



Mr. John E. Walsh

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** Senate

State: MT

Service: 2014–2015

Most recent Congress: 113

Biography

A Senator from Montana. Born November 3, 1960, in Butte, Mont. Graduated Butte High School, 1979. Attended Carroll College, Helena, Mont. B. S. , University of the State of New York, 1990. Served in the Montana National Guard 1979-2012, obtaining the rank of brigadier general and earning the Bronze Star and Combat Infantryman's badge. Lieutenant governor of Montana 2013-2014. Appointed as a Democrat to the United States Senate on February 9, 2014, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Max Baucus. Took the oath of office on February 11, 2014, and served from February 9, 2014, to January 3, 2015. Did not seek election in 2014.

Legislative Activity (2014–2015)

Bills sponsored: 25

Bills cosponsored: 130

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
113 S 2442	Northern Cheyenne Lands Act	By Senator Tester from Committee on Indian Affairs filed written report. Report No. 113-317. Updated Dec 12, 2014
113 S 2979	A bill to extend eligibility for hospital care, medical services, and nursing home and domiciliary care for certain veterans who served in a theater of combat operations.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Updated Dec 4, 2014
113 S 2776	Ten in Ten Act	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Updated Aug 1, 2014
113 S 2751	Rural and Tribal Voter Rights Act	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. Updated Jul 31, 2014
113 S 2770	Open Book on Equal Access to Justice Act	Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Jul 31, 2014

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
113 S 2673	United States-Israel Strategic Partnership Act of 2014	Became Public Law No: 113-296. Updated Dec 19, 2014
113 S 919	Department of the Interior Tribal Self-Governance Act of 2014	By Senator Tester from Committee on Indian Affairs filed written report. Report No. 113-285. Updated Dec 4, 2014
113 SRES 590	A resolution recognizing National Native American Heritage Month and celebrating the heritages and cultures of Native Americans and the contributions of Native Americans to the United States.	Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimou Updated Nov 20, 2014
113 S 2280	A bill to approve the Keystone XL Pipeline.	Under the order of 11/12/14, not having achieved 60 votes in the affirmative, failed of passage in S Updated Nov 18, 2014
113 S 2299	Native American Languages Reauthorization Act of 2014	By Senator Tester from Committee on Indian Affairs filed written report under authority of the order Updated Oct 1, 2014