



## Mr. Joseph D. Morelle

**Party:** Democratic • **Chamber:** House  
**State:** NY • **District:** 25  
**Service:** 2018–2025 (including current term)  
**Most recent Congress:** 119  
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### Biography

A Representative from New York. Born in Utica, Oneida County, N. Y. , April 29, 1957. Graduated from Eastridge High School, Irondequoit, N. Y. , 1975. B. A. , SUNY Geneseo, Geneseo, N. Y. , 1986. Staff, New York state assembly. Businessman. Member, Monroe County legislature, 1984-1990. Member, New York state assembly, 1990-2018. Elected simultaneously as a Democrat to the One Hundred Fifteenth and One Hundred Sixteenth Congresses, by special election, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of United States Representative Louise Slaughter, and reelected to the three succeeding Congresses (November 6, 2018-present).

### Committee Memberships (Congress 119)

- Appropriations Committee – Standing
- Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Committee on House Administration – Standing
- Defense Subcommittee – Subcommittee
- Modernization and Innovation Subcommittee – Subcommittee

### Legislative Activity (2018–2025)

**Bills sponsored:** 134

**Bills cosponsored:** 1842

### Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HR 8984	Respect Our Communities Act	Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Homeland Security, f Updated May 21, 2026
119 HR 8857	Next GEN Act of 2026	Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means Updated May 15, 2026
119 HRES 1296	Expressing support for the designation of May 16, 2026, as the "National Day of Light".	Referred to the House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. Updated May 15, 2026
119 HR 8738	FEC Administrative Improvements Act	Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 11 - 0. Updated May 14, 2026
119 HR 8342	Poll Worker Tax Cut Act	Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. Updated Apr 16, 2026

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
119 HR 9195	To promote and ensure delivery of high-quality special education and related services to children and youth who are blind or visually impaired, deaf, hard of hearing, deafdisabled, or deafblind through instructional methodologies meeting their unique language and learning needs, to enhance accountability for the provision of such services, and for other purposes.	Referred to the House Committee on Education and Workforce. Updated Jun 8, 2026
119 HR 9201	To authorize the award of the Purple Heart to Daniel Nimham for injuries incurred during the Revolutionary War.	Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services. Updated Jun 8, 2026
119 HRES 1342	Expressing support for the designation of June 5, 2026, as "National Gun Violence Awareness Day" and June 2026 as "National Gun Violence Awareness Month".	Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Jun 4, 2026
119 HR 2913	Ukraine Support Act	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Jun 4, 2026
119 HR 9026	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 80 Atlantic Avenue in Oceanside, New York, as the "Detective Luis G. Alvarez Post Office".	Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Updated May 26, 2026