

Castro (TX)	Huelskamp	Perry	Westmoreland	Wittman	Yoho
Chabot	Huizenga (MI)	Peters (CA)	Whitfield	Wolf	Young (AK)
Chaffetz	Hultgren	Peters (MI)	Williams	Womack	Young (FL)
Clarke	Hunter	Peterson	Wilson (FL)	Yarmuth	Young (IN)
Clay	Hurt	Petri	Wilson (SC)	Yoder	
Cleaver	Israel	Pingree (ME)			
Clyburn	Issa	Pittenger			
Coble	Jackson Lee	Pitts	Amash	Hastings (FL)	Pastor (AZ)
Coffman	Jeffries	Poe (TX)	Andrews	Himes	Payne
Cole	Jenkins	Pompeo	Barber	Holt	Pelosi
Collins (GA)	Johnson (GA)	Posey	Bass	Honda	Pocan
Collins (NY)	Johnson (OH)	Price (GA)	Becerra	Horsford	Polis
Conaway	Johnson, E. B.	Price (NC)	Bonamici	Huffman	Ryan (OH)
Connolly	Johnson, Sam	Quigley	Capuano	Keating	Sánchez, Linda
Cook	Jones	Radel	Carson (IN)	Kennedy	T.
Cooper	Jordan	Rahall	Chu	Labrador	Schakowsky
Costa	Joyce	Rangel	Cicilline	Lee (CA)	Schneider
Cotton	Kaptur	Reed	Cohen	Lofgren	Scott (VA)
Courtney	Kelly	Reichert	Conyers	Lowenthal	Sinema
Cramer	Kildee	Renacci	Davis (CA)	Lynch	Slaughter
Crawford	Kilmer	Ribble	DeGette	Markey	Smith (WA)
Crenshaw	Kind	Rice (SC)	DeLauro	Matsui	Speier
Crowley	King (IA)	Richmond	Duckworth	McCollum	Stutzman
Cuellar	King (NY)	Rigell	Duncan (SC)	McDermott	Takano
Culberson	Kingston	Roby	Edwards	McGovern	Tierney
Cummings	Kinzinger (IL)	Roe (TN)	Ellison	Michaud	Tsongas
Daines	Kirkpatrick	Rogers (AL)	Enyart	Miller, George	Visclosky
Davis, Danny	Kline	Rogers (KY)	Esty	Moran	Walz
Davis, Rodney	Kuster	Rogers (MI)	Foster	Nader	Welch
DeFazio	LaMalfa	Rohrabacher	Garamendi	Neal	Woodall
Delaney	Lamborn	Rokita	Gosar	Nolan	
DelBene	Lance	Rooney	Grijalva	O'Rourke	
Denham	Langevin	Ros-Lehtinen			
Dent	Lankford	Roskam			
DeSantis	Larsen (WA)	Ross	Dingell	Pearce	Watt
DesJarlais	Larson (CT)	Rothfus	Farr	Shea-Porter	
Deutch	Latham	Roybal-Allard			
Diaz-Balart	Latta	Royce			
Doggett	Levin	Ruiz			
Doyle	Lewis	Runyan			
Duffy	Lipinski	Ruppersberger			
Duncan (TN)	LoBiondo	Rush			
Ellmers	Loeb sack	Ryan (WI)			
Engel	Long	Salmon			
Eshoo	Lowey	Sanchez, Loretta			
Farenthold	Lucas	Sarbanes			
Fattah	Luetkemeyer	Scalise			
Fincher	Lujan Grisham	Schiff			
Fitzpatrick	(NM)	Schock			
Fleischmann	Lujan, Ben Ray	Schrader			
Fleming	(NM)	Schwartz			
Flores	Lummis	Schweikert			
Forbes	Maffei	Scott, Austin			
Fortenberry	Maloney,	Scott, David			
Fox	Carolyn	Sensenbrenner			
Frankel (FL)	Maloney, Sean	Serrano			
Franks (AZ)	Marchant	Sessions			
Frelinghuysen	Marino	Sewell (AL)			
Fudge	Massie	Sherman			
Gabbard	Matheson	Shimkus			
Galleo	McCarthy (CA)	Shuster			
Garcia	McCarthy (NY)	Simpson			
Gardner	McCaul	Sires			
Garrett	McClintock	Smith (NE)			
Gerlach	McHenry	Smith (NJ)			
Gibbs	McIntyre	Smith (TX)			
Gibson	McKeon	Southerland			
Gingrey (GA)	McKinley	Stewart			
Gohmert	McMorris	Stivers			
Goodlatte	Rodgers	Stockman			
Gowdy	McNerney	Swalwell (CA)			
Granger	Meadows	Terry			
Graves (GA)	Meehan	Thompson (CA)			
Graves (MO)	Meeks	Thompson (MS)			
Grayson	Meng	Thompson (PA)			
Green, Al	Messer	Thornberry			
Green, Gene	Mica	Tiberi			
Griffin (AR)	Miller (FL)	Tipton			
Griffith (VA)	Miller (MI)	Titus			
Grimm	Miller, Gary	Tonko			
Guthrie	Moore	Turner			
Gutierrez	Mullin	Upton			
Hahn	Mulvaney	Valadao			
Hall	Murphy (FL)	Van Hollen			
Hanabusa	Murphy (PA)	Vargas			
Hanna	Napolitano	Veasey			
Harper	Negrete McLeod	Vela			
Harris	Neugebauer	Velázquez			
Hartzler	Noem	Wagner			
Hastings (WA)	Nugent	Walberg			
Heck (NV)	Nunes	Walden			
Heck (WA)	Nunnelee	Walorski			
Hensarling	Olson	Wasserman			
Herrera Beutler	Owens	Schultz			
Higgins	Palazzo	Waters			
Hinojosa	Pallone	Waxman			
Holding	Pascrell	Weber (TX)			
Hoyer	Paulsen	Webster (FL)			
Hudson	Perlmutter	Wenstrup			

NAYS—72

NOT VOTING—5

□ 1334

Messrs. CARSON of Indiana, POLIS, Ms. BASS, Messrs. HIMES, RYAN of Ohio, NOLAN, GOSAR, MARKEY, LABRADOR, DUNCAN of South Carolina, and WOODALL changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Messrs. THOMPSON of Mississippi, WITTMAN, DAVID SCOTT of Georgia, FRANKS of Arizona, GARDNER, BARTON, SALMON, and Mrs. CAPPS changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

□ 1340

HONORING JOHN LAWRENCE

(Ms. PELOSI asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. PELOSI. Madam Speaker, I rise with great pride to pay tribute to a very distinguished American and a longtime member of the congressional staff, John Lawrence. In fact, he has served the Congress for 38 years as a member of the staff—30 years of it for GEORGE MILLER and 8 years as my assistant in the leadership office. I'm happy to pay tribute to him.

I'm sad because John will be—and I don't know if the word is retiring—but he will be leaving service in the Capitol. He has always been a great proponent of science, technology, and innovation. As he concludes his service to the House, it is only fitting to cite the words of Alfred Lord Tennyson as inscribed on the walls of the House Science and Technology Committee:

For I dipped into the future, far as human eye can see, saw the vision of the world, and all the wonder that would be.

Over his nearly four decades serving the Congress, John has always kept his sights and his vision firmly on the future. He believed and he knew that the future is about investing in our children, supporting working families, and strengthening the middle class. He knew that the future is about protecting our environment and preserving our planet for generations to come.

John knew that the future of the House is strengthened by fellow staff members working in a bipartisan way. John has always respected the role played by our staffs on the Education Committee, the Natural Resources Committee, the offices of the Democratic leader, and as my role of Speaker of the House and as our distinguished Speaker's role as Speaker today. Indeed, the staff looked to him for leadership, just as Members looked to him for guidance.

In that spirit, this afternoon, my colleagues, the Speaker will honor John Lawrence with the John W. McCormick Award of Excellence on which, as declared by former majority leader, then-Majority Leader Carl Albert in 1970:

The name of the House employee, who performs the most valuable service for the House, will be inscribed.

What a fitting tribute to John Lawrence's 38 years of valuable service, extraordinary leadership, and dedication to the future. We've had the privilege of honoring in a bipartisan way other members of the staff in the Congress, and John's name will bring luster to that list.

Colleagues, please join me in thanking a dear friend, my former chief of staff, John Lawrence.

I yield to the Speaker of the House, Mr. BOEHNER.

Mr. BOEHNER. This is a day of mixed emotions for the House. John Lawrence's retirement means that we're losing a faithful public servant, one of our own. But we can all agree that John deserves some time off after 38 years of working here in the House. And for those of you who may not know John, he is currently the longest-serving staffer in the House.

John and I have known each other for a long time, going back to my days as chairman of the Education and the Workforce Committee. I can safely say that it really didn't matter whether we were on the same side of the page or whether we had opposing views—he always handled it in the same way, with class and integrity. He's a real stand-up guy. That didn't just make John an asset to GEORGE MILLER or Leader PELOSI. It made him a great asset, I think, for the House as a whole and to the American people.

So I know all of my colleagues and I want to say to John, thank you for all of your service to this House. We're sorry to see you go, but we want to wish you and your family the best in the future.

Congratulations.

Ms. PELOSI. With the Speaker's permission, I acknowledge Elijah Lawrence, the teenage son of John and Deborah Lawrence, who's with us in the Chamber.

I yield back the balance of my time.

HYDROPOWER REGULATORY EFFICIENCY ACT OF 2013

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 267) to improve hydropower, and for other purposes, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Kentucky (Mr. WHITFIELD) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 422, nays 0, not voting 9, as follows:

[Roll No. 40]
YEAS—422

Aderholt Chabot Fincher
Alexander Chaffetz Fitzpatrick
Amash Chu Fleischmann
Amodei Cicilline Fleming
Andrews Clarke Flores
Bachmann Clay Forbes
Bachus Cleaver Fortenberry
Barber Clyburn Foster
Barletta Coffman Foxx
Barr Cohen Frankel (FL)
Barrow (GA) Cole Franks (AZ)
Barton Collins (GA) Frelinghuysen
Bass Collins (NY) Fudge
Beatty Conaway Gabbard
Becerra Connolly Gallego
Benishek Conyers Garamendi
Bentivolio Cook Garcia
Bera (CA) Cooper Gardner
Bilirakis Costa Garrett
Bishop (GA) Cotton Gerlach
Bishop (NY) Courtney Gibbs
Bishop (UT) Cramer Gibson
Black Crawford Gingrey (GA)
Blackburn Crenshaw Gohmert
Blumenauer Crowley Goodlatte
Bonamici Cuellar Gosar
Bonner Culberson Gowdy
Boustany Cummings Granger
Brady (PA) Daines Graves (GA)
Brady (TX) Davis (CA) Graves (MO)
Braley (IA) Davis, Danny Grayson
Bridenstine Davis, Rodney Green, Al
Brooks (AL) DeGette Green, Gene
Brooks (IN) Delaney Griffin (AR)
Broun (GA) DeLauro Griffith (VA)
Brown (FL) DelBene Grijalva
Brownley (CA) Denham Grimm
Buchanan Dent Guthrie
Bucshon DeSantis Hahn
Burgess DesJarlais Hall
Bustos Deutch Hanabusa
Butterfield Diaz-Balart Hanna
Calvert Doggett Harper
Camp Doyle Harris
Campbell Duckworth Hartzler
Cantor Duffy Hastings (FL)
Capito Duncan (SC) Hastings (WA)
Capps Duncan (TN) Heck (NV)
Capuano Edwards Heck (WA)
Cárdenas Ellison Hensarling
Carney Ellmers Herrera Beutler
Carson (IN) Engel Higgins
Carter Enyart Himes
Cartwright Eshoo Hinojosa
Cassidy Esty Holding
Castor (FL) Farenthold Holt
Castro (TX) Fattah Honda

Horsford McNeerney Sánchez, Linda
Hoyer Meadows T.
Hudson Meehan Sanchez, Loretta
Huelskamp Meeks Sarbanes
Huffman Meng Scalise
Huizenga (MI) Messer Schakowsky
Hultgren Mica Schiff
Hunter Michaud Schneider
Hurt Miller (FL) Schrader
Israel Miller (MI) Schwartz
Issa Miller, Gary Schweikert
Jackson Lee Miller, George Scott (VA)
Jeffries Moore Scott, Austin
Jenkins Moran Scott, David
Johnson (GA) Mullin Sensenbrenner
Johnson (OH) Mulvaney Serrano
Johnson, E. B. Murphy (FL) Sessions
Johnson, Sam Murphy (PA) Sessions
Jones Nadler Sewell (AL)
Jordan Napolitano Sherman
Joyce Neal Shimkus
Kaptur Negrete McLeod Shuster
Keating Neugebauer Simpson
Kelly Noem Sinema
Kennedy Nolan Sires
Kildee Nugent Slaughter
Kilmer Nunes Smith (NE)
Kind Nunnelee Smith (NJ)
King (IA) O'Rourke Smith (TX)
King (NY) Olson Smith (WA)
Kingston Owens Southerland
Kinzinger (IL) Palazzo Speier
Kirkpatrick Pallone Stewart
Kline Pascrell Stivers
Kuster Pastor (AZ) Stockman
Labrador Paulsen Stutzman
LaMalfa Payne Swalwell (CA)
Lamborn Pelosi Takano
Lance Perlmutter Terry
Langevin Perry Thompson (CA)
Lankford Peters (CA) Thompson (MS)
Larsen (WA) Peters (MI) Thompson (PA)
Larson (CT) Peterson Thornberry
Latham Petri Tiberi
Latta Pingree (ME) Tierney
Lee (CA) Pittenger Tipton
Levin Pitts Titus
Lewis Pocan Tonko
Lipinski Poe (TX) Tsongas
LoBiondo Polis Turner
Loebsack Pompeo Upton
Lofgren Posey Valadao
Long Price (GA) Van Hollen
Lowenthal Price (NC) Vargas
Loweey Quigley Veasey
Lucas Radel Vela
Luetkemeyer Rahall Velázquez
Lujan Grisham Rangel Visclosky
(NM) Reed Wagner
Luján, Ben Ray Reichert Walberg
(NM) Renacci Walden
Lummis Ribble Walorski
Lynch Rice (SC) Walz
Maffei Richmond Wasserman
Maloney, Sean Rigell Schultz
Carolyn Roby Waters
Maloney, Sean Roe (TN) Waxman
Marchant Rogers (AL) Weber (TX)
Marino Rogers (KY) Welch
Markey Rogers (MI) Webster (FL)
Massie Rohrabacher Welch
Matheson Rokita Wenstrup
Matsui Rooney Rokitka Westmoreland
McCarthy (CA) Ros-Lehtinen Whitfield
McCarthy (NY) Roskam Williams
McCaul Ross Wilson (FL)
McClintock Rothfus Wilson (SC)
McCollum Roybal-Allard Wittman
McDermott Royce Wolf
McGovern Royce Womack
McHenry Ruiz Woodall
McIntyre Runyan Yarmuth
McKeon Ruppensberger Yoder
McKinley Rush Yoho
McMorris Ryan (OH) Young (AK)
Rodgers Ryan (WI) Young (FL)
Salmon Young (IN)

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. PEARCE. Madam Speaker, on rollcall 39 I was unavoidably detained, due to a public hearing scheduled by the Administration in my district. If I had been present, I would have voted "yea."

On rollcall 40 I was unavoidably detained, due to a public hearing scheduled by the Administration in my district. If I had been present, I would have voted "yea."

ELECTING MEMBERS TO CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. BECERRA. Madam Speaker, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, I offer a privileged resolution and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 64

Resolved, That the following named Members be and are hereby elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

(1) COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE.—Mr. Garamendi.

(2) COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET.—Mr. Blumenauer (to rank immediately after Mr. Cárdenas).

(3) COMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT AND GOVERNMENT REFORM.—Mr. Welch (to rank immediately after Mr. Danny K. Davis of Illinois).

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

GUN VIOLENCE PREVENTION

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. JOYCE). Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 3, 2013, the gentleman from California (Ms. SPEIER) is recognized for 60 minutes as the designee of the minority leader.

Ms. SPEIER. Mr. Speaker, this afternoon, we're going to spend the hour talking about gun violence prevention, and in particular, how the National Rifle Association has systematically unwound laws that have already been on the books.

Last night, the President referenced the fact that since the horrific deaths at Sandy Hook there have been a thousand more people that have died due to gun violence. It is not good enough to wear a green ribbon in support of the Sandy Hook families and think you have done enough.

Times have changed, and the polling that's been done is overwhelming in support of sensible gun violence prevention laws. Let's be clear at the outset—the Heller decision by the U.S. Supreme Court has made it very clear: Every American has a right to own a gun for recreational purposes or to have a gun in their home for purposes of safety, and that is not going to change. We embrace that decision, we support it. But we also support safe laws around the use of guns.

NOT VOTING—9

Coble Farr Schock
DeFazio Gutierrez Shea-Porter
Dingell Pearce Watt

□ 1348

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.