

THE WHITE HOUSE

Debon - new format for leadership meetings 5/23/73

Agriculture - Butz

Exports - \$11.8 billion in F.Y. 73.

Net income - \$19 "

400 million acres

1 1/2 " acres not plantable because of floods.

① if no new law - revert to permanent law. Ok except for cotton.

② Senate bill. (good & bad provisions)

Cost (annual)  
\$ 1 billion - 74  
" " - 78  
\$ 4

- 1) no mandatory payments - ok
- 2) target prices - too high.
- 3) escalator feature -
- 4) dairy feature - 80% / airport limits

[Photocopied from Ford Scrapbooks, Box 14, Notes on White House Meetings, 1973-74]

- 3) House Committee bill
  - a) took Senate as vehicle.
  - Better that we have permanent act as vehicle.

Senator Carl Curtis -

Congressmen Teague & Hoodling.

Sec. Morton - Alaskan Pipeline.

1 1/2 to 2 million barrels per day.  
 16 to 18 million barrels per day.  
 (12%)

Senate bill - technical connection plus negotiate with Canada.

Middle West / no applicants Canada - piece of action

House bill - amend 1970 Leasing Act.

R.N.

1) urgency of time (NOW)  
magnify shortages

2) full development of Alaska  
 critical to solution of Energy.  
foreign policy

3] TIME / AMOUNT:

FOREIGN Policy } Canadians - wave of nationalism  
 } Mid East - Israel problem.  
 } blackmail.

Not just Alaskan Pipeline  
 but both.

Choice - Alaska now / Canada also  
 Both - enough for both.

*Sent with  
GRF to W.H.  
5/23/73  
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Armstrong, J. Sinclair  
(Personal & Confidential)

May 14, 1973

The Honorable J. Sinclair Armstrong  
45 Wall Street  
New York, N. Y. 10005

Dear Sinclair:

Thank you for your letter of April 30th. I appreciate your concern and am doing everything within my power to help the President, our Country and our Party in the present circumstances.

Without violating any confidence I can say that one of the names you mentioned has already been brought back to the White House and I believe you will see other steps taken to restore and strengthen a bipartisan spirit of national unity. I am satisfied that the initial moves made by the President with regard to his personal staff and the restoration of Cabinet responsibility have been in the right direction. Your pledge of personal support will be confidentially communicated at the first opportune moment.

Warm personal regards,

Gerald R. Ford, M. C.

GRF:rn



45 WALL STREET  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10005

April 30, 1973

Dear Gerry:

At a moment when the appearance of corruption in the White House and the Executive Branch is so pervasive as to endanger respect for our institutions at home and for our country abroad, it is vital for men and women of both parties and all political persuasions to give support to our elected leaders to restore confidence and trust in Government. It is in that vein that I write you, urging your influence on the President to install a personal staff of unquestioned integrity and demonstrated ability, and to do the same for the Cabinet Departments and Agencies.

Some names that come to mind are Former Secretary Connolly and former Secretary Petersen, who have served this Administration honorably, Dr. Ronan, Transportation Advisor to Governor Rockefeller, Mr. Douglas, Counsel to Governor Rockefeller, former Governor and Navy Secretary Chaffee, Ambassador to France Irwin. There must be many others.

There are many able business men and lawyers who could regain the confidence of the country for the President in staff positions at the White House. Among the lawyers, I think of former American Bar Association President Whitney N. Seymour, Senior, present ABA President Marsden, Association of the Bar of the City of New York President Schell.

It would be good that the effort be bi-partisan--hence I suggest former Secretary Clifford, former Secretary Gilpatrick, former Secretary Vance, former National Security Advisor Bundy, and former Ambassador Plimpton.

It would be well that great distinction in education be considered--such as Presidents Bok of Harvard, Brewster of Yale (both of them distinguished former professors of law) and Horner of Radcliffe.



I urge you to use your great influence to have the White House staffed by able, respected and honorable men and women, and the Department Secretaries restored to positions of responsibility and direct access to the President. Please count on me for my personal support of any actions taken in this direction.

With warm personal regards.



Sincerely,

*J. Sinclair Armstrong*

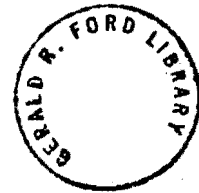
J. Sinclair Armstrong

Former Commissioner (1953-1957)  
and Chairman (1955-1957),  
Securities and Exchange Commission,  
Former Assistant Secretary of the  
Navy (1957-1959)

Honorable Gerald Ford  
Minority Leader  
House of Representatives  
Washington D.C. 20515

CONGRESSIONAL STATUS OF VETO-BAIT BILLS

May 21, 1973



SENATE

BILLS

HOUSE

S. 50 - Passed 2/20/73

Older Americans Act  
5/3/73 - PL 93-29

H.R. 71 - Passed 3/13/73  
Y-329  
N-69

(S. 50 passed in lieu of H.R. 71)

S.

Research on Aging

H.R. 6175 - Clean bill reported (in lieu of H.R. 65) by Subcommittee on Public Health & Environment. Awaiting mark-up session by Full Committee on Interstate & Foreign Commerce.

S. 467

H.R. 2246 - Passed amended  
5/8/73  
Y-81  
N-16

Public Works & EDA Amendments

H.R. 2246 - Passed 3/15/73  
Y-278  
N-108

H to vote on bill as amended by S 5/22/73  
5/22-H disagreed to S amendments; asked a conf.

S. 263 - Pending before  
Interior Committee

Amendments to Mining & Mineral  
Policy

H.R. 5079 - (Saylor) - Pending before  
Interior Committee

S. 38 - Passed 2/5/73  
Y-65  
N-15

Airport Development  
(In Conference)

H.R. 6388 - Passed 5/2/73  
Y-386  
N- 16

(S. 38 passed in lieu of H.R. 6388)

S. 39 - Passed 2/21/73  
Y-89

Anti-Hijacking

H.R. 3858 - Awaiting mark-up session by  
Subcommittee of Interstate and  
Foreign Commerce Committee.

S. 606 - Passed 2/1/73  
Y-67  
N-14

Flood Control

H.R. 4904 & H.R. 4905 - Briefing by Gen  
Clark 3/8/73. Hearings resumed  
by Committee on Public Works; to  
continue 5/23, 24, & 25.

S. 49 - Passed 3/6/73  
Y-85  
N- 4

National Cemetery Act

H.R. 2828 - Passed 5/7/73 (amended)  
Y-340  
N- 1

(Understand S is prepared to accept H amendment)

(S. 49 passed in lieu of H.R. 2828)

SENATE

BILLS

HOUSE

S. 59 - Passed 3/6/73  
Y-86  
N- 2

Veterans Health Care

H.R. 2900 - Hospital Subcommittee of Veterans Affairs Committee held hearings 3/22 & 3/27. Nothing further scheduled at this time.

S. 7 - Passed 2/28/73  
Y-86  
N- 2

Vocational Rehabilitation  
4/3/73 - Senate Sustained Veto  
Y-60  
N-36

H.R. 71 - Passed 3/8/73  
Y-318  
N- 57  
(Landgrebe Substitute: Y-166; N-213)

3/15/73 - Senate agreed to House amendment with an amendment.

S. 7 - Passed 3/15/73  
House agreed to Senate amendment to House amendment.

H.R. 2107 - Passed 3/1/73  
Y-71  
N-10

REAP  
4/2/73 - Conference report filed in House

H.R. 2107 - Passed 2/7/73  
Y-251  
N-142

S. 394 - Passed 2/21/73  
Y-69  
N-20

REA Extension  
5/11/73 - PL 93-32

H.R. 5683 - Passed 4/4/73  
Y-317  
N- 92  
(S. 394 passed in lieu of H.R. 5683)  
(Nelsen Substitute: Y-162; N-244)

H.R. 3298 - Passed 3/22/73  
Y-66  
N-22

Rural Water & Sewer  
4/10/73 - House Sustained Veto  
Y-225  
N-189

H.R. 3298 - Passed 3/1/73  
Y-297  
N- 54

S. 14 (Kennedy Bill)  
Passed 5/15/73  
Y-69  
N-25

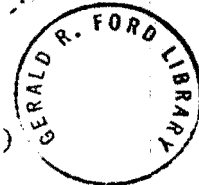
Health Maintenance Organizations

H.R. 4871 - (Staggers & Devine) &  
H.R. 51 (Dr. Roy) - Subcommittee on Public Health of Interstate & Foreign Commerce Committee has approved a clean bill, but has not been introduced as yet.

S. 502 - Passed 3/15/73  
Y-77  
N- 5

Highway Act Amendments  
(In Conference)

S. 502 - Passed 4/19/73  
Voice Vote  
(Defeated Anderson Amendment: Y-190; N-215)





HIGHLIGHTS OF HOUSE ACTION, APRIL 10, 1973 THROUGH MAY 22, 1973



Tuesday, April 10, 1973

RURAL WATER SEWER GRANTS -- VETO VOTE

By a record vote of 225 yeas to 189 nays, the House sustained the President's veto of H.R. 3298, to restore the rural water and sewer grant program under the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (two-thirds present not voting to override). (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	24	161	7	192
Dem.	<u>201</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>241</u>
	225	189	19	433

ATLANTIC UNION DELEGATION

RULE

By a record vote of 197 yeas to 210 nays, the House failed to agree to H. Res. 348, a rule providing for the consideration of H.J. Res. 205, to create an Atlantic Union delegation. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	57	127	8	192
Dem.	<u>140</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>241</u>
	197	210	26	433

Wednesday, April 11, 1973

CONGRESSIONAL FRANKING PRIVILEGES

RULE

By a record vote of 371 yeas to 14 nays, with 1 voting "present", the House approved H. Res. 349, providing for two hours of open debate. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	165	8	0	19	192
Dem.	<u>206</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>241</u>
	371	14	1	47	433

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 354 yeas to 49 nays, the House passed H.R. 3180, to clarify the proper use of the franking privilege by Members of Congress. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

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Wednesday, April 11, 1973 (continued)

CONGRESSIONAL FRANKING PRIVILEGES (cont'd)

PASSAGE (repeating)

By a record vote of 354 yeas to 49 nays, the House passed H.R. 3180, to clarify the proper use of the franking privilege by Members of Congress. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	157	20	15	192
Dem.	<u>197</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>241</u>
	354	49	30	433

Thursday, April 12, 1973

EMERGENCY FARM LOAN PROGRAM

The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1975, to amend the emergency loan program under the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act. House receded and concurred in Senate amendment No. 4 with an amendment, relating to disaster loans under the Small Business Administration, clearing the measure for Senate action.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 367 yeas, the House passed H. J. Res. 496, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1973, for the Civil Aeronautics Board and the Veterans' Administration. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	165	0	27	192
Dem.	<u>202</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>241</u>
	367	0	66	433

Monday, April 16, 1973

THE HOUSE CONSIDERED THE CONSENT CALENDAR

ECONOMIC STABILIZATION

RULE -- PREVIOUS QUESTION

By a record vote of 147 yeas to 258 nays, the House failed to order the previous question on H. Res. 357, the rule under which the bill was considered, and subsequently agreed to an amendment to the rule which made in order the text of H.R. 2099 as an amendment in the nature of a substitute for the committee bill; the amendment also struck out language providing for the consideration of the amendments recommended by the Committee on Banking & Currency printed in H.R. 6168. (MORE)



Monday, April 16, 1973 (continued)

ECONOMIC STABILIZATION (cont'd)

RULE -- PREVIOUS QUESTION (repeated)

By a record vote of 147 yeas to 258 nays, the House failed to order the previous question on H. Res. 357, the rule under which the bill was considered, and subsequently agreed to an amendment to the rule which made in order the text of H.R. 2099 as an amendment in the nature of a substitute for the committee bill; the amendment also struck out language providing for the consideration of the amendments recommended by the Committee on Banking & Currency printed in H.R. 6168. The rule was agreed to by a voice vote. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	0	182	10	192
Dem.	<u>147</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>241</u>
	147	258	28	433

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 293 yeas to 114 nays, the House passed H.R. 6168, to amend and extend the Economic Stabilization Act of 1970. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed bill S. 398, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the provisions of the House bill as passed.

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	152	31	9	192
Dem.	<u>141</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>241</u>
	293	114	26	433

RECOMMIT

By a record vote of 164 yeas to 243 nays, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Rousselot to recommit the bill to the Committee on Banking and Currency. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	42	141	9	192
Dem.	<u>122</u>	<u>102</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>241</u>
	164	243	26	433

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Monday, April 16, 1973 (continued)

ECONOMIC STABILIZATION (cont'd)

PRIOR TO FINAL PASSAGE THE FOLLOWING ACTION WAS TAKEN

By a voice vote, the House agreed to the Widnall amendment in the nature of a substitute which provides for a 1-year extension of the Economic Stabilization Act of 1970.

By a recorded vote of 139 yeas to 263 nays, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Reuss that seeks to impose a ceiling on prices at levels no higher than those on April 16, 1973, except agricultural prices at the farm level. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	15	166	11	192
Dem.	<u>124</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>241</u>
	139	263	31	433

By a recorded vote of 271 yeas to 132 nays, the House agreed to an amendment by Mr. St. Germain to the Widnall amendment requiring that hearings be held before an agency reduces wages or salaries and that a statement of explanation shall be written to the parties involved within 30 days. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	71	110	11	192
Dem.	<u>200</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>241</u>
	271	132	30	433

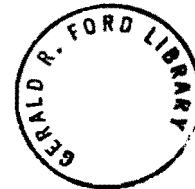
By a recorded vote of 151 yeas to 253 nays, the House rejected a substitute that seeks to extend the Economic Stabilization Act of 1970 for 60 days and directs the President to develop a program to stabilize interest rates, rents, prices, and wages and transmit the program to Congress by May 15, 1973. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV) (Gonzalez substitute)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	5	177	10	192
Dem.	<u>146</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>241</u>
	151	253	29	433

By a recorded vote of 173 yeas to 225 nays, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Pepper that seeks to authorize and direct the President to stabilize rents at levels prevailing on January 10, 1973. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	22	155	5	10	192
Dem.	<u>151</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>241</u>
	173	225	6	29	433

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Monday, April 16, 1973 (continued)

ECONOMIC STABILIZATION (cont'd)

PRIOR TO FINAL PASSAGE THE FOLLOWING ACTION WAS TAKEN (continued)

By a recorded vote of 147 yeas to 250 nays, the House rejected an amendment by Ms. Abzug that seeks to authorize the President to stabilize rents at levels prevailing on January 10, 1973 and allows for a 2.5 per centum increase annually. (GRF - Nay; Speaker-NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	15	162	5	10	192
Dem.	<u>132</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>241</u>
	147	250	5	31	433

By a recorded vote of 101 yeas to 303 nays, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Peyser that seeks to impose a ceiling on all food prices at levels no higher than those prevailing on March 16, 1973, and to stabilize rents at levels prevailing on January 10, 1973. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	8	175	9	192
Dem.	<u>93</u>	<u>128</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>241</u>
	101	303	29	433

The House insisted on its amendment to S. 398, and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Patman, Barrett, Sullivan, Reuss, St. Germain, Annunzio, Rees, Cotter, Mitchell of Maryland, Widnall, Johnson of Pennsylvania, J. William Stanton, Blackburn, Brown of Michigan, and Wylie.

Tuesday, April 17, 1973

PEOPLE' REPUBLIC OF CHINA

The House passed and cleared for the President S. 1315, to extend diplomatic privileges and immunities to the Liaison Office of the People's Republic of China and to members thereof.

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

The House concluded consideration of H.R. 6691, making appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal year 1974, and pursuant to unanimous-consent agreements made on Thursday, April 12, and Monday, April 16, further proceedings will be postponed until Wednesday, April 18.

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Tuesday, April 17, 1973 (continued)

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS (cont'd)

While in the Committee of the Whole, the House, by a recorded vot of 189 yeas to 195 nays, rejected an amendment by Mr. Roybal that sought to strike out \$58 million for the extension of the west front of the Capitol. (Speaker - Nay; GRF - Nay)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	110	70	12	192
Dem.	<u>79</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>242</u>
	189	195	50	434

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

The House disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.J.Res. 496, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1973, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Mahon, Boland, Natcher, Flood, Smith of Iowa, Patten, Casey of Texas, Obey, Green of Oregon, Cederberg, Michel, Conte, Shriver, McDade, and Robinson of Virginia. Conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.J.Res. 496.

HIGHWAYS

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 356, providing for two hours of open debate.

The House concluded 15 minutes of general debate on S. 502, to authorize appropriations for the construction of certain highways in accordance with title 23 of the United States Code. There are 1 hour and 45 minutes of general debate remaining.

Wednesday, April 18, 1973

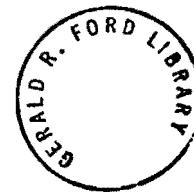
RICE

By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 6883, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 with respect to rice.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

By a voice vote, the House agreed to the conference report on H.J.Res. 496, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1973. The House receded from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 2, clearing the measure for Senate action.

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Wednesday, April 18, 1973 (continued)

EASTER RECESS

By a voice vote, the House passed S. Con. Res. 22, providing for adjournment of the Senate from Wednesday, April 18 to Monday, April 30, 1973. Agreed to an amendment providing for adjournment of the House from Thursday, April 19 to Monday, April 30.

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

PASSAGE

By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 6169, making appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal year 1974.

RECOMMIT

By a record vote of 185 yeas to 215 nays, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Bell to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions (Roybal Amendment) to report it back to the House deleting \$58 million for the extension of the West Front of the Capitol. (GRF - nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	109	71	1	11	192
Dem.	<u>76</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>241</u>
	185	215	2	31	433

EMERGENCY EMPLOYMENT

RULE

By a voice vote, the House failed to agree to H. Res. 360, a rule providing for the consideration of H.R. 4204, to provide for funding the Emergency Employment Act of 1971 for 2 additional years.

By a record vote of 193 yeas to 209 nays, the House failed to order the previous question on the rule and subsequently an amendment was offered (that was eventually not agreed to) which provided for the substitution of the text of H.R. 6710 for the committee bill (H.R. 4204). (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	15	170	7	192
Dem.	<u>178</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>241</u>
	193	209	31	433

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Wednesday, April 18, 1973 (continued)

EMERGENCY EMPLOYMENT (cont'd)

RULE (continued)

By a record vote of 157 yeas to 245 nays, the House failed to order the previous question on the Latta amendment. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	141	43	8	192
Dem.	<u>16</u>	<u>202</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>241</u>
	157	245	31	433

By a record vote of 183 yeas to 173 nays, the House agreed to a motion by Mr. Gross to table the motion to reconsider H. Res. 360, a rule providing for the consideration of H.R. 4204, to provide for funding the Emergency Employment Act of 1971 for 2 additional years. (GRF - Yes; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	144	18	30	192
Dem.	<u>39</u>	<u>155</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>241</u>
	183	173	77	433

HIGHWAYS

The House concluded all general debate on S. 502, to authorize appropriations for the construction of certain highways. Title I of the bill was read and open for amendment at any point. Pending when the Committee of the Whole rose was an amendment that seeks to permit local officials in urban areas to use \$700 million from the Highway Trust Fund for nonhighway transit needs.

OLDER AMERICANS

By a record vote of 348 yeas, the House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the amendment of the House to the bill S. 50, to strengthen and improve the Older Americans Act of 1965, clearing the measure for the President. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	159	0	33	192
Dem.	<u>189</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>241</u>
	348	0	85	433





Thursday, April 19, 1973

HIGHWAYS

RULE

By a voice vote, on April 17, 1973, the House adopted H. Res. 356, providing for two hours of open debate.

PASSAGE

By a voice vote, the House passed S. 502, to authorize appropriations for the construction of certain highways.

RECOMMIT

By a voice vote, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Harsha to recommit the bill to the Committee on Public Works.

Prior to final passage, by a recorded vote of 190 yeas to 215 nays, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Anderson of California that sought to permit local officials in urban areas to use \$700 million from the Highway Trust Fund for nonhighway transit needs.  
(GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	70	114	8	192
Dem.	<u>120</u>	<u>101</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>241</u>
	190	215	28	433

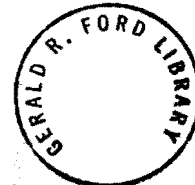
Prior to final passage, on a request for a separate vote, the House agreed to an amendment by Mr. Hanley that deletes language which earmarks funds for cities with a population of more than 400,000 from the urban system funds. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	161	12	19	192
Dem.	<u>131</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>241</u>
	292	93	48	433

The House insisted on its amendment and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Wright, Blatnik, Kluczynski, Johnson of California, James V. Stanton, Harsha, Cleveland, Don H. Clausen, and Snyder.

POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

The House disagreed to the amendment of the Senate to H.J. Res. 393, to extend the authorization of the National Commission on the Financing of Postsecondary Education and the period within which it must make its final report, and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Perkins, O'Hara, and Quie.



Monday, April 30, 1973

HOUSE CONSIDERED THE CONSENT CALENDAR

ECONOMIC STABILIZATION - Conference Report

By a record vote of 267 yeas to 115 nays, the House agreed to the conference report on S. 398, to extend and amend the Economic Stabilization Act of 1970, clearing the measure for the President. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	114	57	21	192
Dem.	<u>153</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>241</u>
	267	115	51	433

Tuesday, May 1, 1973

OMB DIRECTOR

RULE

By a record vote of 318 yeas to 56 nays, with 5 voting "present", the House approved H. Res. 351, providing for one hour of open debate. (GRF - Yes; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	120	52	16	4	192
Dem.	<u>198</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>241</u>
	318	56	54	5	433

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 229 yeas to 171 nays, the House passed H.R. 3932, to provide that appointments to the Office of Director and Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall be subject to confirmation by the Senate. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	20	164	8	192
Dem.	<u>209</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>241</u>
	229	171	33	433

Subsequently, this passage was vacated, and S. 518, a similar Senate bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

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Tuesday, May 1, 1973 (continued)

OMB DIRECTOR (cont'd)

RECOMMIT

By a voice vote, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Horton to recommit the bill to the Committee on Government Operations.

Prior to final passage, by a recorded vote of 130 yeas to 263 noes, the House rejected a substitute by Mr. Steelman to the committee substitute that sought to exempt the current Director and Deputy Director of the OMB from Senate confirmation, but would require confirmation of all future nominees for those posts. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	124	57	11	192
Dem.	<u>6</u>	<u>206</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>241</u>
	130	263	40	433

Wednesday, May 2, 1973

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE -- FOREIGN AID

Read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress proposed foreign aid legislation entitled "Foreign Assistance Act of 1973"--referred to Committee on Foreign Affairs.

HISTORIC PRESERVATION WEEK

The House passed S. J. Res. 51, to authorize and request the President to issue a proclamation designating the calendar week beginning May 6, 1973, as "National Historic Preservation Week".

AIRPORT AND AIRWAY DEVELOPMENT

RULE

By a record vote of 385 yeas to 2 nays, with 1 voting "present," the House adopted H. Res. 370, providing for one hour of open debate. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	181	1	10	0	192
Dem.	<u>204</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>241</u>
	385	2	45	1	433

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Wednesday, May 2, 1973 (continued)

AIRPORT AND AIRWAY DEVELOPMENT (cont'd)

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 386 yeas to 16 nays, the House passed H.R. 6388, to amend the Airport and Airway Development Act of 1970 to increase the U.S. share of allowable project costs under such act, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 to prohibit certain State taxation of persons in air commerce. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	175	5	12	192
Dem.	<u>211</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>241</u>
	386	16	31	433

Subsequently this passage was vacated, and S. 38, a similar Senate-passed bill was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

COMMISSION ON PRODUCTIVITY

By a voice vote, the House passed and cleared for the President S. J. Res. 93, to provide a temporary extension of the authorization for the President's National Commission on Productivity.

Thursday, May 3, 1973

POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

By a voice vote, the House cleared for the President H. J. Res. 393, to extend the authorization of the National Commission on the Financing of Postsecondary Education and the period within which it must make its final report.

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 352, providing for one hour of open debate.

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 297 yeas to 63 nays, the House passed H.R. 982, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act. (GRF - yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	135	26	31	192
Dem.	<u>162</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>241</u>
	297	63	73	433

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Thursday, May 3, 1973 (continued)

IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY (cont'd)

Prior to final passage, by a recorded vote of 96 yeas to 266 noes, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Roybal that sought to strike out the three-step civil and criminal penalty procedure for imposing sanctions on employers who knowingly employ aliens in the United States. (GRF - no; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	41	122	29	192
Dem.	<u>55</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>241</u>
	96	266	71	433

Monday, May 7, 1973

SUSPENSIONS - (5 BILLS)

The House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

Indians - H.R. 3867, to amend the act terminating Federal supervision over the Klamath Indian Tribe by providing for Federal acquisition of that part of the tribal lands described herein, amended. (passed by a voice vote)

Indian Claims Commission Authorization - H.R. 4967, to authorize appropriations for the Indian Claims Commission for fiscal year 1974, amended (passed by a record vote of 336 yeas to 8 nays). (GRF - NV; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	159	7	26	192
Dem.	<u>177</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>241</u>
	336	8	89	433

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed bill S. 721, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

Servicemen's Group Life Insurance - H.R. 6574, to encourage persons to join and remain in the Reserves and National Guard by providing full-time coverage under Servicemen's Group Insurance for such members and certain members of the Retired Reserve..(passed by a record vote of 342 yeas to 1 nay). (GRF - NV; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	163	0	29	192
Dem.	<u>179</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>241</u>
	342	1	90	433

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Monday, May 7, 1973 (continued)

SUSPENSIONS - (cont'd)

National Cemeteries - H.R. 2828, to establish a National Cemetery System within the Veterans' Administration, amended (passed by a record vote of 340 yeas to 1 nay). (GRF - NV; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	162	1	29	192
Dem.	<u>178</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>241</u>
	340	1	92	433

Subsequently, this passage was vacated and a similar Senate-passed bill S. 49, was passed in lieu after being amended to contain the language of the House bill as passed.

Postal Service payments to retirement fund - H.R. 29, to provide for payments by the Postal Service to the Civil Service Retirement Fund for increases in the unfunded liability of the Fund due to increases in benefits for Postal Service employees, amended (passed by a record vote of 344 yeas). (GRF - NV; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	164	0	28	192
Dem.	<u>180</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>241</u>
	344	0	89	433

Tuesday, May 8, 1973

SUSPENSIONS - (4 BILLS)

The House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

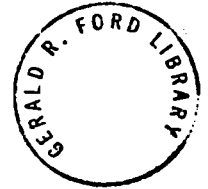
Sea Grant Authorization - H.R. 5452, to extend and make technical corrections to the National Sea Grant College and Program Act of 1966, amended (passed by a record vote of 368 yeas to 9 nays) (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	168	8	16	192
Dem.	<u>200</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>241</u>
	368	9	56	433

Oil Pollution - H.R. 5451, Oil Pollution Act Amendments of 1973, amended. (passed by a record vote of 370 yeas to 1 nay) (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	175	1	16	192
Dem.	<u>195</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>241</u>
	370	1	62	433

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Tuesday, May 8, 1973 (continued)

SUSPENSIONS (continued)

Coast Guard Authorization - H.R. 5383, to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal year 1974, amended (passed by a voice vote).

Office of Environmental Quality - S. 1379, to authorize further appropriations for the Office of Environmental Quality, clearing the measure for the President. (Passed by a voice vote)

Wednesday, May 9, 1973

CAMBODIA AND LAOS BOMBING

Agreed to a motion to table H. Res. 379, directing the Secretary of Defense to furnish certain information.

RENEGOTIATION

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 388, providing for two hours of open debate.

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 388 yeas, the House passed H.R. 7445, to amend the Renegotiation Act of 1951 to extend the act for 2 years. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	177	0	15	192
Dem.	<u>211</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>241</u>
	388	0	45	433

INTEREST PAYMENT ON TIME AND SAVINGS DEPOSITS

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 371, providing for one hour of open debate.

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 376 yeas to 4 nays with 18 voting "present," the House passed H.R. 6370, to extend certain laws relating to the payment of interest on time and savings deposits, to prohibit depository institutions from permitting negotiable orders of withdrawal to be made with respect to any deposit or account on which any interest or dividend is paid, to authorize Federal savings and loan associations and national banks to own stock in and invest in loans to certain State housing corporations. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

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Wednesday, May 9, 1973 (continued)

INTEREST PAYMENT ON TIME AND SAVINGS DEPOSITS (cont'd)

(vote on Final passage of H.R. 6370) (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	166	0	11	15	192
Dem.	<u>210</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>241</u>
	376	4	35	18	433

Prior to final passage, by a recorded vote of 98 ayes to 264 noes, with 29 voting "present" the House rejected the first committee committee amendment (St. Germain) that sought to delete language that prohibits against NOW (Negotiable Order of Withdrawal) savings accounts. (GRF - Aye; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	28	127	12	25	192
Dem.	<u>70</u>	<u>137</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>241</u>
	98	264	42	29	433

Thursday, May 10, 1973

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION -- Conference Report

By a record vote of 363 yeas to 25 nays, the House agreed to the conference report on S. 394, to amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, to reaffirm that such funds made available for each fiscal year to carry out the programs provided for in such act be fully obligated in said year, clearing the measure for the President. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	152	21	19	192
Dem.	<u>211</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>241</u>
	363	25	45	433

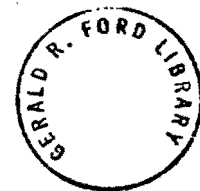
AIRPORT AND AIRWAY DEVELOPMENT

The House insisted on its amendment to S. 38, to amend the Airport and Airway Development Act of 1970, as amended, to increase the U.S. share of allowable project costs under such act, to amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended, to prohibit certain State taxation of persons in air commerce, and agreed to a conference asked by the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Staggers, Jarman, Dingell, Kuykendall, and Shoup.

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Thursday, May 10, 1973 (continued)

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONSPREVIOUS QUESTION - RULE

By a record vote of 184 yeas to 222 nays, the House failed to order the previous question on H. Res. 389, the rule waiving points of order against the bill. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	116	63	13	192
Dem.	<u>68</u>	<u>159</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>241</u>
	184	222	27	433

Subsequently, the rule was agreed to by a voice vote after being amended to make in order an amendment to the bill raising school assistance for class B impacted areas from 54 percent to 68 percent.

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 284 yeas to 96 nays, the House passed H.R. 7447, making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 1973. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	83	80	29	192
Dem.	<u>201</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>241</u>
	284	96	53	433

RECOMMIT

By a voice vote, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Minshall to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations.

Prior to final passage of the bill, the following action was taken:

On a demand for a separate vote, by a record vote of 194 yeas to 187 nays, the House agreed to an amendment by Mr. Addabbo that deletes language which would authorize the transfer of \$430 million by the Department of Defense. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	22	142	28	192
Dem.	<u>172</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>241</u>
	194	187	52	433

The amendment was agreed to earlier in the Committee of the Whole by a recorded vote of 219 yeas to 188 noes. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	35	143	14	192
Dem.	<u>184</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>241</u>
	219	188	26	433

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Thursday, May 10, 1973 (continued)

SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS (cont'd)

Prior to final passage of the bill, the following action was taken:  
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On a demand for a separate vote, the House agreed to an amendment by Mr. Long of Maryland that prohibits the use of funds by the Department of Defense to finance combat activities in Cambodia by U. S. forces. (The Amendment was agreed to earlier in the Committee of the Whole by a recorded vote of 224 ayes to 172 noes.)  
(GRF - No; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	54	121	17	192
Dem.	<u>170</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>241</u>
	224	172	37	433

By a recorded vote of 211 ayes to 178 noes, the House agreed to an amendment by Mrs. Mink that increases the funding for category B impacted aid school assistance from 54 percent to 68 percent.  
(GRF - No; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	67	102	23	192
Dem.	<u>144</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>241</u>
	211	178	44	433

By a recorded vote of 180 ayes to 219 noes, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Stratton that sought to postpone the provisions of the amendment which prohibits the use of funds to finance combat activities in Cambodia. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	133	44	15	192
Dem.	<u>47</u>	<u>175</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>241</u>
	180	219	34	433

Monday, May 14, 1973

NO LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS.

Tuesday, May 15, 1973

U.N. ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 361, providing for one hour of open debate.

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Tuesday, May 15, 1973 (continued)

U.N. ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM (cont'd)

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 266 yeas to 123 nays, the House passed H.R. 6768, to provide for participation by the United States in the United Nations environmental program. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	117	61	14	192
Dem.	<u>149</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>241</u>
	266	123	44	433

RECOMMIT

By a voice vote, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Gross to recommit the bill to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Prior to final passage, on a demand for a separate vote, by a record vote of 192 yeas to 198 nays, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Wylie that sought to reduce funds from \$40 million, available until expended, to \$5 million, available for fiscal year 1974 only. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	107	70	15	192
Dem.	<u>85</u>	<u>128</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>241</u>
	192	198	43	433

(same amendment was agreed to while in the Committee of the Whole by a recorded vote of 200 yeas to 184 noes). (GRF - No; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	111	65	16	192
Dem.	<u>89</u>	<u>119</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>241</u>
	200	184	49	433

Prior to final passage, by a recorded vote of 164 yeas to 216 noes, the House rejected an amendment by Mr. Gross that sought to reduce funds from \$40 million, available until expended, to \$2.5 million, available for fiscal year 1974 only. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	89	87	16	192
Dem.	<u>75</u>	<u>129</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>241</u>
	164	216	53	433



Wednesday, May 16, 1973

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE -- FEDERAL ELECTION REFORM

Received and read a message from the President wherein he transmits to Congress a legislative proposal to establish a nonpartisan Commission on Federal election reform--referred to the Committee on House Administration.

HOBBY PROTECTION ACT

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 390, providing for one hour of open debate.

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 382 yeas to 7 nays, the House passed H.R. 5777, to protect hobbyists against the reproduction or manufacture of certain imitation hobby items and to provide additional protection for American hobbyists. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	173	4	15	192
Dem.	<u>209</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>241</u>
	382	7	44	433

Thursday, May 17, 1973

AUTISTIC CHILDREN'S WEEK

The House passed H.J. Res. 296, to authorize the President to proclaim the last week of June of each year as "National Autistic Children's Week". Agreed to amendments that limit the measure for 1 year only.

Monday, May 21, 1973

THE HOUSE CONSIDERED THE CONSENT CALENDAR

SUSPENSIONS (3 BILLS)

The House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following:

Micronesian Claims: By a voice vote, the House passed H.R. 6628, to amend section 101(b) of the Micronesian Claims Act of 1971 to enlarge the class of persons eligible to receive benefits under the claims program established by that act, amended.

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Monday, May 21, 1973 (continued)

SUSPENSIONS (cont'd)

Housing: By a record vote of 357 yeas to 1 nay with 1 voting "present", the House passed H.J. Res. 512, to extend the authority of the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development with respect to the insurance of loans and mortgages, and to extend authorization under laws relating to housing and urban development, amended. (GRF - Absent; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	161	1	0	30	192
Dem.	<u>196</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>44</u>	<u>241</u>
	357	1	1	74	433

R.F.K. Stadium: By a record vote of 270 yeas to 98 nays with 1 voting "present", the House passed H.R. 6330, to amend section 8 of the Public Buildings Act of 1959, relating to the District of Columbia, amended. (GRF - NV; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	103	64	1	24	192
Dem.	<u>167</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>241</u>
	270	98	1	64	433

Tuesday, May 22, 1973

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

By a record vote of 307 yeas to 90 nays, the House agreed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 6717, to amend section 210 of the Flood Control Act of 1968, amended. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	114	64	14	192
Dem.	<u>193</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>241</u>
	307	90	36	433

PUBLIC WORKS -- ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The House disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to H.R. 2246, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to extend the authorization for a 1-year period, and asked a conference with the Senate. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Blatnik, Jones of Alabama, Johnson of California, Harsha, and Hammerschmidt.

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Tuesday, May 22, 1973 (continued)

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT

The House agreed to the amendments of the Senate with an amendment to H.R. 6077, to permit immediate retirement of certain Federal employees. The House disagreed to the amendment to the title of the bill, and sent the bill to the Senate for further action.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT

RULE

By a voice vote, the House adopted H. Res. 394, providing for one hour of open debate.

PASSAGE

By a record vote of 387 yeas to 5 nays, the House passed H.R. 7200, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937 and the Railroad Retirement Tax Act to revise certain eligibility conditions for annuities; to change the railroad retirement tax rate; and to amend the Interstate Commerce Act in order to improve the procedures pertaining to certain rate adjustments for carriers subject to part I of the act. (GRF - Yea; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	171	5	16	192
Dem.	<u>216</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>241</u>
	387	5	41	433

RECOMMIT

By a record vote of 10 yeas to 393 nays, the House rejected a motion by Mr. Collins of Texas to recommit the bill to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. (GRF - Nay; Speaker - NV)

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>NV</u>	<u>Total</u>
Rep.	10	169	13	192
Dem.	<u>0</u>	<u>224</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>241</u>
	10	393	30	433

PROGRAM AHEAD

Wednesday, May 23, 1973

Vote on Veto of S. 518, the bill requiring Senate confirmation of the incumbent Director and Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

H.R. 7528 - N.A.S.A. Authorization  
(OPEN RULE - ONE HOUR OF DEBATE)

(MORE)



PROGRAM AHEAD (continued)

Thursday, May 24, 1973

H.R. 6912 - Par Value Modification Act  
(OPEN RULE - ONE HOUR OF DEBATE)

H.R. 5857 - National Visitors Center Amendment  
(OPEN RULE - ONE HOUR OF DEBATE)

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