



Dennis J. Kucinich

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House

State: OH • **District:** 10

Service: 1997–2013

Most recent Congress: 112

Biography

A Representative from Ohio. Born in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, October 8, 1946. Graduated from St. John Cantius, Cleveland, Ohio, 1964. B. A. , Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, 1973. M. A. , Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, 1973. Member, Cleveland, Ohio, city council, 1969-1973, 1983. Clerk of courts, Cleveland, Ohio, 1975. Mayor, Cleveland, Ohio, 1977-1979. Member, Ohio state senate, 1995-1996. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Fifth and to the seven succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1997-January 3, 2013). Unsuccessful candidate for the Democratic nomination for President of the United States in 2004 and in 2008. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination to the One Hundred Thirteenth Congress in 2012. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination as Governor of Ohio in 2018. Unsuccessful candidate for election to the One Hundred Nineteenth Congress in 2024.

Legislative Activity (1997–2013)

Bills sponsored: 142

Bills cosponsored: 3254

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

| Bill | Title | Status / Last Action |
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| 112 HR 6697 | Consumer Bounty Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans, and Insular Affairs. Updated Jan 2, 2013 |
| 112 HRES 819 | Directing the Attorney General of the United States to transmit to the House of Representatives, not later than 14 days after the date of the adoption of this resolution, any documents and legal memoranda in the Attorney General's possession relating to the practice of targeted killing of United States citizens and targets abroad. | Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 168. Updated Dec 18, 2012 |
| 112 HRES 835 | Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should adopt a target of 350 parts per million of atmospheric carbon dioxide by which to evaluate domestic and international climate change policies, and for other purposes. | Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs Updated Dec 18, 2012 |
| 112 HR 6668 | Workers Solidarity Act of 2012 | Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Updated Dec 13, 2012 |
| 112 HR 6667 | Financial Consumers Association Act of 2012 | Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services. Updated Dec 13, 2012 |

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

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| 112 HR 459 | Federal Reserve Transparency Act of 2012 | Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 580. Updated Jan 1, 2013 |
| 112 HR 2453 | Mark Twain Commemorative Coin Act | Became Public Law No: 112-201. Updated Dec 4, 2012 |
| 112 HR 6591 | SIMPLE Voting Act | Referred to the House Committee on House Administration. Updated Nov 15, 2012 |
| 112 HR 6494 | Stewart Lee Udall Congressional Gold Medal Act | Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy and Technology. Updated Oct 23, 2012 |
| 112 HR 6138 | Ending the HIV/AIDS Epidemic Act of 2012 | Referred to the Subcommittee on Insurance, Housing and Community Opportunity. Updated Oct 23, 2012 |