



## Ms. Debra A. Haaland

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

**State:** NM • **District:** 1

**Service:** 2019–2021

**Most recent Congress:** 117

### Biography

A Representative from New Mexico. Born in Winslow, Navajo County, Ariz. , December 2, 1960. An enrolled member of the Laguna Pueblo. Graduated from Highland High School, Albuquerque, N. Mex. , 1978. B. A. , University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N. Mex. , 1994. Attended University of California, Los Angeles, Calif. , 2000. J. D. , University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N. Mex. , 2006. Business executive. Delegate, Democratic National Convention, 2008. Tribal administrator, San Felipe Pueblo, 2013-2015. Chair, New Mexico Democratic Party, 2015-2017. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Sixteenth and to the succeeding Congress until her resignation on March 16, 2021 (January 3, 2019-March 16, 2021). Secretary of the Interior in the Cabinet of President Joseph R. Biden, Jr. , 2021-2025.

### Legislative Activity (2019–2021)

**Bills sponsored:** 52

**Bills cosponsored:** 944

### Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 813	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1050 Sunset Road Southwest in Albuquerque, New Mexico, as the "Jose Hernandez Post Office Building".	Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governm Updated Feb 24, 2021
116 HR 3879	SOAR Act	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 562. Updated Dec 18, 2020
116 HR 3977	Justice for Native Survivors of Sexual Violence Act	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 532. Updated Dec 15, 2020
116 HR 8729	Native American Language Resource Center Act	Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. Updated Nov 5, 2020
116 HR 8665	Extending Tribal Broadband Priority Act of 2020	Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. Updated Oct 23, 2020

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 1620	Violence Against Women Act Reauthorization Act of 2021	Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Updated May 24, 2022
117 HR 1752	COOL OFF Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. Updated May 18, 2021
117 HJRES 28	Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to equal rights for men and women.	Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. Updated Apr 28, 2021
117 HR 1334	DISCLOSE Act of 2021	Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. Updated Apr 28, 2021
117 HR 51	Washington, D.C. Admission Act	Received in the Senate. Updated Apr 22, 2021