

yeowomen's work in making sure that we would get to this day.

Madam Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Ms. JACKSON LEE. Madam Speaker, I rise to speak in support of the "Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement Act of 2019."

H.R. 1994, the Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement (SECURE) Act helps Americans to save more for a secure retirement and delivering a urgently needed fix for Gold Star military families facing drastic tax hikes under the GOP tax scam.

This legislation:

Makes it easier for small businesses to offer retirement plans to their employees;

Ensures that hard-working home health care workers can receive retirement benefits; and, Eliminates the unexpected and unfair enormous tax increases caused by the GOP tax scam that were on the survivorship benefits of children in Gold Star military families already facing the extraordinary hardship of losing a loved one.

The spouses of our fallen heroes sometimes sign over earned benefits to their children to ensure the family receives all benefits.

This bill will help Gold Star Families who are being taxed unfairly by the Trump Tax Cut.

But because the new Republican tax law brought changes to how children's assets are taxed, many Gold Star Families are required to pay thousands of additional dollars in taxes on survivor benefits—a crushing blow to families who have already given so much to our country.

Prior to the Trump Tax Cut Scam, money given by the military to the children of troops who died on duty were taxed at the same rate as their surviving parents.

But under Trump's tax cuts the changes included in the December 2017 tax law overhaul, those benefits were instead treated the same as family estate transfers, which increased the tax rate from no more than 15 percent to up to 37 percent.

This change significantly raised the tax bills for many of those military families.

It is important to provide these needed changes to protect Gold Star Families, and I look forward to the additional changes that are under way to help others hurt by the inequity of the Trump tax hike for the very rich.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. All time for debate has expired.

Pursuant to House Resolution 389, the previous question is ordered on the bill, as amended.

The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 1(c) of rule XIX, further consideration of H.R. 1994 is postponed.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 223, nays 194, answered "present" 2, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 229]

YEAS—223

Adams	Gomez	Payne
Aguilar	Granger	Perlmutter
Allred	Green (TX)	Perry
Amodei	Grijalva	Phillips
Bacon	Grothman	Pingree
Banks	Haaland	Pocan
Barr	Hastings	Porter
Barragán	Hayes	Pressley
Bass	Heck	Price (NC)
Bergman	Higgins (NY)	Quigley
Beyer	Hill (CA)	Raskin
Bilirakis	Hollingsworth	Reed
Bishop (GA)	Hoyer	Reschenthaler
Blumenauer	Huffman	Rice (NY)
Blunt Rochester	Jayapal	Richmond
Bonamici	Johnson (GA)	Rodgers (WA)
Bost	Johnson (TX)	Roe, David P.
Boyle, Brendan	Jordan	Rose (NY)
F.	Joyce (OH)	Roybal-Allard
Brady	Joyce (PA)	Ruppersberger
Brindisi	Keating	Rush
Brown (MD)	Kelly (IL)	Rutherford
Bustos	Kelly (PA)	Ryan
Butterfield	Kennedy	Sánchez
Carbajal	Khanna	Sarbanes
Carson (IN)	Kildee	Scanlon
Carter (TX)	Kim	Schakowsky
Cartwright	King (IA)	Schiff
Case	Lamb	Schneider
Casten (IL)	Langevin	Schweikert
Castor (FL)	Larsen (WA)	Scott (VA)
Castro (TX)	Larson (CT)	Scott, David
Chu, Judy	Lawrence	Serrano
Cicilline	Lawson (FL)	Sewell (AL)
Cisneros	Lee (CA)	Shalala
Clark (MA)	Lee (NV)	Sherman
Clarke (NY)	Levin (CA)	Simpson
Clay	Levin (MI)	Sires
Cleaver	Lewis	Smith (NJ)
Clyburn	Lieu, Ted	Smith (WA)
Cohen	Lipinski	Smucker
Connolly	Loebsock	Soto
Courtney	Loftgren	Speier
Cox (CA)	Lowenthal	Stanton
Crist	Lowe	Stefanik
Cummings	Lujan	Steil
Curtis	Luria	Stevens
Davids (KS)	Lynch	Swalwell (CA)
Davidson (OH)	Malinowski	Takano
Davis (CA)	Maloney,	Taylor
Davis, Danny K.	Carolyn B.	Thompson (MS)
Dean	Marshall	Thornberry
DeGette	Matsui	Titus
DeLauro	McCarthy	Tlaib
DelBene	McClintock	Torres (CA)
Delgado	McCollum	Torres Small
Demings	McEachin	(NM)
DeSaulnier	McGovern	Trahan
Deutch	McNerney	Trone
Dingell	Meadows	Underwood
Doggett	Meeks	Vargas
Doyle, Michael	Meng	Veasey
F.	Moore	Vela
Engel	Morelle	Velázquez
Escobar	Moulton	Visclosky
Eshoo	Mucarsel-Powell	Wagner
Españat	Nadler	Waltz
Finkenauer	Napolitano	Wasserman
Fortenberry	Neal	Schultz
Foster	Neguse	Watkins
Frankel	Newhouse	Watson Coleman
Gabbard	Norcross	Webster (FL)
Gallego	Omar	Welch
Garamendi	Pallone	Wilson (FL)
Garcia (IL)	Panetta	Wilson (SC)
Garcia (TX)	Pascrell	Yarmuth

NAYS—194

Abraham	Brooks (AL)	Chabot
Aderholt	Brooks (IN)	Cheney
Allen	Brownley (CA)	Cline
Amash	Buchanan	Cloud
Arrington	Buck	Cole
Axne	Bucshon	Collins (NY)
Babin	Budd	Comer
Baird	Burchett	Conaway
Balderson	Burgess	Cook
Beatty	Byrne	Cooper
Bera	Calvert	Correa
Biggs	Cárdenas	Costa
Bishop (UT)	Carter (GA)	Craig

Crawford	Huizenga	Rice (SC)
Crenshaw	Hunter	Riggleman
Crow	Hurd (TX)	Roby
Cuellar	Johnson (OH)	Rogers (AL)
Cunningham	Johnson (SD)	Rogers (KY)
Davis, Rodney	Katko	Rooney (FL)
DesJarlais	Kelly (MS)	Rose, John W.
Diaz-Balart	Kilmer	Rouda
Duffy	Kind	Rouzer
Duncan	King (NY)	Roy
Dunn	Kirkpatrick	Ruiz
Emmer	Krishnamoorthi	Scalise
Estes	Kuster (NH)	Schrader
Evans	Kustoff (TN)	Schrier
Ferguson	LaHood	Scott, Austin
Fitzpatrick	LaMalfa	Sensenbrenner
Fleischmann	Lamborn	Sherrill
Fletcher	Latta	Shimkus
Flores	Lesko	Slotkin
Foxx (NC)	Long	Smith (MO)
Fudge	Loudermilk	Smith (NE)
Fulcher	Lucas	Spanberger
Gaetz	Luetkemeyer	Spano
Gallagher	Maloney, Sean	Steube
Gianforte	Marchant	Stewart
Gibbs	Massie	Suozi
Golden	Mast	Thompson (CA)
Gonzalez (OH)	McAdams	Thompson (PA)
Gonzalez (TX)	McBath	Timmons
Gooden	McCaul	Tipton
Gottheimer	McHenry	Turner
Graves (GA)	McKinley	Upton
Graves (LA)	Meuser	Van Drew
Graves (MO)	Miller	Walberg
Green (TN)	Mitchell	Walden
Griffith	Moolenaar	Walker
Guest	Mooney (WV)	Walorski
Guthrie	Mullin	Waters
Hagedorn	Murphy	Weber (TX)
Harder (CA)	Norman	Wenstrup
Harris	Nunes	Westerman
Hartzer	O'Halleran	Wexton
Hern, Kevin	Ocasio-Cortez	Wild
Hice (GA)	Olson	Williams
Higgins (LA)	Palazzo	Wittman
Hill (AR)	Palmer	Womack
Himes	Pappas	Woodall
Holding	Pence	Wright
Horn, Kendra S.	Peters	Yoho
Horsford	Peterson	Young
Houlahan	Posey	Zeldin
Hudson	Ratcliffe	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—2

DeFazio Tonko

NOT VOTING—12

Armstrong	Herrera Beutler	Kaptur
Collins (GA)	Jackson Lee	Kinzinger
Gohmert	Jeffries	Staub
Gosar	Johnson (LA)	Stivers

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Messrs. CROW, VAN DREW, and Ms. OCASIO-CORTEZ changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mses. ADAMS and TITUS changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the Journal was approved.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

SETTING EVERY COMMUNITY UP FOR RETIREMENT ENHANCEMENT ACT OF 2019

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 1(c) of rule XIX, further consideration of the bill (H.R. 1994) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage retirement savings, and for other purposes, will now resume.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT

Mr. MCHENRY. Madam Speaker, I have a motion to recommit at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is the gentleman opposed to the bill?

Mr. MCHENRY. Yes, in its current form.