



## Mr. Tom Rice

**Party:** Republican • **Chamber:** House

**State:** SC • **District:** 7

**Service:** 2013–2023

**Most recent Congress:** 117

### Biography

A Representative from South Carolina. Born in Charleston, Charleston County, S. C. , August 4, 1957. B. S. , University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C. , 1979. M. A. , University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C. , 1982. J. D. , University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C. , 1982. Lawyer, private practice. Accountant. Chairman of the Horry County, S. C. , council, 2010-2012. Elected as a Republican to the One Hundred Thirteenth and to the four succeeding Congresses (January 3, 2013-January 3, 2023). Unsuccessful candidate for renomination to the One Hundred Eighteenth Congress in 2022.

### Legislative Activity (2013–2023)

**Bills sponsored:** 75

**Bills cosponsored:** 804

### Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 5343	FEMA Caseworker Accountability Act	Message on Senate action sent to the House. Updated Dec 15, 2022
117 HR 4578	Relief for Seasonal Businesses Act of 2021	Referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration and Citizenship. Updated Nov 1, 2022
117 HR 6375	COPS on the Beat Grant Program Reauthorization and Parity Act of 2022	Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. Updated Nov 1, 2022
117 HRES 1283	Of inquiry directing the Secretary of the Treasury to provide to the House of Representatives a copy of the Internal Revenue Service Small Business/Self Employed Division Decision Memorandum regarding the decision to destroy approximately 30,000,000 paper information returns around the time of March 2021, and any other memorandum related to the decision to destroy those information returns.	Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 130. Updated Sep 28, 2022
117 HR 7895	Combating Excessive Student Debt Act of 2022	Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. Updated May 27, 2022

## Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 1917	Hazard Eligibility and Local Projects Act	Became Public Law No: 117-332. Updated Jan 5, 2023
117 HR 5943	To designate the outpatient clinic of the Department of Veterans Affairs in Greenville, South Carolina, as the "Lance Corporal Dana Cornell Darnell VA Clinic".	Became Public Law No: 117-284. Updated Dec 27, 2022
117 HR 6042	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 213 William Hilton Parkway in Hilton Head Island, South Carolina, as the "Caesar H. Wright Jr. Post Office Building".	Became Public Law No: 117-288. Updated Dec 27, 2022
117 HR 5349	To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1550 State Road S-38-211 in Orangeburg, South Carolina, as the "J.I. Washington Post Office Building".	Became Public Law No: 117-278. Updated Dec 27, 2022
117 HR 310	To posthumously award the Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to Glen Doherty, Tyrone Woods, J. Christopher Stevens, and Sean Smith, in recognition of their contributions to the Nation.	Became Public Law No: 117-256. Updated Dec 21, 2022