



The Girl Scouts of the USA Centennial Commemorative Coin Act

Issue

In celebration of 100 years of Girl Scouting, we need your help to pass legislation introduced in the 111th Congress that will authorize the U.S. Mint to issue a Girl Scout Commemorative Coin.

Impact

The Girl Scouts of the USA Centennial Commemorative Coin Act recognizes the achievements of the Girl Scouts of the USA and the 50 million women across the nation whose lives have been influenced through Girl Scouting. This legislation will direct the U.S. Mint to produce 350,000 silver coins. Ten dollars (\$10) from the sale of each coin will go to GSUSA to help support the development and delivery of Girl Scout programs and to fund much-needed renovations at the Juliette Gordon Low Birthplace.

Background

In January 2009, Representative Jack Kingston (R -GA) introduced H.R. 621 that will direct the Secretary of Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the centennial anniversary of Juliette Gordon Low's founding of the Girl Scouts. A similar bill, S. 451 was introduced in the Senate by Senator Susan Collins (R-ME). For this to pass, we need 290 House cosponsors and 67 in the Senate. We can reach these numbers, but there is much work to be done!

What's Next

We need your help to encourage your Members of Congress to sponsor this legislation. Please join the Girl Scouts Advocacy Network by logging into www.GirlScouts4girls.org to send a message in support of the Commemorative Coin. Use your voice to help Girl Scouts celebrate our 100th Anniversary.

TAKE ACTION NOW!
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