



## Bart Gordon

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

**State:** TN • **District:** 6

**Service:** 1985–2011

**Most recent Congress:** 111

### Biography

A Representative from Tennessee. Born in Murfreesboro, Rutherford County, Tenn. , January 24, 1949. Graduated from Central High School, Murfreesboro, Tenn. , 1967. B. S. , Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tenn. , 1971. J. D. , University of Tennessee College of Law, Knoxville, Tenn. , 1973. United States Army, 1971-1972. Lawyer, private practice. Executive director, Tennessee state Democratic Party, 1979. Chair, Tennessee state Democratic Party, 1981-1983. Elected as a Democrat to the Ninety-ninth and to the twelve succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1985-January 3, 2011). Not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Twelfth Congress in 2010. Chair, Committee on Science and Technology (One Hundred Tenth and One Hundred Eleventh Congresses).

### Legislative Activity (1985–2011)

**Bills sponsored:** 78

**Bills cosponsored:** 2137

### Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HR 5116	America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2010	Became Public Law No: 111-358. Updated Jan 4, 2011
111 HR 5866	Nuclear Energy Research and Development Act of 2010	Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Updated Dec 1, 2010
111 HR 2923	Combat Methamphetamine Enhancement Act of 2010	Became Public Law No: 111-268. Updated Oct 12, 2010
111 HR 5716	Safer Oil and Natural Gas Drilling Technology Research and Development Act	Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 517. Updated Aug 5, 2010
111 HR 5781	National Aeronautics and Space Administration Authorization Act of 2010	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 333. Updated Jul 28, 2010

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HR 2142	GPRA Modernization Act of 2010	Became Public Law No: 111-352. Updated Jan 4, 2011
111 HCONRES 275	Expressing support for designation of the week beginning on the second Sunday of September as Arts in Education Week.	Message on Senate action sent to the House. Updated Dec 23, 2010
111 HR 2941	To reauthorize and enhance Johanna's Law to increase public awareness and knowledge with respect to gynecologic cancers.	Became Public Law No: 111-324. Updated Dec 22, 2010
111 HR 1064	Youth PROMISE Act	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 417. Updated Dec 22, 2010
111 HR 6534	National Baseball Hall of Fame Commemorative Coin Act	Referred to House Budget Updated Dec 16, 2010