, Rock Island, Ill.

Legislative Activity (1983–2007)

Bills sponsored: 70
Bills cosponsored: 1436

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
109 HR 4914	Veterans' Choice of Representation Act	Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from Veterans' Affairs. Updated Oct 6, 2006
109 HCONRES 235	Expressing the sense of the Congress that States should require candidates for driver's licenses to demonstrate an ability to exercise greatly increased caution when driving in the proximity of a potentially visually impaired individual.	Message on Senate action sent to the House. Updated Sep 25, 2006
109 HRES 759	Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Government of Japan should formally acknowledge and accept responsibility for its sexual enslavement of young women, known to the world as "comfort women", during its colonial occupation of Asia and the Pacific Islands from the 1930s through the duration of World War II, and for other purposes.	Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, (Amended) by Unanimous Consent Updated Sep 13, 2006
109 HR 5204	Federal Locks and Lock and Dam Facilities Act of 2006	Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform. Updated Apr 26, 2006
109 HR 1588	Comprehensive Assistance for Veterans Exposed to Traumatic Stressors Act of 2005	Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2248) Updated Nov 3, 2005

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
109 HR 5948	Belarus Democracy Reauthorization Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-480. Updated Jan 12, 2007
109 HR 6342	Veterans Programs Extension Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-444. Updated Dec 21, 2006
109 HR 1492	To provide for the preservation of the historic confinement sites where Japanese Americans were detained during World War II, and for other purposes.	Became Public Law No: 109-441. Updated Dec 21, 2006
109 HR 4510	To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to accept the donation of a bust depicting Sojourner Truth and to display the bust in a suitable location in the rotunda of the Capitol.	Became Public Law No: 109-427. Updated Dec 20, 2006
109 HR 4416	To reauthorize permanently the use of penalty and franked mail in efforts relating to the location and recovery of missing children.	Became Public Law No: 109-426. Updated Dec 20, 2006