



Charles A. Gonzalez

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House

State: TX • **District:** 20

Service: 1999–2013

Most recent Congress: 112

Biography

A Representative from Texas. Born in San Antonio, Bexar County, Tex. , May 5, 1945. Graduated from Thomas A. Edison High School, San Antonio, Tex. , 1965. B. A. , University of Texas, Austin, Tex. , 1969. J. D. , St. Mary's School of Law, San Antonio, Tex. , 1972. Texas Air National Guard, 1969-1975. Teacher. Lawyer, private practice. Judge, Bexar County, Tex. , Court at Law, No. 2, 1983-1987. Texas state district court judge, Bexar County, Tex. , 1989-1997. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Sixth and to the six succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1999-January 3, 2013). Was not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Thirteenth Congress in 2012.

Legislative Activity (1999–2013)

Bills sponsored: 55

Bills cosponsored: 2511

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
112 HR 2843	For the relief of Monica Elizondo.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration Policy and Enforcement. Updated Jun 21, 2012
112 HR 3478	To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend bond authority for those empowerment and enterprise zones with unused bond limitation at the end of 2011.	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Nov 18, 2011
112 HR 3383	Safe Transportation of Hazardous Materials Act of 2011	Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads, Pipelines, and Hazardous Materials. Updated Nov 7, 2011
112 HR 1937	EAC Improvements Act of 2011	Referred to the Subcommittee on Elections. Updated Aug 11, 2011
112 HR 1580	Medicare Beneficiary Preservation of Choice Act of 2011	Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Apr 25, 2011

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
112 HR 1845	Medicare IVIG Access and Strengthening Medicare and Repaying Taxpayers Act of 2012	Became Public Law No: 112-242. Updated Jan 10, 2013
112 HRES 134	Condemning the Government of Iran for its state-sponsored persecution of its Baha'i minority and its continued violation of the International Covenants on Human Rights.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Jan 1, 2013
112 HR 3477	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 133 Hare Road in Crosby, Texas, as the Army First Sergeant David McNerney Post Office Building.	Became Public Law No: 112-219. Updated Dec 28, 2012
112 HR 3187	March of Dimes Commemorative Coin Act of 2012	Became Public Law No: 112-209. Updated Dec 18, 2012
112 HR 2453	Mark Twain Commemorative Coin Act	Became Public Law No: 112-201. Updated Dec 4, 2012