

Republicans Organize House Task Forces to Prepare 2016 Legislative Agenda

Task Force Membership

Task Force	Committee Chair – Committee				
National Security	Candice Miller (MI) <i>Administration</i>	Mac Thornberry (TX) <i>Armed Services</i>	Ed Royce (CA) <i>Foreign Affairs</i>	Michael McCaul (TX) <i>Homeland Security</i>	Bob Goodlatte (VA) <i>Judiciary</i>
	Devin Nunes (CA) <i>Intelligence</i>	Jeff Miller (FL) <i>Veterans Affairs</i>			
Poverty, Opportunity and Upward Mobility	Mike Conaway (TX) <i>Agriculture</i>	Tom Price (GA) <i>Budget</i>	John Kline (MN) <i>Education</i>	Jeb Hensarling (TX) <i>Financial Services</i>	Kevin Brady (TX) <i>Ways and Means</i>
Reducing Regulatory Burdens	Mike Conaway (TX) <i>Agriculture</i>	Fred Upton (MI) <i>Energy and Commerce</i>	Jeb Hensarling (TX) <i>Financial Services</i>	Bob Goodlatte (VA) <i>Judiciary</i>	Rob Bishop (UT) <i>Natural Resources</i>
	Jason Chaffetz (UT) <i>Oversight</i>	Lamar Smith (TX) <i>Science, Space, Tech</i>	Steve Chabot (OH) <i>Small Business</i>	Bill Shuster (PA) <i>Transportation</i>	
Restoring Constitutional Authority	Harold Rogers (KY) <i>Appropriations</i>	Bob Goodlatte (VA) <i>Judiciary</i>	Rob Bishop (UT) <i>Natural Resources</i>	Jason Chaffetz (UT) <i>Oversight</i>	Pete Sessions (TX) <i>Rules</i>
Health Care Reform	Tom Price (GA) <i>Budget</i>	John Kline (MN) <i>Education</i>	Fred Upton (MI) <i>Energy and Commerce</i>	Kevin Brady (TX) <i>Ways and Means</i>	
Tax Reform	Kevin Brady (TX) <i>Ways and Means</i>	Members are expected to produce plans in the spring , in time for the party’s presidential nominee to use the agenda as a plan to show voters the party’s legislative priorities.			

Sources: Lindsey McPherson, “Committee Chairs to Flesh Out Details of House Agenda,” Roll Call, February 4, 2016; Speaker Ryan Press Office, “House Republicans Announce Task Forces to Develop Bold Agenda for a Confident America,” February 4, 2016.