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| 1 | Version 1 | [Tipton (CO)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/HR2_TIPTON_049_xml59181048424842.pdf) | Republican | Authorizes the U.S. Forest Service to convey 3.61 acres of Forest Service Land to Dolores County, Colorado for the strict purpose of building a fire station.  | Submitted |
| 2 | Version 1 | [Gibbs (OH)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/Gibbs01959181358165816.pdf) | Republican | Expresses a sense of congress encouraging partnerships at the watershed level between nonpoint sources and regulated point sources to advance the goals of the Water Pollution Control Act.  | Submitted |
| 3 | Version 1 | [Jones (NC)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/Farm%20Bill%20Rural%20Development%20Amendment59181520332033.pdf) | Republican | Removes the first 1,500 individuals residing on military bases from calculation into population thresholds set for 'rural areas.' | Submitted |
| 4 | Version 1 | [Gosar (AZ)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/GOSAR_090_xml59181723212321.pdf), Gianforte (MT) | Republican | Expands Good Neighbor Authority to include counties and improve forest health. | Submitted |
| 5 | Version 1 | [Zeldin (NY)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/ZELDIN_054_xml510181136513651.pdf), Lance (NJ), MacArthur (NJ), Katko (NY), Faso (NY), Smith, Christopher (NJ), Stefanik (NY), Reichert (WA), Fitzpatrick (PA) | Republican | Reauthorizes the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF).  | Submitted |
| 6 | Version 1 | [Pearce (NM)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/PEARCE_082_xml510181149384938.pdf) | Republican | Allows the Village of Santa Clara to purchase land from the United States Forest Service that was formerly part of Fort Bayard Military Reservation.  | Submitted |
| 7 | Version 1 | [Pearce (NM)](https://amendments-rules.house.gov/amendments/PEARCE_085_xml510181149554955.pdf) | Republican | Establishes a pilot program to demonstrate effective tools and techniques for safeguarding national forests and watersheds. | Submitted |

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1. Version 1

Pearce (NM)

Republican Establishes a pilot program to

demonstrate effective tools and techniques for safeguarding national forests and watersheds.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Pearce (NM)

Republican Reauthorizes the Collaborative Forest

Landscape Restoration Program for another 10 years.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Grothman (WI)

Republican Amends Section 3(k) of the Food and

Nutrition Act of 2008 to prohibit the purchase of carbonated beverages with SNAP benefits.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Biggs (AZ)

Republican Repeals the bioenergy subsidy

programs established in title IX of the 2002 farm bill.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Estes, Ron (KS)

Republican Repeals Broad-Based Categorical

Eligibility.

Submitted

1. Version 2

Burgess (TX), Blumenauer (OR)

Bi-Partisan **Revised** Caps spending on Agriculture Risk Coverage and Price Loss Coverage programs at 110% of CBO- predicted levels for fiscal years 2021 through 2025.

Submitted

1. Version 1

LaHood, Darin (IL)

Republican Streamlines the sign up process for

Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) by directing the Secretary of Agriculture to change the regulatory requirements from an annual sign up to a “one and done” process for ARC and PLC only.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Roskam (IL), Blumenauer (OR), Faso (NY)

Bi-Partisan Strengthens prohibitions against animal fighting by ensuring the law applies to all US territories.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Rouzer (NC)

Republican Changes the requirement for inspection of animal research facilities from every year to every three years.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Banks (IN), Gosar (AZ)

Republican Repeals the final rule issued by the

Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency and the Secretary of the Army entitled ‘‘Clean Water Rule: Definition of ‘Waters of the United States’’’ (80 Fed. Reg. 37053 (June 29,

2015)).

Submitted

1. Version 1

Herrera-Beutler (WA), Gosar (AZ)

Republican Defines “Navigable Waters” under the Clean Water Act (CWA).

Submitted

1. Version 1

Valadao (CA)

Republican Raises the catastrophic coverage level in the Milk Margin Protection program from $4 to $5 in both Tier 1 and Tier 2.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Stefanik (NY)

Republican Adds invasive vegetation to Section

602 of the Healthy Forests Restoration Act.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Stefanik (NY)

Republican Authorizes the Secretary to create a

grant program called the American Forest Restoration Grant Program.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Stefanik (NY)

Republican Provides for prioritized loans and

grants for rural broadband.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Crawford (AR)

Republican Requires USDA to create a Food

Access Liaison position responsible for coordinating the department’s programs that address food access, provide outreach and technical assistance to outside entities engaged in projects aimed at increasing quality food access, and make recommendations to the Secretary.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Smith, Lamar (TX)

Republican Transfers jurisdiction of the Padres

Mesa Demonstration Ranch to the Undersecretary for Farm Production and Conservation at USDA from the Office of Navajo and Hopi Indian Relocation (ONHIR).

Submitted

1. Version 1

Sanford (SC), Kind (WI)

Bi-Partisan Lowers the Profit Margin that Crop

Insurance Companies are guaranteed referred to as the “Target Rate” of return from 14.5% to 12%

Submitted

1. Version 1

González-Colón (PR)

Republican Requires the Secretary of Agriculture to conduct a feasibility study on developing a Thrifty Food Plan to

Submitted

# # Version # Sponsor(s)

**Party Summary Status**

calculate the amount of the Nutritional Assistance Program for Puerto Rico.

1. Version 1

González-Colón (PR)

Republican Requires the Secretary of Agriculture to provide an extension of study on comparable access to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance for Puerto Rico.

Submitted

1. Version 1

González-Colón (PR)

Republican Authorizes appropriations to maintain

current level of funding for the Puerto Rico Nutrition Assistance Program block grant in FY2020 and FY2021.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Thornberry (TX)

Republican Establishes Cattle and Carcass

Grading Correlation and Training Centers to limit subjectivity and increase the accuracy of grading cattle across the country.

Submitted

1. Version 2

Massie (KY)

Republican **Revised** Gives individual states the

freedom to permit the intrastate distribution of custom-slaughtered meat to consumers, restaurants, hotels, and grocery stores.

Submitted

1. Version 2

Massie (KY), Rohrabacher (CA)

Republican **Revised** Prohibits federal interference

with the interstate traffic of unpasteurized milk and milk products between States that allow the distribution of unpasteurized milk or milk products for direct human consumption.

Submitted

1. Version 1

LaMalfa (CA)

Republican Streamlines the Forest Service

application process required to construct broadband infrastructure on federal land.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Foxx (NC), Davis, Danny K. (IL), Shuster (PA),

Blumenauer (OR), Chabot (OH), Speier (CA), Barletta (PA), Kind (WI)

Bi-Partisan Modernizes and reforms the sugar

program by removing barriers to domestic production and implementing market reforms.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Norman (SC)

Republican Reduces crop insurance premium

subsidies for insurance policies by 15 percentage points, except for catastrophic level of coverage.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Kind (WI), Sensenbrenner (WI)

Bi-Partisan Allows for public disclosures of crops

insurance premium subsidies.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Kind (WI)

Democrat Removes Cotton from being ineligible

for the Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) programs under Title 1 and returns cotton to the Stacked Income Protection Program (Stax).

Submitted

1. Version 1

Kind (WI)

Democrat Reinstates the Conservation

Stewardship Program “CSP” into the Farm Bill.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Gibbs (OH)

Republican Maintains the strong federal standards set in the Animal Welfare Act (AWA) for breeders to follow and ensure animals are bred under humane conditions and states could not conflict with consistent standards for humane domestic canine breeding.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Posey (FL)

Republican Provides that the Secretary may not

use the funds, facilities, or authorities of the Commodity Credit Corporation for a renewable energy system that includes a mechanism (i.e., blender pump) for dispensing energy at retail.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Posey (FL)

Republican Strikes language that allows Qualified

Pass Thru Entities (QPTE) to partnerships and joint ventures and strikes language to exclude Marketing Assistance Loan Benefits and QPTE from the Adjusted Gross Income limit. Additionally, it strikes language to allow first cousins, nieces and nephews to receive Agriculture Risk Coverage or Price Loss Coverage payments.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Graves, Garret (LA)

Republican Reduces numbers of individuals

seeking work requirements under state waivers and exemptions; provides

Submitted

# # Version # Sponsor(s)

**Party Summary Status**

transition to work for adults with children ages 6-8.

1. Version 1

Faso (NY), LaMalfa (CA)

Republican Prevents SNAP benefits from being

used to purchase soda.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Faso (NY)

Republican Expands USDA's ability to assess

natural resource concerns through enhanced measurement, evaluation, and reporting on conservation program outcomes. Directs USDA to use up to one percent of funds available for new enrollments of conservation programs to support the measurement and evaluation process.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Herrera-Beutler (WA),

Westerman (AR)

Republican Directs the payment of a portion of

stewardship project revenues to the county in which the stewardship project occurs.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Duncan (TN), Norman (SC)

Republican Eliminates the Harvest Price Option

(HPO) subsidy.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Barr (KY)

Republican Creates a safe harbor for financial

institutions that provide services to hemp legitimate businesses authorized under the pilot program in the 2014 Farm Bill and affiliated third parties.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Estes, Ron (KS)

Republican Makes the same transparency

requirements that apply to the Broadband Loan and Loan Guarantee Program applicable to Telecommunications Infrastructure Program loans as well.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Latta (OH)

Republican Requires the Federal Communications Commission, in consultation with the United States Department of Agriculture, to establish a task force for reviewing the connectivity and technology needs of precision agriculture in the United States.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Costello (PA), Emmer (MN)

Republican Directs the Secretary to designate,

among existing USDA staff, a Beginning Farmer and Rancher (BFR) Coordinator in each state, without associated cost.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Bergman (MI)

Republican Directs GAO to study the agricultural

credit needs of farms, ranches, and related agricultural businesses that are owned or operated by Indian tribes on tribal lands or enrolled members of Indian tribes on Indian allotments. If needs are not being met, report shall include legislative and other recommendations that would result in a system under which the needs are met in an equitable and effective manner.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Russell (OK)

Republican Amends the Agricultural Risk

Protection act of 2000 to prohibit the Department of Agriculture (USDA) from awarding value-added agricultural product market development grants to support the marketing of beer, wine, distilled spirits, hard cider, or other alcohol products. The amendment also rescinds $8 million of the unobligated funds that were previously provided to USDA for grants.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Rothfus (PA), Kind (WI), Sensenbrenner (WI), Polis (CO)

Bi-Partisan Limit crop insurance subsidies to only

those producers that have an Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) of $500,000 or less.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Rothfus (PA), Kind (WI)

Bi-Partisan Limits commodity and conservation

assistance to only those producers that have an Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) of $500,000 or less.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Meeks (NY)

Democrat Directs the Agriculture Secretary to

issue rules allowing SNAP recipients to authorize third party access to their benefits information-in a secure way- for aggregation purposes that could promote financial management and planning.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Massie (KY), Polis (CO)

Bi-Partisan Amends the Controlled Substances Act to exclude industrial hemp from the definition of "marijuana."

Submitted

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1. *Version 1*

***King, Steve (IA)***

***Republican Allows Environmental Quality***

***Incentives Program (EQIP) to go into contracts with drainage districts to provide irrigation or water efficiency.***

Submitted

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1. Version 1

Gianforte (MT)

Republican Authorizes expedited salvage

operations for areas burned by wildfire to salvage dead trees and reforest to prevent re-burn, provide for the utilization of burned trees, or to provide a funding source for reforestation.

Requires a two month environmental assessment for reforestation activities and at least 75% of the burned area be reforested.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Russell (OK)

Republican Amends the federal crop Insurance act to prohibit the Department of Agriculture from subsidizing crop insurance premiums for tobacco. Any saving that occur as a result of this bill must be deposited in the Treasury and used for deficit reduction.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Turner (OH)

Republican Ensures that newly designated 1890

Institution’s base funding is calculated by using the same formula as already established 1890 Institutions.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Grothman (WI)

Republican To amend Section 6(d) of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 to increase the work requirement to a minimum of 30 hours per week.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Noem (SD)

Republican Creates a new initiative to allow the

United States Department of Agriculture to match funds invested in educational programs or services for Indians.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Noem (SD)

Republican Allows access to report information on

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) transactions by individual retail food stores and individual retail food store chains to increase transparency of SNAP.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Wenstrup (OH), Loudermilk (GA)

Republican Requires the Secretary of Agriculture to submit a report to Congress on compliance with OMB memorandum

M-17-22. Requires that this report is to include recommendations on how Congress may assist the Secretary to increase compliance with the memorandum.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Comer (KY), Blumenauer (OR), Polis (CO)

Bi-Partisan Removes industrial hemp from the

definition of marihuana under the Controlled Substances Act and places it under the jurisdiction of the USDA as an agricultural commodity.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Davidson (OH)

Republican Establishes a commission which would propose reforms to federal means- tested programs to ensure that these programs increase employment, encourage healthy marriages, and further educational attainment. The commission's proposal would be introduced under expedited procedures.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Davidson (OH)

Republican Requires USDA to conduct a study on

how many people currently on means- tested programs covered in the nutrition title are on another federal or state means-tested program.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Davidson (OH)

Republican Establishes a commission which would propose reforms to federal means- tested programs covered under the nutrition title. The proposed reforms would ensure that these programs increase employment, encourage healthy marriages, and further educational attainment. The commission's proposals would be introduced under expedited procedures.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Strikes the changes to payment limits

in Sections 1603 and 1604, strikes the separate payment limit for peanut subsidies that exists in current law, reduces the Adjusted Gross Income limit for commodity payments to

$500,000 a year, and creates a payment limit of $1250,000 a year for recipients of crop insurance premium

Submitted

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subsidies

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Strengthens payment limits for

commodity programs, reforms conservation programs, restores the conservation stewardship program, increases investments in HFFI, increases investments for beginning farmers and ranchers, expands funding for farmers markets, creates a payment limit for crop insurance, and creates a title focused on reducing food waste.

Submitted

1. Version 2

Young, Don (AK)

Republican **Revised** Exempts all National Forests

in Alaska from the U.S. Forest Service Roadless Rule

Submitted

1. Version 2

Young, Don (AK)

Republican **Revised** Rescinds the Tongass

National Forest young growth transition plan.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Brat (VA), Blumenauer (OR)

Bi-Partisan Establishes transparency and

accountability requirements for checkoff programs. It requires that a checkoff board or its employees or agents acting in their official capacity may not engage in any act that may involve a conflict of interest, anti- competitive activity, unfair or deceptive act or practice, or act that may be disparaging to, or in any way negatively portray, another agricultural commodity or product.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Marino (PA), Burgess (TX)

Republican Requires the Government

Accountability Office(GAO) to establish a pilot program in 9 states to determine whether specific items being purchased with supplemental nutrition assistance program(SNAP) benefits can be collected using existing reporting requirements and whether such reporting requirements can be improved.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Marino (PA), Thompson, Glenn (PA), Tenney (NY)

Republican Amends the Richard B. Russell

National School Lunch Act to allow unflavored whole milk to be sold during school lunches.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Holding (NC), Reed (NY)

Republican Ends eligibility for the Supplemental

Nutrition Assistance Program for convicted violent rapists, pedophiles and murderers after enactment into law.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Meadows (NC)

Republican Limits eligibility for federal commodity

payments to only actively engaged farmers and one farm manager per farm.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Westerman (AR), Bishop,

Rob (UT),

Gosar (AZ)

Republican Requires the Forest Service to consider long-term health of our nation's forests when developing collaborative management plans, and shields agency decision making from certain injunctions on sustainable forest management.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Westerman (AR)

Republican Instructs the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Interior to provide Congress a yearly report tabulating the metrics surrounding wildfire prevention, including the number of acres treated and agency response time.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Yoho (FL)

Republican Adds applicability of Endangered

Species Act of 1973 to Aquatic Species Subject to National Aquaculture Development Plan

Submitted

1. Version 1

Fortenberry (NE)

Republican Provides sequencing and prioritization

for volunteer visits and improves communication and coordination between USDA, USAID and implementing partners by designating an Agricultural Leader in Feed the Future target countries. The amendment also establishes a geographically defined crop yield metrics system and an Internet-based resource for data and knowledge sharing among the participants, stakeholders and the public.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Denham (CA)

Republican Requires USDA to provide guidance

and resources for individuals interested in using GI benefits for agricultural

Submitted

# # Version # Sponsor(s)

**Party Summary Status**

education programs.

1. Version 1

Thompson, Glenn (PA)

Republican Directs the Secretary of Agriculture to

review the regulation on “Nutrition Standards for All Foods Sold in School as Required by the Healthy, Hunger- Free Kids Act of 2010” and the final regulations on “Nutrition Standards in the National School Lunch and Breakfast Programs", while finalizing new regulations, including any requirements for milk.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Thompson, Glenn (PA)

Republican Adds Chronic Wasting Disease to

Sec.7208, High-Priority Research and Extension Initiatives.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Bacon (NE)

Republican Establishes notice requirements for all

Rural Utilities Service (RUS) loan and grant programs and to establish a fully searchable database on the RUS website containing relative information on the application or entity seeking assistance.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Newhouse (WA)

Republican Authorizes discretionary funding for

USDA market development programs to maintain access for U.S. agricultural products and commodities in foreign markets.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Newhouse (WA)

Republican Delists the gray wolf range-wide. Submitted

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Increases funding for the Healthy Food Financing Initiative and expands the program to include mid-tier value chain coordination and local and regional food supply networks

Submitted

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Adds a new title on Food Waste. The

Title expresses the sense of Congress that the federal government should work to reduce food waste, establishes an Office of Food Waste at the USDA, creates a Food Loss and Waste Reduction Task Force, and directs USDA to develop methodology for standardizing, aggregating, and publishing food waste data.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Restores permanent funding to the

Farmers market and Local Food Promotion program and expands it to support region-wide assessment and collaborative planning projects

Submitted

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Increases resources for the Beginning

Farmer and Rancher Development Program to $50,000,000 and provides baseline funding

Submitted

1. Version 1

Marino (PA), Fitzpatrick (PA), Cohen (TN)

Bi-Partisan Directs the Secretary of Agriculture to

submit for publication the final rule RIN 0579-AE19, Horse Protection; Licensing of Designated Qualified Persons and Other Amendments, and directs the Office of the Federal Register to publish the rule.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Blumenauer (OR)

Democrat Reforms the Environmental Quality

Incentives Program to increase access for farmers, eliminates payments to projects that do not show strong conservation benefits, and reauthorizes the Conservation Stewardship Program

Submitted

1. Version 1

Young, Don (AK)

Republican **Late** Expands access to traditional

foods for native populations first created in Sec. 4033 of PL 113-79.

Submitted

1. Version 1

McClintock (CA)

Republican **Late** Phases out agricultural subsidies. Submitted

1. Version 1

Johnson, Mike (LA)

Republican **Late**Requires the Secretary to consider the totality of conservation measures already in place, or proposed, to mitigate species or habitat loss when determining whether Federal action is likely to jeopardize either.

Submitted

1. Version 1

Lance (NJ)

Republican **Late** Requires the USDA to consult

with the NTIA and FCC before making a broadband loan or grant to ensure an efficient and effective deployment of broadband funds.

Submitted

**# Version # Sponsor(s) Party**

**Summary**

**Status**

96 Version 1 Davidson (OH) Republican

**Late** Instructs USDA to distribute Submitted

employment and training funds based on actual usage of the program rather than eligibility. Any unused funds would be sent back to the treasury.