



Mr. Brian Higgins

Party: Democratic • Chamber: House

State: NY • District: 26 Service: 2005–2024 Most recent Congress: 118

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Biography

A Representative from New York. Born in Buffalo, Erie County, N. Y., October 6, 1959. Graduated from South Park High School, Buffalo, N. Y., 1978. B. A., Buffalo State College, Buffalo, N. Y., 1984. M. A., Buffalo State College, Buffalo, N. Y., 1985. M. P. A., Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., 1996. Lecturer, Buffalo State College, Buffalo, N. Y. Member of the Buffalo, N. Y. Common council, 1988-1994. Member of the New York state assembly, 1999-2004. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Ninth and to the nine succeeding Congresses, until his resignation on February 2, 2024 (January 3, 2005-February 2, 2024). Nonprofit executive.

Legislative Activity (2005–2024)

Bills sponsored: 126 Bills cosponsored: 3527

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

| Bill | Title | Status / Last Action |
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| 118 HR 4788 | Opioid Treatment Providers Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Work and Welfare. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
| 118 HR 5408 | SSI Savings Penalty Elimination Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Work and Welfare. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
| 118 HR 4286 | Increasing Access to Lung Cancer Screening Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
| 118 HR 5593 | To amend the Trade Act of 1974 to exempt from the Generalized System of Preferences certain tire articles, and for other purposes. | Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
| 118 HR 3498 | HELP Act of 2023 | ASSUMING FIRST SPONSORSHIP - Mr. McGarvey asked unanimous consent that he may hereafter be considere Updated May 23, 2024 |

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| 118 HR 82 | Social Security Fairness Act of 2023 | Became Public Law No: 118-273. Updated Jan 5, 2025 |
| 118 HR 670 | Think Differently Database Act | Became Public Law No: 118-225. Updated Jan 4, 2025 |
| 118 HR 883 | Stop the Wait Act of 2023 | Referred to the Subcommittee on Social Security. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
| 118 HR 3421 | Medicare for All Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
| 118 HR 3481 | FAMILY Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Dec 17, 2024 |
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