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**Most recent Congress:** 119

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### Biography

A Senator from West Virginia. Born in Charleston, W. Va. , April 27, 1951. Graduated Woodrow Wilson High School, Beckley, W. Va. , 1969. B. A. , Marshall University, Huntington, W. Va. , 1974. M. B. A. , Marshall University, Huntington, W. Va. , 1976. Agriculture and coal mining businessman. Company founder and chief executive officer. Governor of West Virginia 2017-2025. Elected as a Republican to the United States Senate in 2024 for the term ending January 3, 2031.

### Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

- Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee – Standing **Member**
- Conservation, Climate, Forestry, and Natural Resources Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Energy and Natural Resources Committee – Standing **Member**
- Energy Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Food and Nutrition, Specialty Crops, Organics, and Research Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Livestock, Dairy, Poultry, Local Food Systems, and Food Safety and Security Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Public Lands, Forests, and Mining Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**
- Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee – Standing **Member**
- Water and Power Subcommittee – Subcommittee **Member**

### Legislative Activity (2025–)

**Bills sponsored:** 8

**Bills cosponsored:** 222

## Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 S 858	Hershel 'Woody' Williams National Medal of Honor Monument Location Act	Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of Updated Dec 17, 2025
119 SRES 545	A resolution designating December 6, 2025, as "National Miners Day".	Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimou Updated Dec 11, 2025
119 S 3417	Main Street Lending Improvement Act of 2025	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Updated Dec 10, 2025
119 S 2933	A bill to redesignate a playground in the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve in the State of West Virginia as the "Hearts of Gold Playground: In Honor of West Virginia Children and Families Impacted by Childhood Cancer".	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Updated Sep 29, 2025
119 S 2612	SAFE Act	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. Updated Jul 31, 2025

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 S 1552	Living Donor Protection Act of 2025	Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 352. Updated Mar 11, 2026
119 SRES 618	A resolution recognizing the importance of career and technical education ("CTE") educators and work-based learning coordinators in delivering high-quality CTE, preparing students for success in the workplace, the classroom, and in life, and supporting dynamic workforce pipelines that enable the United States to grow and lead in critical economic sectors.	Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimou Updated Feb 26, 2026
119 S 3940	A bill to amend the Community Development Banking and Financial Institutions Act of 1994 to require the Secretary of the Treasury to testify before Congress, and for other purposes.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Updated Feb 26, 2026
119 S 3941	A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore treatment of State and local bonds which are guaranteed by a Federal home loan bank as not federally guaranteed for purposes of determining their tax-exempt status.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. Updated Feb 26, 2026
119 SRES 617	A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of "Career and Technical Education Month".	Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimou Updated Feb 26, 2026