



Mark R. Kennedy

Party: Republican • **Chamber:** House

State: MN • **District:** 6

Service: 2001–2007

Most recent Congress: 109

Biography

A Representative from Minnesota. Born in Benson, Swift County, Minn. , April 11, 1957. Graduated from Pequot Lakes High School, Pequot Lakes, Minn. , 1975. B. S. , St. John's University, Collegeville, Minn. , 1979. M. B. A. , University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich. , 1983. Elected as a Republican to the One Hundred Seventh and to the two succeeding Congresses (January 3, 2001-January 3, 2007). Not a candidate for reelection, but was an unsuccessful candidate to the United States Senate in 2006.

Legislative Activity (2001–2007)

Bills sponsored: 50

Bills cosponsored: 669

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
109 HR 5915	Rewarding Student Achievement Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform. Updated Sep 28, 2006
109 HR 4315	To amend the Acts popularly known as the Duck Stamp Act and the Wetland Loan Act to reauthorize appropriations to promote the conservation of migratory waterfowl and to offset or prevent the serious loss of important wetlands and other waterfowl habitat essential to the preservation of such waterfowl, and for other purposes.	Subcommittee Hearings Held. Updated Sep 21, 2006
109 HR 5826	To amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for greater flexibility in the number of levels of benefits that may be offered by certain health plans under chapter 89 of such title.	Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform. Updated Jul 18, 2006
109 HR 5767	Sex Offender Visa Loophole Elimination Act of 2006	Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Jul 12, 2006
109 HR 5302	Summer Relief for Motorists Act of 2006	Executive Comment Requested from Interior. Updated May 11, 2006

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
109 HR 5782	Pipeline Inspection, Protection, Enforcement, and Safety Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-468. Updated Dec 29, 2006
109 HR 6151	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 216 Oak Street in Farmington, Minnesota, as the "Hamilton H. Judson Post Office".	Became Public Law No: 109-409. Updated Dec 18, 2006
109 HR 798	Methamphetamine Remediation Research Act of 2006	Message on Senate action sent to the House. Updated Dec 9, 2006
109 HRES 733	Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that there should be established an Irish-American Heritage Month.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 7, 2006
109 HR 6099	Unborn Child Pain Awareness Act of 2006	On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Failed by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 250 - Updated Dec 6, 2006