

Hill (MT)	Miller (FL)	Shaw
Hilleary	Miller, Gary	Shays
Hilliard	Moran (KS)	Sherwood
Hobson	Morella	Shimkus
Hoekstra	Murtha	Shows
Horn	Myrick	Shuster
Hostettler	Nethercutt	Simpson
Hulshof	Ney	Skeen
Hunter	Northup	Smith (MI)
Hutchinson	Norwood	Smith (NJ)
Hyde	Nussle	Smith (TX)
Isakson	Ose	Souder
Istook	Oxley	Spence
Jenkins	Packard	Stearns
John	Paul	Stump
Johnson (CT)	Pease	Stupak
Johnson, Sam	Peterson (PA)	Sununu
Jones (NC)	Petri	Sweeney
Kasich	Pickering	Talent
Kelly	Pitts	Tancredo
King (NY)	Pombo	Tauzin
Kingston	Porter	Taylor (MS)
Knollenberg	Portman	Taylor (NC)
Kolbe	Pryce (OH)	Terry
Kucinich	Quinn	Thomas
Kuykendall	Radanovich	Thornberry
LaHood	Rahall	Thune
Largent	Ramstad	Tiahrt
Latham	Regula	Toomey
LaTourette	Reynolds	Trafficant
Lazio	Riley	Upton
Leach	Rogan	Vitter
Lewis (CA)	Rogers	Walden
Lewis (KY)	Rohrabacher	Walsh
Linder	Ros-Lehtinen	Wamp
LoBiondo	Roukema	Watkins
Lucas (KY)	Royce	Watts (OK)
Lucas (OK)	Ryan (WI)	Weldon (FL)
Manzullo	Ryun (KS)	Weldon (PA)
McCollum	Salmon	Weller
McCrery	Sanford	Whitfield
McHugh	Saxton	Wicker
McInnis	Scarborough	Wilson
McIntosh	Schaffer	Wise
McKeon	Sensenbrenner	Wolf
Metcalf	Sessions	Young (AK)
Mica	Shadegg	Young (FL)

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Abercrombie	Eshoo	Maloney (NY)
Ackerman	Etheridge	Markey
Allen	Evans	Martinez
Andrews	Farr	Mascara
Baird	Fattah	Matsui
Baldacci	Filner	McCarthy (MO)
Baldwin	Ford	McCarthy (NY)
Barrett (WI)	Frank (MA)	McDermott
Becerra	Frost	McGovern
Bentsen	Gejdenson	McIntyre
Berkley	Gephardt	McKinney
Berman	Gonzalez	McNulty
Berry	Green (TX)	Meehan
Blagojevich	Gutierrez	Meek (FL)
Blumenauer	Hall (OH)	Meeks (NY)
Bonior	Hastings (FL)	Menendez
Borski	Hill (IN)	Millender-
Boswell	Hinches	McDonald
Boyd	Hinojosa	Miller, George
Brady (PA)	Hoeffel	Minge
Brown (FL)	Holden	Mink
Brown (OH)	Holt	Moakley
Capps	Hoolley	Mollohan
Capuano	Hoyer	Moore
Cardin	Inslee	Moran (VA)
Carson	Jackson (IL)	Nadler
Clay	Jackson-Lee	Napolitano
Clayton	(TX)	Neal
Clement	Jefferson	Oberstar
Clyburn	Johnson, E. B.	Obey
Condit	Jones (OH)	Olver
Conyers	Kanjorski	Ortiz
Costello	Kaptur	Pallone
Coyne	Kennedy	Pascrell
Cramer	Kildee	Pastor
Crowley	Kilpatrick	Payne
Cummings	Kind (WI)	Pelosi
Davis (FL)	Klecicka	Peterson (MN)
DeFazio	Klink	Phelps
DeGette	LaFalce	Pickett
Delahunt	Lampson	Pomeroy
DeLauro	Larson	Price (NC)
Deutsch	Lee	Rangel
Dicks	Levin	Reyes
Dixon	Lewis (GA)	Rivers
Doggett	Lipinski	Rodriguez
Dooley	Lofgren	Roemer
Doyle	Lowey	Rothman
Edwards	Luther	Roybal-Allard
Engel	Maloney (CT)	Rush

Sabo	Spratt	Udall (NM)
Sanchez	Stabenow	Velazquez
Sanders	Stark	Vento
Sandlin	Stenholm	Visclosky
Sawyer	Strickland	Waters
Schakowsky	Tanner	Watt (NC)
Scott	Tauscher	Waxman
Serrano	Thompson (CA)	Weiner
Sherman	Thompson (MS)	Wexler
Sisisky	Thurman	Weygand
Skelton	Tierney	Woolsey
Slaughter	Towns	Wu
Smith (WA)	Turner	Wynn
Snyder	Udall (CO)	

NOT VOTING—6

Brown (CA)	Gordon	Lantos
Davis (IL)	Houghton	Owens

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Mr. ROEMER changed his vote from "yea" to "nay."

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. MCCOLLUM. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and to insert extraneous material into the RECORD on H.R. 1501 and H.R. 2122, the legislation we are about to consider.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Florida?

There was no objection.

CONSEQUENCES FOR JUVENILE OFFENDERS ACT OF 1999

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. KOLBE). Pursuant to House Resolution 209 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill, H.R. 1501.

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IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 1501) to provide grants to ensure increased accountability for juvenile offenders, with Mr. THORNBERRY in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN. Pursuant to the rule, the bill is considered as having been read the first time.

Under the rule, the gentleman from Florida (Mr. MCCOLLUM) and the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. CONYERS) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Florida (Mr. MCCOLLUM).

Mr. MCCOLLUM. Mr. Chairman, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Chairman, I rise this morning in strong support of H.R. 1501, the Consequences of Juvenile Offenders Act of 1999. On a day when there may be more than occasional partisanship, I think it is important to note that the base text

for our deliberations today and the base text for what we will probably be considering tomorrow and maybe even the next day is truly bipartisan.

Indeed, all the members of the Subcommittee on Crime, Republican and Democrat alike, are original cosponsors of this bill, as are the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. HYDE) and the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. CONYERS), the chairman and the ranking member of the full Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Chairman, this legislation is the outcome of years of field hearings, committee hearings and earlier legislative efforts. It reflects the input of countless men and women who are daily in the trenches of juvenile justice around the country; the juvenile court judges, probation officers, prosecutors, police officers and educators who have the tremendous challenge of trying to make juvenile justice a reality by redirecting the lives of troubled youngsters into productive paths.

Perhaps most importantly, this legislation responds directly and in a positive common sense way to the central question that we are all grappling with today. What can we do about youth and violence? How can we, as legislators, contribute to safer, healthier communities for our kids and our families?

Our youth are America's finest resource. We have an obligation to protect this valuable national treasure. As a Congress, we may disagree on how to accomplish this objective. However, we are all focused on one thing. We must protect our young people.

Mr. Chairman, the tragic events at Columbine High School on April 20 have left us all asking tough questions, looking for real answers. The senseless suicidal rampage by those two teenagers leading to the brutal deaths of 12 of their classmates and one teacher cast a fearful shadow over our country.

As a father of three sons, one of them a high school graduate only three weeks ago, my wife and I have known the weighty concerns of school violence and, sadly, I think we all know that the determined acts of individuals on a massacre and suicide mission are rarely preventable through even the best of laws.

We have now learned that these two teenagers felt rejection by their peers, were filled with hatred and had been planning their violent massacre and suicide for a year. It seems to me that the key to preventing such tragedies is to foster and strengthen those values and convictions that make even contemplating such madness inconceivable.

Yes, our Nation's laws do play a part in fostering such values, but I think the role our laws play in all of this pales in comparison to the combined roles of family, churches, civic institutions and the media. These are what truly shape the character of our youth.

This very important point was eloquently made at the Subcommittee on Crime hearing last month by Darrell Scott, whose daughter Rachel was