

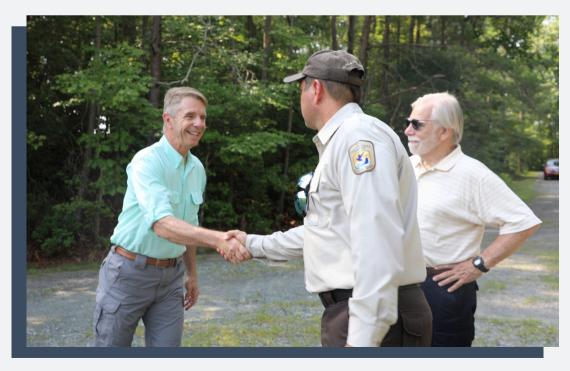
118TH CONGRESS IN REVIEW



EDUCATION

Prepare students for a 21stcentury economy by prioritizing workforce development and further developing Career and Technical Education (CTE) and Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) programs.





NATURAL RESOURCES

Protect our environment and natural resources for generations to come and practicing proper stewardship of our public lands, wetlands, and wildlife.



PRIORITIES



GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY

Get our nation's fiscal house in order by eliminating wasteful government spending, eliminating duplicative programs, and bringing transparency and accountability back to the budget and appropriations process.

HEALTHCARE

Reform our healthcare system to provide quality, affordable healthcare options that are patientcentered and meet the individual needs of every American.





PRIORITIES

NATIONAL DEFENSE

Ensure capabilities of our Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, and Space Force meet the reality of the threats facing the United States and to project power around the globe to deter our adversaries.





VETERANS

Ensure veterans receive the benefits, care, and opportunities they deserve as they transition back to civilian life after serving our nation.



PRIORITIES



SMALL BUSINESS

Promote pro-growth, pro-worker, and pro-American policies that create more jobs, spur competition and innovation, and put more money in the pockets of hardworking Americans.

SENIORS

Preserve the benefits and contributions made into retirement programs like Social Security and Medicare for today's seniors and future generations.





PRIORITIES

TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE

Address the unique challenges of our region's infrastructure and invest in the future transportation needs of Virginia's First District and the nation.





SUPPORTING LAW ENFORCEMENT

Combat illegal immigration and address the opioid crisis through a comprehensive plan that secures our border, enforces the rule of law, and provides adequate funding and resources for our law enforcement professionals.



PRIORITIES



BROADBAND

Expand broadband to unserved and underserved areas to bridge the digital divide and increase access to digital services such as telemedicine, distance-learning, and online banking for rural Americans.

ENERGY

Secure American energy production, independence, and dominance to create American jobs, lower household energy costs for American families, and promote the United States as the world's energy supplier.





118TH CONGRESS **BY THE NUMBERS**

QUALITY CONSTITUENT SERVICES

510 meetings

with constituents in D.C. and Virginia's First District

129,570

responses

to constituent inquiries and contacts via email, letters, social media, or phone call

\$4M dollars+ returned to constituents **4,000 constituents** helped with casework issues

> **255 flags** flown over the U.S. Capitol for constituents

574 passport cases resolved for constituents

SECURING LEGISLATIVE VICTORIES

32 bills introduced by Rep. Wittman

293 bills cosponsored by Rep. Wittman **195 bipartisan bills** cosponsored by Rep. Wittman

129 committee hearings attended



118TH CONGRESS **BY THE NUMBERS**

ENGAGING WITH CONSTITUENTS



reached through virtual and telephone town halls



by telephone and via livestream



24 district events hosted across VA-01

KEEPING CONSTITUENTS UPDATED



with informational email updates sent directly to their inboxes

178 speaking engagements

attended

654 informational updates sent to constituents **15** opinion pieces published in news outlets

181 media interviews conducted



sent



EDUCATION WORKING FOR YOU PREPARING THE WORKFORCE OF TOMORROW

Strengthening America's education system is important in fostering innovation and promoting our economic growth. That's why one of my top priorities is promoting career and technical education (CTE) and STEM programs. I was proud to introduce my bipartisan *Freedom to Invest in Tomorrow's Workforce Act* with Rep. Abigail Spanberger, which will give individuals the freedom to use their 529 savings accounts for professional training and credentialing programs.





MY BILLS IN THE 118TH CONGRESS

- Freedom To Invest in Tomorrow's Workforce Act
- Professional Pell Education Learning (PROPEL) Act
- Education Savings Accounts for Military Families Act

Richmond Times-Dispatch

With bipartisan support, more flexible 529 plans will make Virginia stronger By: U.S. Rep. Rob Wittman and U.S. Rep. Abigail Spanberger July 30, 2024

"When we introduced the Freedom to Invest in Tomorrow's Workforce Act in March of 2023, we were inspired by countless Virginia students who are choosing to forgo a four-year degree to join the workforce and pursue indemand jobs. We have also heard from students who have limited funds to pay for the training and credentialing programs these well-paying jobs require."



NATURAL RESOURCES WORKING FOR YOU CONSERVING OUR ENVIRONMENT & PROTECTING OUR WILDLIFE

As a lifelong conservationist and outdoorsman, I know how important it is to conserve our natural resources, public lands, and wildlife. I serve on the House Natural Resources Committee where I'm focused on protecting our environment by promoting policies that encourage clean energy, innovation, and proper stewardship of our environment. I have been a leader in safeguarding our Chesapeake Bay wildlife, waters, and region. Our Commonwealth and our nation are both blessed with an abundance of natural resources that we have a responsibility to protect, manage, and use in ways that allow them to flourish for generations to come.



MY BILLS IN THE 118TH CONGRESS

- Protecting Access for Hunters and Anglers Act
- Supporting the Health of Aquatic systems through Research Knowledge and Enhanced Dialogue (SHARKED) Act
- America's Conservation Enhancement (ACE) Reauthorization Act
- Earth Sciences and Cooperation Enhancement Act
- Amendment to the Export Reform Control Act of 2018
- Securing Essential and Critical U.S. Resources and Elements (SECURE) Minerals Act



of Rep. Wittman's natural resources bills passed the House

natural resources bills introduced by Rep. Wittman in the 118th Congress

GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY WORKING FOR YOU HOLDING WASHINGTON ACCOUNTABLE



Transparency and accountability in Congress are essential for reining in wasteful government spending and ensuring our government is responsibly funded. Funding the government on time is Congress' most basic duty, yet we continue to find ourselves budgeting by crisis and using last-minute stop-gap measures to avoid shutdowns. I reintroduced and pushed three pieces of legislation to fix this broken process:

- Stay on Schedule (S.O.S) Resolution
- No Budget, No Pay Act
- Inaction Has Consequences Act

Richmond Times-Dispatch August recess? Congress must stay until the work is done

By: U.S. Rep. Rob Wittman July 23, 2023

"Throughout my tenure in Congress, I have been a steadfast advocate for holding the legislative branch accountable and restoring transparency to the budget and appropriations process. We must work toward a permanent solution that provides fiscal certainty for our federal agencies. By holding members of Congress accountable, we can ensure that our government functions in the best interest of our constituents."

Daily Press

Congress must stay on schedule or cancel August recess

By: U.S. Rep. Rob Wittman July 22, 2024

"We should be held accountable if we don't do the work our constituents elected us to do. I have been introducing government accountability legislation for years, but it has not moved forward because members of Congress are unwilling to put their pay and vacation on the line. It's time for members to stop preaching accountability and actually put their money where their mouth is."



PUBLIC HEALTH WORKING FOR YOU KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY SAFE & HEALTHY

Throughout my time in Congress, I have met with countless constituents across Virginia's First District, including many healthcare workers and parents concerned about their children's well-being. A common theme I hear is how many of you are impacted by the unprecedented mental health crisis plaguing our nation. By improving access to mental health resources in our local health systems, we can promote healthy communities, help our neighbors and loved ones in crisis, and fight the surging number of drug overdose deaths.



BILLS INTRODUCED OR COSPONSORED IN THE 118TH CONGRESS

- Organ Donation Referral Improvement Act
- Safety from Violence for Healthcare Employees (SAVE) Act
- Accelerating Kids Access to Care Act
- Alleviating Barriers for Caregivers Act
- Lower Costs, More Transparency Act
- Increasing Seniors Access to Care Act
- Give Kids a Chance Act
- Building Our Largest Dementia (BOLD)
 Infrastructure for Alzheimer's Reauthorization Act
- Help Ensure Lower Patient (HELP) Copays Act



public health-focused seminars hosted by Rep. Wittman



Rep. Wittman hosting a mental health seminar in Williamsburg.



NATIONAL DEFENSE WORKING FOR YOU KEEPING AMERICA SAFE & SECURE

As vice chairman of the House Armed Services Committee and chairman of the Tactical Air and Land Forces Subcommittee, I know how important it is for our servicemembers to have the resources they need to defend our nation and deter our adversaries. As we face growing national security threats from China, Russia, and Iran, our military must maintain an advantage over our adversaries to protect our interests and the interests of our allies. The security and stability of the free world depends on a strong American military, and I am committed to ensuring our Armed Forces are equipped to compete in an increasingly dangerous world.



3 NATIONAL DEFENSE BILLS SIGNED INTO LAW IN 118TH CONGRESS

H.R. 4952 - To establish the OFFICE OF STRATEGIC CAPITAL in the Office of the Secretary of Defense (*included in the FY24 NDAA*)

H.R. 855 - INDEPENDENT AND OBJECTIVE OVERSIGHT OF UKRAINIAN ASSISTANCE ACT

H.R. 3168 - To establish a JOINT AUTONOMY OFFICE in the Department of Defense (*included in the FY24 NDAA*)



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