

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. SIMPSON. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to adjourn.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Mr. SIMPSON. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 42, nays 355, not voting 35, as follows:

[Roll No. 730]

YEAS—42

Aderholt	Garrett (NJ)	Miller (MI)
Adler (NJ)	Gohmert	Olson
Akin	Hastings (WA)	Pastor (AZ)
Alexander	Heller	Pitts
Bartlett	Hensarling	Posey
Barton (TX)	Inglis	Price (GA)
Blackburn	Johnson (IL)	Rehberg
Broun (GA)	Johnson, Sam	Schwartz
Buyer	King (IA)	Sensenbrenner
Campbell	Lamborn	Shadegg
Carter	Lewis (CA)	Simpson
Chaffetz	McCarthy (CA)	Souder
Clay	McHenry	Thornberry
Foxx	Mica	Tiahrt

NAYS—355

Ackerman	Coble	Green, Gene
Altmire	Coffman (CO)	Griffith
Andrews	Cohen	Grijalva
Arcuri	Cole	Guthrie
Austria	Conaway	Gutierrez
Baca	Connolly (VA)	Hall (NY)
Bachmann	Conyers	Hall (TX)
Baird	Cooper	Halvorson
Baldwin	Costello	Hare
Barrow	Courtney	Harman
Becerra	Crenshaw	Harper
Berkley	Crowley	Hastings (FL)
Berman	Cuellar	Heinrich
Berry	Culberson	Heger
Biggert	Cummings	Herseth Sandlin
Bilbray	Dahlkemper	Higgins
Bilirakis	Davis (AL)	Hill
Bishop (GA)	Davis (CA)	Himes
Bishop (NY)	Davis (KY)	Hinchee
Blumenauer	Davis (TN)	Hinojosa
Blunt	Deal (GA)	Hirono
Bocchieri	DeFazio	Hodes
Bonner	DeGette	Hoekstra
Bono Mack	DeLauro	Holden
Boozman	Dent	Holt
Boren	Diaz-Balart, L.	Honda
Boswell	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hoyer
Boucher	Dicks	Hunter
Boustany	Doggett	Inslee
Boyd	Donnelly (IN)	Israel
Brady (PA)	Dreier	Issa
Brady (TX)	Driehaus	Jackson (IL)
Braley (IA)	Duncan	Jackson-Lee
Bright	Edwards (MD)	(TX)
Brown (SC)	Ehlers	Jenkins
Brown, Corrine	Ellison	Johnson (GA)
Brown-Waite,	Ellsworth	Johnson, E. B.
Ginny	Emerson	Jones
Buchanan	Engel	Jordan (OH)
Burgess	Eshoo	Kagen
Burton (IN)	Fallin	Kanjorski
Butterfield	Farr	Kaptur
Calvert	Fattah	Kildee
Camp	Filner	Kilroy
Cantor	Flake	Kind
Cao	Fleming	King (NY)
Capito	Forbes	Kingston
Capps	Fortenberry	Kirkpatrick (AZ)
Cardoza	Foster	Kissell
Carnahan	Franks (AZ)	Klein (FL)
Carney	Frelinghuysen	Kline (MN)
Carson (IN)	Fudge	Kosmas
Cassidy	Galleghy	Kratovil
Castle	Gerlach	Kucinich
Castor (FL)	Gingrey (GA)	Lance
Chandler	Gonzalez	Langevin
Childers	Goodlatte	Larsen (WA)
Chu	Gordon (TN)	Larson (CT)
Clarke	Graves	Latham
Cleaver	Grayson	LaTourette
Clyburn	Green, Al	Latta

Lee (CA)	Nunes	Scott (VA)
Lee (NY)	Nye	Serrano
Levin	Oberstar	Sestak
Lewis (GA)	Obey	Shea-Porter
Linder	Olver	Sherman
Lipinski	Pallone	Shimkus
LoBiondo	Pascarell	Shuler
Loeb sack	Paul	Shuster
Lofgren, Zoe	Paulsen	Sires
Lucas	Payne	Skelton
Luetkemeyer	Pence	Smith (NE)
Lujan	Perlmutter	Smith (TX)
Lummis	Perriello	Smith (WA)
Lungren, Daniel	Peters	Snyder
E.	Peterson	Space
Lynch	Petri	Spratt
Mack	Pingree (ME)	Stearns
Maffei	Platts	Stupak
Maloney	Poe (TX)	Sullivan
Manzullo	Polis (CO)	Sutton
Markey (CO)	Pomeroy	Tanner
Markey (MA)	Price (NC)	Taylor
Massa	Putnam	Teague
Matheson	Quigley	Terry
Matsui	Radanovich	Thompson (CA)
McCarthy (NY)	Rahall	Thompson (MS)
McCauley	Rangel	Thompson (PA)
McClintock	Reichert	Tiberi
McCollum	Reyes	Tierney
McCotter	Richardson	Titus
McDermott	Rodriguez	Tonko
McGovern	Roe (TN)	Towns
McIntyre	Rogers (AL)	Tsongas
McKeon	Rogers (KY)	Turner
McMahon	Rogers (MD)	Upton
McNerney	Rohrabacher	Van Hollen
Meek (FL)	Rooney	Velázquez
Melancon	Ros-Lehtinen	Visclosky
Michaud	Ross	Walden
Miller (FL)	Rothman (NJ)	Walz
Miller (NC)	Roybal-Allard	Wamp
Miller, Gary	Royce	Wasserman
Miller, George	Ruppersberger	Schultz
Minnick	Rush	Watson
Mitchell	Ryan (OH)	Watt
Mollohan	Ryan (WI)	Waxman
Moore (KS)	Salazar	Weiner
Moore (WI)	Sánchez, Linda	Welch
Moran (VA)	T.	Westmoreland
Murphy (CT)	Sanchez, Loretta	Wexler
Murphy (NY)	Sarbanes	Whitfield
Murphy, Patrick	Scalise	Wilson (OH)
Murphy, Tim	Schakowsky	Wilson (SC)
Murtha	Schauer	Wittman
Myrick	Schiff	Wolf
Nadler (NY)	Schmidt	Woolsey
Napolitano	Schock	Wu
Neal (MA)	Schrader	Yarmuth
Neugebauer	Scott (GA)	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—35

Abercrombie	Etheridge	Moran (KS)
Bachus	Frank (MA)	Ortiz
Barrett (SC)	Giffords	Roskam
Bean	Granger	Sessions
Bishop (UT)	Kennedy	Slaughter
Boehner	Kilpatrick (MI)	Smith (NJ)
Capuano	Kirk	Speier
Costa	Lowey	Stark
Davis (IL)	Marchant	Waters
Delahunt	Marshall	Young (AK)
Dingell	McMorris	
Doyle	Rodgers	
Edwards (TX)	Meeks (NY)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1715

Mr. MITCHELL, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Messrs. SCHRADER, BRIGHT, DUNCAN, GINGREY of Georgia, Ms. MARIKEY of Colorado and Mr. ELLSWORTH changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 730, had I been present, I would have voted “nay.”

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION
EXTENSION ACT OF 2009

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Florida.

Mr. MICA. Mr. Speaker, might I inquire, before I begin, as to the amount of time that I have remaining and the amount of time the gentleman from Minnesota has remaining.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Florida has 30 seconds remaining and the gentleman from Minnesota has 3 minutes.

Mr. MICA. Mr. Speaker, again, the situation we find ourselves in, in just a few minutes here, will be to vote whether or not to proceed with a 3-month extension on the highway bill.

Mr. Speaker, as I said earlier, my side of the aisle and my leadership is asking not to kill a 3-month extension. We are very much in favor of a highway bill. What they are asking for is an opportunity to be heard, for this bill to go through regular order through the Rules Committee and have one opportunity, at least one opportunity, for the minority to be heard on this important piece of legislation.

I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. OBERSTAR. I yield myself the balance of my time.

As a matter of historical record, it was I who suggested, when I heard from my distinguished Republican leader on the committee that the leaders of the Republican Conference had decided to oppose the suspension, that we would then, instead, ask for a rule to consider the bill. But on further consideration, I decided that there are so many Members on both sides who really wanted to vote on this bill that the time is now.

I just want to point out that in the consideration of the current law, surface transportation law, beginning in 2003, there were 12 extensions: five were considered under unanimous consent, with my support; seven bills were considered under suspension of the rules, all of which I cosponsored; four were agreed to by voice vote; three were passed by recorded vote. The first, ironically, was September 30, 2003, 6 years ago, for a 5-month extension. I supported that. It was a voice vote. We didn't ask for a bill to be brought up under a rule. We didn't ask for a recorded vote. We just, as a matter of comity and participation and in the best interests of the country and in the best interests of transportation, supported an extension for 5 months, and on through 12 of them, the last being the extension into September of 2004.

Why, now, all of a sudden, after our side had time and again supported extensions that, let me just go here, the last was July 30, 2005. I correct myself. I supported it. This is in the best public interest, I said, to give the Congress time, the House and Senate conference committees, to finish a bill.

Now, there are a number of organizations that support the short-term extension—the American Trucking Association, the American Automobile Association, the National Association of