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## Bills To Cosponsor

The National Association of Postal Supervisors encourages sponsorship of the following bills:

### HOUSE LEGISLATION

#### **H.R. 6085, Postal Supervisors and Managers Fairness Act**

**Primary Sponsors: Reps. Gerry Connolly (D-VA) and Mike Bost (R-IL), introduced March 4, 2020**

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The bill provides for the timely start of pay talks between Executive Administrative Schedule (EAS) postal employees and the Postal Service by decoupling EAS pay consultations from the protracted timeline of collective-bargaining between the largest postal union and the USPS. Under the bill, EAS pay talks would start 60 days prior to the expiration of the existing EAS "pay agreement." In addition, the bill would establish a fair and credible process for the conduct of pay consultations by binding the USPS and the supervisors' organization to the findings and conclusions of an independent Federal Mediation and Conciliation fact-finding panel.

#### **H.R. 597, Postal Employee Appeal Rights Amendments Act**

**Primary Sponsor: Rep. Gerald E. Connolly (D-VA-11), introduced January 16, 2019**

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The bill confers to approximately 7,500 non-supervisory managerial postal employees the right to appeal significant personnel actions to the Merit Systems Protection Board. Non-supervisory postal personnel currently may only appeal such actions through an internal USPS process that lacks impartial third-party review. Postal supervisory personnel and nearly all federal civil service employees already enjoy MSPB appeal rights.

#### **H.R. 141, Social Security Fairness Act**

**Primary Sponsor: Rep. Rodney Davis (R-IL-13), introduced January 3, 2019**

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This legislation would repeal the Government Pension Offset and the Windfall Elimination Provision, sections of the Social Security law that unfairly reduced the rightful benefits of Civil Service Retirement System annuitants and surviving spouse of these annuitants.

#### **H.R. 4540, Public Servants Protection and Fairness Act**

**Primary Cosponsor: Rep. Richard Neal (D-MA-1), introduced September 27, 2019**

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The legislation would establish a new, fairer formula to pay Social Security benefits in proportion to the share of a worker's earnings that were covered by Social Security. Current WEP retirees will receive \$150 a month in relief payments.

**H.Res. 23, Resolution to Maintain Door Mail Delivery**

**Primary Sponsor: Rep. Susan Davis (D-CA-53), introduced January 4, 2019**

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This non-binding resolution expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that residential and business door mail delivery should be continued.

**H.Res. 33, Resolution to Oppose Privatization of the U.S. Postal Service**

**Primary Sponsor: Rep. Stephen Lynch (D-MA-8), introduced January 9, 2019**

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This non-binding resolution expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that Congress should ensure that the U.S. Postal Service is not privatized and remains an independent establishment of the federal government.

**H.Res 54, Resolution to Maintain Six Day Mail Delivery**

**Primary Sponsor: Rep. Gerry Connelly (D-VA), introduced January 16, 2019**

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This non-binding resolution urges the U.S. Postal Service to take steps to ensure the continuation of its six-day mail delivery service.

**SENATE LEGISLATION**

**S. 521, Social Security Fairness Act**

**Primary Sponsor: Sen. Sherrod Brown**

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This legislation would repeal the Government Pension Offset and the Windfall Elimination Provision, sections of the Social Security law that unfairly reduced the rightful benefits of Civil Service Retirement System annuitants and surviving spouse of these annuitants.

**S. 2965, USPS Fairness Act**

**Primary Sponsor: Sen. Steve Daines (R-MT)**

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This bill repeals the requirement that the U.S. Postal Service annually prepay future retirement health benefits.

**S.Res. 99, Resolution to Oppose Privatization of the U.S. Postal Service**

**Primary Sponsor: Sen. Gary Peters (D-MI)**

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This non-binding resolution expresses the sense of the Senate that Congress should ensure that the U.S. Postal Service is not privatized and remains an independent establishment of the federal government.