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H.R. 2722 - Securing America's Federal Elections Act
H.R. 3351 - Financial Services and General Government
Appropriations Act, 2020

1. Closed rule for H.R. 2722.
2. Provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on House Administration.
3. Waives all points of order against consideration of the bill.
4. Provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116-20, modified by the amendment printed in Part A of the report, shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read.
5. Waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended.
6. Provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.
7. Waives clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against any resolution reported through the legislative day of June 27, 2019, relating to a measure making appropriations.
8. Structured rule for H.R. 3351.
9. Provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.
10. Waives all points of order against consideration of the bill.
11. Provides that the bill shall be considered as read.
12. Waives all points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or clause 5(a) of rule XXI.
13. Makes in order only those amendments printed in part B of the report, amendments en bloc described in section 5, and pro forma amendments described in section 6. Each amendment printed in the report may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be

debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, may be withdrawn by the proponent at any time before action thereon, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by Section 6, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question.

14. Waives all points of order against the amendments printed in Part B of the report or against amendments en bloc described in section 5.
15. Section 5 provides that the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or her designee may offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments printed in Part B of the report not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their designees, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by section 6, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question.
16. Section 6 provides that during consideration of the bill for amendment, the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their designees each may offer up to five pro forma amendments each to the bill at any point for the purpose of debate.
17. Provides that at the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The question of such amendments' adoption shall be put to the House en gros and without division of the question.
18. Provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

RESOLUTION

Resolved, That upon adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 2722) to protect elections for public office by providing financial support and enhanced security for the infrastructure used to carry out such elections, and for other purposes. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. In lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on House Administration now printed in the bill, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 116-20, modified by the amendment printed in part A of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, shall be considered as adopted. The bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. All points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, are waived.

The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill, as amended, and on any further amendment thereto, to final passage without intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on House Administration; and (2) one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

Sec. 2. The requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Committee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the House is waived with respect to any resolution reported through the legislative day of June 27, 2019, relating to a measure making appropriations.

Sec. 3. At any time after adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3351) making appropriations for financial services and general government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The bill shall be considered as read. Points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 or clause 5(a) of rule XXI are waived.

Sec. 4. (a) No amendment to the bill shall be in order except those printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, amendments en bloc described in section 5 of this resolution, and pro forma amendments described in section 6 of this resolution.

(b) Each amendment printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules shall be considered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, may be withdrawn by the proponent at any time before action thereon, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by section 6 of this resolution, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

(c) All points of order against amendments printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules or against amendments en bloc described in section 5 of this resolution are waived.

Sec. 5. It shall be in order at any time for the chair of the Committee on Appropriations or her designee to offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc offered pursuant to this section shall be considered as read, shall be debatable

for 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees, shall not be subject to amendment except as provided by section 6 of this resolution, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

Sec. 6. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees may offer up to 5 pro forma amendments each at any point for the purpose of debate.

Sec. 7. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. In the case of sundry amendments reported from the Committee, the question of their adoption shall be put to the House en gros and without division of the question. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT IN PART A PROPOSED TO BE CONSIDERED AS ADOPTED

Sponsor	# Description
Lofgren (CA)	#1 (REVISED) (MANAGER'S) Makes technical corrections to the bill; ensures that individuals with disabilities and others are given an equivalent opportunity to vote; ensures that officials can conduct audits by inspecting elections without relying on barcodes; clarifies that information and elections technology includes technology used by election officials to distribute information about voting.

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS IN PART B PROPOSED TO BE MADE IN ORDER

(summaries derived from information provided by sponsors)

Sponsor	# Description	Debate Time
1. Pocan (WI), Clyburn (SC), Bustos (IL), Butterfield (NC)	#5 Prohibits the Federal Communications Committee from finalizing the proposed rule "Universal Service Contribution Methodology," which would impose a cap on the Universal Service Fund and allow the sub-caps of USF programs to be combined.	(10 minutes)
2. King, Steve (IA)	#114 (LATE) Strikes section 634 from the bill, which states that none of the funds made available by this Act may be used to propose, promulgate, or implement any rule, principle, policy, standard, or guidance changing the 2017 methodology prescribed by OMB for determining the Official Poverty Measure.	(10 minutes)
3. King, Steve (IA)	#115 (LATE) Strikes the section 126 of the underlying bill which prohibits the use of funds from the Department of the Treasury's Forfeiture Fund to plan, design, construct or carry out a project to construct a southern Border Wall or barrier along the southern border of the US.	(10 minutes)
4. Norton (DC), Connolly (VA), Raskin (MD), Sarbanes (MD), Trone (MD), Hoyer (MD),	#9 Prohibits funds made available by this Act from being used to relocate the National Institute of Food and Agriculture or the Economic Research Service outside of the National Capital Region.	(10 minutes)

**Brown
(MD),
Wexton
(VA), Beyer
(VA), Titus
(NV)**

**5. Huizenga
(MI)** #36 Prohibits the use of funds to implement, administer, or enforce a SEC rule pursuant to Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Act relating to conflict minerals. (10 minutes)

**6.
Velázquez
(NY)** #15 Increases funding for Small Business Administration, Entrepreneurial Development Programs by \$1 million, with the increase intended to specifically support Growth Accelerators. (10 minutes)

**7. Hill,
French
(AR),
Womack
(AR)** #2 Increases and decreases funding in the Small Business Administration's Entrepreneurial Development Programs by \$5,000,000 to support funding for the Small Business Administration's Regional Innovation Cluster Program. (10 minutes)

**8. Jackson
Lee (TX)** #3 **(REVISED)** Increases funding by \$1 million to the Taxpayer Advocate Service for the purpose of assisting the parents of a deceased child, when that child's information has been stolen and used on personal income taxes filed with the IRS, when the parent or guardian of record must report the identity theft of their deceased child's information. (10 minutes)

**9. Zeldin
(NY),
Courtney
(CT),
Suozzi
(NY), Rice,
Kathleen
(NY),
DeLauro
(CT)** #13 Prohibits funds by the GSA to market or sell the National Bio and Agro-defense Facility at Plum Island, New York. (10 minutes)

**10. Pascrell
(NJ),
Amodei
(NV),** #88 Increases and decreases funding by \$1,000,000 for the United States Postal Service (USPS) to support USPS expanding its non-bank financial services to the fullest extent permitted by (10 minutes)

Pressley (MA)		current statute in order to meet the needs of underbanked Americans.	
11. Graves, Garret (LA)	#58	Increases and decreases funding to the SBA Disaster Loan Program by \$1 million in order to urge the SBA Administrator to consider a SBA Disaster Loan recipient's duplication of benefits relief eligibility, under Section 312 of the Stafford Act, before pursuing enforcement actions.	(10 minutes)
12. Clay (MO)	#37	(REVISED) Transfers \$250,000 from the General Services Administration rental of space account to increase funding from \$1.25 million to \$1.5 million for the Model Acts Program at the Office of National Drug Control Policy, which provides guidance for State plans to address the various substance use disorders that harm families and communities.	(10 minutes)
13. Grothman (WI)	#107	(LATE) Reduces each amount appropriated or made available in this Act by 3.1 percent.	(10 minutes)
14. Castor (FL)	#19	Reduces and increases funding of the FTC account by \$3 million to encourage the FTC to take enforcement action against companies that fail to protect children's privacy.	(10 minutes)
15. Kustoff (TN), Foster (IL)	#12	Increases and decreases funding to the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas program by \$1 million.	(10 minutes)
16. Cohen (TN), Raskin (MD), DeSaulnier (CA), Jeffries (NY)	#30	Prohibits the use of funds to enter into any new contract, grant, or cooperative agreement with any Trump related business listed in the President Trump's Annual Financial Disclosure Report submitted to the Office of Government Ethics as well as certain Trump related properties listed on the Trump Organization's website (the specific properties are listed in the amendment).	(10 minutes)
17. Dunn (FL), Rice, Tom (SC)	#62	Increases and decreases by \$1,000,000 the Internal Revenue Service Taxpayer Services account to prioritize tax counseling services for victims of recent natural disasters.	(10 minutes)
18. Connolly	#60	Prohibits the Office of Personnel Management from carrying out any furloughs or reductions in	(10 minutes)

(VA), Beyer (VA)		force of its employees.	
19. Banks (IN)	#104	(LATE) Reduces spending for each amount made available by this act, except amounts made available to the Department of Defense, by 14 percent.	(10 minutes)
20. Foster (IL)	#96	(LATE) Adds and removes a dollar from the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network Salaries and Expenses Account to encourage the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network (FinCEN) and its partners to take proactive efforts to identify and bring into compliance unregistered money transmitters, particularly virtual currency exchangers, administrators, and crypto-mixers that seek to conceal the source of the transmission of virtual currency to combat the threat of money laundering and other forms of illicit financing.	(10 minutes)
21. Cheney (WY)	#113	(LATE) Increases and decreases funding by \$1,000,000 to prioritizes funding for the FCC to combat unwanted robocalls intended to scam seniors.	(10 minutes)
22. Beatty (OH)	#23	(REVISED) Increases and decreases \$20 from the Department of Treasury to instruct the printing of \$20 Federal Notes which prominently feature the abolitionist, Harriet Tubman, and a public release of its draft.	(10 minutes)
23. Guest (MS)	#14	(REVISED) Increases the Bank Enterprise Award Program by \$1,000,000 which is offset by decreasing the General Services Administration's rent account by the same amount.	(10 minutes)
24. Plaskett (VI)	#22	Provides for inclusion of the island territories of the United States within the meaning of the terms "high-poverty area" and "persistent poverty counties".	(10 minutes)
25. Steil (WI)	#67	Increases and decreases funds for the Department of the Treasury by \$500,000 to convey the sense of Congress that Treasury should continue to support the Financial Literacy and Education Commission's (FLEC) work to serve historically disadvantaged	(10 minutes)

individuals.

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| 26. Suozzi (NY) | #7 Increases by \$1 million funding for the Small Business Administration's Entrepreneurial Development Programs, for the SBA's Veterans Business Outreach Centers. | (10 minutes) |
| 27. Lee, Susie (NV), Amodei (NV) | #10 (REVISED) Provides an additional \$1,000,000 to the Drug-Free Communities Program account to support local governments' critical opioid response efforts in communities hit hardest by the opioid crisis and makes a corresponding reduction in the General Services Administration sub-account for the "rental of space." | (10 minutes) |
| 28. Jayapal (WA), Deutch (FL) | #51 Increases and decreases funding for the Federal Election Commission by \$1,000,000 to support enforcement of prohibitions against the solicitation, acceptance, or receipt of anything of value from a foreign national in connection with a U.S. election pursuant to 52 USC 30121. | (10 minutes) |
| 29. Panetta (CA) | #92 Increases/decreases appropriations for the Internal Revenue Service Office Taxpayer Services account by \$1,000,000 to support marketing activities promoting free federal tax filing programs and free federal tax services for military servicemembers. | (10 minutes) |
| 30. Omar (MN) | #16 (REVISED) Increase funding by \$1,000,000 for the Healthy Food Financing Initiative within the Community Development Financial Institutions Fund Program Account, offset by decreasing \$1,000,000 from the General Services Administration. | (10 minutes) |
| 31. Trahan (MA) | #21 Decreases and increases funding by \$1 for the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to highlight the importance of completing its investigation into the sale of geolocation data by wireless carriers to third party location aggregators. | (10 minutes) |
| 32. Dean (PA) | #25 Increases CDFI Program Integration for Individuals with Disabilities dedicated funding by \$2,000,000, to increase financial and technical assistance, and allow more CDFIs to respond to the housing, transportation, education, and | (10 minutes) |

employment needs of underserved, low-income individuals with disabilities.

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| 33. Tlaib (MI) | #33 Requests a \$5 million increase to the Entrepreneurial Development Program for the Women's Development Center, a transfer of the same amount from the Treasury-Wide Salaries and Expenses. | (10 minutes) |
| 34. Finkenauer (IA) | #110 (LATE) Prohibits the use of funds to provide new funding for the "Minimum Performance Tier" as defined by the FCC. | (10 minutes) |
| 35. Kim (NJ) | #49 Increases funding for the Small Business Administration's entrepreneurial development programs by \$1,000,000 to be directed towards Small Business Development Centers and Veterans Business Outreach Centers. | (10 minutes) |
| 36. Porter (CA) | #52 (REVISED) Prohibits the Federal Communications Committee from finalizing a draft declaratory ruling that would overturn local ordinances that promote broadband competition. | (10 minutes) |
| 37. Neguse (CO) | #69 Increases and decreases funding for the Postal Service Fund by \$1 million to express the importance of improving delivery services and shortening post office wait times in rural areas. | (10 minutes) |
| 38. McBath (GA) | #80 (REVISED) Increases by \$1.5 million funding for Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau. | (10 minutes) |
| 39. McBath (GA) | #81 (REVISED) Increases by \$2 million funding for Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFI) Financial and Technical Assistance. | (10 minutes) |
| 40. Malinowski (NJ) | #93 (REVISED) Increases by \$1,000,000 the minimum amount to be directed toward IRS' Tax Counseling for the Elderly Program. | (10 minutes) |
| 41. Ocasio-Cortez (NY) | #108 (LATE) Transfers \$3 million from the White House Office of Administration account to the Office of the Inspector General account. | (10 minutes) |
| 42. Craig (MN) | #111 (LATE) (REVISED) Stipulates that no new funds may be used for the data collection solicited by the Federal Communications Commission's Form 477 Local Telephone Competition and Broadband Reporting Program due to existing language that permits Internet | (10 minutes) |

Service Providers to include currently unserved areas in their reporting of where broadband is available.

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| 43. Waters
(CA) | #72 (REVISED) Prohibits the Securities and Exchange Commission from proposing, implementing, administering, or enforcing any rule that would revise the reliance of certain advisors on the proxy solicitation exemption under 240.14a-2(b) of Title 17, Code of Federal Regulations. | (10
minutes) |
| 44. Waters
(CA) | #77 (REVISED) Prohibits the Securities and Exchange Commission from using funds to propose, implement, administer, or enforce any rule that would revise the threshold for shareholder proposals or resubmissions under 240.14a-8 of title 17, Code of Federal Regulations. | (10
minutes) |
| 45. Waters
(CA) | #78 Prohibits the Securities and Exchange Commission from implementing, administering, enforcing, or publicizing the final rules and interpretations of the Securities and Exchange Commission rule entitled “Regulation Best Interest: The Broker-Dealer Standard of Conduct” (File No. S7-07-18). | (10
minutes) |
| 46. Waters
(CA) | #98 Increases funding for the Small Business Administration’s Office of Entrepreneurial Development by \$5,000,000 in order to further support the training and counseling needs of small businesses through the national network of development centers and women’s business centers. Reduces GSA Real Property Activities Account by \$5,000,000. | (10
minutes) |