



A Bill to Save the Bees to Prevent Extinction of the Human Race

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. All citizens of the United states that will start bee farms with bees native to North America will be given a \$1100 grant to start at least 3 hives.

SECTION 2. Bees native to the United States are: sweat bees, bumble bees, long-horned bees, and miner bees.

SECTION 3. The United States Department of Agriculture will oversee the enforcement of this bill.

SECTION 4. This bill will go into effect July 2023.

SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Ayana Mejorado.

A Resolution to Amend the Constitution to Establish an Age Limit for Federal Office Holders and Judges

1 **RESOLVED,** By two-thirds of the Congress here assembled, that the following article is
2 proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which shall
3 be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when ratified by
4 the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states within seven years from the
5 date of its submission by the Congress:

ARTICLE --

7 **SECTION 1:** No candidate for election to the U.S. Congress, Presidency, or
8 federal judicial appointment will be permitted to assume office if
9 he or she has reached the age of 80 on or before the date of
10 swearing in.

11 **SECTION 2:** The Congress shall have the power to enforce this article by
12 appropriate legislation.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Rep. Rhayce Barta of South High School

A Bill to Legalize Physician Assisted Suicide

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1 **SECTION 1.** United States citizens 18 and over may receive help from a
2 physician to commit suicide. The citizen who is wanting to commit suicide
3 shall visit a physician who is qualified to assist in said suicide.
- 4 **SECTION 2.** A qualified physician is deemed qualified when they finish
5 their medical training in school. Suicide assist will be implemented and
6 mandatory to learn in order to graduate from med school.
- 7 **SECTION 3.** The *US Department of State* and the *National Institutes of*
8 *Health* will oversee this legislation.
- 9 A. Should a US citizen commit suicide without the help of a physician, 20%
10 of the inheritance will be taken and put to use in funding this piece of
11 legislation.
- 12 B. Before the physician is allowed to assist in suicide, the citizen must take
13 a test and sign a waiver proving that they are sane and are sure they
14 want to go through with the suicide as well as getting approval from a
15 psychiatrist and/or a therapist stating that they have done everything
16 in their power to rehabilitate said citizen.
- 17 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect one year after the passing. All
18 laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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Introduced for Congressional Debate by Representative Samuel Saulness of Buffalo High School.



A Bill to Ban the use of State Mandated Voter ID Laws to Prevent Government Discrimination against Minorities

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- SECTION 1.** This bill is set to restrict the use of state-mandated voter identification laws and instead require all voter identification to be chosen and enforced by the federal government.
- SECTION 2.** Voter identification is defined as certain documents such as driver's licenses or passports required for presentation before a person is allowed to cast a vote.
- SECTION 3.** This bill shall be enforced by the Federal Election Commission. The Federal Election Commission shall be in charge of deciding what identification to be used nationwide as voter identification. If governments at any level violate these requirements by choosing their own voter identification, the agencies in charge of elections on the level where the violation occurred shall pay a fine.
- SECTION 4.** This article shall go into effect in January of 2024.
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Introduced for Congressional Debate by Bailey Anderson, Rock Springs High School



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Introduced for Congressional Debate by Bailey Anderson, Rock Springs High School

A Bill to Abolish Zoning Laws to Prevent Urban Sprawl and Environmental Degradation

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** All state and local zoning ordinances concerning residential
2 and commercial zoning shall be immediately abolished.

3 **SECTION 2.** Zoning ordinances shall be defined as municipal or local laws
4 or regulations that govern how real property can and cannot be used in
5 certain geographic areas.

6 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Housing and Urban Development shall
7 oversee the implementation and enforcement of this legislation.

8 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect on January 1, 2023. All laws
9 in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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16 *Introduced for Congressional Debate by Nathan Rzasa.*

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Introduced for Congressional Debate by Nathan Rzasa.

A Bill to Recall U.S. Forces and Promote Peace Abroad

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **Section 1.** The United States of America will hereby not be involved in armed conflicts.

2 Furthermore, The United States will hereby not intervene in armed conflicts

3 between other nations. All United States' forces will return to American jurisdiction.

4 **Section 2.** American jurisdiction is defined as land the United States controls and/or owns.

5 U.S. Forces are defined as military personnel in any of the six service branches.

6 **Section 3.** The Executive Branch will enforce the Bill.

7 **Section 4.** This legislation will take effect on July 1, 2023. All laws in conflict with this legislation

8 are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Rep. Tyler Hughes of South High School

A Bill to Continue the Emergency Rental Assistance Program to Continue to Assist Households that are unable to Pay Rent

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- SECTION 1.** The Federal Government will continue funding the emergency rental assistance program.
- SECTION 2.** The Emergency Rental Assistance program makes funding available to assist households that are unable to pay rent or utilities. Two separate programs have been established: ERA1 provides up to \$25 billion under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021, which was enacted on December 27, 2020, and ERA2 provides up to \$21.55 billion under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, which was enacted on March 11, 2021. The funds are provided directly to states, U.S. territories, local governments, and (in the case of ERA1) Indian tribes. Grantees use the funds to provide assistance to eligible households through existing or newly created rental assistance programs.
- SECTION 3.** The United States Federal Housing and Urban Development will oversee the enforcement of this bill. Funds will be allocated through the Treasury Department.
- SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect in January 2023. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

*Introduced for Congressional Debate by Alex Watson
of Riverton High School.*

A Bill to Hire More Social Workers Within The Foster System

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** The United States Foster Care System will be placed under the Public Health
2 Service Commissioned Corps. The Allocation of funds through the Public Health Service
3 Commissioned Corps will be combined with Funds Allocated to the American Foster Care
4 System.

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6 **SECTION 2.** This will be overseen by The United States Children's Bureau.

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A. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps

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B. This will be used to perpetually increase the number of social workers
9 in the Foster System by 30%.

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C. Every 5 years until this is achieved the number of Social workers in the
11 Foster care system is expected to rise by 10%.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect January 1, 2025. All laws in conflict with this
13 legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Brinnan Heaton, Natrona County High School.

A Bill to Address the Teacher Shortage

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The US Secretary of Education shall establish an “Addressing Teacher Shortages
3 Program” for eligible entities.

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS:

5 (a) ELIGIBLE ENTITY- A local educational agency or school district that serves a low income
6 population in a rural area.

7 (b) QUALIFIED MENTOR TEACHER- An educator who meets the State-determined requirements
8 for teacher effectiveness and an aptitude for mentorship.

SECTION 3. ADDRESSING THE TEACHER SHORTAGE

10 (a) ADDRESSING THE TEACHER SHORTAGE PROGRAM ESTABLISHED-

11 (1) GRANTS AUTHORIZED-

12 A. From amounts made available to carry out this Act, the Secretary shall establish
13 an Addressing Teacher Shortages Program, through which the Secretary shall
14 award grants, on a competitive basis, to eligible entities, to enable the entities
15 to carry out activities described in subsection B in continuous consultation with
16 the schools served by the eligible entity.

17 B. The Eligible Entities that are awarded these grants must commit to one or more
18 of the following:

19 i. Establishing or expanding teaching residency programs

20 1. Resident tuition in exchange for a commitment to teach
21 within the community for at least 3 years;

22 2. resident salaries;

23 3. mentor teacher incentives;

24 4. upgraded facilities or classrooms

25 5. any other purpose deemed appropriate.

26 ii. Establishing or expanding a teacher mentor program, which may
27 include a training program or endorsement for school-based
28 mentor teachers.

29 iii. Increasing access to technology for the purpose of professional
30 development.

SECTION 4. This legislation will take effect in the beginning of the fiscal year of 2023. All laws in
conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Rep. Worthen of Natrona County High School

A Bill to Invest in Mental Health Education

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** A grant of \$10,000 will be available to Title 1 K-12 public schools in order to
2 invest in improved mental health programs, suicide awareness, emergency
3 counseling services, and qualified counseling staff.
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5 **SECTION 2.** Definitions are provided by the Merriam Webster Dictionary:
6 *Title 1:* A federal education program that supports low income students
7 throughout the nation.
8 *Counseling Services:* a collaborative effort between the counselor and
9 client.
10 *Qualified counseling staff:* person employed as such to provide
11 psychological, counseling or pastoral welfare to students.
12 *Suicide Awareness:* A proactive effort to raise awareness around suicidal
13 behaviors.
14 *Mental Health Programs:* A treatment, prevention, rehabilitation, or
15 educational service offered by a community mental health center or other
16 entity for the purpose of maintaining or improving the mental health of an
17 individual or community.
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19 **SECTION 3.** The U.S Department of Education:
20 The U.S. Department of Education will distribute the funds and then lead
21 follow up inspections in the schools. In order to do this the Department of
22 Education will need to be given more spread out areas of operations and an
23 increased workforce. They will be given offices in each county and an
24 increased workforce of 10,000 personnel.
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26 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on July 1, 2023. All laws in conflict with this
27 legislation are hereby declared null and void.
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