

NAPO LEGISLATIVE POSITIONS: 117TH CONGRESS

Bill	Title	Summary	Sponsor	Cosponsors	Status	NAPO's Position
HR72	Thin Blue Line Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide additional aggravating factors for the imposition of the death penalty based on the status of the victim.	Rep. Vern Buchanan (R- Fla.)	2 total (2 Republicans)	Jan. 4, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1595	Thin Blue Line Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide enhanced penalties for convicted murderers who kill or target America's public safety officers.	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	17 total (17 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR82	Social Security Fairness Act	A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the Government pension offset and windfall elimination provisions.	Rep. Rodney Davis (R- III.)	182 total (134 Democrats, 47 Republicans, 1 Independents)	Jan. 4, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
S1302	Social Security Fairness Act	A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the Government pension offset and windfall elimination provisions.	Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-Ohio)	31 total (25 Democrats, 4 Republicans, 2 Independents)	April 22, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Finance.	Support
HR288	Qualified Immunity Act	A bill to amend the Revised Statute to codify the defense of qualified immunity in the case of any action under section 1979.	Rep. Jim Banks (R-Ind.)	27 total (27 Republicans)	Jan. 13, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR483	Heroes Lesley Zerebny and Gilbert Vega First Responders Survivors Support Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to make reforms to the benefits for Public Safety Officers.	Rep. Raul Ruiz (D-Calif.)	12 total (9 Democrats, 3 Republicans)	Jan. 25, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support

S42	Stop Dangerous Sanctuary Cities Act	A bill to ensure that State and local law enforcement may cooperate with Federal officials to protect our communities from violent criminals and suspected terrorists who are illegally present in the United States.	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	18 total (18 Republicans)	Jan. 26, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR521	First Responder Fair RETIRE Act	A bill to permit disabled law enforcement officers, customs and border protection officers, firefighters, air traffic controllers, nuclear material couriers, members of the Capitol Police, members of the Supreme Court Police, employees of the Central Intelligence Agency performing intelligence activities abroad or having specialized security requirements, and diplomatic security special agents of the Department of State to receive retirement benefits in the same manner as if they had not been disabled.	(D-Va.)	Republicans)	Jan. 28, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Foreign Affairs, House Oversight and Reform, House Select Intelligence.	Support

S129	First Responder Fair RETIRE Act	A bill to permit disabled law enforcement officers, customs and border protection officers, firefighters, air traffic controllers, nuclear material couriers, members of the Capitol Police, members of the Supreme Court Police, employees of the Central Intelligence Agency performing intelligence activities abroad or having specialized security requirements, and diplomatic security special agents of the Department of State to receive retirement benefits in the same manner as if they had not been disabled.		2 total (1 Democrats, 1 Republicans)	Jan. 28, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.	Support
HR613	Securing Access to Lower Taxes by ensuring (SALT) Deductibility Act	A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the limitation on the deduction for certain taxes, including State and local property and income taxes.	Rep. Tom Suozzi (D- N.Y.)	106 total (96 Democrats, 10 Republicans)	Jan. 28, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
HR677	JUSTICE Act	A bill to improve and reform policing practices, accountability and transparency.	Rep. Pete Stauber (R- Minn.)	130 total (130 Republicans)	Feb. 1, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Administration, House Budget, House Judiciary.	Support
HR946	SALT Act	A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the dollar limitation on deduction of State and local taxes.	Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. (D-N.J.)	15 total (15 Democrats)	Feb. 8, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
HR1210	LEOSA Reform Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to improve the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004 and provisions relating to the carrying of concealed weapons by law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.	Rep. Don Bacon (R- Neb.)	46 total (1 Democrats, 45 Republicans)	Feb. 23, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support

S1610	LEOSA Reform Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to improve the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004 and provisions relating to the carrying of concealed weapons by law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.	Sen. John Kennedy (R- La.)	2 total (2 Republicans)	May 13, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR1319	Fiscal 2021 Budget Reconciliation Bill (Coronavirus Relief Package)	A bill to provide additional relief to address the continued impact of COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) on the economy, public health, state and local governments, individuals, and businesses.	Rep. John Yarmuth (D- Ky.)		March 11, 2021 — Signed by the president.	Support
HR1280	George Floyd Justice in Policing Act	A bill to hold law enforcement accountable for misconduct in court, improve transparency through data collection, and reform police training and policies.	Rep. Karen Bass (D-Calif.)	199 total (198 Democrats, 1 Independents)	March 3, 2021 — House Vote 60 Policing Overhaul — Passed 220-212.	Oppose
S466	Kelsey Smith Act	A bill to hold law enforcement accountable for misconduct in court, improve transparency through data collection, and reform police training and policies.	Sen. Jerry Moran (R- Kan.)	2 total (2 Republicans)	Feb. 25, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation.	Support
HR1690	Defending our Defenders Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to make the murder of a Federal, State, or local law enforcement officer a crime punishable by life in prison or death.	Rep. Yvette Herrell (R- N.M.)	27 total (27 Republicans)	March 9, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S619	Defending Our Defenders Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to make the murder of a Federal, State, or local law enforcement officer a crime punishable by life in prison or death.	Sen. Tom Cotton (R- Ark.)		March 9, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support

HR3079	Protect and Serve Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to punish criminal offenses targeting law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.	Rep. John Rutherford (R-Fla.)	35 total (2 Democrats, 33 Republicans)	May 11, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S774	Protect and Serve Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to punish criminal offenses targeting law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.	Sen. Thom Tillis (R-N.C.)	23 total (23 Republicans)	March 16, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
S921	Jaime Zapata and Victor Avila Federal Law Enforcement Protection Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to further protect officers and employees of the United States, and for other purposes.	Sen. John Cornyn (R- Texas)	14 total (7 Democrats, 7 Republicans)	May 28, 2021 — Measure, as amended, passed in the Senate by unanimous consent. (In the legislative day that began on Thursday, May 27, 2021.)	Support
S1014	First Step Implementation Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to reauthorize the residential substance use disorder treatment program, and for other purposes.	Sen. Richard J. Durbin (D-III.)	6 total (5 Democrats, 1 Republicans)	June 10, 2021 — Full committee consideration and markup held by the Senate Judiciary Committee. June 10, 2021 — Ordered reported favorably to the full Senate (as amended) 13-9.	Oppose
S1046	Disorder Treatment Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to reauthorize the residential substance use disorder treatment program, and for other purposes.	Sen. John Cornyn (R- Texas)	8 total (4 Democrats, 4 Republicans)	March 25, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HRES283	A resolution in support of establishing a "Bill of Rights" to support United States law enforcement officers.	A resolution establishing a "Bill of Rights" to support United States law enforcement personnel nationwide in their work to protect our communities.	Rep. Lee Zeldin (R-N.Y.)	15 total (15 Republicans)	March 26, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support

HR2337	Public Servants Protection and Fairness Act	A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide an equitable Social Security formula for individuals with noncovered employment and to provide relief for individuals currently affected by the Windfall Elimination Provision.	Rep. Richard E. Neal (D-Mass.)	166 total (165 Democrats, 1 Independents)	April 1, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
S1502	Confidentiality Opportunities for Peer Support (COPS) Counseling Act	A bill to make Federal law enforcement officer peer support communications confidential, and for other purposes.	Sen. Catherine Cortez Masto (D-Nev.)	10 total (7 Democrats, 3 Republicans)	June 7, 2021 — Measure, as amended, passed in the Senate by unanimous consent.	Support
HR2936	Protecting America's First Responders Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 with respect to payments to certain public safety officers who have become permanently and totally disabled as a result of personal injuries sustain in the line of duty, and for other purposes.	Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. (D-N.J.)	16 total (10 Democrats, 6 Republicans)	April 30, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1511	Protecting America's First Responders Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 with respect to payments to certain public safety officers who have become permanently and totally disabled as a result of personal injuries sustain in the line of duty, and for other purposes.	Sen. Charles E. Grassley (R-Iowa)	17 total (12 Democrats, 5 Republicans)	June 10, 2021 — Measure, as amended, passed in the Senate by unanimous consent.	Support

HR2954	Securing a Strong Retirement Act	A bill to increase retirement savings, simplify and clarify retirement plan rules.	Rep. Richard E. Neal (D-Mass.)	51 total (30 Democrats, 21 Republicans)	May 5, 2021 — Full committee consideration and markup held by the House Ways and Means Committee. May 5, 2021 — Ordered reported favorably to the full House (as amended) by voice vote.	Support
HR2960	Law Enforcement Officers Safety (LEOSA) COVID Extension Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide an exception for certain qualified retired law enforcement officers to carry a concealed firearm, and for other purposes.	Rep. Don Bacon (R- Neb.)		May 4, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR2992	Traumatic Brain Injury and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (TBI and PTSD) Law Enforcement Training Act	A bill to direct the Attorney General to develop crisis intervention training tools for use by first responders related to interacting with persons who have a traumatic brain injury, another form of acquired brain injury, or post-traumatic stress disorder, and for other purposes.	Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. (D-N.J.)	3 total (1 Democrats, 2 Republicans)	May 4, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Energy and Commerce, House Judiciary.	Support
HR3060	Putting Our First Responders First Act	A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow first responders to continue to exclude service-connected disability pension payments after reaching the age of retirement.	Rep. Ralph Norman (R-S.C.)	10 total (1 Democrats, 9 Republicans)	May 7, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
HR3071	Public Safety Officer Support Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to authorize public safety officer death benefits to officers suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder or acute stress disorder, and for other purposes.	Rep. David Trone (D- Md.)	1 total (1 Republicans)	May 7, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support

HR3080	Back the Blue Act	A bill to protect law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.	Rep. Don Bacon (R- Neb.)	20 total (20 Republicans)	May 11, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1599	Back the Blue Act	A bill to protect law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.	Sen. John Cornyn (R- Texas)	21 total (21 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR3096	Federal Law Enforcement Officer Service Weapon Purchase Act	A bill to allow Federal law enforcement officers to purchase retired service weapons, and for other purposes.	Rep. Val B. Demings (D-Fla.)	1 total (1 Republicans)	May 11, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR3131	David Dorn Back the Blue Act	A bill to subsidize the salaries of State and local law enforcement officers and promote officer hiring and retention, and for other purposes.	Rep. Rodney Davis (R- III.)	20 total (20 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR3153	Restoring the Armed Career Criminal Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, relating to sentencing of armed career criminals.	Rep. David Kustoff (R- Tenn.)	1 total (1 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1586	Restoring the Armed Career Criminal Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, relating to sentencing of armed career criminals.	Sen. Tom Cotton (R- Ark.)	2 total (2 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HRES386	A resolution expressing support for recognizing "National Police Week."		Rep. Michael Guest (R- Miss.)	95 total (2 Democrats, 93 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
SRES215	A resolution designating the week of May 9 through May 15, 2021, as "National Police Week."		Sen. Charles E. Grassley (R-Iowa)	78 total (28 Democrats, 49 Republicans, 1 Independents)	May 13, 2021 — Resolution agreed to in the Senate by unanimous consent.	Support
S1597	Lifesaving Gear for Police Act	A bill to ensure America's law enforcement officers have access to lifesaving equipment needed to defend themselves and civilians from attacks by terrorists and violent criminals.	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	7 total (7 Republicans)	May 12, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.	Support

HR3225		A bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions, and for other purposes.	Rep. Pete Stauber (R- Minn.)	24 total (15 Democrats, 9 Republicans)	May 13, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Education and Labor.	Support
S1649	Probation Officers Protection Act	A bill to amend section 3606 of title 18, United States Code, to grant probation officers authority to arrest hostile third parties who obstruct or impede a probation officer in the performance of official duties.	Sen. Thom Tillis (R-N.C.)	4 total (4 Republicans)	May 13, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR3248	American Body-worn Camera (ABC) Act	A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to establish a body-worn camera partnership grant program, and for other purposes.	Rep. Michael Guest (R-Miss.)		May 14, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR3250	Protecting Officers of the Law In Civilian Establishments (POLICE) Act	A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to permit uniformed law enforcement officers to carry agencyissued firearms in certain Federal facilities, and for other purposes.	Rep. Trey Hollingsworth (R-Ind.)	2 total (2 Republicans)	May 14, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR4148	Expanding Health Care Options for Early Retirees Act	A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide an option for first responders age 50 to 64 who are separated from service due to retirement or disability to buy into Medicare.	Rep. Tom Malinowski (D N.J.)	-3 total (3 Democrats)	June 24, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: House Energy and Commerce, House Ways and Means.	Support
S2236	Expanding Health Care Options for Early Retirees Act	A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide an option for first responders age 50 to 64 who are separated from service due to retirement or disability to buy into Medicare.	Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-Ohio)		June 24, 2021 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Finance.	Support