

A RESOLUTION TO REMOVE TURKEY FROM NATO TO

SAVE LIVES

1 **WHEREAS**, Turkey invaded a foreign sovereign state Syria with imperialistic
2 intentions,

3 **WHEREAS**, Attacking a foreign state that has recently been through a civil war
4 puts stress on their people and their government which may lead to loss of life,

5 **WHEREAS**, Allowing The Republic of Turkey to attack Syria and collaborate
6 with Russia can lead to a former ally aligning themselves with our greatest enemy,

7 **RESOLVED**, That the Student Congress here assembled make the following
8 recommendation to The North Atlantic Treaty Organization to remove Turkey
9 from NATO.

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Spencer Friedland

Half Hollow Hills High School East

A BILL TO DECRIMINALIZE DRUGS IN THE UNITED STATES

1. **Section 1.** All drug use in the United States shall be decriminalized and the
2. funds used for jailing people with drug histories will be put towards increasing
3. funding to existing residential rehabilitation facilities for former drug users
4. **Section 2.** “Decriminalize” is defined as the removal of criminal penalties;
5. “drugs” is defined as narcotics, depressants, stimulants, hallucinogens, and
6. anabolic steroids as listed under the Controlled Substances Act.
7. **Section 3.** The Drug Enforcement Agency and The Justice Department will carry
8. out the decriminalization of penalties of drug use in the United States
9. **SECTION 4.** This bill will go into effect on January 1st, 2023.
10. **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Spencer Friedland

Half Hollow Hills High School East

A Bill to Outlaw Citizens Arrest

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

SECTION 1. Ordinary civilians should not be in charge of arresting other civilians. Citizen's arrests are lawful in certain limited situations and in certain states, such as when a private citizen personally witnesses a violent crime and then detains the perpetrator. However, this act may be unsafe to the person being arrested and the person arresting the civilian.

SECTION 2. Citizen's arrest is an arrest made by a private citizen, in contrast to the typical arrest made by a police officer.

SECTION 3. The United States Department of Justice will oversee this piece of legislation.

SECTION 4. This legislation shall go into effect on January 1, 2024.

SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

*Rep. Sabrina Gizzi
Half Hollow Hills High School East*

**A BILL TO PROMOTE MORE FUNDING FOR EQUAL HEALTHCARE FOR ALL
BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:**

SECTION 1. The funding that people receive in order to receive high-quality Healthcare is not enough to improve the quality of life of every human being. The United States Government and Health and Human Services Department will grant more funding to people's health in order to achieve equality, as well as improve the health of everyone. We will be raising 40 billion dollars. We will be getting this money by decreasing the military budget by twenty billion dollars and adding a one percent tax to those making 100,000 dollars per person or 200,000 dollars as a family. The funding for this healthcare will be directed towards those who earn under 40,000 dollars per year as an individual or 80,000 dollars a year as a family. This money will be directed towards basic health care costs such as dental, primary, and mental health services.

SECTION 2. "Healthcare" is defined as the prevention, treatment, and management of illness for the benefit of physical and mental well-being.

SECTION 3. The U.S Health and Human Services Department will oversee the implementation of this bill.

- A. The Health and Human Services Department will allocate the resources to do the most good however they see fit.

SECTION 4. This change in budget will take effect on January 1, 2024.

SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

*Rep. Ellina Koo
Half Hollow Hills High School East*

The Inflation Reduction & Equity for All Act (IREAA)

- 1) Section 1: \$740 billion will be appropriated for the EPA to subsidize
- 2) individual states deemed by the EPA to be committed to combatting climate
- 3) change.
- 4) Section 2: \$40 billion will be appropriated in new funding for military and
- 5) economic aid for Ukraine.
- 6) Section 3: A moratorium on all new gas and oil exploration in the U.S. will be
- 7) established.
- 8) Section 4: Medicare will be expanded to all people in the U.S. and its
- 9) territories.
- 10) Section 5: Complete loan forgiveness will be given for up to \$50,000 in student
- 11) loan debt, \$100,000 in home mortgage debt, and \$35,000 in car loan debt
- 12) for electric vehicles.
- 13) Section 6: A 2% flat tax will be added to the income taxes of all households
- 14) making above \$200,000. The tax will start on the first dollar above \$200,000.
- 15) Section 7: All non-violent, white-collar criminals will be released from federal
- 16) prison.
- 17) Section 8: The Border Patrol Agency will remove all border fencing and then
- 18) be abolished. All immigrants will be welcomed.

Respectfully submitted,
Cold Spring Harbor High School

A Bill to Allow Former Felons to Vote

1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2. **Section 1.** Upon completion of their sentence and return to society, persons convicted of a felony

3. who have lost any of their voting rights as a result of the conviction will regain their full voting rights

4. for all local, state, and federal elections.

5. **Section 2.** The President of the United States is authorized to enforce this legislation by withholding

6. federal funding or other assistance for elections from any State that fails to give former felons, upon

7. their return to society, full voting rights for all local, state, and federal elections.

8. **Section 3.** This bill would be overseen by the Department of Justice in conjunction with Election

9. Assistance Commission. In order to fund its new responsibilities the Election Assistance Commission

10. budget will be raised 2.4 million from 9.6 million to 12 million.

11. **Section 4.** This bill shall become effective for all elections occurring after January 1, 2025.

12. **Section 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. James Abruzzo

Kellenberg Memorial High School

A Bill to Ban Fracking

1 BE IT ENACTED BY STUDENT CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT

2 Section 1. This bill prohibits federal agencies from issuing permits for the
3 expansion of fracking or fracked oil and natural gas infrastructure,
4 including infrastructure intended to extract, transport, or burn natural
5 gas or oil. By 2030 all fracking permits will be revoked. By 2030 the
6 United States will be fracking free.

7 Section 2. “Hydraulic fracturing or fracking is a process to extract underground
8 resources such as oil or gas from a geologic formation by injecting
9 water, a propping agent (e.g., sand), and chemical additives into a
10 well under enough pressure to fracture the geological formation. “

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12 Section 3. The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection Agency
13 shall be deemed responsible for implementing this bill

14 Section 4. Upon passage, this legislation will take effect on January 1st, 2022

15 Section 5. All laws that conflict with this will be declared null and void

Respectfully submitted, Representative Kyra Kozey from Syosset High School

A Bill to Establish Congressional Term Limits

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 SECTION 1. All members of both the House and Senate shall have their
3 opportunity of re-election restricted by congressional term limits.

4 SECTION 2. All members of the House shall serve a maximum of four terms.

5 A. These terms may be served consecutively or individually; however, the
7 maximum number of terms will be four and two for the House and
8 Senate, respectively.

9 B. Terms served in one body of Congress do not impede an individual's
10 ability to serve in another. For instance, if an individual wanted to
11 serve four terms in the House and two in the Senate, they would have
12 the ability to do so.

13 SECTION 3. The Federal Election Commission will oversee the enforcement of
14 this legislation.

15 SECTION 4. This bill shall be implemented by the fiscal year 2022.

16 SECTION 5. All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null
and void.

Respectfully submitted, Representative Krishiv Dhupar from Syosset High School

Resolution to Declare November 20, 2023 a Day of National Celebration

1. Whereas Joseph Rainette Biden, Jr. will turn eighty years of age on November 20, of this
2. year,
3. Whereas no president in all American history has ever achieved this before,
4. Whereas President Biden has shown leadership akin to FDR, during whose presidency he
5. was born, LBJ, and even Jimmy Carter,
6. Whereas President Biden has won the war in Afghanistan, declared victory over Covid,
7. weakened climate change, stalled inflation, and reduced the prices of gas and prescription
8. drugs,
9. Whereas President Biden can give hope to millions of American seniors that they too can
10. become President,
11. Be it hereby resolved by this Congress assembled that on November 20th of this year
12. only:
13. (1) all federal offices will be closed nationwide:
14. (2) commemorative photographs of President Biden will be created by the Bureau of
15. Printing and Engraving and distributed by the Department of Education for further
16. distribution to the state departments of education to distribute to all K-12 schools in each
17. state for display in all K-12 classrooms;
18. (3) a parade of millions of federal employees will march down Constitution Avenue
19. to celebrate this event;
20. (4) all K-12 public schools will be required to teach lessons relating to President Biden's
21. accomplishments.

Respectfully submitted,

Cold Spring Harbor High School