

**HR 9 - AS INTRODUCED**

2023 SESSION

23-0059

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

**9**

A RESOLUTION calling for the federal government to enact an American Marshall Plan to rebuild economically impoverished communities and strengthen climate resilience infrastructure.

SPONSORS: Rep. Adjutant, Graf. 16; Rep. Wilhelm, Hills. 40; Rep. Massimilla, Graf. 1; Rep. Toll, Ches. 15

COMMITTEE: State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs

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ANALYSIS

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Three*

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1       Whereas, European towns, cities, and countries sustained unprecedented infrastructure damage  
2 as a consequence of the Second World War from bombing and combat; and

3       Whereas, President Harry Truman feared that post-war Europe could be susceptible to  
4 authoritarianism and radicalism if war-torn countries were not rebuilt; and

5       Whereas, The Marshall Plan, officially titled The European Recovery Program, sought to rebuild  
6 Europe following the Second World War; and

7       Whereas, The Marshall Plan was so successful that by 1952, every participant nation had  
8 economies that were stronger than their pre-war economies; and

9       Whereas, many communities across the United States suffer similar infrastructure and economic  
10 conditions as post-war Europe; and

11       Whereas, American deindustrialization has left many communities economically hollowed and  
12 devastated; and

13       Whereas, climate change continues to ravage communities across the United States, engulfing  
14 entire towns in flames in the west, and flooding others in the east; and

15       Whereas, the actions of individual Americans will not be able to reduce the larger structural  
16 impacts of economic stagnation and climate catastrophe; and

17       Whereas, further ignoring of these issues could lead to the kind of totalitarianism that Secretary  
18 Marshall and President Truman feared; now, therefore, be it

19       Resolved by the House of Representatives:

20       That the New Hampshire house of representatives requests the federal government establish an  
21 American Marshall plan to rebuild, fortify, and secure American communities who have felt the  
22 negative economic impacts of deindustrialization and climate change; and

23       That copies of this resolution be forwarded by the house clerk to the President of the United  
24 States, the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of  
25 Representatives, and to each member of the New Hampshire congressional delegation

**REGULAR CALENDAR**

**February 3, 2023**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE**

**The Committee on State-Federal Relations and  
Veterans Affairs to which was referred HR 9,**

**AN ACT calling for the federal government to enact an  
American Marshall Plan to rebuild economically  
impoverished communities and strengthen climate  
resilience infrastructure. Having considered the same,  
report the same with the following resolution:**

**RESOLVED, that it is INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.**

**Rep. Tom Mannion**

**FOR THE COMMITTEE**

## **COMMITTEE REPORT**

Committee:	<b>State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs</b>
Bill Number:	<b>HR 9</b>
Title:	<b>calling for the federal government to enact an American Marshall Plan to rebuild economically impoverished communities and strengthen climate resilience infrastructure.</b>
Date:	<b>February 3, 2023</b>
Consent Calendar:	<b>REGULAR</b>
Recommendation:	<b>INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE</b>

### **STATEMENT OF INTENT**

This resolution requests the federal government to enact a modern-day “America-centric” version of the post-World War II Marshall Aid Plan. The majority of the committee believes the most recent Inflation Reduction Act a trojan horse for big spending on Green New Deal policies, and we cannot trust any large-budget spending bills out of Congress. These omnibus packages are rife with earmarks for special interest projects that have nothing to do with the objective of the bills. Massive omnibus spending has given us the record inflation we are seeing today, with turmoil across many markets. During testimony, it was also made clear that any construction projects issued under this plan would have preferential treatment to union shops, discriminating against a large portion of the private sector labor force. Government-backed monopolies on labor should not be encouraged.

Vote 11-7.

Rep. Tom Mannion  
FOR THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk  
Cc: Committee Bill File

## REGULAR CALENDAR

State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs

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HOUSE COMMITTEE ON STATE-FEDERAL RELATIONS AND VETERANS AFFAIRS

PUBLIC HEARING ON HR 9

**BILL TITLE:** calling for the federal government to enact an American Marshall Plan to rebuild economically impoverished communities and strengthen climate resilience infrastructure.

**DATE:** January 27, 2023

**LOB ROOM:** 206-208                      **Time Public Hearing Called to Order:** 10:30 am

**Time Adjourned:** 10:45 am

**Committee Members:** Reps. Seibert, Piemonte, Lundgren, Katsakiores, Jeudy, Shurtleff, Moffett, Carey, Massimilla, Gagne, Harley, Toll, Phinney, Mannion.

**Bill Sponsors:**

Rep. Adjutant

Rep. Wilhelm

Rep. Massimilla

Rep. Toll

**TESTIMONY**

\* Use asterisk if written testimony and/or amendments are submitted.

**Rep. Toll**

- Introduced the resolution and is in support
- Cited the history of the reasoning of the Marshall Plan.

**Rep. Phinney**

- Asked: For clarification

**Rep. Toll**

- Suggested union jobs and green energy

**Rep. Lundgren**

- Asked: How this is different than Build Back Better?

**Rep. Phinney**

- This plan would include energy and people.

**Rep. Gagne**

- Asked: About union jobs and would those who are not part of union would not work?

**Rep. Toll**

- Wants to see our delegation support good paying jobs.

**Rep. Phinney**

- Asked: About funding for this plan?

**Rep. Toll**

- Believes these investments in solving problems and reduce costs of criminalization.

**Rep. Moffett**

- Asks: About the title use "Marshall Plan."

**Rep. Toll**

- Responds that similar to the Green New Deal, this would be the New Marshall Plan.

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Rep. Lorrie Carey, Clerk**

# House Remote Testify

## State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs Committee Testify List for Bill HR9 on 2023-01-27

Support: 8 Oppose: 8 Neutral: 0 Total to Testify: 0

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<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>City, State</u> <u>Email Address</u></b>	<b><u>Title</u></b>	<b><u>Representing</u></b>	<b><u>Position</u></b>	<b><u>Testifying</u></b>	<b><u>Non-Germane</u></b>	<b><u>Signed Up</u></b>
Smith, Julie	Nashua, NH cantdog@comcast.net	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/18/2023 5:23 PM
Hackmann, Kent	Andover, NH hackmann@uidaho.edu	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support	No	No	1/21/2023 11:54 AM
Fuentes, Sebastian	Thornton, NH sebastian@radnh.org	A Lobbyist	Rights & Democracy NH	Support	No	No	1/21/2023 1:21 PM
Smith, Hayden	Hanover, NH hasmith1520@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support	No	No	1/21/2023 4:27 PM
Kudlik, Cindy	Grafton, NH CindyKudlik@protonmail.com	An Elected Official	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/22/2023 4:04 PM
Coon, Kate	Peterborough, NH kate2coon@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support	No	No	1/22/2023 8:55 PM
Benham, Linda	Greenland, NH benhamlab@outlook.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support	No	No	1/23/2023 3:14 PM
Davidson, Geri	Nashua, NH geridavidson15@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support	No	No	1/23/2023 4:44 PM
Oxenham, Lee	Plainfield, NH leeoxenham@comcast.net	A Member of the Public	Myself	Support	No	No	1/24/2023 5:21 PM
Richardson, Daniel	Nashua, NH daniel6_22@comcast.net	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/25/2023 1:28 PM
Cembalisty, Richard	Rochester, NH taxmanrick@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/25/2023 8:36 PM
Cembalisty, Clara	Rochester, NH Cqsc43@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/25/2023 8:37 PM
Murphy, Kevin	Hampstead, NH kfinurphy76@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/26/2023 3:42 PM



Osmund, Richard	Manchester, NH dominic@350nh.org	A Lobbyist	350 NH	Support	No	No	1/26/2023 7:35 PM
Richardson, Diane	Georges mills, NH Workingclasscanine@msn.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/27/2023 9:48 AM
Sims, Julie	Guild, NH jpmom39@gmail.com	A Member of the Public	Myself	Oppose	No	No	1/27/2023 10:38 AM

Cindy Kudlik

Lee Oxenham

None.

Richard Osmund

I think this bill should pass

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON STATE-FEDERAL RELATIONS AND VETERANS AFFAIRS**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION on HR 9**

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**MOTIONS: INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE**

Moved by Rep. T. Mannion

Seconded by Rep. Gagne

Vote: 11-7

**CONSENT CALENDAR: NO**

**Statement of Intent:** Refer to Committee Report

Respectfully submitted,

Rep Lorrie Carey, Clerk



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Report

2023 SESSION

State-Federal Relations and Veterans Affairs

Bill #: HR9 Motion: ITL AM #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exec Session Date: 02-03-23

<u>Members</u>	<u>YEAS</u>	<u>Nays</u>	<u>NV</u>
Moffett, Michael I Chairman	✓		
Rollins, Skip A. Vice Chairman	✓		
Lundgren, David C.	✓		
<del>Katsakiores, Phyllis M.</del> Wayne Oulette	✓		
<del>Leavitt, John A.</del> Aiden Ankarberg	✓		
<del>Harley, Tina L.</del> Wayne Mac Donald	✓		
Gagne, Larry G.	✓		
Piemonte, Tony	✓		
Phinney, Brandon	✓		
Mannion, Tom D	✓		
Shurtleff, Steve J.		✓	
Massimilla, Linda A.		✓	
Booras, Efstathia C.			
Carey, Lorrie J. Clerk	✓		
<del>Meneer, Hoy Robert</del> Jennifer Morton		✓	
Toll, Amanda Elizabeth			
<del>Judy, Jean L.</del> Marjorie Smith		✓	
<del>Lloyd, Christal</del> Jessica LaMontagne		✓	
O'Neil, Candice M		✓	
Seibert, Christine		✓	
<b>TOTAL VOTE:</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>7</b>	