



John Linder

Party: Republican • **Chamber:** House

State: GA • **District:** 7

Service: 1993–2011

Most recent Congress: 111

Biography

A Representative from Georgia. Born in Deer River, Itasca County, Minn. , September 9, 1942. Attended public schools. B. S. , University of Minnesota, Duluth, Minn. , 1964. D. D. S. , University of Minnesota School of Dentistry, Duluth, Minn. , 1967. United States Air Force, 1967-1969. Dentist. President of a lending institution, 1977-1992. Member of the Georgia state house of representatives, 1976-1980 and 1982-1990. Unsuccessful candidate for election to the One Hundred Second Congress in 1990. Elected as a Republican to the One Hundred Third and to the eight succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1993-January 3, 2011). Not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Twelfth Congress in 2010.

Legislative Activity (1993–2011)

Bills sponsored: 89

Bills cosponsored: 772

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HR 5891	Poverty Measurement Improvement Act	Referred to House Oversight and Government Reform Updated Jul 28, 2010
111 HR 5885	To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to terminate the advance payment of the earned income tax credit.	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Jul 27, 2010
111 HCONRES 118	Supporting the goals of Smart Irrigation Month, which recognizes the advances in irrigation technology and practices that help raise healthy plants and increase crop yields while using water resources more efficiently and encourages the adoption of smart irrigation practices throughout the United States to further improve water-use efficiency in agricultural, residential, and commercial activities.	Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Updated May 5, 2009
111 HR 135	Twenty-First Century Water Commission Act of 2009	Referred to the Subcommittee on Water and Power. Updated Feb 4, 2009
111 HCONRES 18	Expressing the sense of Congress that the United States should resume normal diplomatic relations with Taiwan, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. Updated Jan 9, 2009

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HRES 1724	Commending the City of Jacksonville, Arkansas, for its outstanding support in creating a unique and lasting partnership with Little Rock Air Force Base, members of the Armed Forces stationed there, and their families.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel. Updated Dec 13, 2010
111 HR 5566	Animal Crush Video Prohibition Act of 2010	Became Public Law No: 111-294. Updated Dec 9, 2010
111 HRES 1642	Recognizing the centennial of the City of Lilburn, Georgia and supporting the goals and ideals of a City of Lilburn Day.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 7, 2010
111 HRES 1313	Expressing support for designation of May as "Child Advocacy Center Month" and commending the National Child Advocacy Center in Huntsville, Alabama, on their 25th anniversary in 2010.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 2, 2010
111 HRES 1734	Reaffirming Congressional opposition to the unilateral declaration of a Palestinian state, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. Updated Nov 29, 2010